



SPECIAL OLYMPICS MISSOURI

Southwest Area

NEWSLETTER

September 2022

Message from Program Director Jana Fornelli

Please join our [Southwest Area Facebook Group](#) so we can stay in touch frequently!






Coaches, Parents and Athletes,

Please be aware that we have a NEW process to register new athletes AND for renewing athletes. We are no longer accepting the old forms. Registration must be online. After completing your information online, you will receive the new medical form to take to your doctor. Turn in the medical after the doctor completes it to your coach or scan and email it to fornelli@somo.org.

Complete details and registration links are available at <https://somo.org/compete/>

Complete your online [Athlete Registration and Medical Form](#). Instructions on how to complete the form can be found [here](#). Every Athlete is required to have a current physical and release form to practice & compete. Physicals are good for 3 years from the date of the Athlete's medical exam.

The 2022 [#DriveltHomeRaffle](#) is underway! Don't miss your chance to win a 2022 Ford Ranger 4x4 and LOTS of cash! All of the proceeds go to [#SOMO!](#)
Buy Tickets 
<https://bit.ly/3OVJNZJ>
Sell Tickets 
<https://bit.ly/3NMr95D>
More info 
<https://bit.ly/3bEMsbU>



Thank you to everyone who joined us at the Springfield Cardinals Night at the Ball Park! What a fun time!



***Congratulations to Howell County and Springfield teams at Regional Softball.
Good luck at State Outdoor Games in October!***



UPCOMING EVENTS

Sept 14	Unified Intramural Flag FB	MSU Campus, Springfield
	Weekly on Wednesdays thru October 19 – 5 PM	
Sept 28	Recreational Bocce	Ozark High School
	All games will be Unified Doubles–	Ozark Schools will provide Unified Partners
Oct 7-9	State Outdoor Games	Jefferson City
Oct TBA	Unified Flag FB	TBA
Nov 8	SW Bowling	Sunshine Lanes, Springfield
Nov 10	SW Bowling	Sunshine Lanes, Springfield
Nov 13	SW Bowling	Sunshine Lanes, Springfield
Nov 17	SW Bowling	4 th Street Bowl, Joplin
Nov 18	SW Bowling	4 th Street Bowl, Joplin
Dec 8	SW Bowling	4 th Street Bowl, Joplin
Dec 9	SW Bowling	4 th Street Bowl, Joplin
Jan TBA	Unified 3/3 BB Tournament	Carthage High School
Jan 21	SW Area Basketball	Nevada, MO
March 3	Super Plunge	Ski Shack, Springfield
March 4	Plunge	Ski Shack, Springfield
Mar TBA	Rotary Basketball	Springfield
April 26	SW Spring Games	Clever High School
April 28	SW Spring Games	Carl Junction High School

IMPORTANT RESOURCES

Looking for Sports offered or sports rules? Visit <https://somo.org/compete/>

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