

# Paralympics 2012 medals

More than 2,100 medals will be awarded in 503 victory ceremonies at 15 venues in southern England

Diameter: 85mm

Thickness: 8-10mm

Weight: 357-412g

**1** Represents *Heart of Victory*. Texture is taken from copy of *Nike of Paionios*, Greek Goddess of Victory, statue in British Museum

**2** Suggests Paralympic motto of *Spirit in Motion* and features texture of outstretched wing of Nike

**3** Ribbons of regal purple in year of *Queen Elizabeth's* diamond jubilee

