

2017 SPECIAL OLYMPICS GEORGIA
STATE SUMMER GAMES
INFORMATION GUIDE

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GENERAL SCHEDULE

Friday:

7:30 am - 5:00 pm	Aquatics Preliminaries (Mandatory)
11:00 am - 5:00 pm	Agency Check-In, Woodruff PE Center
12:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Tennis Skills and Short Court Competition
5:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Dinner, NEW DUC
6:45 pm - 7:30 pm	Parade Line Up (Flag Bearers), McDonough Field
7:30 pm - 8:30 pm	Opening Ceremony, McDonough Field
8:30 pm - 9:30 pm	Coaches' Meeting, Woodruff PE Center
8:30 pm - 9:45 pm	Athlete Dance, McDonough Field
9:30 pm - 10:30 pm	Late Registration. (If arrive after 5 pm) Nerve Center (Fraternity House #8)

Saturday:

6:15 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast (Athletes/Coaches), NEW DUC
7:00 am - 8:00 pm	Competition
8:00 am - 11:00 pm	Check-out, Nerve Center (Fraternity House #8)
9:30 am - 3:30 pm	Olympic Town, McDonough Field
9:30 am - 3:30 pm	Opening Eyes & Fit Feet (PE Center)
	Special Smiles (PE Center & McDonough Field)
11:00 am - 1:30 pm	Lunch (Athletes/Coaches), NEW DUC

Sunday:

6:15 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast (Athletes/Coaches), NEW DUC
7:15 am - 12:00 pm	Competition
8:00 am - 12:00 pm	Check-out, Woodruff P.E. Center (Turn in Keys)

NERVE CENTER

The Nerve Center serves as the communication link throughout the weekend and is staffed by Emory personnel and SOGA staff to answer questions and deal with issues that arise. You can dial 404-727-6111 or 911 from any phone on campus if an emergency arises.

You may call the Nerve Center 24 hours a day for emergencies, 404-727-5202.

NERVE CENTER HOURS:

FRIDAY	8:30 am - 10:30 pm
SATURDAY	6:00 am - 10:30 pm
SUNDAY	6:30 am - 8:30 am

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ATTENTION COACHES

Coaches' Meeting will be Friday, May 19th In Woodruff P.E. Center Immediately Following Opening Ceremony's.

It is important that all coaches come to the meeting where updated brackets and schedules will be handed out. Each agency must send at least one coach to each sports meeting in which they have athletes participating.

Sport	Location	Room
Athletics & LDRW	Woodruff PE	Room 306
Aquatics	Woodruff PE	Bullpen Area
Flag Football	Woodruff PE	1st Floor Seating Area
Gymnastics	Woodruff PE	4th Floor Gymnastics Area
Soccer	Woodruff PE	Room 308
Table Tennis	Woodruff PE	3rd Floor Seating Area
Tennis	Woodruff PE	4th Floor Indoor Courts
Volleyball	Woodruff PE	Main Arena (Gym)

Curfew & Supervision of Athletes

Athletes & coaches should be in rooms & quiet by curfew (11:00 pm). Assistant coaches and head coaches are responsible for the conduct of their athletes AT ALL TIMES. Any athlete(s) found unsupervised, or who are engaged in disruptive behavior can be disqualified from the Games. Please ensure the safety of your athletes and help provide an enjoyable weekend by being responsible for their whereabouts.

Swimming Policy

Please make sure that your coaches and assistant coaches enforce the policy of **NO** recreational swimming at Special Olympics events. This includes pools, spas, hot tubs, etc.

Important Numbers

Nerve Center...Emory...404-727-5202
(24 hours a day for emergencies)

Medical Rooms...see page 10
(for overnight medical needs)

Late Arrival Policy

On the Friday of Games, if you are running late for housing check-in you must call the Nerve Center by 5 pm (see above) to let us know that you are still coming, with an approximate time of arrival and any scratches/substitutions you may have. SOGA will, then, put your room keys with your registration packet (credentials). You will be able to pick up that packet in the Nerve Center, upon your arrival after 5 pm.

If SOGA does not hear from you by 5 pm, we will assume you and your agency are not coming and will turn in all rooms reserved for your agency.

At that point, if your group does attend, it will be your responsibility to work out housing for your agency.

This policy will pertain to all State Games. Please refer to the appropriate Information Guide for correct hours of housing check-in and for the Nerve Center phone number.

Emory University Directions

If traveling from the North:

Take I-85 to Exit 89, North Druid Hills. Turn left and go back across the interstate. Go 0.5 miles to Briarcliff Rd. (3rd light) and turn right. * Go 1.7 miles to Clifton Road. (4th light) and turn left. (you will see Quik Trip before making turn.) Go 1.2 miles to Eagle Row and turn right. Continue straight onto Eagle Row (passing all the Fraternity Houses) The Peavine Parking Deck will be located on your right. Look for Special Olympics signs.

If traveling from the South:

Take I-85 to Exit 89, North Druid Hills Rd. Turn right off of exit. Go 0.5 miles to Briarcliff Rd. and turn right. Follow above directions from the asterisk. (*)

FAMILY ACTIVITIES

We thank you for joining us and being a part of the Special Olympics Georgia Family! We are glad that you are here!

Parents and family members of all
Special Olympic Athletes are encouraged to visit
Olympic Town and sign up for the Family email list!

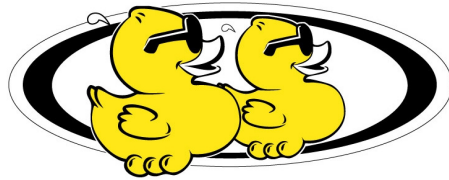
SOUVENIRS/DUCK ADOPTIONS

Friday Opening Ceremony - McDonough Field

Saturday Woodruff Gym, Olympic Town

Sunday Woodruff Gym

A wide variety of items will be available. All proceeds go directly to Special Olympics Georgia.



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BUS STOPS

Route 1:

Stop #1- Woodruff Residential Center (stop in driving circle in front of building)

Stop #2- Rollins Bridge (Eagle Row at Means Drive-R.R. side)

Stop #3 - Eagle Row @ Sorority Lodges (Eagle Row #11, Lodges A & B)

Stop #4 - Eagle Row @ Peavine Creek Drive.

Stop #5 - In front of Peavine #2 parking deck (across from Woodruff PE Center)

Stop #6 - In front of Peavine Visitor's Lot

Stop #7 - Dickey Drive (Traffic Circle @ Tarbutton Hall)

Stop #8 - Dickey Drive @ Asbury Circle (near Dobbs Hall and Anthropology Building)

Stop #9 - Goizueta Business School East cut-out (across from Thomas Hall)

Friday, May 19 (Route 1)

1 Shuttle: 11:45 AM – 11:15 PM

Saturday, May 20 (Route 1)

4 Shuttles: 6 AM – 10:15 PM

Sunday, May 21 (Route 1)

2 Shuttles: 6 AM – 2 PM

Route 2: Saturday, May 20 (Route 2) 3 Shuttles: 6 AM – 10:15 PM

Stop #1 - Rear of Woodruff PE Center (West Entrance)

Stop #2 - Peavine Creek Dr. @ Eagle Row

Stop #3 - Lower Fields on Peavine Creek Drive (Athletics, Soccer & Flag Football)

Stop #4 - In front of Peavine #2 parking deck (SOGA loop transfer)

**SHUTTLES WILL BE DESIGNATED WITH
SIGNS IN THE WINDOWS!**

RESIDENCE HALLS

LINENS NOT PROVIDED !!!

1. Please send a letter to families for items athletes need to bring.
2. All rooms are air conditioned ... light blankets sometimes needed.
3. In some Halls, there is one restroom per floor. Signs on the doors designate male or female use. Most floors / wings will alternate male/ female.
4. ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES / ILLEGAL SUBSTANCES PROHIBITED DURING THE ENTIRE WEEKEND. POLICY WILL BE ENFORCED.
5. Agencies held responsible for damage to rooms or halls.
6. Security has been instructed to identify problem athletes and coaches ... and will provide incident reports to SOGA staff to handle.
7. Residence halls will be locked ... access for athletes and coaches ONLY !!
8. In case of fire, do NOT use elevators. Lead group to nearest EXIT sign.
Emergency exit routes posted in all halls.
9. Laundry facilities & vending machines in each hall.
10. Information phone is in each lobby. This is linked directly to the Nerve Center for information & emergencies ... this is NOT an outside access line for calls.
11. Most Residence Halls will have medical assistance available from 10:00 pm to 7:00 am. These Medical Rooms will be located in Residence Halls around campus. (See page 10 for a Medical Room listing with phone numbers)
12. Rooms are to be locked when resident not present. Emory University is not responsible for loss of property due to vandalism, theft, fire or other acts of God.
13. DO NOT prop open exterior doors and stairwell doors.
14. Emory University is a Tobacco Free Campus! No Tobacco products allowed!
15. The following is STRICTLY PROHIBITED by Emory:
 - * Preparation of food in Residence Hall rooms.
 - * Possession of firearms, fireworks, or explosives.
 - * Tampering with fire alarm, smoke detector, sprinkler system or fire extinguishers.
 - * Defacing, disfiguring, damaging, destroying, or stealing property belonging to Emory University or to a member of the Emory University community.
 - * Abusive, violent, or excessively noisy behavior.
 - * Lewd, indecent, or obscene behavior.
 - * Unauthorized use or possession of Residence Hall room or master keys.
 - * Housing pets or other animals, except authorized seeing eye dogs.
 - * The intentional commission of any act in any Residence Hall area which poses a substantial threat to the health or safety of any person.

**Keys must be returned to
WOODRUFF PE CENTER REGISTRATION AREA
on Sunday by 12:00 pm. Otherwise your agency will be charged a
fee per key not turned in at the time of check out.**

Day Only Participants Check-In

Heads of Delegation must check in at the Nerve Center at Frat House #8 Saturday or Sunday morning before athletes report to their venue. Athletes will not be allowed to compete without checking in and receiving their credentials.

ID CREDENTIALS

Athletes must wear their ID credentials at all times for identification and security reasons. If athlete has no ID they will not be allowed to participate in their event. If an athlete needs medical attention or if they lose their coach, games personnel must be able to identify them immediately. COACHES PLEASE MAKE SURE THE ID CREDENTIALS ARE ON YOUR ATHLETES AT ALL TIMES. If your athlete loses his/her credentials please come to Nerve Center for a replacement.

Athletes competing in Aquatics and Tennis skills and Short Court Competition on Friday will need to pick up their credentials at their venue Check - In Area.

GAMES BIB COLORS

Yellow.....Event Director
Black.....Rules Committee
Red or Army Fatigues..... Medical
Green CredentialsVolunteers
Gold Name Tags.....SOGA Team
Yellow T-Shirts.....GOC/Team

MEDICAL

Medical teams will be on hand at ALL venues throughout the weekend and will be located at some of the residence halls to assist you. The residence halls are listed below with the room number. You must call the Nerve Center first for Medical Assistance from 10:00 pm - 7:00 am. We will then contact the medical staff. You can also go to the medical room for assistance in your dorm.

Residence Hall	Room Number	Phone
Hopkins	Room 230	Call Nerve Center
Woodruff	Room 321	Call Nerve Center
Longstreet-Means	Room 250	Call Nerve Center
Few	Room 420	Call Nerve Center
Hamilton Holmes	Room 320	Call Nerve Center
Smith	Room 210	Call Nerve Center
Dobbs	Room 107	Call Nerve Center
Thomas	Room 251	Call Nerve Center
Raoul	Room 148	Call Nerve Center
Turman	Room 121	Call Nerve Center

TRANSPORT TO A HOSPITAL:

An ambulance will be on call to transport to a hospital if necessary. Please remember to take your athletes application for participation. The coach accompanying the athlete to the hospital is responsible for getting back to campus ...

NO return transportation is provided.

Medical Venue Directors:

**Dr. Karen Carter
Ellen Holland**

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MEDICAL

Carry the athletes' applications for participation forms at all times.

If an injury or illness occurs, contact the medical staff at the venue site or call the designated medical staff in the evening / early morning hours. If you can't contact them, the phone in your residence hall's lobby is directly connected to the Nerve Center, 24 hours a day.

MEDICATION:

Coaches are responsible for seeing that the athlete medications are administered according to schedule. **MEDICAL STAFF WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO ADMINISTER MEDICATION.** Please, avoid a dangerous situation, and be sure that all athletes receive their medication for seizures, etc. promptly.

REFRIGERATED MEDICATION:

Medication requiring refrigeration can be kept in the Residence Hall medical room during the night, or check with the Nerve Center to make arrangements. Coaches are responsible for transporting this medication back & forth.

MEDICAL PRECAUTIONS:

- *Know the athlete's medical condition (heart problems, epilepsy, diabetes, asthma, allergies, etc.)
- *Protect against sunburn, heat cramps, & heat exhaustion. Make use of shaded areas & sunscreen.
- *Water will be available at all medical stations and all special events. It is vital that athletes **DOUBLE** their usual water intake.
- *If convulsive seizures occur, gently attempt to prevent the athlete's head, arms, or legs from striking hard or sharp objects. Do **NOT** place anything in the athlete's mouth. Stay with the athlete while sending someone for medical assistance.

ACCIDENT INSURANCE COVERAGE:

Athletes, coaches, officials, and volunteers who are injured while participating in a Special Olympics activity or are injured while traveling directly to or from the activity are covered by accident insurance.

In order to be covered, the coach/assistant coach must have completed a volunteer profile form, the athletes must have a valid application for participation form on file, unified partners must have completed the partner application, and volunteers must have signed in and registered for the event.

This accident coverage is **SECONDARY** to any other coverage the individual has. This policy extends to include fainting, heatstroke, frostbite, heat exhaustion, as well as any accident where epilepsy or a seizure may be a contributing factor. Ambulance service is also included.

Accident Insurance forms are available at the Nerve Center. These forms are to be completed in case of an accident requiring medical attention at a hospital and mailed to Human Resources at SOGA.

COMPETITION—GENERAL

- * **Schedule changes, competition brackets for teams, and other helpful information will be addressed in the Coaches meeting on Friday night immediately following Opening Ceremony in Woodruff P.E. Center.**
- * The Sport Competition schedules printed in this book provide the projected timelines for events. Some variations in these times will occur. Have your athletes arrive at their venue early so they won't miss the events.
- * **Protests of Rules issues in a sport must be submitted within 15 minutes of the issue occurring on an official protest form.** Protests must be submitted in writing by a coach. The Sports Rules person on site will consult with the Games Rules Committee to rule on the protest. The decision of the Games Rules Committee is final. Protest forms are available from the Rules person or Venue Director at each venue.

Sport Specific Rules

Aquatics

- Health and safety is first and foremost with our athletes. NO products for incontinence will be allowed for competition.

Athletics & Long Distance Running & Walking

- Athletes shall wear athletic shorts or warm up pants, t-shirts, socks, and athletic shoes for competition.
- No jeans / skirts / flip flops / sandals / etc. shall be allowed for ALL competitions.**

Gymnastics

- Proper competition wear is required.

Soccer & Flag Football

- Athletes shall wear matching uniforms with numbers (front and back), socks, and athletic shoes for competition.
- Soccer/Football cleats are allowed. NO metal cleats allowed.
- No jeans shall be allowed for competition.

Table Tennis

- Athletes shall wear like uniforms: shorts or warm up pants, like shirts, socks, and athletic shoes for competition. No jeans shall be allowed for competition.

Tennis

- Athletes shall wear like uniforms: Court approved shoes MUST be worn for competition.
- No jeans shall be allowed for competition.

Volleyball

- Athletes shall wear matching volleyball uniforms with numbers (front and back), socks, and athletic shoes for competition.
- No jeans shall be allowed for competition.

Athletes shall wear NO jewelry and must wear athletic apparel.

AWARDS Sponsored by:






AQUATICS-Friday Preliminary

VENUE DIRECTOR: Andrea Walker

VOLUNTEER COORDINATORS: Tori Allen and Jennifer Wuergler

LOCATION: Woodruff PE Center

	<u>Friday All Ages</u>	Sponsored by:
8:00 to 8:30 am	Check in	  
9:00 am	50 M Butterfly	
9:05 am	200 M Freestyle	
9:15 am	25 M Freestyle	
10:25 am	25 M Butterfly	
11:30 am	50 M Freestyle	
12:00 pm	Lunch	
1:00 pm	25 M Breaststroke	
1:25 pm	25 M Backstroke	
1:50 pm	100 M Backstroke	
2:20 pm	50 M Backstroke	
2:50 pm	50 M Breaststroke	
3:15 pm	100 M Freestyle	
3:40 pm	100 M Individual Medley	
4:00 pm	Relays	

There are NO Warm-ups!

Coaches Meeting:

Will be held on Friday night after the Opening Ceremony's in the Bull Pen area. Please make every effort to have a representative present.

Competition:

Coaches are responsible to "deliver" their athletes to the Bullpen.

Bullpen will be located in the back hallway on the lower level as in years prior.

Sack lunches will be delivered to the venue. Announcements will be made with updates as to the time.

Lost wrist bands will result in the athlete starting from the water.

The NEW event schedule is only an estimate. It has been put together strictly as a courtesy and guideline to coaches, family, friends and fans. Specific event times may VARY....

AQUATICS-Saturday Final Round

- * Coaches and parents will not be allowed on deck with their athletes with the exception of relays.
- * Athletes should wear a red wristband if they need to start on the block.
- * Athletes should wear a green wristband if they need to start on the deck.
- * Athletes with no wristband will start in the water.
- * Wristbands & Credentials will be at Athlete Check In on Friday Morning at the Aquatics Venue.
- * If an athlete is disqualified they may continue to compete but will receive a participation ribbon.
- * Awards presented at the conclusion of each event. If an athlete is at awards when his/her next event is to be run, the race will take precedence and the athlete will be presented the award in a later ceremony.
- * Coordination of relays will be discussed at the coaches meeting.

Saturday - Shift 1 - Age 22 & Older

7:00 – 7:30 a.m.	Check In
7:30 a.m.	Traditional Relays
7:30 a.m.	Unified Relays
8:15 a.m.	50 M Butterfly
8:20 a.m.	200 M Freestyle:
8:25 a.m.	25 M Freestyle
8:50 a.m.	25 M Butterfly
9:00 a.m.	50 M Freestyle
9:55 a.m.	25 M Breaststroke
10:10 a.m.	25 M Backstroke
10:25 a.m.	100 M Backstroke
10:40 a.m.	50 M Backstroke
10:55 a.m.	50 M Breaststroke
11:40 a.m.	100 M Freestyle
11:55 a.m.	100 M Individual Medley



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AQUATICS-Saturday Final Round

Saturday - Shift 2 - Ages 8 to 15 & 16 to 21

12:00 - 12:30 p.m.	Check In
12:30 p.m.	Traditional Relays
12:30 p.m.	Unified Relays
1:00 p.m.	50 M Butterfly
1:10 p.m.	200 M Freestyle
1:15 p.m.	25 M Freestyle
2:00 p.m.	25 M Butterfly
2:05 p.m.	50 M Freestyle
2:10 p.m.	25 M Breaststroke
2:20 p.m.	25 M Backstroke
2:30 p.m.	100 M Backstroke
2:40 p.m.	50 M Backstroke
2:50 p.m.	50 M Breaststroke
3:05 p.m.	100 M Freestyle
3:15 p.m.	100 M Individual Medley

2017 State Summer Games UPDATED Aquatics Schedule

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The Final Round on Saturday will be broken down into two different shifts during the day. This is where the schedule is different than in 2016.

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Another change for 2017 is the start time for relay events. **ALL RELAYS** will take place at the very beginning of each shift. Therefore, all athletes and unified partners **MUST** be present and ready to compete by the check-in time listed per each shift, or that relay team(s) will be scratched from competition. Remember, start time is scratch time. It is very important that all relay teams be present in order for the rest of the competition day to stay on time.

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These changes to the schedule have been implemented to hopefully decrease the crowding in both the bullpen check-in area, as well as in the stands inside the pool area. This will also provide all aquatics entrants the opportunity to visit Olympic Town and the four Healthy Athletes screenings taking place on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Lastly, this will also help the parents of the Athletes on knowing a more accurate time in which their child will be competing.

SOGA and the GOC hope that these changes will improve the Aquatics venue for everyone involved. With this being the second year of implementation, we ask for you to understand that we may need to make more adjustments in potential start times for future Summer Games. We ask that you be patient during this second year of the new schedule and know that we are making every stride to create the best experience for all of our athletes, coaches and families!

REMEMBER – The times listed below are estimated, not exact. Please make sure your athletes are prepared to compete at the listed time, but understand there could be some delay's. Please be sure to arrive prior to the scheduled start time of the event so your Athlete(s) are not scratched!

LEVEL A AQUATICS - Sunday

DIRECTOR: Andrea Walker
LOCATION: Woodruff PE Center

Sponsored by:



7:00 to 7:30 am Warm Ups
8:00 am - 12:00 pm Competition & Awards
10 M Assisted
15 M Flotation
15 M Walk
15 M Unassisted
25 M Flotation

1. Level A Athlete check-in will be in the bullpen
2. Athletes will be staged on the pool deck.
3. One (1) coach allowed on deck with the athlete. You are responsible for assisting your athlete in the water throughout the competition.
4. 15 M Unassisted swim - must swim full distance with NO assistance. Coaches may position themselves to the side or back of the athlete (not directly in front) to offer verbal encouragement & direction but may not touch the athlete during the race. NO floats allowed.
5. Flotation Devices (bring your own):
Must be of the body wrap-around type so that if an athlete is not able to hold onto the device, the device would still support the athlete with the face out of the water (PFD's, life vests, ski belt). The athlete's arms & legs should be free to perform.
6. 15 Meter walk - Pool depth for walk is 4 feet.
7. 10 Meter Assisted swim - coach **MUST** be in water with swimmer. Coach may touch, guide, or direct the athlete but may **NOT** support or assist with the athlete's **forward** movement.

ATHLETICS

VENUE DIRECTOR: Bruce Coward
TRACK COORDINATOR: Mark Robertson
LEVEL A / WHEELCHAIR DIRECTOR: Cindy Blackstone
FIELD COORDINATOR: Tom Bullock
VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR: Art Bedard
AWARDS: Stephen & Charlotte Cobb

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SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY, MAY 20 – FINAL ROUND - KAMINSKY FIELD

A	7:00 – 9:00	1 Mile Run	All Ages, M & F
B	7:00 – 7:45	50 M Walk	All Ages, M & F
C	7:00 – 10:45	Shot Put	All Ages, M & F
D	7:45 – 8:15	25 M Walk	All Ages, M & F
A	8:15 – 8:30	10 M Asst. Walk	All Ages, M & F
B	8:30 – 9:30	Tennis Ball Throw	All Ages, M & F
C	9:00 – 9:30	3K Run (Trad. & Unified)	All Ages, M & F
	9:30 – 10:00	3K Walk (Trad. & Unified)	All Ages, M & F
D	9:30 – 10:45	Softball Throw	All Ages, M & F
A	10:00 - 11:30	1 Mile Walk	All Ages, M & F
B	10:45 – 12:30	Turbo Jav	All Ages, M & F
C	11:30 – 12:30	5K Run (Trad. & Unified)	All Ages, M & F
D	11:30 – 12:30	5K Walk (Trad. & Unified)	All Ages, M & F



ATHLETIC NOTES:

*Athletes should arrive at Kaminsky Field **30 minutes prior** to the time listed for their event. The announcer will say “First Call for Event A...1 Mile Run, All Ages.” If your athlete is in that event, take him/her to the drop off area in Lane A. Escorts will be waiting to get them to the right place.

*Coaches are not allowed in the competition area (except Level A) . If you have an athlete with special needs and you need to be with them, you may secure a “red card” at the Athlete Drop Off area. Return the “red card” and exit the field on completion of the event.

*On completion of their event and award, the athlete will be taken to the “Pick Up” tent at the main gate for you to pick them up. Please pick them up promptly.

*Proper attire is required: See page 12.

*A,B,C,D (Check– in area)

2017 Athletics Venue Reminder

At the 2017 Special Olympics Georgia State Summer Games, taking place on May 19-21 at Emory University in Atlanta, GA, the Athletics venue (Track & Field) will be modified due to repairs being made to the track. The repairs being made will not be completed until after the Summer Games dates. Therefore, we are cancelling all Athletics events except for the following listed below:

Long Distance Running & Walking – 1 mile walk, 1 mile run, 3K Walk, 3K Run, 3K Unified Walk, 3K Unified Run, 5K Walk, 5K Run, 5K Unified Walk and 5K Unified Run.

Shot Put

Turbo Jav.

Softball Throw (Level A)

Tennis Ball Throw (Level A)

10 Meter Walk (Level A)

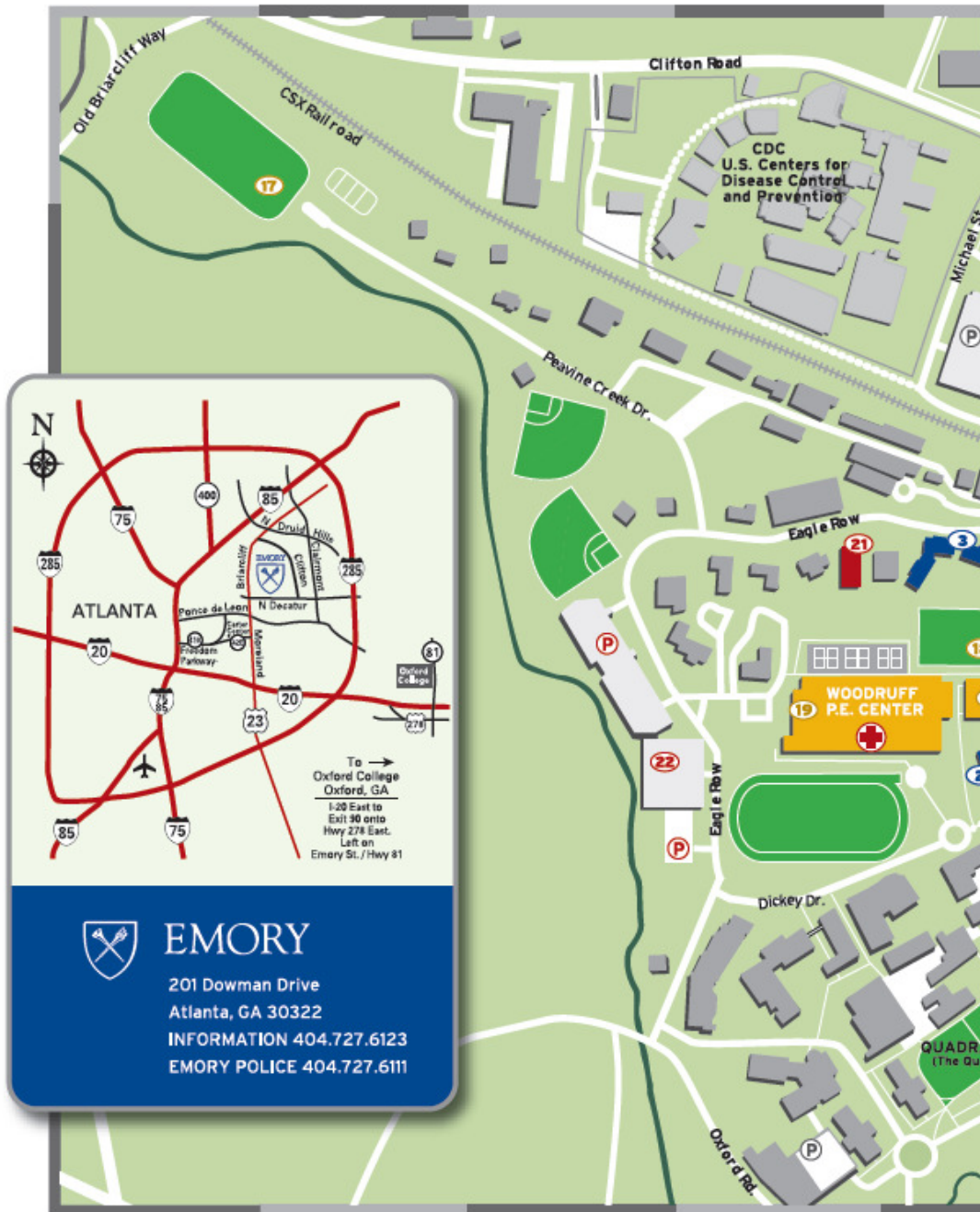
25 Meter Walk (Level A)

50 Meter Walk (Level A)

Agencies will have the option to register their athletes in one walking or running event, as well as a throw, for a maximum of two events. Examples – if an athlete is registered for the 1 Mile Run, their second event could be either the Shot Put or Turbo Jav. If an athlete is registered for a Level A Walking event, their second event could be either the Softball Throw or Tennis Ball Throw. Unified Partners are only eligible to compete in the Unified Walking or Running Event, not the Shot Put or Turbo Jav. The location for the modified Athletics venue for 2017 will be at Kaminsky Field on Emory University's campus, the same location as Flag Football and Soccer. It will begin on Saturday, May 20th at 7 a.m. After the conclusion of all Athletics events, Flag Football competition will begin.

While Special Olympics Georgia understands the disappointment agencies will have concerning this modified schedule, this can give athletes an opportunity to train and compete in a different Summer Games event that they haven't competed in before! We encourage agencies to work on and train their Athletics athletes whose event(s) are not being offered in 2017, in a new sport so that they can still come and enjoy the Summer Games weekend! The other sports you can choose from are: Aquatics, Flag Football, Rhythmic Gymnastics, Soccer, Table Tennis, Tennis and Volleyball.

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| 1 Alabama Hall | 6 Hopkins Hall | 11 Turman Hall |
| 2 Dobbs Hall | 7 Longstreet-Means Hall | 12 Woodruff Residential Ctr. |
| 3 Evans and Few Halls | 8 Raoul Hall (Emory front desk) | |
| 4 Harris Hall | 9 Smith Hall | |
| 5 Holmes Hall | 10 Thomas Hall | |

CIAL OLYMPICS GEORGIA 2017 GAMES MAP



- 15 DUC-ling (dining hall)
- 16 Cox Hall Ballroom / Food Court
- 17 Kaminsky-Candler Field / Soccer
- 18 McDonough Field
- 19 Woodruff PE Center

- 21 Nerve Center (8 Eagle Row)
-  Medical Tents
- 22 Peavine Parking Deck & Visitors' Lot
- 23 Woodruff Res. Parking - for buses
-  Woodruff Circle Transit
(Emory Cliff shuttle connections here)

GYMNASTICS - Woodruff PE Center 4th Floor

Venue Directors: Cindy Bickman

Saturday

- 7:30 a.m.** Gym Opens for Warm-ups
- 8:00 a.m.** Session 1 – Main Gym—Levels 3 and 4 (all ages)
- 9:30 a.m.** Session 2 – Main Gym—Level 2 (all ages, individual, & unified)
- 11:30 a.m.** Session 3 – Main Gym—Levels A,B,C(all ages, individual & unified)
- 1:00 p.m.** Session 4 – Main Gym—Level 1 (All unified teams & ages 8-15 individual)
- 3:30 p.m.** Session 5 – Main Gym—Level 1 (Individual ages 16 and over)

*Athletes must compete all routines in the same level..

*Sessions are divided by level. For Level 1, there will be 2 sessions, divided by age group. Athletes will only be allowed to compete in the session scheduled for their level/age group.

*We will only use the Main Gym for ALL Competition. The Aerobics Room is for Awards only.

*The schedule for Group competition will be determined at the Coaches Meeting on Friday night. The schedule for unified teams is noted above.

*Schedule changes, if necessary, will be announced at the Coaches Meeting.

*Girls should wear skirted leotards & have their hair in a bun

*Please be dressed and in the Gym at the scheduled time.



SOCCER and SOCCER SKILLS Kaminsky Soccer Field



Venue Directors: Danny Klinect

Soccer Skills: Ronda Lewis

Volunteer Coordinator: Anna Chein

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Saturday

- | | |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| 8:00 am - 6:30 pm | Five-a-Side Competition |
| 8:00 am - 11:00 am | Soccer Skills First Round |
| 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm | Soccer Skills Final Round |

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* Five-a-side games will be 2 halves of 15 minutes each with a 5 minute halftime

* Each player must play at least half a game.

*Teams should report to Kaminsky Field **at least 15 minutes prior** to the scheduled start of their game.

General parking is NOT allowed at Kaminsky, please use the shuttle.

TABLE TENNIS

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Venue Director: Ralph Presley
Volunteer Coordinator: Shawn Holloman
Location: Cox Hall Banquet Room

SCHEDULE

Saturday.....

7:30 am - Athlete Check-In
8:00 am - 11:00 am Competition

- * Singles competition will consist of the best of three games in a match.
- * The Pong Master Timer will be used. NO Sensor Pads and NO mechanical toss will be used. Volunteers will toss the ball during Table Tennis Skills Competition.

Venue Director: Sally & Courtney Conley
Vol. Coordinator: Wendy Gomersall
Location: Woodruff PE Center
(outside courts and 4th floor indoor courts)

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SCHEDULE:

The exact schedule for all Full Court Match Play will be given out at the coaches meeting on Friday night.

Level 1 Skills competition, ALL Short Court Level 2 and Short Court Level 3 Singles matches will begin on Friday, May 19th at 12 p.m. with awards to follow. ALL Level 3 and Level 5 doubles play will take place on Saturday, starting at 8 a.m. All players should report to the check-in area 30 minutes prior to schedule time. Awards to follow. Full Court Level 5 singles competition will begin on Sunday, starting at 8:00 am.

- There will not be any preliminaries. The divisions for skills competition are based on scores that were turned in. The change in the schedule will allow your athletes to enjoy the other venues throughout the weekend.

VOLLEYBALL

Venue Director: Diane Holmes
Volunteer Coordinator: Jaime Dutro
Location: Woodruff PE Center Gymnasium

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SCHEDULE

Saturday - Bracket's available at Coaches Meeting.

All competition between 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

- A more specific schedule with times for divisions will be handed out at the Coaches Meeting on Friday Night after the Opening Ceremony. You must attend this meeting in order to know your teams starting times.
- Arrive at your venue site, 30 minutes prior to scheduled starting time.
- Please bring your own practice balls with your team name on them.



SOGA Hotel/Dorm/Venue Emergency Plan

In the case of an emergency please respond accordingly.

In the case of a fire/false alarm please make sure your entire delegation calmly vacates the building and that they are all accounted for. Remember to take your keys and your housing list. (The Head of Delegation should make a final sweep of the housing/building counting your athletes/coaches and make sure you have everyone when exiting or re-entering)

In the case of bad weather (tornado, flooding) please make sure your entire delegation is in a secure and safe environment until the weather has cleared. Make sure that each athlete/coach in your delegation is accounted for after the weather has cleared. Remember to take your keys.

In the case of a missing member of your delegation (athlete, coach, family member) please contact the Nerve Center/SOGA staff as soon as possible. Please calmly provide a detailed description of the situation and adhere to the SOGA Crisis Plan regarding the dissemination of information.

The Nerve Center phone number can be found on page 3.

Flag Football

Venue Director: Desi Carson

Volunteer Coordinator: John Drescher

Football Officials: Christine Pitts

Location: Kaminsky Field (Back fields, behind soccer)

Schedule

Saturday, May 20th: 2:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

Field #1– Traditional & Unified Teams

Field #2– Traditional & Unified Teams

Field #3– Traditional & Unified Teams

*This will be a compass bracket format, where each team will play a total of 2 games.

This format is for 2017 only due to the Athletics venue moving to Kaminsky Field.

*Awards will take place after the completion of the elimination game for each bracket.

*Brackets will be created and provided to agencies a few weeks before the State Summer Games weekend, detailing the games and times for each agency.

*Your teams must be checked in and prepared at least 30 minutes before their scheduled game time. **If teams are not present by their game time, they will be forced to forfeit their game.**

Below is a breakdown of how teams will be divisioned and awarded:

Unified Team Play

8 Total Teams - (5 Senior Teams & 3 Masters Teams)

***We are going to have 2 divisions total. 1 division of the 5 Senior Teams & 1 division of the 3 Masters Teams.**

Traditional Team Play

8 Total Teams - (2 Senior Teams & 6 Masters Teams)

***We are going to have 2 divisions of 4 teams. The first division will be the 2 Senior Teams and 2 of the lowest rated Masters Teams. The second division will be the remaining 4 Masters Teams.**

****IMPORTANT - Due to this years schedule change with Athletics taking place on Kaminsky field, the bracket play has changed Single Elimination, with each team guaranteed to play only 2 games.****

OLYMPIC TOWN

Olympic Town Director: Steve Walker
Volunteer Coordinators: Carlyne Walker
Location: McDonough Field
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

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OPENING CEREMONY

The flag bearers for agencies should report to McDonough Field at 6:30 p.m. with their agency flags.

It is requested that your athlete and coach be similarly dressed in the uniform or t-shirt representing your agency and that the suggested flag be 3' x 5' and on a 5' long pole.

Theme:

“Rise-Up for Summer Games”

Director:

Volunteer Coordinator: Miriam Yazdi

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ATHLETE DANCE

Dance Director and
Volunteer Coordinator: Ronda Lewis

Friday, 8:30 - 9:45 pm

McDonough Field

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INCLEMENT WEATHER PLAN

Pre-printed posters with the SOGA logo will be affixed to walls in the DUC (meals), the Woodruff PE Center, the Nerve Center, and in the lobbies of each residence hall. If it becomes necessary to modify schedules due to inclement weather, we will make the necessary changes, get those changes printed out, and add that information to these pre-existing posters.

Opening Ceremony/Dance: Will be moved from McDonough Field to the main gymnasium in the Woodruff PE Center.

Aquatics, Volleyball, Gymnastics, Table Tennis venues:

These indoor venues will not be affected by inclement weather and will run as scheduled.

Athletic events:

If hard, persistent rain or dangerous conditions exist, the announcer will ask everyone to move to the Kaminsky Parking lot, where busses will be dispatched to pick everyone up. At that point, please return to your residence hall or the PE Center.

As soon as a decision is made as to when events can begin again, an announcement will be made via mass text to the HOD's of all delegations. It is important that your group stay together so that you do not miss any announcements.

Tennis events:

Move into the 4th floor indoor Tennis Courts and await further instruction. A decision will be made as to the condition of the courts and what recovery time it will take to make the courts safe and playable. An announcement will then be made inside the PE Center either by PA System or bullhorn. It is important that your group stay together so that you do not miss any announcements.

Soccer & Flag Football events:

In case of rain only, the soccer and flag football competition will continue to be played. If there is lightning, the competition will be stopped and buses will be dispatched as quickly as possible to transport you back to the PE Center bus stop. If you have your own transportation at the venue, we ask that you return to your residence hall. The PE Center will already be packed with folks ... and simply can't accommodate soccer and football participants as well. A mass text to the HOD's of all delegations will be made as soon as the revised schedule is determined.



LETR Presenting Sponsor:



Each year, law enforcement officers from around the state raise money for Special Olympics Georgia (SOGA) by conducting the Law Enforcement Torch Run (LETR). From January through July, officers raise funds by selling merchandise and holding fundraising events for the honor of being a Guardian of the Flame in the Torch Run. The top five money raising departments run the 'Flame of Hope' into the Opening Ceremony where the top fundraising department lights the Cauldron to signal the beginning of the State Games. Through the combined efforts of hundreds of law enforcement volunteers throughout the State, LETR has contributed over \$6 million to Special Olympics athletes in Georgia. Please help SOGA in applauding the efforts of our Law Enforcement Officers as they join us for the Opening Ceremony.

Dates to Remember

2017 Masters Bowling

August 18 - 20
Warner Robins, GA

2017 Fall Games

October 13 - 15
Gainesville, GA

2017 Horse Show

October 13 - 15
Gainesville, GA

2018 Indoor Winter Games

January 12 - 14
Marietta, GA



HEALTHY ATHLETES



Opening Eyes

Woodruff P.E. Center

Saturday May 20th 9:30 am to 3:30pm

Vision Screening with Prescription Glasses - for free!



Special Smiles

Woodruff P.E. Center & Olympic Town

Saturday May 20th 9:30 am to 3:30pm

Smile, Smile, Smile

Oral Health screening, free goodie bags,
instructional puppets and mouth guards!



Fit Feet

Olympic Town

Saturday, May 20th - 9:30 am - 3:30pm

Podiatrists will perform a foot exam, each athlete will receive a pair of
socks for free!



Health Promotion

Olympic Town

Saturday, May 20th - 9:30 am - 3:30 pm

Athletes will be educated on healthy foods, sun safety, hand washing
and physical activity and receive free prizes.

For more than 14 years, Special Olympics has been serving athletes by offering free health screenings and health information at local, regional and World Games. In the process, Special Olympics has become the largest global public health organization dedicated to serving people with intellectual disabilities. Take a moment to bring your athletes to these health screenings, and help them be the best they can be!

MEALS

MEALS SERVED AT THE NEW TEMPORARY DUC...

Friday Lunch (Aquatics Only): 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm
 (Aquatics Lunch served in the hallway opposite the bullpen)
 Friday Dinner: 5:00 pm - 7 pm

Saturday Breakfast: 6:15 am - 8:30 am
 Lunch: 11:00 am - 1:30 pm

Sunday Breakfast: 6:15 am - 8:30 am

Athletes using wheelchairs...

The first floor has sufficient dining space for wheelchairs. If your athletes are not limited in mobility, please seat them on the upper levels of the dining hall.

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*Please make every effort to bring your delegation to the meals venue. The **ONLY** meal that will be available for take-out is **SATURDAY LUNCH**.*

Menu

There will be **NO** Friday Breakfast for Aquatics athletes. Agencies competing in Aquatics will be responsible for their own breakfast on Friday. Friday lunch is for aquatics athletes only!!

Friday Lunch (Aquatics Only)

Sandwiches
 Applesauce
 Goldfish
 Chocolate wafer bar
 Water

Friday Dinner

Chicken Tenders
 Spaghetti
 Green Beans
 Applesauce
 Chocolate wafer bar
 Water/Powerade

Saturday Breakfast

Oatmeal
 Sausage
 Peaches
 Granola Bar
 Water/Coffee/Milk

Saturday Lunch

Sandwiches
 Applesauce
 Goldfish
 Chocolate wafer bar
 Water/Powerade

Sunday Breakfast

Cereal, Oatmeal
 Scrambled Eggs
 Peaches
 Coffee/Milk/Water

ACCIDENT/INCIDENT REPORT

Type of Injury/ Accident:

U.S. Program/Area: _____ Date of Incident: _____

Injured Person/Party Information Date of Birth: ___/___/___ Age: _____

Name: _____ (Last) (First) (MI)

Address: _____ (Street) (City) (State) (Zip)

Home Phone: (____)____-____ Work Phone: (____)____-____

Gender: Male Female Social Security Number: _____-____-_____

Description of Accident (If automobile accident occurred, please attach a copy of the police report).

Describe how the accident occurred (Attach a separate sheet if necessary):

- Accident Occurred During: Training/Practice, Competition, Traveling to or from SO event, Other:
Type of Injury: Severe cut w/ bleeding, Less serious bruise or cut, Break/fracture, Concussion, Paralysis, Fatality, Other:
Disposition: Released to parent, Refusal of care, Refer to doctor, Refer to hospital or clinic
Medical attention, EMS transport, Patient requested EMS transport, Released to personal vehicle, Police, Ambulance, Report only, Other:
Sport: Alpine Skiing, Aquatics, Athletics, Badminton, Baseball, Basketball, Bocce, Bowling, Cheerleading
Cross Country Ski, Cycling, Equestrian, Figure Skating, Floor Hockey, Golf, Gymnastics, Power Lifting, Relay Game, Sailing, Soccer, Softball, Speed Skating, Swimming, Table Tennis, Team Handball, Tennis, Track & Field
Volleyball, Other:
Body Part Injured: Head, Neck, Torso, Back, Hand (L/R), Finger (L/R), Elbow (L/R), Shoulder (L/R), Leg (L/R), Knee (L/R), Thigh (L/R), Shin (L/R), Toe (L/R), Other:

Site / event where accident occurred: _____

Contact/Care Provider Information If an athlete or underage volunteer was injured, please identify the care provider and/or responsible party (e.g. parent, legal guardian).

Relationship to the injured person: _____ Employer Name: _____
Name: _____ Employer Address: _____
Address: _____ Work Phone: (____)____-_____

Home Phone: (____)____-_____
Does the injured person have medical insurance? Yes No
If yes, insurance is provided by: Injured Person Care Provider/Responsible Party
Please provide name of Company and Policy Number: _____

Witness Information (Please provide names and phone numbers of any witnesses to the incident)

Witness #1 Name: _____ Daytime Phone: (____)____-_____
Witness #2 Name: _____ Daytime Phone: (____)____-_____

Special Olympics Official / Representative (other than claimant)
Name: _____ Daytime Phone: (____)____-_____
Signature: _____

Send completed form to: American Specialty Insurance & Risk Services, Inc., P.O. Box 459, Roanoke, IN 46783; Fax: (260) 673-1291
AND
Special Olympics, Inc. 4000 Dekalb Technology Parkway, Building 400 Suite 400 Atlanta, GA 30340; Fax: 770.216.8339

If injury was serious or a fatality: IMMEDIATELY notify American Specialty Insurance & Risk Services, Inc.
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COACH CERTIFICATION

Mandatory Coach Certification is in effect! Any person that trains Special Olympics Athletes for competition must be certified. Mini-Sports Camps are available throughout the year for Coach Certification. Below is a schedule for the remainder of the year:

May 31, 2017 - Ellijay, Georgia

Sports offered: General Orientation, Basketball, Athletics, GMS software, Young Athletes, Competition Management. Contact Kelli Britt for more information.

June 3, 2017 - Roswell, Georgia

Sports offered: General Orientation, Aquatics, Soccer, Basketball, Softball, Bocce. Contact Kelli Britt for more information.

September 30, 2017 - Claxton, Georgia

Sports offered: General Orientation, Floor Hockey, Softball, Unified Sports, Tennis, Flag Football, Coaching Special Olympics Athletes. Contact David Crawford for more information.

For more information and registration flyers, email:

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You may also visit our website, www.specialolympicsga.org to view more information concerning coaches mini sports camps.

If you are a current certified coach in Alpine skiing, Aquatics, Artistic Gymnastics, Athletics, Badminton, Basketball, Bocce, Bowling, Cycling, Equestrian, Figure Skating, Flag Football, Floor Hockey, Golf, Kayaking, Powerlifting, Rhythmic Gymnastics, Roller Skating, Sailing, Snowboarding, Soccer, Softball, Speed Skating, Table Tennis, Tennis or Volleyball and your certification is about to expire, you can visit the link below and take the online recertification test.

<http://www.specialolympicsga.org/become-an-athlete/coach/>

A BIG *THANK YOU* TO ALL THE VOLUNTEERS!!

Policies Concerning Requirements of Class A Volunteers (Effective as of June 1, 2015)

Volunteer & Unified Partner Profile Form:

The Volunteer Profile form and Unified Partner form have been condensed into one form. This form is required for **ALL** Class A Volunteers, and **must include** 2 non-family references and a copy of photo ID (if applicable).

Other Certifications:

The following outlines the needed information for all Class A Volunteers (Coaches, Chaperones, Unified Partners, Bus Drivers, General Volunteer, GOC / committee member, Local / Area Management Team) **ages 18 and up:**

- Complete the Protective Behaviors training by going to:
www.specialolympics.org/protectivebehaviors
- Complete the Background Screen by clicking here:
www.verifiedvolunteers.com and click LOGIN
(Don't forget to enter the Good Deed code: wnoc4cz)

**If you have any questions or concerns regarding this policy
Contact: Liz Smith or Paul McNeil, Volunteer & Event Managers
Liz.Smith@specialolympicsga.org
Paul.McNeal@specialolympicsga.org**

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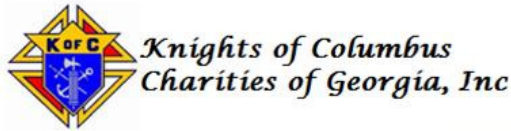
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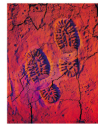
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2017 SUMMER GAMES EVALUATION

Please take the time to comment on your experience during this competition.
Return this form to the check-out area on Sunday in the Woodruff PE Center
when dropping off your keys!.

REGISTRATION: How effective was the process? What could we do better?

COMPETITION: Did the competition meet your expectations? How can we improve at the venues you saw?

HOUSING: What experiences (good or bad) did you have with the residence hall?
In which residence hall did you stay?

DANCE/OPENING CEROMONIES/HEALTHY ATHLETES: Did the leisure activities meet your expectations? Any specific suggestions for improvement?

COMMUNICATION/SIGNAGE: Was the Information Guide helpful? Did we provide the basic and emergency information needed for any situation throughout the weekend? Did we have the signs needed to help you find your way? Do you have any suggestions?

MEALS: How were the Meals? Where could we have improved?

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2017SummerGames>

For more information or for a schedule of events go to:

www.specialolympicsga.org

- **Check out our website!**
- **View the Calendar for upcoming events.**
- **Make secure donations online with a couple clicks of the mouse!**

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