




Invictus Games: Fact Files

NAME:	Luke Reeson	
COUNTRY:	United Kingdom	
ROLE IN ARMED SERVICES:	Lance Corporal	
DISABILITY:	Injured leg	
SPORT:	Swimming	
MEDALS:	<u>2016</u> Gold – 50m breaststroke Gold – mixed 4x50m freestyle relay Silver – 50m backstroke Silver – 100m freestyle <u>2014</u> Gold – mixed 4x50m freestyle relay Silver – 50m backstroke Silver – 100m freestyle Bronze – 50m breaststroke Bronze – 50m freestyle	

NAME: Sarah Rudder	
COUNTRY: United States of America	
ROLE IN ARMED SERVICES: Marine Corps Lance Corporal	
DISABILITY: Lost a leg	
SPORT: Powerlifting, indoor rowing, discus, shot put, running	
MEDALS: <u>2016</u> Gold – lightweight powerlifting Gold – one minute indoor rowing Gold – discus throw Gold – 100m dash Silver – four minute indoor rowing Silver – shot put Silver – 200m	

NAME:	Alex Nguyen	
COUNTRY:	United States of America	
ROLE IN ARMED SERVICES:	Marine Sargent	
DISABILITY:	Lost part of his right leg	
SPORT:	Wheelchair basketball, wheelchair rugby, track and field, shot put, discus	
MEDALS:	<u>2016</u> Gold – wheelchair rugby Gold – discus throw Silver – shot put	

NAME:	Christine Gauthier	
COUNTRY:	Canada	
ROLE IN ARMED SERVICES:	Corporal	
DISABILITY:	Damaged spine and knees	
SPORT:	Canoeing, powerlifting	
MEDALS:	<u>2016</u> Gold – heavyweight powerlifting Gold – one minute indoor rowing IR4 Gold – four minute indoor rowing IR2	

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Section C

Choose the correct word from the word bank to fill the gaps.

2016	discus	shot put
leg	USA	Marine

Alex Nguyen is from the _____ and he is a former _____ Corporal in the US Armed Services. He lost part of his right _____. He now takes part in many sports including wheelchair basketball, wheelchair rugby, track and field, shot put and _____. He won two gold medals and one silver medal in the _____ Invictus Games. He won his silver medal in the _____ competition.

Section D

Choose the correct word in brackets to fill the gaps.

2016	knees	Canadian
canoeing	rowing	medals
powerlifting	Corporal	1989

Christine Gauthier is a former _____ for the _____ Armed Services. In _____, she was seriously injured in a training exercise. Her spine and _____ were damaged when she jumped into a deep hole and landed badly. She now takes part in _____ and powerlifting competitions. She represented Canada in the _____ Invictus Games. She won three gold _____ in heavyweight _____ and one minute and four minute indoor _____.

