

Maddie:

I'm sure you all know that the Rio Olympics is coming up, and after the Olympics comes the Paralympics which includes judo for the blind & visually impaired.

So, in connection with this, I thought it would be a good idea to hold a charity event for the ROYAL NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF BLIND PEOPLE.

The RNIB have helped me a lot in my life by providing large print books and audio books on CDs, so it would be really nice to show my thanks by raising some money for them.

The idea is to have a sponsored throw-for-throw at the judo club where we partner up and take it in turns to throw each other.

The pairs that do the most throws during 1 minute win a prize. We could even have a blindfolded category so that we can feel what it must be like to be in the Paralympics.

If you want to join in the fun, you can get your sponsorship forms from Jane before you leave tonight.

Sam:

The dates planned for the event are:

Thursday 14th

Saturday 16th July

...which is the second from last week before the school summer holidays.

The sponsor money can be collected during the summer holidays so it can be donated in September.