

South Lyon Special Stars, Inc.

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Who We Are and What We Do

South Lyon Special Stars have been participating in Special Olympics Michigan since 2000. In 2014, our 39 athletes are participating in Track and Field, Soccer, Aquatics, Bowling, Snowshoe, and Bocce Ball at the County and State levels. Individuals with intellectual disabilities 8 years and older are welcome to join. There is no cost to join or participate, though you must have a Special Olympics physical form completed by the athlete's doctor. Parents may find they need to purchase some equipment, such as bowling balls, cleats, swim suit, etc., but practices and events are of no cost to the athletes' family.

If you're interested in signing up, or for more information, contact Athlete Coordinator Jackie Sawle at ndjjsawle@att.net or 248-486-3013.

Here's a look at the Stars calendar:

January: Winter Bowling League at PINZ, Swim practice at SLHS, Snowshoe practice at the middle school baseball diamond.

February: State Winter Games in Traverse City; Swimming and bowling continue.

March: Bowling and Swimming continue, Track and Field and Bocce Ball begin. We also have our biggest fund raiser of the year, the Mail Drive.

April: Swim Meet, swimming and bowling end. Track and Field and Bocce continue. Volunteer for Tootsie Roll Drive.

May: County Games for Track and Field and Bocce, with team picnic.

June: State Games in Mt. Pleasant for 3 days. Bocce and Track and Field are done for the year.

Summer time: Car Wash fundraiser at Dairy Queen. Soccer practice begins.

September: Soccer practice continues, County soccer tournament.

October: State Soccer tournament, fall bowling practice begins.

November: County Bowling Tournament

December: Christmas party. And guess what? It's time to start all over again with Snow shoe practice and the start of another successful year for the South Lyon Special Stars.