KCSO Family & Friends

Kendall County Comets

Special Olympics Team

About Us:

Thank you for your interest in the Kendall County Special Olympics (KCSO), a remarkable organization dedicated to serving individuals with special needs in our community. As a totally volunteer-based, not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization, KCSO relies solely on community donations and fundraisers to support its mission of providing athletic and social opportunities for over one hundred athletes ranging in age from eight to seventy years old.

Since its inception in 1970, KCSO has been a beacon of inclusivity and support for individuals with disabilities in Kendall County and surrounding areas. Our programs offer a wide range of Olympic-type events, including Snowshoeing, Swimming, Track and Field, Golf, Bocce, Rhythm Gymnastics, Cornhole, Power Lifting and Bowling. Through these activities, athletes not only develop physical fitness but also demonstrate courage, experience joy, and foster friendships within the community.

What sets KCSO apart is our unwavering commitment to ensuring that all athletes, regardless of their financial status, have the opportunity to participate in Special Olympics. This principle guides our fundraising efforts, which include two major events annually: a Golf Outing (July 18, 2025) and Bike Run (August 23, 2025) These fundraisers, along with generous donations from community members, enable us to cover the costs of training, equipment, and competition fees for our athletes.

In addition to sports training and competitions, KCSO organizes social events such as Fun Night, the Annual Banquet, and holiday parties, providing further opportunities for our members to grow socially and enjoy meaningful interactions with their peers.

Our organization is run by a dedicated volunteer executive board and supported by volunteer coaches, many of whom are parents and community members passionate about making a difference in the lives of individuals with special needs.

As we continue our mission to empower and support athletes with disabilities, we are grateful for any support or contributions you can offer. Whether through donations, volunteerism, or spreading awareness about our cause, every gesture makes a meaningful difference in the lives of those we serve.

Thank you for considering support for Kendall County Special Olympics. Together, we can continue to create a more inclusive and supportive community for individuals of all abilities.

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Sponsorship Program:

The uniqueness of our program will be challenged without your support. We are offering a *Sponsorship Program,* allowing greater flexibility and options for those who are able, and would like to offer their support for Kendall County Comets - Special Olympics Team members. Your gift will allow our program to continue to serve the growing population of special athletes in our community.

Please indicate the level of sponsorship and send check to KCSO, 2420 Rock Creek Road Plano, IL 60545.

Donation	Sponsorship:
\$5000.00	Sponsor State Summer/Winter Games - Transportation, Food, equipment and pizza party.
\$3000.00	Sponsor 1 Athlete for the Entire Season – includes uniforms, event and practice fees, food and transportation.
\$1000.00	Uniform Fund - help replaced aged uniforms.
\$750.00	Sponsor an Athlete Fun Night: Banquet, Halloween Party, Holiday Party or Fun Night.
\$500.00	Purchase Athlete Calendars for the Year – we provide calendars with athletes photos from the year before and event and practices dates every year –this is truly an athlete favorite!
\$100.00	General Donation

For more information about KCSO Family & Friends and Kendall County Comets – Special Olympics Team, please visit our website at: www.kcsofamilyandfriends.org or contact us via email at kcsocomets@gmail.com

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