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participation  
in sport**

## Spring 2008 Design Guidance Newsletter

### INTRODUCTION

Welcome to the latest edition of Sport England's 'Design Guidance Newsletter'. Its aim is to provide news updates on specific issues relating to sports facility design and information on developments to Sport England's Design Guidance Notes.

Technologies, requirements, and expectations for sport facilities are ever changing. Sport England's Design Guidance highlights best practice to clients, designers, and the wider public and we review and update our online resource on a periodic basis.

Please refer to this newsletter for information relating to future updates.

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#### LATEST NEWS UPDATE

design and usage of studio spaces and fitness suites.

#### DESIGN GUIDANCE NOTES

Sport England's Design Guidance Notes provide best practice design advice and requirements for various building types and sporting activities.

##### **New:**

##### **Active England Case Studies**

This series of case studies, one from each of Sport England's nine regions, highlights examples of good practice constructed under the 'Active England' Programme.

#### NEW TO THE WEBSITE

##### **New:**

##### **Swimming Pools**

This major publication seeks to outline the principles of good swimming pool design for all those involved in developing swimming provision.

##### **Update to:**

##### **Athletics**

A revised 2008 edition of Sport England's Athletics guidance updated in collaboration with UK Athletics.

##### **New:**

##### **Fitness and Exercise Spaces**

This new guidance is dedicated to the promotion of good practice in the

#### COMING SOON...Summer 2008

##### **Update to:**

##### **Sports Halls**

Sport England is currently updating, and amalgamating into one document, the advice found within 'Sports Halls - Design' and 'Sports Halls - Sizes and Layouts'.

##### **Update to:**

##### **Access for Disabled People**

This important publication is currently being updated to reflect changes to legislation and current good practice in the field of inclusive design.

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