

WheelTalk Fact Sheet

About

The WheelTalk inclusion awareness program is an initiative of Disability Sport & Recreation. It encourages participants to think about diversity, acceptance and disability – with a primary focus on inclusion.

Presented by Victorians with disability who are actively involved in sport and recreation, WheelTalk combines unique stories of lived disability with the opportunity to play up to an hour of Wheelchair AFL, Wheelchair Basketball or Wheelchair Rugby. Sport specific wheelchairs and balls will be provided.

WheelTalk sessions run for up to 90 minutes and can accommodate a maximum of 25 participants per session. Our presenters can speak to particular topics if requested and will happily facilitate a Q&A style session at conclusion of their presentation.

The WheelTalk program caters to both primary and secondary school students, as well as sporting clubs and members of the wider community.

Venue

WheelTalk is ideally held on an indoor basketball court. Please contact us if you need help finding an appropriate venue. It is very important that you can provide an accessible parking space for a car **and trailer**, close to where the session will take place.

Cancellations

We require at least 48 hours' notice if you want to cancel or reschedule your WheelTalk booking. If you give us less than 48 hours' notice, you will be charged the full fee.

If you want to hold your WheelTalk session outside, we are not liable for cancellations due to wet weather. We recommend you plan for your session to be held indoors to avoid being charged the full fee in the event of wet weather.

If you have any concerns, please contact us at wheeltalk@dsr.org.au.