



# Plymouth Shore Challenge is coming in 2023

## Shore Challenge Plymouth in 2023 is the UK & European premiere of Future Undokai Project.

Shore Challenge is for anyone in Plymouth (aged from 8-88!) who has ever wanted to make a game for loads of people to play.

Was your childhood dream to take part in It's a Knock Out? Do you watch Taskmaster or Takeishi's Castle and think 'I'd love to have a go at that'? Then Future Undokai & Shore Challenge is right up your street.

If you:

- Like a tug of war or sandcastle building race
- Could come up with a twist on a cheese rolling type contest or sack race
- Enjoy making up silly games for friends and family
- Like participating in events, but are not necessarily worried about winning
- Wish we could do more things that are silly and fun within our communities
- Want to hang out with people of all ages
- Love Plymouth and our waterfront

... then we'd love you to get involved. .

At a Future Undokai all the games are made by people sharing ideas freely and working together over three days, before they are played en mass with a couple of hundred people.

**Making it easy for you!**  
Please tell us what do you need from us by completing our **GOOGLE FORM**

(takes no more than 5-10 mins)

### We'd love to hear from you:

To partner with or sponsor the event please contact our CEO, Laura

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For general enquiries or to get involved with your group or club email

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### GET INVOLVED: Jan - Mar 2023

#### Introducing the Project to Plymouth.

**Sat 14 Jan: 11am - 1pm** Public Introductory Event @ University Of Plymouth

**Sat 11 Feb 2023 11am - 1pm**

Weekend *Playtests* with Shore Challenge groups, clubs, societies & communities @Keyham

**Sat 11 Mar 2023 11am - 1pm**

Weekend *Playtests* with Shore Challenge groups, clubs, societies & communities @Devonport

### GET INVOLVED: 13 - 27 Apr 2023

#### Future Undokai team in Plymouth.

**Sat 15 & Sun 16 Apr:** 2 days of traditional Undokai sessions @Plymouth venue tbc

**Fri 21 - Sun 23 Apr Shore Challenge - The Main Event held @Mount Wise Lido**

Friday 21st and Saturday 22nd are for the DeveloPlayers - anyone can sign up and join in aged 10+. Sunday 23rd is for ANYONE who wants to join in and play the games - ages 8 - 88!

**Mon 24 Apr Conference & Conversations** - guest speakers will explore the ideas of civic owned public events, the future of physical games, democratic games design and the future of Science, Technology and the arts.@University Of Plymouth

**More info on Future Undokai >>>**

# 未来の運動会？ Future Undokai?

## What is The Future Undokai?

Undokai is a Japanese community sports day. They are an important cultural activity in Japan that has run for over 150 years. Future Undokai adapts the traditional concept to meet today's needs.

In Japan over 70k Undokais are held each year with more than 10m people of all ages taking part. It's one of the most popular annual events in schools, local communities and often in companies and organisations.

The Future Undokai project is all about bringing people together and have fun co-creating new games, activities and events. *(Which is exactly why we want to create one in Plymouth!)*

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[▶ Watch a film about Future Undokai here](#) *(it really explains a lot!)*



The final Shore Challenge events will take place at Mount Wise Lido in April 2023

