

# NewsRed2 Winter 2013

*“Let me win, but if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt”*

## Future Events:

- Stafford Indoor Athletics  
30th Nov

- Birmingham FA Football  
15th Dec

## 2014

- 1/3/14 Redditch Gala  
Abbey Stadium  
7-9/3/14 National

- Basketball Sheffield  
19/4/14 Dudley Gala  
Halesowen  
7/6/14 Dudley Football  
22/6/14 Regional

- Athletics Alexander Stadium Birmingham  
29/6/14 Sandwell Football

## To be confirmed....

Redditch Football

City of Birmingham Gala

If you would like to take part in any of these events contact

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# Special Olympics Redditch



## What a Summer!

Seems crazy to be mentioning the summer when we are all looking forward to Christmas and the festive season but this our second edition of NEWSRED is focusing on some past events since our summer edition was published in August . . .

### BATH 2013- Congratulations . . .



To all our Olympians who competed in the National Summer Games during August this year Jessica Hiles, Kevin Holloway, Laurie Brookes, Richard Daykin, Jonathan Wedgbury, Stacey Everill,

Rachelle Darling, Shane Dennis, Chris Finch and Dan Whitmore. Dan was competing in his last ever games and competition for Redditch. They totalled 15 Gold, 5 Silver and 4 Bronze medals. “Congratulations to you all, you did Redditch proud”.



Karen Lumley MP our patron described their efforts by saying they were “The Tremendous Ten!” A civic reception was held in their honour upon their return at which the Mayor of Redditch Wanda King also praised their achievements.

## Fundraising Events

If you are able to help please contact Jane on 07817330435. There are also Special Olympics Pin Badges, Car Stickers and Wristbands available to buy for just £1, please see Elaine or Jane on a Monday evening.

## Christmas Mega Draw

Tickets on sale now, draw will be made on 16/12/2013 at Trinity High School –

**£1 per book all funds raised will help towards 2014 events**



# Results Desk

## Past Events

Poole Gymnastics & Trampoline  
5th & 6th October

St Albans Regional Gala  
26th October

Sutton Coldfield Badminton  
9th November

Congratulations to Sam Baker, Matthew Page, Jack Davies, Steven Cooper, Richard Daykin, Jonathan Wedgbury, Shane Dennis, Chris Finch, Jessica Hiles, Kevin Holloway, Laurie Brooks, Stacey Everill, Rachelle Darling & Dan Whitmore on their achievements.

## First Competition for Jack!!!

Congratulations to Jack Davies on his first competition at Sutton Coldfield Badminton. Jack joined Special Olympics Redditch in 2012. He trains every week and enjoys badminton, table tennis & basketball.

## Training....

Swimming at Abbey Stadium,  
every other Sunday 3pm-4pm £2

Gymnastics at Kingsley  
Sports Centre, Wednesday  
7.40pm-8.40pm £2.

## STOP PRESS!

Annual Awards Evening –  
Saturday 25th January 2014

TOWN HALL REDDITCH  
7.30pm-11.30pm  
DISCO & LICENSED BAR

Please join in this annual celebration of what our Olympians have achieved during 2013 it promises to be another special night !

**Tickets are FREE !**

Have you bought your  
Calendar yet for 2014?

Then please help in  
our fundraising by  
purchasing our  
Special Olympics  
Calendar  
On sale now  
£4.99 !



*Special Olympics Redditch  
would like to wish all our  
Olympians their families and  
carers as well as all our  
Volunteers a very Merry  
Christmas and a Happy 2014!  
Thank you for all your  
support in 2013*