

Paralympic BJA Personal Player Awards

All APA awards are dependent on a player's fitness to compete in their chosen discipline. In the instance of long term injury, illness or absence, cases will be reviewed individually to determine funding status. Continuation of APA awards will therefore be assessed against commitment to agreed goals and with injury, active implementation of rehabilitation targets to return to competition fitness.

A-C Podium Level Selected to BJPI programme, behaviours, commitment & consideration of Paralympic, World Championship, World Games and European Championships results and other selected sighted events.

Performance Criteria:

A level Support – if a player meets the following criteria in the current Paralympic Cycle

- Paralympic, World Championship or World Games Gold Medal

(1 - 2 years dependant on sustained performances in selected events)

B level Support – if a player meets the following criteria in the previous 12 months:

- Paralympic, World Championship or World Games Silver or Bronze Medal, PLUS 2 medals in selected sighted events (i.e. Heart of England, Venray, London International, Kent International)

(1 - 2 years dependant on sustained performance in selected events)

C level Support - if a player meets the following criteria in the previous 12 months:

- Paralympic, World Championship, or World Games 5th place or European Championship Medal, PLUS 2 medals in selected sighted events (i.e. Heart of England, Venray, London International, Kent International)

(1 year dependant on sustained performance in selected events)

Level D Development (Snr) (up to £9k)

Selected to BJPI programme, behaviours, commitment and minimum 1st Dan. Consideration of Performance History - top 5 at Europeans or top 8 at World Championships/Games or Paralympic Games PLUS 1 medal at a selected sighted event (i.e. Heart of England, Venray, London International, Kent International)

Level E Development (Snr)(up to £7k)

Selected to BJPI programme, behaviours, commitment and minimum 1st Dan; Consideration of Performance History – World Championships/ Games/ European Championship performances, PLUS 1 medal at a selected sighted event (i.e. Heart of England, Venray, London International, Kent International)

Level F Development (up to £5k)

Selected to BJPI programme, behaviours, commitment and in consideration of Performance History of specified events

Level G Training Group (up to £2k)

Players selected as training partners and attending designated training sessions

All Development awards will be considered against results in the previous 12 months and will be for 1 year, dependant on sustained performances in selected events.

In the event of an appeal on funding the normal BJA Appeals Process would be followed.