



Support the 2025 Special Olympics Provincial Summer Games!



Join the Movement!

The County of Brant is a mainly rural municipality comprising several communities, including Paris, Brantford, and the Six Nations of the Grand River Territory.

The 2025 Special Olympics Provincial Summer Games will be hosted in this beautiful area, bringing together over 1,000 athletes, coaches, and movement supporters. These athletes from all parts of the province have trained tirelessly, and for many, these Games represent the pinnacle of competition. But we need your support to help make their dreams a reality.

These Games bring together three (3) Police Agencies (Brantford, OPP, and Six Nations Police) in a united effort of support and celebration.

What is Special Olympics Ontario?

Special Olympics is dedicated to improving the lives of individuals with intellectual disabilities through active participation in sports. Special Olympics Ontario provides programs to over 23,000 participants and is the largest chapter in Canada. Powered by volunteers, Special Olympics utilizes the transformative power and joy of sports to unlock the full potential of athletes with intellectual disabilities. The organization aims to drive social change, impart skills, nurture confidence, and foster a more inclusive society.

Teamsters – Making a Difference Together

The Teamsters have a long history of supporting causes that make a difference in our communities. We believe in fairness, equity, and opportunity – values we share with Special Olympics.

The opportunity we are presenting is for the Teamsters to become a major partner of the Games, with activation at the district level through the Draft an Athlete program. The Teamsters would be the driving force behind this grassroots program across the province. Districts would align their support with local athletes from their area in partnership with local police and law enforcement agencies.



How You Can Help – Draft an Athlete Program



Support a local athlete through the **Draft an Athlete Program**. Your donation of \$250 or more helps cover the cost of participation and training, directly supporting athletes in your area.

As a Draft an Athlete donor, you will receive:

- Social media recognition and website acknowledgment
- A thank you letter and event schedule from an athlete
- The knowledge that your contribution helps a local athlete achieve their dreams

Become a part of this incredible journey by visiting provincialgames.com to learn more and donate.

Why Your Support is Important

Promote inclusion: Help foster a more inclusive and diverse Ontario through sports.

Celebrate ability: These athletes demonstrate remarkable skill and determination, and they need your help to showcase their talents.

Build community: Connect with athletes, their families, and communities across the province, showing that together we are stronger.



How to Donate

Donations can be made online or by cheque:

Online Donation: Visit provincialgames.com/draft-an-athlete to make your contribution and Draft an Athlete.

By Cheque:

Please make cheques payable to:

Special Olympics Ontario
Attn: Draft an Athlete - Provincial Summer Games
65 Overlea Blvd, Suite 200
Toronto, Ontario M4H 1P1

We're calling on Teamsters across Ontario to join us in making these Games truly unforgettable for athletes and their families. Your support matters!

