Travellers in Sport

2015

Following requests from the Offaly Traveller Movement, Offaly Sports Partnership supported the delivery of two physical activity and sport programmes for female Travellers in 2015: -

- 1. *Come Try Swim* for female Travellers in Birr Leisure Centre. 10 women participated on the programme.
- 2. *Meet & Train (walking)* for female Travellers in Tullamore. 10 women also participated on the programme

2014

Following the success of the 2013 soccer programme, local leaders from the Travelling community were trained to deliver this programme in 2014.

2013

In 2013, Offaly Sports Partnership in conjunction with Offaly Traveller Movement delivered sport and physical activity programmes for Travellers.

The main programme delivered in 2013 was a six week soccer programme delivered to 34 male Travellers (both young and old) at Aura Leisure Centre. The programme culminated in a soccer blitz for all participants.

The programme continues to be led out by members of the Travelling community.