



The Sports Think Tank invites you to a roundtable discussion:

The 2015 Election: What are the sport manifesto priorities?

Tuesday, 4 November 2014, 7.40 for 8.00am until 10.00am at Speed Communications, 30 Park Street, London, SE1 9EQ

With six months to go until the UK general election, now is the perfect time to debate what the major political parties' priorities should be for the sport sector. Two years after the Olympics and approaching the halfway stage of the 'decade of sport', it is a critical time for sport in the UK. With austerity set to continue and deep cuts in local government spending, the next administration faces many challenges but will have the power to set new directions for sport. Your insight and opinion is invited with consideration to the following questions:

- What has sports policy achieved in the last 10 years?
- Do we have the right approach to sports policy in this country and what should the role of sport be in the future?
- What levels of public funding should go into sport and how should this be funded in the future?
- What is the future role of the Department of Culture, Media and Sport and Department of Health, and are Sport England and UK Sport fit for purpose?
- Has sports policy grown stale and if so what innovation is required to provide fresh impetus?
- What can be achieved in the next parliament and do we need a 10-year cross party strategy for sports policy?
- What should the sports policy priorities be at the next election?

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Friday, 24th October, 2014.