



CountyAthletesProgramme
Athlete Profile Form

Name	Adam Crinage	Picture
Sport	Wheelchair Basketball	AWAITING PHOTO

How Long have you been doing your sport?

10 years

What influenced you to take up the sport?

I first saw the Great Britain Men's team training at Stoke Mandeville hospital, I was so impressed that I decided to find a local team and have a go.

What have you achieved in your sport?

Within my first year of playing I became the youngest ever player to play in the National Wheelchair Basketball League. Over the years I helped the Coventry Crusaders gain promotion through the division's up to the 2nd Division. I then went on to play for the GB U23's in Turkey where we won a silver medal at the European Championships. I now play for the Wolverhampton Rhinos in their Super League team that placed 3rd in the 07/08 season. Currently I am training with the GB Men's Senior team and have participated in a tour of Israel in February 08.

What are your future aspirations in your sport?

I would like to continue playing for the GB U23's should we qualify for the World Championships in 2009. I also would hope to be able to continue developing my skills with the Men's team with a view to selection for the London 2012 Paralympics.

How often do you train?

Currently I train twice a week with my club, which is now the Wolverhampton Rhinos. I train once a week regionally with other GB athletes and attend regular training camps for both the Men and U23's at weekends.

Why do you enjoy participating in sport?

I enjoy the camaraderie and competitiveness of a team sport. Through being involved in the GB set-up I have been able to travel and meet new people with similar interests.