

GREAT PREPARATION FOR BOURNEMOUTH

SPECIAL OLYMPICS TEAM

This Sunday 18th September was the first Disability Coaching Session at the club, and hopefully it will be the first of many more.

This specially organised coaching session was set up for 12 invited players for specialised coaching in preparation for the Special Olympics to be held at Portchester's new sports hall on 9th October.

We were very lucky to have a large number of coaches attend and help this event to run so smoothly. Players received expert guidance and individual coaching with tips to help them improve their game. The robot was also set up for all to have a go, which everybody enjoyed immensely.

After two 45 minute sessions, players then went on to group match play for the last part of the day. All players worked really hard and this was shown in the confidence, enthusiasm and concentration during match play.

To round off the day, each player was presented with a medal by their selected coach for the day. It was lovely to see so many smiles at the end of the day.

Well done to all players and we wish them every success for their upcoming event.

A big Thank you to all the coaches: Andy Hartnell, Simon Marriner, Martyn Reeves, James Lewis, Rob Searle, Harry Feltham, Gordon White and Jo Kuzu.

Jo Kuzu