

Recent events

RUGBY SPORTS DAY FOR THE DISABLED

This was held on 3rd May. It was well supported and a big success.

Many thanks to all who helped to organise the event.

The full results of the competitions are not yet available for the Newsletter but it may be possible to eventually put them on the RSDA website

www.rugbysda.org.uk

Success for Hereward College in Powerchair Football competition

Hereward College in Tile Hill, Coventry enjoyed success hosting and taking part in the first Powerchair Football competition in the region.

Run by the Wheelchair Football Association (WFA), Powerchair Football competitions take place across the UK with participants competing in regional and national leagues.

The event, held on Sunday, 3rd May 2015 was the first of its kind to take place in Coventry.

Players from across Coventry and Birmingham came along to try their hand at the sport and play against both West Bromwich Albion Foundation and Northampton Powerchair teams.

A huge turnout saw some very competitive performances from both experienced and new players.

Hereward College came away victorious in their first game ever - beating Northampton 2-0.

Matthew Berry, sports activator at Hereward College, said: "It has been a fantastic day for the sport, and the support of students, staff and spectators created a huge amount of positive energy for the players. We are incredibly proud of the achievements of all who took part.

The success of the event means that the WFA will look to further develop Powerchair Football access in Coventry and Warwickshire on a regular basis and create a local club."

For more information **Hereward College** <http://www.hereward.ac.uk>

Wheelchair Football Association (WFA) <http://www.thewfa.org.uk>

Afternoon Tea

In June, RSDA President Mark Furber and his wife Flick hosted an 'Afternoon Tea' on behalf of The Inner Wheel of Rugby.

The event was held in aid of

Dogs for the Disabled

Autism Assistance Dog Service

It was well supported by RSDA members.



Ball throwing event

