



Special Olympics Alaska Mat-Su Community 2026 Summer Training Registration Form

Registration forms are due by **March 3**

Email to matsu@specialolympicsalaska.org, take a photo and text to (907) 631-8591, or mail to
P.O. BOX 874324, Wasilla, AK 99687



Please make a note of your first practice date, time and location.

There will be a **preseason meeting** for ALL sports. **Tuesday, March 3rd 6:00-7:00 pm** at
North Bowl. If you are unable to attend call the Mat-Su cell phone 907-631-8591

STATE GAMES - June 5-7

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Name: _____ Age: _____

Athlete Partner Volunteer (check one)

Contact Person (if different from above): _____

Best Cell Phone # to relay information: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

___ Yes ___ No I will train to be eligible to compete in the local competition.

___ Yes ___ No I will train to be eligible to compete at state competition (June 5-7)

___ **Swimming:** Head Coach – Hadley Remele
Saturdays, 11:00am – 1:00pm, First practice: **March 21 @ Wasilla Pool**.

___ **Basketball (Individual Skills Team):** Head Coach – Keith Norris
Shaw Elementary; **Tuesdays, 6:00pm-7:30pm**, First practice: **March 17**

___ **Basketball (Traditional Team):** Head Coach – Courtney Carpenter
Cottonwood Creek Elementary; **Tuesdays & Thursdays, 6:00pm-7:30pm**, First practice **March 17**

___ **Basketball (Unified Team):** Head Coach – Bradley Berberich
Pioneer Peak Elementary; **Thursday 6:00pm-8:00pm**, First practice: **March 19**
Colony High School; **Tuesdays & Thursdays 6:00-8:00, Starting April 2**

___ **Track & Field (Athletics):** Head Coach – Sonia Williams
Iditarod Elementary; **Wednesday, 6-7:30pm**, First Practice: **March 18**; Outside practices relocate
to Palmer High School; **Monday & Wednesday, 6-7:30pm**, beginning **April 20**

___ **Gymnastics:** Head Coach - Kari Christman
AKtion Gymnastics; **Wednesday 1:15pm-2:45pm**. First Practice: **March 18**

___ **Powerlifting:** Head Coach - Mark Eppihimer
Minimum age to participate in Powerlifting – 14 years old
Masters of Iron; **Wednesday 6:00-7:30pm, Saturday 9:00-10:00am**, First Practice **March 18**

NOTE: THE 2026 Law Enforcement Torch Run & Pledge Drive is Saturday May 16 Please plan on attending this event as a team. All sports will have this day off.



Name: _____

Sport: _____

Special Olympics Athlete Code of Conduct

Special Olympics is committed to the highest ideals of sport and expects all athletes to honor sports and Special Olympics. All Special Olympics athletes and Unified Sports partners agree to the following code:

Sportsmanship

- I will practice good sportsmanship.
- I will act in ways that bring respect to me, my coaches, my team and Special Olympics.
- I will not use bad language.
- I will not swear or insult other persons.
- I will not fight with other athletes, coaches, volunteers or staff.

Training and Competition

- I will train regularly.
- I will learn and follow the rules of my sport.
- I will listen to my coaches and the officials and ask questions when I do not understand.
- I will always try my best during training, divisioning and competitions.
- I will not "hold back" in preliminaries just to get into an easier final heat.

Responsibility for My Actions

- I will not make inappropriate or unwanted physical, verbal or sexual advances on others.
- I will not smoke in non-smoking areas
- I will not drink alcohol or take illegal drugs at Special Olympics events.
- I will not take drugs for the purpose of improving my performance.
- I will obey all laws and Special Olympics rules, the International Federation and the National Federation/Governing body rules for my sport(s).

I understand that if I do not obey this Code of Conduct, I will be subject to a range of consequences by my Program, Head Coach or a Games Organizing Committee up to and including not being allowed to participate.

Athlete/Partner Signature

Date

Guardian Signature (required if athlete is not own guardian)

Date