

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 1993

PARTICIPANTS (per the 2015 census):

Registered athletes and Unified partners: 56
Coaches: 12
Competitions: 17

GOAL:

- Add one competition per year to reach 18 competitions by 2015
- Establish relationship with sports governing bodies and federations

INTERNATIONAL EVENTS:

- 2013 Special Olympics World Winter Games, PyeongChang, South Korea (2 athletes)
- 2011 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Athens, Greece (23 athletes)
- 2009 Special Olympics World Winter Games, Nagano, Japan (4 athletes)
- 2007 Special Olympics World Summer Games, Shanghai, China (11 athletes)

8 OFFICIAL SPORTS:

Alpine Skiing	Aquatics	Athletics	Badminton
Basketball	Bocce	Judo	Softball

OTHER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS:

Athlete Leadership

EXECUTIVE STAFF:

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