

SPECIAL OLYMPICS MARYLAND-MONTGOMERY COUNTY

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Special Olympics-Montgomery County

Our Mission

- SOMO provides year-round sports training and competition in 21 Olympic-type sports for Montgomery County MD children & adults with intellectual disabilities and closely related developmental disabilities.
- Our training and competition opportunities are free to athletes. The program is made possible through the generous support of individuals, organizations and foundations who believe in the Special Olympics mission.
- SOMO is an area chapter of Special Olympics Maryland, and of Special Olympics, Inc. a world-wide organization.

- Our values: Community-Friendship-Integrity-Opportunity-Quality and Sportsmanship

What To Do and When

Athletes **MUST** complete a signup form to participate in sports training and competition:

- **Go Online** & sign-up for the sport you wish to participate in :
● **www.somdmontgomery.org**
- You may mail in a sign up form if you do not have computer access.
- Keep your medical forms up to date! Call Carol Halderman with questions.!
- No athlete may train without a current medical form! (301) 924-6965 SOMO Hotline
- **Show up for the first practice and for all practices! Coaches will not call to remind you!**

SOMO Management Team

Area Director: **Pam Yerg**
Sports Director: **E. Barnwell**
Medical Director: **Carol Halderman**
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