Call to Action: How You Can Help as Individuals or Corporations

Special Olympics is honored to be an important part of making the world a more inclusive and unified place for all and giving more people with intellectual disabilities a chance to live up to their potential.

There are many ways for you to get involved and support Special Olympics, if you have suggestions or questions, please feel free to reach us at soea@specialolympics.org

2015 East Asia Annual Report
OUR MISSION

Special Olympics provides year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for children and adults with intellectual disabilities, giving them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes and the community.
A Year of Milestone in Achieving the 2011-2015 Global Strategy

Dear all,

It is with great pleasure that we present you with the edition of Special Olympics East Asia annual report as a summary of our activities in 2011, which we hope will bring many of the highlights of the year to life for you. We have included the major achievements of the year and how the Special Olympics movement has grown in strength as we look forward to new horizons.

The Special Olympics East Asia Summer Games in September 2011 saw 1,000 athletes compete, setting new records and bringing the joy of sport to over 10,000 spectators in five major cities across the region. The Special Olympics World Summer Games were also held in London in 2011, with over 4,300 athletes and 1,500 volunteers representing 200 countries from all over the world. Over 100 athletes from East Asia countries competed in 15 events, demonstrating their skills and talents across a range of sports.

We are proud to report that the Special Olympics movement continues to grow and thrive, with increased awareness and support across the region. In addition, the Special Olympics movement has expanded its reach and influence, with new partnerships and collaborations being established to support the movement.

Looking ahead to the next five years, we are excited to announce that Special Olympics East Asia will be hosting the Special Olympics World Summer Games in 2015. This will be a major milestone in the movement's history and we look forward to welcoming athletes from around the world to share in this special occasion.

We would like to thank all of our supporters, whether through financial donations, volunteering, or simply by spreading awareness and promoting the movement, for their continued support.

Thank you for helping to make this year a success.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. James Kim
Chairman
Special Olympics East Asia

P.S. We would like to express our gratitude to all of our partners and supporters for their continued support and dedication to the Special Olympics movement.
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Advance Quality Sports and Competitions
Special Olympics East Asia
Unified Bocce Invitational
Game and Coach Training Seminar
May 21st to 26th, 2015
Tainan, Chinese Taipei

More than 1,000 participants including
delgates from America, Europe and
Asia participated in the game, which
made the event one of the largest Special
Olympics Unified Bocce Games so far.

Special Olympics East Asia
Best Coaches' Training was also
held during the Game. Coaches
from Macao, Korea, Hong Kong,
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Special Olympics East Asia
Regional Basketball Coach
Training Seminar
October 20th to 23rd, 2015
Beijing, China

20 senior coaches from 9 Programs China,
Hong Kong, Korea, Macao, Philippines, Singapore
and Taiwan participated in the 4-day training
seminar which included basketball
coaching and calling rules.

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Special Olympics East Asia Unified Floor Hockey Competition
November 2nd to 7th, 2015
Gangwon, Korea

A Unified International Floor Hockey Competition was held in South Korea with 9 teams from South Korea and China taking part. The competition was part of the Special Olympics East Asia Regional Camp Shriver 2015 in Gangwon. A total number of 14 Special Olympics athletes from about 50 athletes from Shanghai Sports University and Shanghai Foreign Language School participated in the special Olympics East Asia Regional Camp Shriver 2015 in Gangwon. 8 professional players from Shanghai Sports University and Shanghai Foreign Language School attended the event to create an atmosphere for the athletes to improve health, friendship and learning in the Special Olympics East Asia Regional Camp Shriver 2015.
Special Olympics East Asia Regional Badminton Coach Training Seminar
November 24th to 27th, 2015
Beijing, China

Trainers: Guo Yiwen, former top national coach in China; Lu Lin, former world champion in Badminton and current Chinese badminton coach; Guo Yiwen, former top national coach in China; and LuLin, former world champion in Badminton. The seminar was provided by the Chinese Badminton Association and the Chinese Badminton Association. The seminar was attended by 21 coaches from the East Asia region. The seminar was held from November 24th to 27th, 2015 in Beijing, China.

Special Olympics Macau Golf Masters 2015
April 28th to 29th, 2015
Macau

The Special Olympics Macau Golf Masters 2015 was hosted by the Special Olympics Macau and held at the Macau Golf Club. The event was attended by 21 golfers from various countries, including China, Japan, South Korea, and the United States. The event was held from April 28th to 29th, 2015 in Macau, China.
City-level Unified Competitions Across the Mainland

4 unifiedestival competitions and 4 unified posture competitions were organized across Mainland China sponsored by Peco 2011’s Fairy Queen respectively. The City-level Unified Competitors had fewer China through 60s including Henan, Hubei, Qingdao, Lanzhou, Harbin, Shanghai, Xinjiang, and Anhui, engaged about 1,300 athletes, teachers, and volunteers in the cities including Xinjiang, Hubei, Qingdao, Lanzhou, Harbin, Shanghai, and Anhui. The competitions involved:
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Build Communities

Health

Healthy Athletes program provided 10,317 exams to athletes, with the support from about 900 volunteers across the region. 6 Family Health Forums were offered to over 500 family members and athletes in Korea, Mainland China, Hong Kong, Mongolia, Chinese Taipei and Macao.

Healthy Communities

August in Los Angeles, Golisano Foundation announced another major gift of $5 million dollars to develop the world’s Special Olympics Healthy Communities in the next five years. Special Olympics Medalist became the first program in East Asia to be awarded with a Major Healthy Community grant in 2015. This will be used to further develop Healthy Athlete and the expansion of Healthy Community model to develop the healthcare needs changed for people with intellectual disabilities and improve their living conditions in East Asia region. All of these can be realized by offering early childhood access, opportunities to social fitness, and delivery of advanced health science and technology. The expansion of Healthy Community can raise public awareness on people with intellectual disabilities and their needs.
Unified Schools Leadership Forum December 11th, 2015 Shanghai, China

Unified Schools program designed to impact by gathering 60 delegates across the country, not only from education sector but also from business and community partners. United States-Taipei Partnership of Taiwan. The focus was from Special Olympics East Asia, Harvard Law School, Family Focus Hong Kong and Cappy China. Cappy China drove a clear roadmap for the delivery of unified Schools through a series of unified Sports Industry research by youth leaders, CommonRight Integration models as well as Digital Marketing strategies. Cappy China is being incentivized among partners that the Unified Schools model would reach the educational reform in China and even larger scale with all parties responding to the call.

Unified School is a regular school and special school students in China unified school program into full and then committed to be successfully promoting youth and without social challenges to eliminate discrimination. (In education system), to create inclusive atmosphere. By playing unified games and sports, special education students with great success of the program. In Shanghai, then expanded to nationwide standards, and is expected to expand to the entire region in the next few years.

China Outstanding Volunteer Recognition May 10th, 2015 Beijing, China

50 university students from China were awarded at Outstanding Volunteer on recognition of their contributions and efforts in building inclusive community with Special Olympics. 2015-2016, Special Olympics Global Ambassador Ms. Yang, motivated the students to the mentors, and encouraged them to work inclusively with people with differences in their lives.

Family and Young Athletes

Young Athletes continue to expand its impact by introducing ‘Family/Community’ medals of singular recognition. Young Athletes recognize families as well as inclusive Young Athletes activities to East Asia Programs, schools and community partners, children learning centers, 36 schools and Program staff participated in training and practical services. By the end of the year, Young Athletes programming launched in 10 new cities in the region. Meanwhile, the Unified Young Athletes Program has been rolled out to all Special Olympics East Asia Programs.

Regional Young Athletes Program Train-The-Trainer Training Workshop November 25th to 26th, 2015 Beijing, China
Special Olympics East Asia family leader conference was held in Taipei, Chinese Taipei in conjunction with East Asia National Directors Meeting to address the challenge of the current family program and highlight the significance of families playing an active role in training and implementing Special Olympics Worldwide’s National Directors were engaged in a robust discussion for refining and aligning global plans.

Outstanding Family Leader Recognition
September 2nd, 2015
Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia

Outstanding family leader recognition was conducted during Regional Leadership Council meeting in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia. 7 family leaders across the region received awards in recognition of their contributions to the growth of special Olympics movement.
Athlete in Leadership

Regional ALPs University
September 21st to 25th, 2015
Jinan, China

The Regional ALP University convened 32 athletes and 20 mentors from 6 East Asia Programs. Following the event, Special Olympics China trained the second local ALP University from 40 to 44 November, which was facilitated by two mentors and one athlete leader inspired by ALP University in Jinan. 51 new athletes and 51 mentors were trained.

Special Olympics Chinese Taipei conducted ALP University for the fourth consecutive year at their own cost.

Regional Leadership Council Meeting
September 1st to 3rd, 2015
Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia

2015 Special Olympics Asia Regional Leadership Council Meeting was held in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia on September 1st. In addition to the updates of Special Olympics global and regional development, best practice sharing, regional competition plan discussion and world M Games evaluation, Vice Governor of Mongolia’s Ulaanbaatar City, Mr. Boldmaa welcomed Special Olympic’s leadership and athletes on behalf of the President in his official residence and committed to support Special Olympics Mongolia’s growth with her own foundation. As well, Mongolian Minister of Education promised to actively promote Special Olympics Unified School in Mongolia.
Connect Fans & Funds

In recognition of International Day of Persons with Disabilities on December 3, Special Olympics East Asia was delighted to host an award ceremony coinciding with 2023’s “A Very Special Christmas” annual gala to honor U.S. Ambassador to China, Mr. Mark Kent, and his wife, Ms. Michelle Kwan. The award “Inspiration of the Year” was given to three representatives of Special Olympics athletes and volunteers who have extraordinary stories and achievements in the year of 2023.

All 3 programs in Special Olympics East Asia were invited to nominate candidates and shortlisted 7 finalists for the highest honor of a global special-athlete platform. The online voting period had been planned from 10 to 11 December, which included the three categories: The Spirit, Rising Star, and The Inspiration. During the virtual voting period, November 2023, we successfully reached 220,000 +thousand participants with a total of 170,000 votes. On the night of the gala, the award was presented to Team China (C.1) and a record 235,171 votes in the category of Most Inspiring Supporter. They received the awards from the Ambassador to China, whose team members Angin and Anjali delivering a speech at the “A Very Special Christmas” gala.
2015 LA World Summer Games

During the 2015 LA World Games, Special Olympics East Asia Senior Advisory Council member, Singapore’s Tan Wee Chai, visited Special Olympics China to learn more about Special Olympics and to discuss future collaboration opportunities. The event took place in Beijing, China on October 22nd.

The Special Olympics World Games are the world’s largest integrated sporting event for athletes with intellectual disabilities. The Games are held every four years and bring together thousands of athletes from around the world. Special Olympics East Asia is dedicated to promoting the rights of people with intellectual disabilities and advocating for inclusivity and participation in sports and other activities.

The LA World Games were an opportunity for Special Olympics East Asia to showcase its commitment to promoting inclusivity and inclusion in sports and other activities.

Connect Fans & Funds

Special Olympics East Asia Senior Advisory Council meeting

On June 11th, the second Special Olympics East Asia Senior Advisory Council meeting was held in Hong Kong. The meeting was moderated by Special Olympics East Asia advisor, Mr. Kwok Ngan, a member of the Hong Kong team. During the meeting, members were invited to share their experiences and discuss the role of the council, its impact on the organization, and future planning.

The council discussed various topics, including how to enhance the council’s role in fulfilling its mission. It was agreed that the council should continue to support the organization’s efforts in promoting inclusivity and inclusion in sports and other activities. The council also discussed the importance of collaboration with other organizations and the need to raise awareness about Special Olympics East Asia.

The council also discussed the importance of fundraising and the need to explore new avenues to increase financial support. The council members agreed to continue working together to promote inclusivity and inclusion in sports and other activities.
Connect, Fans & Funds

Unity Fundraising Gala Dinner

On June 10th evening, the Annual Special Olympics Unity Fundraising Gala Dinner was held at the InterContinental Hotel in Shanghai. A total of 188 guests, including the CEOs of Special Olympics China, Special Olympics Hong Kong and Special Olympics Singapore, attended the event to raise funds for the 2015 Special Olympics World Games. The influencers and367 Hollywood celebrities from different social strata of the event.

Over 50 members of the Olympic family, including Timothy Shriver, Special Olympics President and CEO; Scott Bovell; and his wife, Melissa Shriver, Special Olympics Board of Directors; and Autumn Anderson, President and CEO of Special Olympics Global Ambassadors, attended the Gala Dinner. Attendees included many Hollywood celebrities who attended the event to support the athletes and athletes and raise funds.

Among the Hollywood stars present at the Gala Dinner, including the famous film director Martin Scorsese, who attended the event to support the athletes and raise funds. The event was held to raise funds for the 2015 Special Olympics World Games.
SOHO CHINA
Mr. Pan Gong and his wife Mrs. Zhang Xiu have pledged USD 1 million in the name of their SOHO CHINA Foundation to support "Unified School" Program.

Tencent
Tencent Holdings Limited signed a China-based partnership with Special Olympics International, becoming the very first Chinese corporation to join the league of global companies to support Special Olympics International. Its fund in 2015 was used to support 10 "Unified School" activities with 3,040 beneficiaries.

Jia Aili
Jia Aili is a leading artist of her generation and her "Special Olympics" series aims to highlight the diversity and strength of people with disabilities. She sold USD 400,000 at a Sotheby's auction and all proceeds from the sale were donated to support Special Olympics development in China.

Coca-Cola
2015 marks the 4th year of a five-year partnership between the Coca-Cola Company and SOCHI as the presenting sponsor of annual fundraising gala.

Muirfield
In addition to financing the annual fundraising gala sponsor and providing all dairy products to the Special Olympics China Delegation, China Muirfield Dairy Holdings also pledged to provide financial and nutritional support for all domestic Special Olympics China events for five years starting in 2015.

Papa John's and Dairy Queen
2015 marks the 4th year of a long-term partnership between Papa John's and Dairy Queen and SOCHI on doorstep unification competitions. Their fund in 2015 was used to support 8 competitions with 443 beneficiaries.

Boeing
Boeing has been supporting Special Olympics East Asia for 10 years. Its fund supports 2 senior coach trainings with 81 direct beneficiaries.

Laurasia
Laurasia Sport for Good Foundation has been supporting Special Olympics East Asia for 10 years. Its fund supports 3 senior coach trainings with 723 beneficiaries.

Amway (China)

Athletes and Supporters’ Story Highlight

CHAN Tsun Wah, 
Athlete from Special Olympics Hong Kong

Chan, who had a special Olympics gold medal win in 2010. After receiving systemic training for three years, he became one of the delegates overseas. During his training, he was able to join the 2016 Special Olympics World Winter Games while being at school. He showed great resilience and determination, which impressed his coach. Chan represented Hong Kong in the 2018 Special Olympics World Summer Games. He won the silver medal in the men’s 1500m event. He then went on to win a bronze medal in the men’s 5000m event. His dedication and hard work paid off as he was able to win the gold medal in the 1500m event at the 2019 Special Olympics World Games.

Despite not winning the gold medal, he demonstrated great sportsmanship and moral integrity, which is a testament to his character. His performance at the Games was not only a testament to his athletic ability but also to his determination and perseverance. He is a true inspiration to all athletes, especially those who face challenges in their lives.

He is an excellent role model for young people and his story serves as an inspiration to others. Chan’s story is one of hard work, dedication, and determination, which is inspiring for all athletes.

Special Olympics Hong Kong
A world where anyone, regardless of age or ability, can learn and compete in the sports of their choice.
Alex Ying
Supporter from Special Olympics China

Alex Ying is the CEO of Dairy Queen in Shanghai and Beijing, one of the major sponsors of Special Olympics. He has been a partner of Special Olympics East Asia for United States from 2015 to 2025. While Dairy Queen and Special Olympics China have worked together planting Olympic Spirit in millions through sports, he personally introduced his employees and colleagues to participate in the event that has changed his life. He has been a great ambassador of the Special Olympics. "It is a great honor to support Special Olympics China and its athletes, and we are proud to be a part of this incredible organization," he said. "Thank you for your dedication and hard work, and we look forward to continuing our support in the future."
Wu Peng Koi  
Coach from Special Olympics Macau

Coach Wu is a retired Chinese national track and field player who has worked as a coach for the track and field program of Special Olympics Macau since 2000. Wu has helped athletes from all backgrounds to discover their love of physical activity and sports. Wu has set up various training sessions to help improve the athletes’ physical strength and performance. He has established Macau’s first ever Special Olympics track and field team in 2010. Through his dedication and hard work, he has contributed greatly to the growth of Special Olympics Macau’s history. He successfully brought back the glory of the Macau team.”

Tulga  
Athlete from Special Olympics Mongolia

Tulga’s Special Olympics changed his life. Before, he did not have a lot of social interactions and was not confident in his abilities. However, Special Olympics provided him with a platform to express himself and gained confidence. He has become a social leader and is able to interact with others. His mother’s illness has also improved with the support of Special Olympics. He now has more time to focus on his studies and improve his skills.”
Ha Eun has been serving as a United Nations Global Advocate for Peace, WKU Student, and Special Olympics Athlete from Korea since 2015.

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Total Grant and Funds Distribution in 2015

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Ha Eun, Athlete From Special Olympics Korea

Ha Eun is a leader in her field, covering more than a decade of her life, and is regarded as a role model to others. She has faced numerous challenges and has shown great resilience in overcoming them. Ha Eun has participated in various international events and competitions, including the Special Olympics World Games. Her dedication and passion for the sport have made her a symbol of inspiration for many. Ha Eun's story is one of courage, determination, and overcoming adversity. She is a true testament to the power of sports in bringing people together and creating a positive impact on society.
### 2016 SOEA Major Event Calendar

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Dear Special Olympics Fans,

2015 was a milestone year. The biggest sport event in the world, the Special Olympics World Summer Games was held in Los Angeles in July-August. Thanks to the supporting partners and sponsors, all six East Asia Programs sent the delegation to participate in this World Games, with 413 athletes competed in 16 sports.

In addition, after one and a half year’s collective efforts, the 2016-2020 Special Olympics Strategic Plan was officially launched. As the Chairman of Special Olympics East Asia Regional Leadership Council, I wish to support the regional office and SOCA Programs using this plan as roadmap and achieving the goals.

Best Wishes,

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