

NW ASSOCIATION  
**FOR**  
**BLIND**  
**ATHLETES**

## ADAPTED EQUIPMENT LENDING LIBRARY CATALOG

## AUDIBLE BALLS



### Beep Baseball

- Audible baseball allows individuals to locate the ball
- Size of regulation softball but heavier
- Can be used for softball, baseball, or other ball sports



### Beep Kickball

- Sturdy construction allows for extended use
- Beeper inside allows individuals to locate ball
- Can be used for beep kickball or a variety of other recreational games



### Beep Softball

- Audible 4-inch foam ball allows individuals to locate the ball
- Size of regulation softball but lighter
- Can be used for softball, racket sports, or other ball sports
- High-contrast orange color allows for increased visibility

## Adapted Equipment Lending Library Catalog



### Beeping Football

- Audible football contains a beeper to allow individuals to hear the ball's location
- Can be used for football or other ball games



### Bell Basketball

- Audible bells inside allow individuals to hear the ball's location
- Can be used for basketball or other ball games
- Size 7 (29.5 inch circumference) basketball



### Bell Playground Ball

- Three large bells inside allow individuals to locate ball
- Light weight perfect for younger users
- Excellent for recreational and playground games
- 10-inches in diameter

## Adapted Equipment Lending Library Catalog



### Bell Volleyball

- Bells inside allow individual to hear ball's location
- Can be used for volleyball or recreational games
- Standard volleyball size



### InReach Bell Ball

- Multiple bells inside and holes in foam allow for auditory tracking
- Soft foam construction perfect for younger users
- Can be used for goalball, kickball, soccer, PE bowling units, or any ball games
- Available in 4-inch and 8-inch sizes

# GOALBALL



## Goalball

- Standard goalball used in national and international gameplay
- Rubber ball with eight holes and two bells inside, allowing players to hear ball's location
- Textured rubber surface allows for better grip



## Goalball Kit

- Pre-measured goalball court to allow for easy set-up
- Kit includes tactile court, set-up instructions, goalball manual, string, tape, and scissors
- Kit includes six pairs of cloth eyeshades

## OTHER



### Beeping Frisbee

- Beeper inside Frisbee allows individual to hear the Frisbee's location
- Soft design allows Frisbee to be used with all ages
- Beeper contained in Velcro pouch making it easy to switch on and off
- Can be used for recreational Frisbee, ultimate Frisbee, Frisbee golf, as a hockey puck, other games, or as a soft sound source



### Hiking Poles

- Standard adjustable-height hiking poles with metal tip on the end
- Great tool to use while hiking to increase stability and tactile feedback



### JumpSnap

- Ropeless jump rope that allows users to get exercise of jump roping without worrying about tripping
- Excellent for users who are learning to jump rope



## Rib-It Ball

- Crinkly material inside ball allows for audibility
- High-contrast and vibrant colors allow for greater visibility
- Ribs allow for easier grip
- Size allows for easier grasp
- Can be used for recreational ball games or adapting sports
- Available in 14 inch and 30 inch sizes

## RACKET SPORTS



### Bell Ping Pong Ball

- Standard-sized ping pong balls with rattle inside to increase audibility
- High-contrast orange color allows for increased visibility
- Comes in sets of three



### Bell Tennis Ball

- Bell inside allows user to locate the tennis ball
- Can be used for tennis, floor hockey, or any recreational games
- High-contrast yellow color allows for increased visibility
- Comes in sets of two



### Lighted Badminton Birdie

- Head of birdie lights up
- Used for gameplay or racket skills practice

## RUNNING



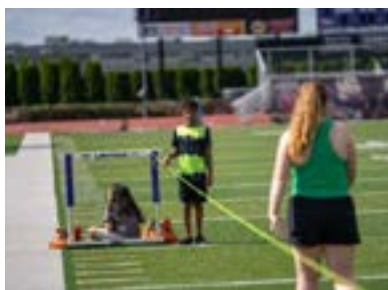
### Arm Tether

- 12-inch tether used to connect guide and runner
- Elastic loop goes around guide's upper arm and runner holds onto opposing loop
- Allows guide to run one step ahead of runner for better preview of route
- Provides kinesthetic feedback for runner to follow in addition to guide's verbal cues
- Construction allows for full movement of arm to achieve optimal body movement
- Guide and runner are not required to be in sync when running for optimal performance



### Bell Wristlet

- Wristband with bells on it
- Can be worn on guide's wrist, ankle, belt loop, etc
- Provides audible sound for runner or hiker to follow, in addition to verbal cues



## Guide Wire Kit

- 40-meter paracord that can be attached to opposing anchor points
- Anchors are not included
- Can be anchored between chairs, trees, walls, etc
- Best if kept taut between anchors
- Pool noodles at end provide stop bumper for runner
- Tether clips onto guide wire allowing for freedom of movement for runner along guide wire
- Construction allows for almost full movement of arm to achieve optimal body movement
- Can be used for independent movement in locomotor skills, fitness, etc



## Hand Tether

- Allows guide to communicate movements to blind/visually impaired athlete while running, hiking, or walking
- Construction allows for almost full movement of arm to achieve optimal body movement
- For optimal efficiency, runner and guide must be in sync when running



### Hip Tether

- 24-inch tether attached to two waist bands used to connect guide and runner at waist
- Guide and runner each wear belt around their waist
- Allows for flexibility for where guide and runner are in relation to one another
- Provides kinesthetic feedback for runner to follow in addition to guide's verbal cues
- Construction allows for full body movement to achieve optimal body movement
- Guide and runner are not required to be in sync when running for optimal performance



### Guide Vest

- Worn by guide to give blind/visually impaired runners a high-contrast visual to follow
- Allows other individuals to be aware of blind/visually impaired athlete
- Identifies guide as such for race officials
- Can also be used for hiking, skating, ski/snowboarding, and other sports



### VI Vest

- Allows other individuals to be aware of blind/visually impaired athlete
- Can also be used for hiking, skating, ski/snowboarding, and other sports

### SOCCER



#### Blind Soccer Ball

- Rattles inside soccer balls allow individual to hear ball's location
- Official IBSA blind soccer ball
- Can be used for blind soccer, soccer, recreational games, or other ball games
- Size 3 soccer ball



#### Weighted Soccer Ball

- Size 5 soccer ball with small metal weights inside
- Metal weights make noise when ball is in motion
- Increased weight allows for increased proprioceptive feedback
- Great tool for students with multiple disabilities or students at a foundational level

### SWIMMING



#### Adaptap

- Handle clips onto lane line to allow swimmer to know when wall is close
- Allows for greater independence while swimming

## TEACHING TOOLS



### Artist's Figurine

- 12-inch wooden figurine with joints that move similarly to human movements
- Great tool to teach different body movements for various skills using tactile modeling



### Sound Source

- Emits beeping sound to help individual locate where beeper is placed
- Can be placed behind soccer nets, basketball hoops, etc. to allow individual to participate in sport
- Small size allows device to be placed anywhere
- Can be placed inside a ball to allow for audibility



### Wheatley Kit

- Hook & loop board with a variety of pieces that can be made into countless tactile maps
- Versatility allows for use to orient students to any environmental layout