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Fremantle Dockers' Paul Hasleby comes home to support the GIOA Community, Careers & Training Expo

Fremantle Dockers player Paul Hasleby will be a special guest at the GIOA Community, Careers & Training Expo this Thursday.

Paul, who grew up in Northampton and went to school in Geraldton, said he is pleased to be involved in this important event.

"It's exciting to see the growth and development happening in the Mid West and to have an event like this that showcases the many career options available to students in the region is great," he said.

"Growing up in the Mid West a decade ago, tertiary study options were limited and many had to move to a major city to pursue their careers, but now there are so many options available for young people in the region."

Paul will be involved in a number of activities on the day, including a handball competition and a special footy-themed science experiment.

Community members will also get the chance to meet him at a free sausage sizzle lunch.

"We're very happy to be able to welcome a local who has gone on to be involved in the highest level of his field to be involved in this event," Geraldton Iron Ore Alliance Deputy Chairman Rob Jefferies said.

"Paul is a great role model for students looking to excel in their chosen career, and he has shown that there really are no boundaries for young people from the Mid West to go on and achieve their dream career – whether that be an AFL footballer or a mining engineer."

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