



Special Olympics Minnesota

2019 Summer Games

- DATES:** Friday, June 14 – Saturday, June 15 (Gymnastics)
Friday, June 21 – Sunday, June 23 (Basketball, Swimming, Track & Field)
- LOCATION:** **Concordia University Gangelhoff Center (Gymnastics)**
235 Hamline Ave N, St. Paul, MN 55104
- University of St. Thomas (Basketball, Swimming, Track & Field)**
2115 Summit Ave, St. Paul, MN 55105
- WEBSITE:** <https://summer.specialolympicsminnesota.org/>
- TOURNAMENT FEES:** \$20 per person for all participants that do not stay on campus
- \$90 per person for participants staying on the University of St. Thomas campus
Friday and Saturday nights (June 21 & 22)
- \$135 per person for participants staying on the University of St. Thomas campus
Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights (June 20-22)
- REGISTRATION:** Registration will be open online starting Tuesday, May 21 and will close at midnight on Tuesday, May 28. LATE REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.
- MEALS:** University of St. Thomas (UST) meal tickets will be used for all meals at UST. SOMN meal tickets will be used for all meals at Concordia. All meals will need to be received through the meal line. Please indicate how many meals your delegation will need when registering for Summer Games online. Family members and other spectators not registered with the delegation must make their own meal arrangements. Concessions will be available to purchase.

COMPETITION GUIDELINES



General Sports Guidelines:

- Athletes and Unified Partners may only register for one sport between basketball, swimming and track & field.
- Athletes and Unified Partners may register for gymnastics and one other sport.
- Athletes and Unified Partners participating in basketball can only register for one event: Unified team, full court team, half court team, individual skills or Unified skills.

Sports Specific Guidelines:

Track & Field

- Athletes may compete in up to three individual events and one relay event, or the pentathlon and one relay.
- Relay Substitutions: Please review the relay substitution rules in the Track & Field handbook
- The softball and tennis ball throw are developmental events designed to provide meaningful competition for athletes with lower abilities. Athletes with qualifying scores of 15M and above will not be eligible to register for these events.
- Athletes in the running long jump must meet the 1M minimum jump requirement.
- Athletes may enter only one of the following events: shot put, softball throw or tennis ball throw.
- Athletes may enter only one of the following events: running long jump or standing long jump.
- Only events listed on the tentative schedule will be offered.
- Awards will be handed out continuously throughout the day.
- Pentathlon athletes will be scheduled into their events with the rest of their gender but will be awarded separately.

Swimming

- Athletes may enter three individual events and one relay.
- Relay Substitutions: Please review the relay substitution rules in the Swimming handbook
- All Unified Relay teams must have competed as a relay at an area competition.
- Events will be run in order according to the schedule. Please enter athletes in events accordingly.
- Only events listed on tentative schedule will be offered.
- No dive starts at any level of competition.

Basketball

- Athletes participating in basketball can only register for one event: Unified team, full court team, half court team, individual skills or Unified skills.
- Individual skills and Unified skills athletes will compete on Friday only
- Half court teams will compete on both Friday and Saturday
- Full court teams will compete either Friday & Saturday or Saturday & Sunday
- Unified teams will compete on both Saturday and Sunday
- The maximum roster size for a traditional half-court team is 7. Minimum roster size is 4.
- The maximum roster size for a traditional full-court team is 16. Minimum roster size is 6.
- The maximum roster size for a Unified full-court team is 16. The minimum roster size is 6.
- Unified teams must register at least three Unified Partners. The number of Unified Partners cannot exceed the number of athletes.

Gymnastics

- Athletes can participate in both artistic and rhythmic gymnastics.
- There is no on campus housing available at Concordia University.

2019 Summer Games Schedule of Events (Updated 6/4/2019)



Friday, June 14 – Concordia University Artistic Gymnastics at Gangelhoff Center

Delegation Registration	7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
Warm Ups	9 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Celebration Ceremonies	10:15 a.m.
Competition begins	10:30 a.m.
Lunch and awards will take place after the competition has been completed for the day	

Saturday, June 15 – Concordia University Rhythmic Gymnastics at Gangelhoff Center

Delegation Registration	7:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.
Warm Ups	9 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Celebration Ceremonies	10:15 a.m.
Competition begins	10:30 a.m.
Lunch and awards will take place after the competition has been completed for the day	

Friday, June 21 – University of St. Thomas

Delegation Registration	Anderson Student Center	7 a.m. – 2 p.m.
FANstop Merchandise	Monahan Plaza	8 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Healthy Athletes	Anderson Student Center	9:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.
<i>(Healthy Hearing, Health Promotion, Opening Eyes)</i>		
Healthy Athletes		
Shoe Giveaway	Anderson Student Center	11 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Victory Village	Monahan Plaza	10 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Meals	Lunch - The View and Monahan Plaza	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
	Dinner - The View	4:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Athlete Parade Line-Up	Southeast corner of stadium	6:30 p.m.
Celebration Ceremonies	Stadium	7 p.m.
Dance with Junk FM	Stadium	7:45 p.m.

Basketball

Full court tournament games	9 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Half court tournament games	1 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Individual skills and Unified skills competition	4 p.m. – 6 p.m.
Awards for skills will be handed out as divisions finish	

Swimming

<i>Order of events below</i>	9 a.m. – 6 p.m.
50M Freestyle	
25M Backstroke	
25M Freestyle	
4x25M Unified Freestyle Relay	
4x25M Freestyle Relay	
Awards continuously as heats finish	

Track & Field

8:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.



Order of events below. Pentathlon athletes will be scheduled into their events with the rest of their gender but will be awarded separately.

Female Track Events (unless indicated “all divisions” below)

800M Run
200M Walk
200M Run
100M Walk
100M Run
50M Walks
50M Dash
25M Walks
25M Dash
10M Walks
400M Run
4x100M Unified Relay (all divisions)
4x100M Relay (all divisions)
Awards continuously as heats finish

Male Field Events (unless indicated “all divisions” below)

Shot Put
High Jump
Running Long Jump
Standing Long Jump
Awards continuously as heats finish

Saturday, June 22 – University of St. Thomas

Delegation Registration	Anderson Student Center	7 a.m. – 2 p.m.
FANstop Merchandise	Monahan Plaza	8 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Healthy Athletes		
Shoe Giveaway	Anderson Student Center	9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Healthy Athletes	Anderson Student Center	9:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.
<i>(Healthy Hearing, Health Promotion, FUNfitness, Fit Feet, Opening Eyes, Special Smiles)</i>		
Victory Village	Monahan Plaza	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.
Meals	Breakfast - The View (dorms residents only)	7 a.m. - 9 a.m.
	Lunch - The View and Monahan Plaza	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
	Dinner - The View	4:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Movie in Victory Village	Monahan Plaza	7 p.m.

Basketball

Full court tournament games	9 a.m. – 9 p.m.
Half court tournament	9 a.m. – 7 p.m.
Unified tournament games	6 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Awards for full court and half court will be handed out as divisions finish	

Swimming

Order of events below

100M Freestyle
50M Butterfly
25M Flotation
25M Breaststroke
100M Breaststroke
50M Flotation
15M Flotation
200M Backstroke
200M Breaststroke
25M Assisted
15M Freestyle
100M Individual Medley
100M Butterfly
15M Assisted
50M Backstroke
Break
50M Backstroke
50M Assisted
400M Freestyle
25M Butterfly
50M Breaststroke
100M Backstroke
200M Freestyle
4x50M Freestyle Relay
4x50M Unified Relay
Awards continuously as heats finish

9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.



Track & Field

8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Order of events below. Pentathlon athletes will be scheduled into their events with the rest of their gender but will be awarded separately.

Male Track Events (unless indicated “all divisions” below)

800M Run
200M Walk
200M Run
100M Walk
100M Run
50M Walks
50M Dash
25M Walks
25M Dash
10M Walks
400M Run
Awards continuously as heats finish



Female Field Events (unless indicated “all divisions” below)

Running Long Jump
Standing Long Jump
Shot Put
Awards continuously as heats finish

Sunday, June 23 – University of St. Thomas

Delegation Registration	Anderson Student Center	7 a.m. – noon
FANstop Merchandise	Monahan Plaza	8 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Healthy Athletes		
Shoe Giveaway	Anderson Student Center	9 a.m. – 12p.m.
Victory Village	Monahan Plaza	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Meals	Breakfast - The View (dorms residents only)	7 a.m. - 9 a.m.
	Lunch - The View and Monahan Plaza	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Basketball

Full court tournament games 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Unified tournament games 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Awards for full court and Unified teams will be handed out as divisions finish

Track & Field

9 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Order of events below

Track Events (all divisions and genders)

10M Wheelchair
100M Wheelchair
25M Motorized Obstacle
25M Wheelchair
800M Walk
50M Wheelchair Slalom Events
30M Wheelchair Slalom Events
50M Wheelchair
400M Walk
1500M Run
1500M Walk
Awards continuously as heats finish

Field Events (all divisions and genders)

Softball Throw
Tennis Ball Throw
Awards continuously as heats finish