



SIDC + Shuttlemark Inclusive Disability Charter

**Badminton is a sport for all ages, abilities & disabilities. Fun, social and competitive.
The sport offers so many positive opportunities for everyone.**



BACKGROUND

Opportunities for disabled people to play badminton are increasing all the time with more clubs opening and new coaches being trained on a regular basis.

A major step forward occurred in 2010 when PBWF was fully integrated into the Badminton World Federation (BWF). Since then significant advances have been made across the world as the sport continues to develop, with a growing international calendar, a modern classification system and, with the full backing of the international body, inclusion in the Tokyo 2020 Paralympic Games. The positive development can be clearly seen with Para-Badminton now played in over 64 national member associations (as at January 2014).

Scotland has been one of the driving forces within the 4 Nations and in May 2013 the Scottish Disability Badminton Working Group became fully integrated within Badminton Scotland and is driving a successful development programme across the country. The Scottish Disability Group and Badminton Scotland Regional Development Officers' aims are to create clubs and increase participation as well as continue to run a very successful 4 Nations event. Further events at regional level are expected as well as more coaching and volunteering opportunities.





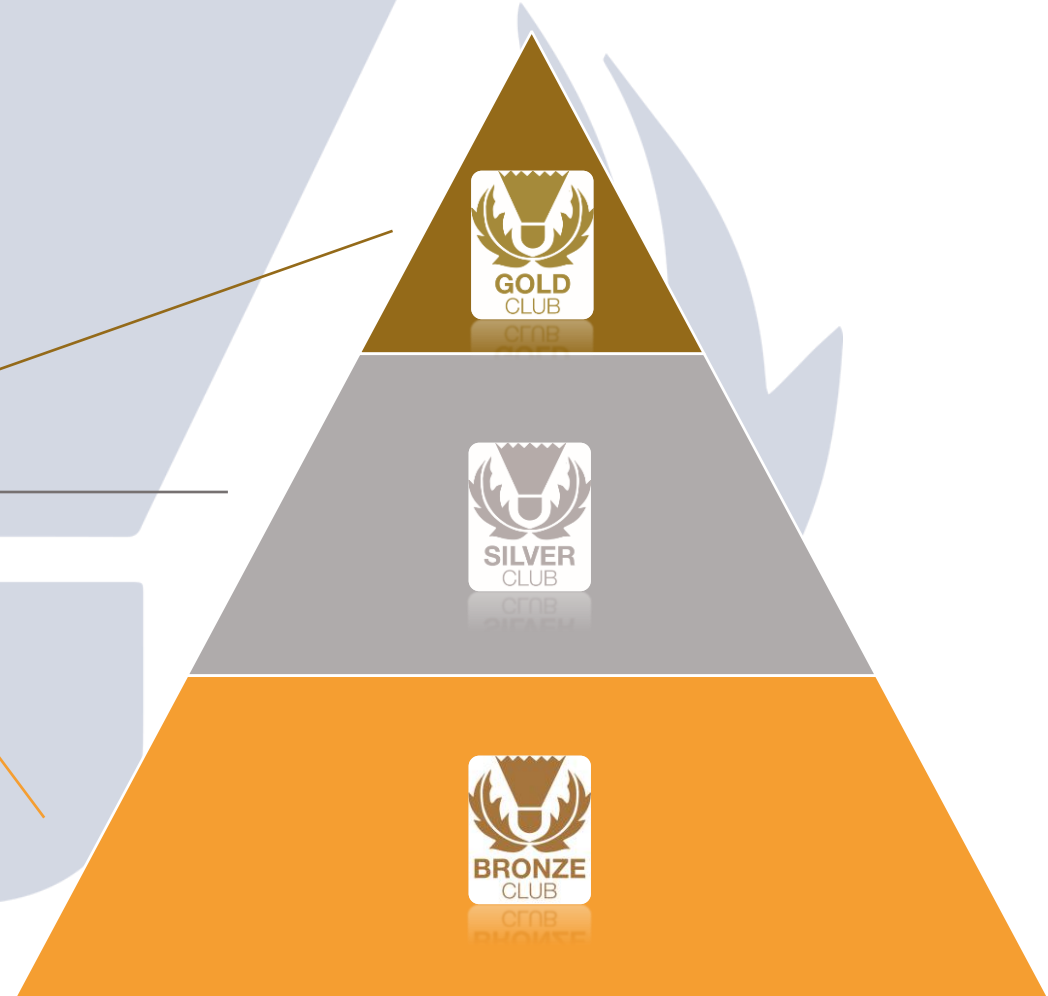
ABOUT SIDC

SIDC (Shuttlemark Inclusive Disability Charter) is Badminton Scotland's new initiative that supports people with disabilities and gives them the opportunity to access badminton at a local club. In addition the aim is to support clubs to allow them to provide & deliver inclusive badminton activity for those with disabilities.

Providing accessible and inclusive opportunities to play badminton locally is key to Badminton Scotland's strategy and we are keen to ensure clubs are part of this.

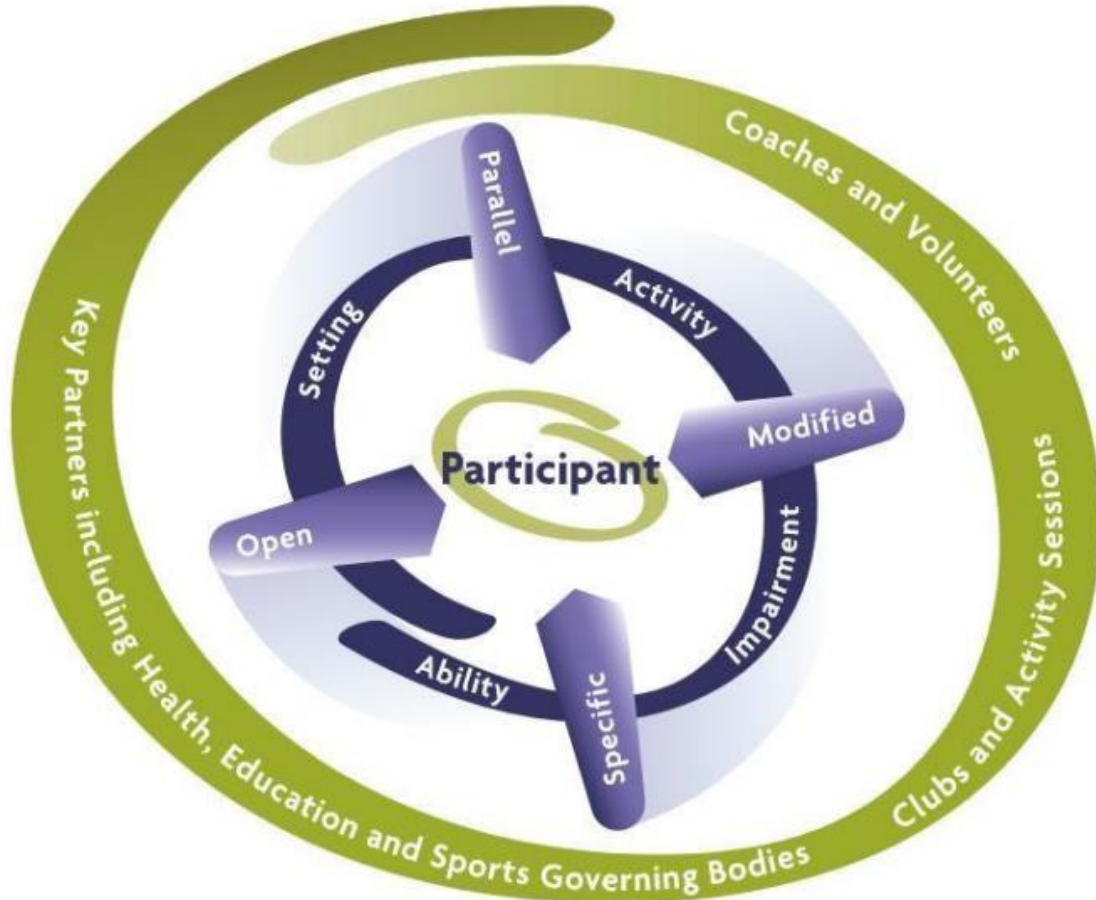
To apply to the scheme clubs must be Shuttlemark Bronze, Silver or Gold accredited and meet & fulfil requirements to become a SIDC Club.

Clubs who are interested in the scheme can access support from their Regional Development Officer (RDO). Once a club becomes chartered they can access a series of rewards.





STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK



Scottish Disability Sport

SCOTTISH DISABILITY SPORT (SDS)
Activity Inclusion Model (AIM)

The Activity Inclusion Model (AIM) supports participant centred provision of physical activity and sport, and ensures everyone has a quality experience, irrespective of the environment or ability of the participant. It forms the basis of the following: Inclusive Sports offers all disabled participants the opportunity to realise their full potential in physical activity, sport and PE by delivering activity appropriate to individual needs and abilities through open, modified, parallel and specific sports options, relevant to the setting and activity. The use of and transition within the model will be dictated through the ongoing communication between the deliverer and the participant, as part of a planned programme of activity or sports participation, training or competition.

Each option is described as follows:

- **Open activity:** everyone can take part – based on what everyone can do and does not include any modification.
- **Modified activity:** people do the same activity in different ways
- **Parallel activity:** organised in ability groups, everyone takes part in a variation of the same activity
- **Specific activity:** people take part in unique activity specific to the sport.

The four factors that influence inclusion (and inform the structure of provision) for each individual participant are ability, activity, impairment and the setting. All need to be considered when creating the most appropriate provision. The outer circle denotes the environments and people that support the provision of inclusive activity or sport

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WHAT ARE PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES LOOKING FOR?



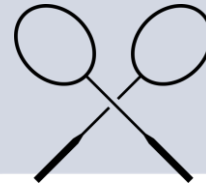
OPENNESS

Open to &
understanding of
peoples' disability



PEOPLE

Trained
staff/volunteers to
support inclusion



ACTIVITIES

Deliver inclusive
activities



FACILITIES

Accessible facilities



PROMOTION

Promotion of
inclusive activities
with information
easily available



WHY SIGN UP?

- Become a Badminton Scotland SIDC club which aims to provide those with disabilities opportunities to participate in badminton within their community by being able to access a local badminton club
- Reduce barriers facing people with disabilities in participation in badminton
- Ensure clubs, coaches & volunteers are supported in the development of their awareness of disability through access to training and Continuous Professional Development (CPD)
- To proactively work with partners such as Scottish Disability Sport (SDS) to influence & ensure that clubs, coaches & volunteers are supported & challenged to reflect best practice in disability badminton in Scotland
- Contribute to achieving Badminton Scotland's 2019-27 Strategy
- Improve your profile within the community
- Access support & SIDC rewards from Badminton Scotland



SIDC CHARTER STATEMENTS

- i. Our club will provide a welcoming environment and supportive attitude towards participants with disabilities
- ii. Our Club will access training for our coaches/volunteers to facilitate the inclusion of people with disabilities
- iii. Our Club will develop & deliver inclusive activities
- iv. Our Club will review our facility/venues & equipment to make sure we are accessible to people with disabilities
- v. Our Club will promote the inclusive nature of our activities in a variety of formats





BENEFITS SIDC CLUB

- Certificate & Letter awarding your organisation SIDC club
- Use of SIDC Logo
- Feature on Badminton Scotland's website





PROCESS

How to get involved with SIDC

- Clubs apply through SIDC application form on website
- Clubs must be affiliated to Badminton Scotland and be Shuttlemark Accredited Bronze, Silver or Gold
- Club has to meet the Shuttlemark criteria
- RDO's will be available to support clubs throughout process
- Review process will be every 2 years to maintain status

For more information visit <http://www.badmintonscotland.org.uk/shuttlemark-club-accreditation/> or contact your Regional Development Officer (RDO) or contact Badminton Scotland on 0141 445 1218