NORTH SUBURBAN SPECIAL OLYMPICS 1008 Woodview Drive Grafton, WI 53024



Registration Form enclosed. Return ASAP.

# NORTH SUBURBAN SPECIAL OLYMPICS, 8-02 ATHLETE SPORTS REGISTRATION FORM

This completed form should arrive at the address below ON or BEFORE June 3rd, 2025

NORTH SUBURBAN SPECIAL OLYMPICS

1008 WOODVIEW, GRAFTON, WI 53024

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ATHLETE NAME		PHONE
E-Mail		

**Athletes:** Please have your parents, guardian, group home staff, or case worker help you complete this form. If you have any questions regarding this form please call Kevin at 262-894-5120 or Linda at 414-550-5357.

PREFERRED REGISTRATION IS ON THE WEBSITE (use link below), OR YOU CAN REGISTER BY MAILING IN THE FORM.

## REGISTER FOR UPCOMING SPORTS VIA THIS WEBLINK:

2025-Summer-Sports-Registration

Check ONE Option Below	<b>COMPETE</b> : Means attending practices, tournaments, AND Area/District competitions & State competition if team/individual advances. Only competition is allowed for softball; participation is eligible for bocce.
To compete in Bocce  1. Check here:  2. Answer these questions.	<ul> <li>Athlete MUST attend:</li> <li>A minimum of 2 practices by July 10 or athlete may not be registered for District Bocce and a minimum of 6 practices for the 2025 season or athlete may not be able to compete next year.</li> <li>The TM Bocce Tournament (Wick Field) on Saturday, July 19, 2025.</li> <li>Will athlete attend the TM Tournament? Circle one → Yes or No</li> <li>The District Bocce Competition on Sunday, August 10, 2025, in Richfield.</li> <li>Will athlete attend the District Competition? Circle one → Yes or No</li> <li>The State Outdoor Games in the Wisconsin Dells area on September 5-7, 2025, if your team advances.</li> <li>Will athlete attend the State Games? Circle one → Yes or No</li> </ul>
To compete in Softball  1. Check here:  2. Answer these questions.	<ul> <li>Athlete MUST attend:</li> <li>A minimum of 2 practices by July 10 or athlete may not be registered for District Softball and a minimum of 6 practices for the entire 2025 season or athlete may not be allowed to be on the Softball team next year. Players from last year MUST have their registration on file by the date in the newsletter to be guaranteed a spot on the team this year.</li> <li>The TM Softball Tournament (Wick Field) on Saturday, July 19, 2025.</li> <li>Will athlete attend the TM Tournament? Circle one → Yes or No</li> <li>The District Softball Competition on Sunday, August 10, 2025, in Richfield.</li> <li>Will athlete attend the District Competition? Circle one → Yes or No</li> <li>The State Outdoor Games in the Wisconsin Dells area on September 5-7, 2025, if the team advances. Will athlete attend the State Games? Circle one → Yes or No</li> </ul>
Check here	If you do NOT plan on competing in any sport in this season, please check here and return the form.

## North Suburban Special Olympics, 8-02 1008 Woodview Drive; Grafton, WI 53024 Kevin 262-894-5120 (cell); Linda 414-550-5357 (cell)

Hotline: 414-327-1016
Website: https://northsuburbanspecialolympics.org

May 2025

#### SPRING SPORTS UPDATE

Track, Soccer, and Tennis are our spring sports and the season is in full swing.

- 1. Soccer had one team and has had a reasonable season with being able to practice outside even though not a particularly warm season. The invitational for required games was held at Muskego High School on May17, and the soccer team, the Cougar Kits, will be advancing to State on June 5-7 at UW-Whitewater. Practices will continue for the season at Brown Deer High School.
- 2. Track & Field (Athletics) was also actually able to get some practices in outside chilly but outside. The Regional Athletics competition was May 17 at Muskego High School. Practices will continue at Brown Deer High School until the State competition Not everyone who qualified will advance to state; we are given a quota for the number that can advance. State will be on June 5-7, at UW-Whitewater.
- 3. Tennis was also in this spring season this year. Practices have been at Brown Deer High School and will continue through the State weekend. All tennis players will advance to State, competing on Saturday June 7.

## **SUMMER (early Fall) SPORTS**

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1. Softball = We would like to know for sure if you are returning, interested in joining the team, or whether you are taking this season off from sports. We will again have only one team, and there are limited slots available for players - so get your print or online registration form in as the date on your response will be a deciding factor. Softball will be on TUESDAY EVENINGS from 6:30-8:00pm, at Richard E. Maslowski Glendale Community Park (note location and evening; about ½ mile east of Green Bay Rd, 2200 W. Bender Road). First practice will be June 10, 2025. Tournament dates are July 19 (Wick Field) and August 10, 2025 (Richfield); with State, for the team if it qualifies, on September 5-7th.

Please make sure your registration form is returned as soon as you receive it – online registration via the website or a print copy returned are the options - indicating an interest in being on the team; no email or text or verbal statement will be accepted, and the print form, if used, must be returned only to Kevin or Linda. Athletes who played in last year's season will be given first option to be on the team, but your registration MUST be in by TUESDAY JUNE 3rd to guarantee your space; after that date, team membership will be open to other athletes.

2. Bocce = practices will be on Mondays at Brown Deer High/Middle School; near the soccer practice field, at the corner of 60<sup>th</sup> and Bradley; start date will be June 9, 2025; practices are 6:30-8:00pm. Tournament dates are July 19 (Wick Field) and August 10, 2025 (Richfield); with State, for any team that qualifies, on September 5-7th.

Remember: Participation in a MINIMUM of two games prior to the district tournament and entries due date is mandatory. Attendance/participation in the District Competition is mandatory for all sports. Any athlete not participating in at least two games will NOT be registered for competition at the regional level, and therefore will not continue on the team for the season after the required tournament. If you do not attend the District Competition, you will not advance to state; you will not advance even if your team advances, nor will you remain on the team roster for the rest of the sports season. If the softball team does not advance to state, the last practice will be Tuesday, August 12th. Bocce teams will continue to practice

until the end of the season, even if they do not advance to state. State again will be in the Wisconsin Dells/Chula Vista area. All practices held after the regional date may be kept to one hour due to changing daylight hours – information will be distributed at that time. If the Softball team does not advance to State, we will attend State only on Friday and Saturday, and return home after bocce is over on Saturday.

## FALL SPORTS

The fall season of Volleyball and Bowling will start at the end of August (bowling) or early September (Volleyball) and you can compete in either one or both of those sports. Information will be made available later.

### **GENERAL**

We are ALWAYS proud of our athletes and the good sportsmanship that they show – win or lose. We appreciate that they do the best job that they can.

Drivers: Please remember to be on time to pick up your athlete(s) at the end of each practice and make sure that the athlete joins the practice when dropped off.

As a reminder, we do not call athletes/coaches when we cancel due to weather. Some years are better than others, and there are times that facilities are not available for reasons other than weather – and, unfortunately, often at the last minute – so it never hurts to call the Hotline anyway – we appreciate it. In the event of bad weather (rain, snow, or extreme heat/cold), you should check the Hotline prior to the practice start time to see if practice has been cancelled. We try to update the hotline about 45 minutes before practice. For example, if practice starts at 6:00pm, a message will be on the Hotline about 5:15pm (414-327-1016). This means that athletes should not call their coaches to check to see if practice is cancelled. We will continue to try to reach all athletes and coaches for practice cancellations that are NOT weather related, but it is still a good idea to listen to the Hotline just before you leave for practice, because it is not always possible to reach everybody – such as unexpected pool problems or muddy ground/wet track at Brown Deer. A light rain may not cancel a practice as competitions are held even in a rain. A general email will be sent out if there is sufficient time.

## SENDIK'S GRILL-OUT

Don't forget the Sendik's Grill Out dates throughout the summer. Summer dates this year are May 24<sup>th</sup>, June 14th, July 12<sup>th</sup>, August 2nd, August 23rd and September 27<sup>th</sup>. Most of the Grill-Outs are in Grafton – May 24<sup>th</sup>, August 2nd, August 23rd, September 27th! We hope, especially, to see many of you at the Whitefish Bay Sendik's on June 14th or July 12th!! These are great fun and a valuable contribution to our fund-raising. We can use volunteers for any of these - please consider helping us out If you are willing to help out with the Sendik's Grill-Out dates, contact Chuck Sigurdson (414-688-9106; csigurdson@sbcglobal.net).

Thanks to all who have volunteered and made our concession stands a success. We are always looking for additional help on these occasions.

#### WEBSITE

Have you checked out the website? The heaviest viewing is done on Sunday's. You will find many current items and we love pictures. Check for cancellations and special events. All of our forms will now launch from a green button. The address is <a href="https://northsuburbanspecialolympics.org">https://northsuburbanspecialolympics.org</a>. A handful to type in - make it a favorite!

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# **JUNE 2025**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4 Soccer,	5 State	6 State	7 State Summer
			Track, Tennis	Summer	Summer	Games - Soccer,
				Games	Games	Track, Tennis
8	9 Bocce	10 Softball	11	12	13	14 Sendik's Grill
	6:30-8:00pm	6:30-8:00pm				Out – Whitefish
						Bay
15	16 Bocce	17 Softball	18	19	20	21
					Chinook's	
22	23 Bocce	24 Softball	25	26	27	28
29	30 Bocce					

## **JULY 2025**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNES.	THURS.	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1 Softball	2	3	4 Happy 4 <sup>th</sup>	5
					of July	
6	7 Bocce	8 Softball	9	10	11	12 Sendik's Grill
						out – Whitefish
						Bay
13	14 Bocce	15 Softball	16	17	18	19 MPS/TM
						Softball, Bocce
						Tournament
						(Wick Field)
20	21 Bocce	22 Softball	23	24	25	26
27	28 Bocce	29 Softball	30	31		

## **AUGUST 2025**

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2 Sendik's Grill Out - Grafton
3 NSSO picnic	4 Bocce	5 Softball	6	7	8	9
10 bocce, softball regional - Richfield	11 Bocce	12 Softball	13	14	15	16
17	18 Bocce	19 Softball TBD	20	21	22	23 Sendik's Grill Out - Graton
24	25 Bocce	26 Softball TBD	27	28	29	30 First Bowling
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# SEPTEMBER 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURS.	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 NO bocce Labor Day	2 Softball TBD	3	4	5	6 State Bocce, Softball – NO bowling
7 State Bocce, Softball	8 Volleyball 6:30-8:00pm	9	10 Volleyball 6:30-8:00pm	11	12	13 Bowling
14	15 Volleyball	16	17 Volleyball	18	19	20 Bowling
21	22 Volleyball	23 Rosh Hashanah	24 Volleyball	25	26	27 Bowling; Sendiks' Grill Out - Grafton
28	29 Volleyball	30				

# OCTOBER 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WED.	THURS.	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2 Yom	3	4
			Volleyball	Kippur		Bowling
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11 Bowling
	Volleyball		Volleyball			
12	13	14	15	16	17	18 Bowling;
	Volleyball		Volleyball			NSSO dance
19 NSSO	20	21	22	23	24	25 Bowling
Volleyball	Volleyball		Volleyball			8
Tournament	,		,			
26	27	28	29 Volleyball	30	31	
	Volleyball				Halloween	

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