

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 2001

PARTICIPANTS (per the 2014 census):

Registered athletes: 134
Coaches: 53
Competitions: 18

GOAL:

- 1. Education: to bring education in different parts: Athlete Leadership, Coaches, Management, Family
- 2. Cooperation with Sport Clubs to realise Unified Sports

INTERNATIONAL EVENTS:

- 2015 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Los Angeles, USA (10 athletes)
- 2013 Special Olympics World Winter Games in PyeongChang, South Korea (8 athletes)
- 2011 Special Olympics World Summer Games in Athens, Greece (15 athletes)
- 2009 Special Olympics World Winter Games in Nagano, Japan (8 athletes)

9 OFFICIAL SPORTS:

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Alpine Skiing	Aquatics	Bocce
Cross Country Skiing	Cycling	Equestrian
Floorball	Football (Soccer)	Tennis

OTHER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS:

Motor Activities Training Program (MATP)

EXECUTIVE STAFF:

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