

MISSION:

To provide year–round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic–type sports for children and adults with an intellectual disability, giving them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in the sharing of gifts, skills and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes and the community.

HISTORY:

Founded in 1987

PARTICIPANTS (per the 2013 census):

Registered athletes and participants:	5,581
Coaches:	618
Competition opportunities:	51

INTERNATIONAL EVENTS:

- Participated in the 2013 Asia Pacific Games in Newcastle, Australia
- 1 athlete participated in the 2013 Special Olympics World Winter Games in PyeongChang, South Korea
- Participation in the 2010 Special Olympics Global Congress, Marrakech, Morocco
- Participation in the 2007 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Shanghai, China
- Participation in the 2009 Special Olympics International Cricket Cup Carnival, New Delhi, India
- Participation in the 2006 Special Olympics International Cricket Cup Tournament, Mumbai, India

SUPPORT:

Special Olympics Christmas Grant Record funds, Govt. of Nepal and the Board of Directors.

8 OFFICIAL SPORTS:

Athletics	Basketball	Bocce	Football (Soccer)
Table Tennis	Motor Activities Training Program (MATP)	Cricket	Young Athletes Program (YAP)

OTHER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS:

Athlete Leadership Programs (ALPs)

EXECUTIVE STAFF:

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