International event hosting opportunities



The following lists of events are subject to important explanatory notes detailed at the end of the document.

Sport	Event	Status
2024		
Wheelchair Fencing	Wheelchair Fencing World Cup	Staged
Boxing	World Boxing Cup GB Open	Staged
Athletics	World Athletics Indoor Championships	Staged
Football	UEFA Champions League Final	Secured
Hockey	FIH Pro League	Secured
Para Badminton	4 Nations Para Badminton International	Secured
Para Triathlon	Para Triathlon World Series	Secured
Boxing	World Boxing Cup Finals	Live feasibility
Multi-sport	Urban Innovation Festival	Live feasibility
VI Judo	VI Judo Grand Prix	Live feasibility

2025		
Rugby Union	Rugby World Cup* (W)	Secured
Multi-sport	Urban Innovation Festival	Live feasibility
Ice Skating	ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating	Opportunity
Athletics	Diamond League	Opportunity
E-Sports	E-Sports event	Opportunity
Para Badminton	4 Nations Para Badminton International	Opportunity
Wheelchair Curling	World Wheelchair and World Wheelchair Mixed Doubles Curling Championship	Opportunity

	2026	
Athletics	European Athletics Championships	Secured
Cricket	T20 Cricket World Cup (W)	Secured
Ice Skating	ISU European Figure Skating Championships	Secured
Table Tennis	ITTF World Team Table Tennis Championships	Secured
Athletics	Diamond League	Opportunity
Para Canoe	Paracanoe Open International	Opportunity
Para Powerlifting	Para Powerlifting World Cup	Opportunity
Para Triathlon	World Triathlon Para Cup	Opportunity
Wheelchair Fencing	Wheelchair Fencing World Cup	Opportunity

2027		
Athletics	Diamond League	Opportunity
Badminton	BWF Sudirman Cup	Opportunity

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Climbing	IFSC World Cup	Opportunity
Cycling	Tour de France*	Opportunity
Cycling	Tour de France Femmes*	Opportunity
Cycling	UCI BMX Racing World Cup	Opportunity
Cycling	UCI Track Nations Cup	Opportunity
Gymnastics	FIG Apparatus World Cup	Opportunity
Hockey	EuroHockey Championships	Opportunity
Judo	Grand Prix	Opportunity
Para Badminton	4 Nations Para Badminton International	Opportunity
Para Canoe	Paracanoe Open International	Opportunity
Para Triathlon	World Triathlon Para Cup	Opportunity
Para Sport	Para Multi-Sport Innovation Event	Opportunity
Taekwondo	World Taekwondo Grand Prix	Opportunity
Triathlon	World Triathlon Sprint & Relay Championships	Opportunity
VI Judo	VI Judo Grand Prix	Opportunity
Weightlifting	European Weightlifting Championships	Opportunity

2028		
Football	UEFA EURO 2028 UK & Ireland* (M)	Secured
Archery	European Archery Championships	Opportunity
Athletics	Diamond League	Opportunity
Para Badminton	4 Nations Para Badminton International	Opportunity
Canoe	ICF Canoe Slalom World Cup	Opportunity
Cycling	UCI BMX Racing World Cup	Opportunity
Cycling	UCI Track Nations Cup	Opportunity
Gymnastics	FIG Apparatus World Cup	Opportunity
Judo	Grand Slam	Opportunity
Multi-sport	Olympic Qualifying Series*	Opportunity
Para Table Tennis	World Paralympic Qualification Tournament	Opportunity
VI Judo	VI Judo Grand Prix	Opportunity
Wheelchair Fencing	Wheelchair Fencing World Cup	Opportunity

	2029	
Ice Skating	ISU World Figure Skating Championships	Live Bid
Athletics	World Athletics Championships* (2029/2031)	Live feasibility
Athletics	Diamond League	Opportunity
Ice Hockey	IIHF Ice Hockey World Championship	Opportunity
Para Sport	Para Multi-Sport Innovation Event	Opportunity
Skateboarding	World Championships	Opportunity

2030		
Cricket	T20 Cricket World Cup (M)	Secured
Golf	Solheim Cup (W)*	Opportunity
Gymnastics	World Artistic Championships	Opportunity

	2031 - 2040	
Golf	Ryder Cup (M, 2031/2035)*	Live feasibility
Climbing	IFSC World Championship (2031)	Opportunity
Cycling	UCI Cycling World Championships (2031/2035)*	Opportunity
Football	FIFA Tournaments – Women's World Cup (2031/2035/2039)*	Opportunity
Netball	World Cup (W, 2031)	Opportunity
Rugby Union	Rugby World Cup (M, 2035/2039)*	Opportunity

All events are mixed, unless stated otherwise; M = men's / W = women's

*These events require government funding

Explanatory notes

This is a live list of secured events and future hosting opportunities of itinerant international events (rather than annual international events based in the UK), that UK Sport considers of strategic interest to host. By using data and insight, the hosting target list is designed to appeal to all parts of British society and has balance across location, year, gender, disability sport and demographic appeal.

All event hosting opportunities identified here remain subject to further discussions between partners, potentially including detailed feasibility work. It is therefore possible, and indeed likely, that some of the events on this list will not progress to bid stage. In addition, some events that have been identified as priority targets are not currently listed.

We will share the hosting target list with the UK's event hosting partners every 12 months with the aim of facilitating informed and strategic discussions between sports and cities.

Whilst many events on this list will be eligible to be considered for investment by UK Sport, some will require funding beyond our budget. The events marked with an asterisk mean we will work with DCMS and home nation governments on the feasibility to host, fund and secure these events. Details of this process can be found in the <u>Gold Framework</u>. If you have any questions, please get in touch with UK Sport.