2023 BEC CONGRESS BAKU, AZERBAIJAN



## PARABADMINTON Sweden

Start your impossible camp

BADMINTON - Quality time for everyone, the whole life. BADMINTON FOR ALL - Clubs in the whole country offers parabadminton for players, regardless of age and level.


## PARABADMINTON



2013: RICKARD

- Born into badmintonfamily
- High school with badminton-profile
- Int'I tournaments
- World Ranking \#5
- Coached by parents


2023: HILLEVI

- Family seeking activities
- Found badminton and loved it!
- How did she find badminton?
$\rightarrow$ Start your impossible camp
$\rightarrow$ Parabadminton training group in nearby club


## - HOW DID WE FIND HILLEVI?

| - National org, |
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| Local involvement |
| - Offer different sports |
| - Cooperate! |
| - Leaders, coaches |
| from nearby clubs |
| - Invite, follow-up! |

## START YOUR IMPOSSIBLE CAMP

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## ORGANIZATIONS MAKE IT POSSIBLE




SVERIGES PARALYMPISKA KOMMITTÉ


BADMINTON SWEDEN


GRASSROOT HEROES MAKE IT HAPPEN!


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SWEDEN

## EDUCATION IS KEY -Participation is fun!



BADMINTON
SWEDEN


Thank you

TASK 1: Discuss in groups of maximum 4 persons (all from different countries) which initiatives you are taking in terms of increasing the awareness of Para badminton but also recruiting more Para badminton players

## Some numbers ©

- Medals at Para badminton World Championship 2022
- 4 gold out of 22
- 8 silver out of 22
- 14 bronze out of 44
- 26 medals out of 88 ( $29,5 \%$ of medals for Europe)
- Medals at Paralympics 2020
- 1 gold out of 14
- 2 silver out of 14
- 1 bronze out of 14
- 4 medals out of 42 ( $9,5 \%$ of medals for Europe)

TASK 2: Discuss in groups of maximum 4 persons (all from different countries) which challenges your High Performance Para badminton players are facing in order to be competitive on the highest level.

TASK 3: Design a specific European Para badminton project which aims at recruiting more Para badminton players or getting more European medals at Para badminton World Championships or Paralympics. You have a budget of 25.000 Euro.


