



**Special Olympics**  
**Florida**  
*Seminole County*

Dear Friends and Family,

The Mission of Special Olympics Florida is to provide year-round sports training and competition in a variety of Olympic type sports for persons eight years of age and older with intellectual disabilities, giving them the 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 Florida athletes, and the community.

On June 12, 2011, Special Olympics Seminole County (SOSC) will be hosting their 2011 Bowl-A-Thon to support over 200 athletes that are involved in the program. SOSC takes pride in offering our athletes over 10 different sports throughout the year at absolutely **no charge** to them or their families.

With the poor economic conditions, we are finding it difficult to receive the financial assistance needed to cover many essential expenses including: equipment, uniforms, transportation, meals, lodging, volunteer training and more! Any contribution or assistance you can provide to help SOSC meet these financial goals will be greatly appreciated.

For more information on the 2011 Bowl-A-Thon, or Special Olympics Seminole County, please visit [www.SpecialOlympicsSeminoleCounty.org](http://www.SpecialOlympicsSeminoleCounty.org)

Special Olympics is no longer just an event. We are a movement, inviting the world not just to attend Games but to think, feel, and act differently about everything. We invite you to be a fan of opportunity; be a fan of acceptance; be a fan of Special Olympics.

Sincerely,

Marie El-khoury - County Coordinator  
Special Olympics Seminole County

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