

TARCIA KEYS & DAVINA FORD



Sport: Unified Bowling

Hometowns: Stockbridge, GA and McDonough, GA

Agency: Henry County Parks and Recreation

Years Bowling As A Team: 4



Tarcia Keys and Davina Ford of Henry County can't wait to represent Team Georgia at the Special Olympics 2014 USA Games in New Jersey. The bowling duo has been together for four years and practice in Henry County, GA. Tarcia says that representing Team Georgia and Henry County at USA Games is an honor and a once in a lifetime achievement. Learn more about the bowling duo below:

Tarcia Keys (Bowling Athlete)

With 10 years of experience as a Special Olympics athlete, Tarcia Keys is no stranger to National level competition. In 2010 Tarcia won a gold medal in traditional softball at a national tournament in Lincoln, Nebraska. At the state level Tarcia has brought home gold in every sport that she has competed in which includes: Bowling, Softball, Athletics, Basketball, and Volleyball. Tarcia says that it means the world to her to represent Team Georgia and Henry County at USA Games and that she is very excited to get up to New Jersey and bowl. When she's not competing in Special Olympics Tarcia likes to shop, hang out with friends, and ride the transit bus with Mr. Jim.

Davina Ford (Bowling Unified Partner)

Davina is a Therapeutic Recreation Specialist at Locust Grove Recreation Center in Henry County and has been a Special Olympics Unified Partner for the last 25 years. In addition to bowling, Davina has also competed in Alpine Skiing, Aquatics, Athletics, Basketball, Bocce, Equestrian, Floor Hockey, Softball, Table Tennis, Tennis, and Volleyball. Special Olympics has filled Davina's heart with joy and happiness and love for others, it has helped her to appreciate more in life, and it allows her to share something with the athletes they might never get to share again in their life. Davina has a son, Chip, who is a Special Olympics athlete and in her spare time she enjoys scrapbooking, reading, and hanging out with friends.