“Let me win. But if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt.”

Special Olympics Athlete Oath
I wish you all could meet Dustin Plunkett, currently a member of our SOSC staff and resident celebrity. He and the other SOSC athletes inspire my family and me every day. He is also an athlete leader who served as spokesperson and Global Messenger for the 2015 Special Olympics World Games as well as on-air broadcaster for ESPN in 2015 and 2017. This is all possible because years earlier, a volunteer doctor with our Healthy Athletes program literally saved Dustin’s life.

Your contributions to SOSC, whether they are in dollars or deeds, allow athletes like Dustin to thrive and reach their full potential. Together, we are transforming the lives of children and adults with intellectual disabilities, while building communities that embrace acceptance and inclusion. On behalf of our athletes, thank you for your continued support of Special Olympics Southern California.

Jeffrey Krieger
Chairman of the Board, 2016-2018
**DEMOGRAPHICS**

**TOTAL ATHLETES:............34,106**  
Community: ................. 7,890  
School: ........................26,216

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Note: Young Athletes programs include both Community and School athletes
Partners in Schools Program
63 School Districts

Increase in Young Athletes
56%

Volunteers
16,991
Allowing philanthropic dollars to be spent where needed most

Coaches
2,803
Estimated number of hours spent coaching: 166,247

Athlete Leaders
227

Health Screenings
2,326
641 Clinical Volunteers

Competitions
201
13 SOSC Athletes competed at the 2017 Special Olympics World Winter Games
“The joy they have for the sport is so pure. The sportsmanship they exude when they compete is not about blowing anybody out of the water or self-promotion. It’s about doing it together, having fun with your friends, and being active.”

Johnny Hekker
Los Angeles Rams All-Pro Punter

“The screenings are beneficial to the athletes. We’re just making sure they’re in tip-top shape for whatever event they’re participating in and for their day-to-day lives.”

Jose Rodriguez
Healthy Athletes Clinician

“I am very grateful for the Young Athletes program. I appreciate that my son has a place where he can participate according to his ability and be challenged to stretch himself more.”

Parent of a Young Athlete
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Mick Ukleja
“Special Olympics teaches us about being able to work with one another. It also helps keep me healthy and stay in shape.”

Ryan Woods
Special Olympics Southern California Athlete
2017 World Winter Games Athlete

The mission of Special Olympics Southern California

To provide year-round sports training and athletic competition in a variety of Olympic-type sports for children and adults with intellectual disabilities, giving them continuing opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes and the community.