



Dear Athletes and Families,

The Workshop is excited to bring Special Olympics back to Jo Daviess County. We are now the Special Olympics Agency for Jo Daviess County. We currently are looking for athletes who would like to participate in Special Olympics. Athletes must be 8 years old or older.

What is Expected of Athletes and Families

- We want this to be an enjoyable experience for everyone involved. Good sportsmanship is required to participate. We encourage each other and celebrate everyone's achievements.
- A medical application is required for all athletes. This application covers all sports and is good for two years.
- Appropriate clothing. All athletes will be given a Jo Daviess Jaguars t-shirt. However, those participating in winter sports need to have their own hats, boots, snow pants etc.
- Time. We know lives are hectic but practices and competitions do require time. While practices are local and organized by the coaches, competitions are usually farther away. Transportation to competitions will be available for athletes and may require overnight stays.

If you are interested in participating in Special Olympics, please fill out the information form and medical application (required by all athletes)

and return them to

The Workshop

P.O. Box 6087

Galena, IL 61036

For more information, please contact Courtney Busch at 815-777-2211

Or visit www.soill.org

Information Form

Athlete's Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Age: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Emergency Contact

Name _____

Phone Number _____

Relationship to athlete _____

Medical Diagnosis _____

Special Care needs we should know about (food restrictions, toileting needs, behavioral needs, etc.)

Please check at least 3 sports you are interested in.

Alpine Skiing

Athletics (Track and Field)

Basketball

Bocce

Bowling

Flag Football

Floor Hockey

Golf

Powerlifting

Snowshoe

Soccer

Softball

Tennis

Volleyball