

Special Olympics New Mexico



Local Coordinators/Head Coaches:

This information is meant to accompany the 2017 SONM State Summer Games Registration Packet. Please make sure you download all documents associated with the 2017 Summer Games and call me at (505) 856-0342, or email me at chriscpage@sonm.org, if you have any questions or need assistance with this information.

All registration material must be sent to the Chapter office:

Special Olympics New Mexico
6600 Palomas NE, Suite 207
Albuquerque, NM 87109.

Packets can be faxed to **(505) 856-0346** or emailed to chriscpage@sonm.org

Please make sure to read this entire document as there are several changes this year's competition. There is a separate document that outlines the Victory Dance and Special Olympics Day at Cliffs Amusement Park that everyone will need to make sure to download.

There is a \$30.00 team assessment fee for each Athlete, Coach, Unified Partner and Chaperon registered as part of your delegation.

Registration Forms

Registration Deadlines:

Area 1: April 5
Area 2: April 5
Area 3: April 5
Area 4: April 12
Area 5: April 5
Area 6: April 5

Scratch Deadline is: May 10th

Please be sure to download both, the **Registration Information** packet and the **Registration Packet**, as well as any other supporting documents you may need.

To access the registration forms, click on the link: <http://sonm.org/sports/summergames/>

If you have problems with this link, you can copy the link and paste it directly into your browser. If you still have problems, type www.sonm.org, then click on the "Sports" option on the SONM home page. This is located at the top of the page on the black header. Different Games options will be listed on the left hand side of the page. Click on Summer Games. Once the new page has generated, pan down to the bottom and the registration material will be listed there.

Excel and a PDF Formats

Excel Format: This file has all of the registration forms you will need including enough athlete/partner registration forms to cover 100 athletes/partners. Simply complete each tab with all of the requested information, save the file using the following format - program name-2016SGRegistration, and then email it to chriscpage@sonm.org. Since the Excel file has well over 100 pages, it is recommended that you **do not print the excel file.**

PDF Format: If you do not have Excel or do not feel comfortable using the program, a scaled down version of the packet will be available in PDF format. Unless you have the complete version of Adobe Acrobat, you will not be able to edit this file. You will need to print the forms, complete them by hand and fax or mail to the chapter office.

File Format

- Do not change the file format. This includes margins, cell formats, formulas etc. If you need to print and the current format will not fit your printer specifications, please send the file first and then format to fit your printer. Everything is set up to print quickly and easily on my printer. Any changes will prove to be very time consuming.

2016 SONM State Summer Games: May 20-22

Albuquerque

State Qualifying Area Summer Games (Athletics, Bocce, Unified Flag Football and Unified Volleyball)

Area 1	April 29	Farmington	Heights Middle School (Unified Volleyball)
	April 22	Farmington	Farmington High School (Athletics and Bocce)
	April 29	Farmington	Farmington Soccer Fields (Unified Flag Football)
Area 2	April 29	Pojoaque	Pojoaque High School (Athletics and Bocce)
	April 22	Santa Fe	Ft. Marcy (Unified Volleyball)
	April 29	Rio Rancho	Cleveland High School (Unified Flag Football)
Area 3	April 29	Bayard	Cobre High School (Athletics, Bocce and Unified Flag Football)
Area 4	April 29	Carlsbad	Carlsbad High School (Athletics and Bocce)
Area 5	April 29	Rio Rancho	Cleveland HS (Athletics, Bocce and Unified Flag Football)
	April 30	Albuquerque	Sandia Prep (Unified Volleyball)
Area 6	April 22	Gallup	GMCS Stadium (Athletics and Bocce)
	April 28	Gallup	UNM Gallup (Unified Volleyball)

Please call your Area Director for detailed information regarding location and start times.

Area 1 - Debra Lisenbee	(505) 806-4693
Area 2 - Shauna Stephens	(760) 574-4682
Area 3 - Ronda Norfleet	(505) 469-3466
Area 4 - Carolyn Olson	(505) 302-0927
Area 5 - Jena Waddell	(505) 385-6403
Area 6 - Janie Lee Hall	(505) 870-8707

Area Athlete of the Year

- The Area Athlete of the Year nomination form is located within the list of file with the registration file. This form should be copied and given to athletes, coaches, partners, chaperons and families. Everyone involved with our movement should have the opportunity to nominate any athlete that they feel deserves to be recognized. I thank you in advance for your attention to this and for doing all you can to make sure all those associated with you delegation have the information.
- Please send all athlete nominations to the Area Director by the registration deadline. All nomination forms sent to the Chapter Office stand a very good chance of not being considered.***

Sports and Event Information

- Short Court Bocce:** We will continue offering the new event in Bocce called Short Court which is intended to meet the needs of those athletes that have a physical disability or needs assistance in competition. If an athlete can roll the ball to the 30 foot line, they are not eligible for this event. This is strictly for those athletes who do not have the ability to reach the 30 foot line. Make sure to download the Short Court document included with the registration materials on the web site.
- Bocce (Traditional and Unified):** Each coach will rank each doubles team ad **High, Middle, or LOW**. Coaches have the privilege of determining the level of play for all other team sports and for the most part they have been very accurate on their assessments. There is no reason that this sport should be any different. Please error on the high side while we continue to experiment with better ways to provide better competition.
- Unified Flag Football:** We will host competition on Saturday, May 20th at UNM. The tournament location will be hosted on the UNM football practice fields on the west side of the indoor practice facility. More information will be made available as we progress through the process.
- Race Starts:** All programs must start working with athletes that have a fear of the starting pistol. We will start as many races as possible with the pistol.
- Running Long Jump:** All athletes entered in the Running Long Jump must be able to clear 1 meter, 10 Centimeters before they will be allowed to enter into this event. It is very important that athletes entered in this event jump this distance consistently because there is a significant safety factor involved if they cannot clear the 1 meter distance from

the takeoff board to the pit. If you have athletes that prefer to use the standard take-off board, which is farther than 1 meter from the pit, you are welcome to do so.

- **Softball Throw:** Athletes that throw more than **45 meters** will not be allowed to enter into this event. There are two softball throw venues. The first venue is for those athletes that are registered in a "skill" event. If you have athletes running a 50 Meter Run/Walk/Wheelchair/Assisted Walk, or higher, then you will compete at the softball throw venue and not the skills venue.
- **Relays:** Relay events will start on Friday afternoon. We will be using colored bibs to mark lane assignments. The **4 X 100 M Unified Relay** will be the only relay event offered.
- **Volleyball:** The State Unified Volleyball Tournament will be hosted at Sandia Prep on May 22nd. Lunch will not be provided. Please refer to the Sports Schedule for more information on Unified Volleyball competition. Detailed schedules will be made available once all Area competition has been completed.
 - The only real change to the volleyball competition will be the enforcement of volleyball roster sizes. **The minimum roster for all divisions is 8 players.** We will no longer accept rosters of 6 players.
 - Teams are strongly encouraged to place their athletes in appropriate events. We have many C Level athletes competing in the team event when they should be registered to compete in the skills competition.

Meals

- SONM will provide a dinner on Friday night and lunch and dinner on Saturday. See Master Schedule for venue locations

Victory Dance

- The SONM Summer Games Victory Dance will be hosted in conjunction with Special Olympics Day at Cliff's Amusement Park. Please see the Master Schedule and the information contained in the SONM Day at Cliff's Document listed with the registration materials on the web site.
- Parking is a major issue at Cliff's Amusement Park. Please do all you can to carpool to help with the congestion.
- **We have eliminated the option to order extra ride passes from the registration packet. All extra ride passes must be purchased through the Cliff's website or on site at Olympic Village on Friday, May 19th.**

Event Entry Overview

- The overall entry rule: Athletes are eligible to compete in **two sports** as long as those two sports are: 1) not hosted on the same day, 2) the athlete has trained a minimum of eight weeks in both sports, 3) the athlete has competed at the Area level in both sports.
- Athletics: Two individual events and one relay. Friday and Saturday
"Skill Events" 2 individual events Saturday (east parking lot in the big tent)
- Bocce: Traditional Doubles only Saturday
Unified Doubles only Saturday
Short Court Singles only Saturday
- Flag Football Unified Team only Saturday
- Volleyball: Unified Team or Skills Sunday
- Athletes can compete in the following combinations:
 - Athletics **and** Unified Volleyball
 - Bocce **and** Unified Volleyball
 - Unified Flag Football **and** Unified Volleyball
 - Unified Volleyball **and one of the following:** Athletics, Bocce, Flag Football
 - **All athletes are eligible for relay competition. However, each participant must have trained for eight weeks and competed at the Area level to qualify. Remember, we are offering Unified Relay competition only.**

**SPECIAL OLYMPICS NEW MEXICO
2017 STATE SUMMER GAMES
ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO
May 19 – May 21**

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- LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES!

PROGRAM ASSESSMENT FEES

- \$30.00 per athlete, coach, unified partner and chaperon.
 - All registration packets submitted with funds to support your delegation must be accompanied with a revenue submittal form.
 - Cash, checks and PO's will not be accepted during team check-in.
- Fees are non-refundable after **May 10, 2017**; refund requests must be made in writing.
- All Delegation must register a minimum 1:4 coach/chaperon to athlete ratio.

ERRORS/INCOMPLETE FORMS

- You will receive a delegation work-sheet outlining errors and missing information. If you do not respond to the needed information, corrections will not be made on the day of the event.

APPLICATION FOR PARTICIPATION (AFP)

- All athletes must have an active Application of Participation on file before they can be registered to compete. There will be no exceptions
- It is **MANDATORY** that all Delegation Heads carry a copy of each athlete's medical form to each venue.

MEALS AND LODGING

- If you plan to utilize our meal system, double check to make sure you have included all of your athletes and coaches.
- Credentials and meal tickets will be distributed with the coaches packet at team check-in. In most cases, the credential will double as the meal ticket.
- SONM will not provide lodging. All expenses for lodging, phone calls, movies, etc. are the responsibility of the delegation.
- *It is the responsibility of all delegations to make arrangements for breakfast meals for the duration of the Games.*
- Extra meal tickets will be deducted from the Local Program's account following the event. It is the responsibility of each program to collect the funds for the tickets and submit a revenue submittal form. SONM will not accept and cash payment the day-of-event.

RETURN ALL FORMS TO:

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Albuquerque, New Mexico 87109

Please address any questions or concerns to Chris Page at 1-800-371-5525 or 856-0342.

Email: chrispage@sonm.org

2017 SONM SUMMER GAMES SPORT/EVENT SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, MAY 19				SATURDAY, May 20				SATURDAY, May 20			
TRACK EVENTS (North Staging Area)				SKILL EVENTS (Chairman's Reception Tent)				UNIFIED FLAG FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT			
Event	Divisions	Staging	Event Time	Event	Divisions	Staging	Event Time	Event	Divisions	Staging	Event Time
4 X 100 M U Relay	All	12:45 PM	1:00 PM	10 Meter Asst. Walk	All	8:00 AM	8:30 AM	Warm Up	All	8:00 AM	8:30 AM
1500 Meter Run	All	2:45 PM	3:00 PM	10 Meter WC Race	All			Unified Flag FTBLL	All	8:30 AM	8:30 AM
1500 Meter Walk	All	2:45 PM	3:00 PM	25 Meter Run	All	<i>This is an "All Call" Event</i>		See Unified Flag Football Tournament Schedule			
				25 Meter Walk	All	All Athletes report to the Chairman's Reception Tent located in Olympic Village		SUNDAY, May 21			
SATURDAY, May 20				25 Meter Ast. Walk	All			UNIFIED VOLLEYBALL(Sandia Prep)			
TRACK EVENTS (North Staging Area)				25 Meter WC	All			Event Divisions Staging Event Time			
Event	Divisions	Staging	Event Time	25 Meter Ast. WC	All			Warm Up	All	7:30 AM	7:30 AM
3000 M Run	All	7:15 AM	7:30 AM	25 M MWC Obst.	All			Unified Volleyball	All	8:00 AM	8:00 AM
Pentathlon	All	7:15 AM	7:30 AM	30 M WC Slalom	All			Volleyball ISC	All	TBA	TBA
800 Meter Run	All	7:15 AM	7:30 AM	50 M MWC Slalom	All			See Volleyball Tournament Schedule			
800 Meter Walk	All	7:15 AM	7:30 AM	Tennis Ball Throw	All						
200 Meter Run	1-10	7:30 AM	8:00 AM	SB Throw Skills	All						
200 Meter Run	11-20	8:00 AM		SATURDAY, May 20							
200 Meter Run	21-29	8:30 AM		FIELD EVENTS (Stage Event at Each Venue)							
200 Meter Walk	All	8:45 AM	9:00 AM	Event	Divisions	Staging	Event Time				
200 Meter WC	All	8:45 AM	9:00 AM	Shot Put - Female	All	7:45 AM	8:00 AM				
400 Meter Run	All	9:00 AM	9:30 AM	Shot Put - Male	All	1:45 PM	2:00 PM				
400 Meter Walk	All	9:30 AM	10:00 AM	SLJ	All	1:45 PM	2:00 PM				
400 Asst Meter W	All	9:30 AM	10:00 AM	RLJ	All	1:45 PM	2:00 PM				
100 Meter Run	1-10	9:45 AM	10:30 AM	Turbo Jav	All	1:45 PM	2:00 PM				
100 Meter Run	11-20	10:00 AM		Softball Throw	1-10	1:45 PM	2:00 PM				
100 Meter Run	21-30	10:15 AM		Softball Throw	11-20	2:15 PM					
100 Meter Run	31-40	10:30 AM		Softball Throw	21-30	2:45 PM					
100 Meter Run	41-53	11:00 AM		Softball Throw	31-40	3:00 PM					
100 Meter Walk	All	11:15 AM	11:30 AM	Softball Throw	41-45	3:15 AM					
100 Meter Ast Walk	All	11:15 AM	11:30 AM	SATURDAY, May 20							
100 Meter WC	All	11:30 AM	11:45 AM	BOCCE (Soccer Fields)							
50 Meter Run	1-10	11:45 AM	12:00 PM	Event	Divisions	Staging	Event Time				
50 Meter Run	11-20	12:00 PM		Bocce Doubles	All	8:00 AM	8:30 AM				
50 Meter Run	21-33	12:15 PM		Short Court	All	8:00 AM	8:30 AM				
50 Meter Walk	All	12:30 PM	12:45 PM	Bocce Unified	All	10:45 AM	11:00 AM				
50 Meter Ast. Walk	All	12:45 PM	1:00 PM								
50 Meter WC	All	1:00 AM	1:15 PM								



2017 SPECIAL OLYMPICS NEW MEXICO STATE SUMMER GAMES

MASTER SCHEDULE



**Special
Olympics**
New Mexico

FRIDAY, MAY 19

12:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Team Check-In	UNM Nerve Center
1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Athletics Competition – Unified Relays	UNM Track
2:45 pm - 3:15 pm	1500 Meter Run and Walk	UNM Track
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Dinner (Delegations Only)	UNM Olympic Village
5:30 pm - 6:45 pm	Chairman's Reception (Invitation Only)	UNM East Parking Lot
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Coaches Meeting	UNM Staging Tents
6:30 pm - 7:00 pm	Opening Ceremonies Line-up	UNM East Parking Lot
7:00 pm - 8:30 pm	Opening Ceremonies	UNM Track

SATURDAY, May 20

7:30 am - 4:30 pm	Track and Field Competition	UNM Track
	Track Events: See Sports Schedule	UNM Track
	Field Events: See Sports Schedule	UNM Track
	Skill Events: See Sports Schedule	UNM Track
	Pentathlon: See Sports Schedule	UNM Track
	Softball Throw: See Sports Schedule	UNM Southeast Field
8:30 am - 1:00 pm	Bocce Competition	UNM Southeast Field
8:30 am – 3:00 pm	Unified Flag Football Tournament	UNM Practice Field
10:00 am – 2:00 pm	Olympic Village	UNM Southeast Parking Lot
10:00 am - 2:00 pm	Family Hospitality	UNM Olympic Village
10:00 am – 2:00 pm	Healthy Athletes	UNM Olympic Village
11:30 am - 1:30 pm	Lunch	UNM Olympic Village
11:00 pm – 7:00 pm	SONM Day at Cliff's	Cliff's Amusement Park
4:00 pm – 6:30 pm	Dinner (Delegations Only)	Cliff's Amusement Park
6:30 pm – 8:30 pm	Victory Dance	Cliff's Amusement Park

SUNDAY, May 21

7:30 am - 8:00 am	Volleyball Check-In/Warm-Up	Sandia Prep
8:00 am – 2:30 pm	Volleyball Competition	Sandia Prep
Team Travel		