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Pilsley Village gives tips on..... Family Sports Taster Sessions

Aim:

To develop new activities for families in the village.

What has happened so far?

Pilsley, in North East Derbyshire, is continuing to develop into a very good village for sport, health and fitness provision with the help of volunteers from the local parish council, both village schools and clubs.

Excellent facilities at the Elm Centre, village hall and sports ground see thriving clubs such as football, netball cricket, table-tennis and dance continue to grow while activities such as tai-chi and badminton are also available.

The Parish Council, village schools and local clubs have now formed an excellent working partnership with North East Derbyshire Village Games Co-ordinator to continue to help current activities and develop further sport, health and fitness provision for Pilsley.

In late 2010 new family taster sessions started at Pilsley village hall with activities available for all the family including street dance, badminton, boccia, short mat bowls, darts and yoga.

What's Next?

The Elm Centre will be utilised over the next few months to offer residents new and exciting activities such as basketball and dodgeball and an official 'Pilsley Badminton Club' while walking and jogging groups have been earmarked after consultation.

After initial success with the family taster sessions a 'Pilsley Family Activity Club' will start in March for families to participate in sport and physical opportunities with other families. Activities will include walking, ball games, mini decathlon, cycling and racket sports.

And finally, both Pilsley football and cricket clubs continue to develop with new and exciting opportunities for boys and girls.

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