

Special Olympics NY * Volunteer Application

State Summer Games * Brockport, NY * June 10th- 12th, 2016



Founded and built by volunteers, Special Olympics NY is an example of the impact that volunteers can make in their community by putting their time and expertise to use to socially benefit others. We have 2 categories of volunteers for our State Games; our Social Volunteer and a Service Volunteer.

Service Volunteers: The hands-on 'Doer's' An individual or group who is willing to commit and dedicate their day to the athletes and willing to do the job needed of them. These jobs can include, but are not limited to: set up, athlete escorts, staggers, timers, scorekeeping and etc.

Social Volunteers: The FANS! An individual or group that would like the volunteer role of our cheering section for our athletes ~ Volunteer to Cheer! This is a very important role, as many athletes travel far and do not always have the opportunity for their families to attend and cheer them on. Fan stations are made available at most events for you to make a sign or banner to add to the fun!

No matter which role you choose we encourage you to attend the competitions and light the fire within these champions to give them that extra boost of encouragement to go for the gold!

Instructions:

- ❖ For a Social Volunteer please only complete page 1 and check off the complete box at the end of the page.
- ❖ For Service Volunteer opportunities please continue to page 2 and complete.
- ❖ Then Fax or mail your form to the contact info at the end of page 2.
- ❖ You can also register online at <http://specialolympics-ny.org/summer-games/>

Contact Info: Must be completed entirely and neatly to ensure communication from us, unreadable applications will not be accepted.

Name: _____ Age: _____

Street Address: _____ City, ST, ZIP Code: _____

County: _____ Company/School/ Organization: _____

Day Phone: _____

E-Mail Address: *this MUST be included to be considered:* _____

How Did You Find Out About This Event?

☐ Newspaper ☐ Special Olympics NY Website ☐ Social Media ☐ Company/Organization ☐ Other: _____

Have you volunteered with Special Olympics NY before? ☐ Yes ☐ No

☐ **If you would like to apply as a group check here & SONY staff will contact you.**

Interests: Tell us in which areas you are interested in volunteering

___ Administration

___ Events

___ Committee Building

___ Fundraising

___ Deliveries

___ Volunteer coordination

Availability: During which hours are you available for volunteer assignments? Please see page 2 for an outline of opportunities.

FRIDAY, June 10th _____ AM and/or _____ PM * Venue Preference: _____

SATURDAY, June 11th _____ AM and/or _____ PM * Venue Preference: _____

☐ **I am complete with page 1 and would like to be a Social Volunteer.**

Job opportunities

Friday, June 10, 2016

- ❖ Set up: 12 pm, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Delegation Registration: 12:30 pm, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Volunteer Registration: 4 pm - 9 pm, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Olympic Village: 4 pm - 10 pm, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Dinner: 4:30 pm - 7 pm, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Opening Ceremonies: 7:15 pm - 9:30 pm, The College at Brockport

Times to be confirmed closer to date.

Saturday, June 11, 2016

- ❖ Olympic Village: 8:30 am - 4 pm, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Floater: 8:30 am - 3 pm, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Fan & Breakdown: 9 am - 4 pm, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Athletics, Track & Field: Full day, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Athletics, Throwing: Full day, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Aquatics: Full day, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Basketball: Full day, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Bowling: Full day, AMF Dewey Garden Lanes, Rochester
- ❖ Gymnastics: Full day, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Powerlifting: Full day, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Tennis: Full day, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Volleyball: Full day, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Dinner: 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm, The College at Brockport
- ❖ Closing Ceremonies: 7:15 pm - 9:30 pm, The College at Brockport

** Volunteers must be at least 13 years of age; those 13 through 15 years old must be accompanied by an adult - Service volunteers please do not bring young children to your assignment.*

Service Volunteer

Complete this portion only if you have an interest in being a Service Volunteer.

1. Tell us why you are interested in volunteering as a Service Volunteer-

2. Special Skills or Qualifications - Summarize special skills and qualifications you have acquired from employment, previous volunteer work, or through other activities, including hobbies or sports.

3. Previous Volunteer Experience - Please elaborate on your previous volunteer experience.

Signature

Thank you for completing this application and for your interest in volunteering with us. Your Service Volunteer application is under consideration and you will be notified of your volunteer assignment the last week of May.

Go ahead and reserve the date on your calendar as ALL volunteer applications will be accepted; it's just which category (Social or Service) you will be in that is under consideration. See you in June!

To apply please return this form to:
Special Olympics NY State Summer Games Volunteers, 504 Balltown Road,
Schenectady, NY 12304-2290 or Fax it to: (518) 992-4806.
Contact Us: volunteer@nyso.org