

Kingdom Partnership

*“Working together
effectively in the run
up to, during and
post the
Commonwealth
Games 2022”*



- Welcome & overview
- Introductions & pray
- Moving forward – one of those opportunities is chaplaincy but what is a sports chaplain - clarity
- The Dream
- What do you see?
- Opportunities to serve - different types
- Rhetoric into reality - Process going forward

What is it & who are we?

- Chaplain
- Sports Chaplain
- Sports Chaplaincy UK

We all have preconceived ideas

We believe God has given us a dream:

“To see an expression of his love and compassion in every community called sport”

- We were established in 1991
- Working in all the Home Nations
- With a global reputation
- We are approaching a 600+ chaplain roles
- Training hundred's of chaplains each year
- We work with NGB's and sports communities
- We work with the local & National church



What do you see?



Community called Sport



- No of Clubs: 151,000
- Average Attendance: 80+ adults, 90+ children
- *Size of community:* 25 million plus

More than clubs includes parks, fields etc

Birmingham Community

- The population in Birmingham is due to increase to 1.21 million by 2027. The average age is 33 years, younger than the UK average of 40.
- Sport has always been important in Birmingham, with over 700 grass-roots sports clubs and 1,473 sports facilities in Birmingham with internationally famous teams and sporting venues.
- Birthplace of the English Football League and boasts the world's oldest Lawn Tennis Club in Edgbaston.

Birmingham Sporting Community – The Games is a Catalyst

- The Birmingham 2022 Commonwealth Games will run from 27 July until 7 August 2022.
- Largest international event Birmingham has ever hosted with over 20 sports & 70 nations & territories taking part.
- There will be thousands of athletes, coaches, volunteers and an estimated audience of 1.5 billion people watching from around the world.
- A West Midlands Celebration with Birmingham at its heart. The venues being used for the Games stretch from Coventry and Royal Leamington Spa in the east to Cannock Chase Forest in the north west of the region.



OPPORTUNITIES

The largest untapped mission field in the UK

- Our heart must change
- Our response must change
- We must be INTENTIONAL



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OPPORTUNITIES to serve:

- Now (Preparation)
- During
- Post the Games

The Start

- NSS
- EOI
- SCUUK Induction
- Sports Chaplaincy

Preparation

- Equipping
- Pray monthly
- CPD - training
- Other opp's

Around The Games

- Chaplaincy/Mission Events around the Games 2wks

After Missional

- Legacy
- Sports Mission
- Sports communities
- Chaplaincy





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The Start

First steps in
helping turn
rhetoric into
reality

Interested in becoming a
Sports Chaplain in your locality

- EOI
- SCUK Induction
- NSS – 15th May 2022



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**NATIONAL
SPORTS
SUNDAY**
15TH MAY 2022

Preparation

Interested in serving before
and around the games

- Contact us



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Around the Games

If you want to join to
journey to make the most
of the Games a Missional
success

- Email Christian re Sports Chaplaincy
- Email Rob - other



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Missional Legacy

If you are serious about
making a transformational
difference in your city –
Beyond the games
Prayerful consider a longer-
term view to serving

- Chaplaincy opportunities
- Sport Mission

The Start

- NSS
- EOI
- SCUk Induction
- Sports Chaplaincy

Preparation

- 2 hr Training
- Interviewing
- Vetting
- CPD
- Other opp's

Around The Games

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Missional Legacy

- Legacy
- Sports communities
- Chaplaincy general



What do you see?

We have the freedom and liberty to meet people
where there at.

A moments revelation demands a different
response.