

**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 the late 1970s

PARTICIPANTS (per the 2014 census):

Registered athletes:	274
Coaches:	15
Competitions:	2

SUPPORT:

Recipient of government, corporate and individual funding

INTERNATIONAL EVENTS:

- 2015 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Los Angeles, USA (26 athletes)
- 2011 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Athens, Greece
- 2013 Special Olympics World Winter Games, PyeongChang, South Korea

5 OFFICIAL SPORTS:

Aquatics	Athletics	Bocce
Football (Soccer)	Tennis	

OTHER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS:

Athlete Leadership, Healthy Athletes, Young Athletes

EXECUTIVE STAFF:

Mr. Errol Allen, Board Chair

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