

# 2008 SPECIAL OLYMPICS TEXAS

## Sports Calendar

(All dates and locations subject to change)

- **January**  
Area Conferences (check your local area calendar for exact dates)  
Area trainings and competitions (check your local area calendar for exact dates)  
January 31: Winter Games in San Antonio
- **February**  
February 1-3: Winter Games in San Antonio  
February 13-15: National Unified Sports Bowling Tournament in Albuquerque, New Mexico  
February 12: SMT Conference Call  
Area trainings and competitions (check your local area calendar for exact dates)
- **March**  
March 10-12: Special Olympics Tennis Championships in Hilton Head Island, South Carolina
- **April**  
April 9: Deadline for Summer Games entries  
Area trainings and competitions (check your local area calendar for exact dates)
- **May**  
May 16-18: Summer Games Equestrian Competition in Bryan  
May 22-25: Summer Games in Arlington at UTA  
Area trainings and competitions (check your local area calendar for exact dates)
- **June**  
June 17: SMT Conference Call  
Chapter Sailing Competition (date and location-TBA)  
Area trainings and competitions (check your local area calendar for exact dates)
- **July**  
Area trainings and competitions (check your local area calendar for exact dates)
- **August**  
Area trainings and competitions (check your local area calendar for exact dates)
- **September**  
September 21: SMT face to face meeting in Austin at the Chapter Office  
Area trainings and competitions (check your local area calendar for exact dates)
- **October**  
October 23-25: Fall Classic in College Station  
Area trainings and competitions (check your local area calendar for exact dates)
- **November**  
November 11: SMT Conference Call  
Area trainings and competitions (check your local area calendar for exact dates)
- **December**  
Area trainings and competitions (check your local area calendar for exact dates)

Please check [www.specialolympicstexas.org](http://www.specialolympicstexas.org) for calendar updates and details on year-round Special Olympics Texas sports training and competition events.



2008 Sports Table

Individual Events				Team Events				
Sport	Level 1	Level 2	Individual	Modified	Team Competition	Unified Sports®	2008 SIG	Chapter Games
Aquatics	10m assisted swim 15m walk (area, chapter event discretion) 15m unassisted swim 15m flotation race 25m flotation race		25, 50, 100, 200, 400m freestyle 25, 50, 100m breaststroke 25, 50, 100m backstroke 25, 50, 100m butterfly 100m individual medley <b>Diving</b> 1m springboard		4 X 25m freestyle relay 4 X 50m freestyle relay 4 X 25m medley relay 4 X 50m medley relay 4 X 100m relay 4 X 400m relay (1600m)	Yes	O - 2	Fall
Athletics	10, 25, 50m assisted walk 25, 50m walk ball throw for distance <b>Wheelchair (WC) events:</b> 10, 25m WC race 30m WC slalom 25m motorized WC obstacle 50m motorized WC slalom standing long jump		50, 100, 200, 400, 800, 1500, 3000m run 100, 400m race walk running long jump high jump shot put softball throw pentathlon (100, 400m, shot put, high jump, running long jump) TurboJav (300g, 500g) <b>Wheelchair Events:</b> 100m WC race, shot put		<b>Wheelchair events:</b> 4 X 25m WC shuttle relay	Yes	P - 2	Summer
Basketball	<b>Individual Skills</b> target pass – spot shot (8 foot and 10 foot) 10m dribble – speed dribble <b>Team Skills</b>			Half-court 3-on-3 (8 foot and 10 foot)	Yes	Yes	P - 6	Summer
Bocce			Singles	half court singles ramp singles	doubles team	Yes	O - 5	Fall
Bowling	target bowl frame bowl assisted and unassisted ramp bowl		Individual event bowling		<b>Team bowling</b> male/female <b>Doubles</b> male/female/mixed	Yes	R - 2	Winter
Cycling	5km modified time trial <b>Level 1 (Beginner)</b> 1km modified time trial 500m time trial or 500m modified bicycle time trial	<b>Level 2 (Intermediate)</b> 1, 5, 10km time trial	<b>Level 3 (Advanced)</b> 5, 10, 15, 25km road race 5, 10km time trial		See Unified Sports®	Yes	P - 8	Summer

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Equestrian			<p><b>Level C-SP, C-S, B-S, B-SP</b> English equitation Western equitation, Working trails horse, Showmanship</p> <p><b>Level C-1</b> Same as above levels plus: Dressage; Showmanship at halter/bridle classes</p> <p><b>Level B-1, B-1P</b> Same as above plus: pole bending/barrel racing</p> <p><b>Level A, AP</b> Same as above levels plus: Prix Caprilli</p>		<p><b>Level C-S</b> Team relays, drill team</p>	Yes	P - 9	Summer
Figure Skating	Individual Skills: Skills Competition 1-11 Badge 1-12		<p><b>Levels 1, 2, 3, 4</b> Singles competitions</p> <p><b>Levels 1, 2, 3</b> Ice dancing</p>		<p>Pair skating (Levels 1, 2)</p>	No	R - 6	Winter
Golf	Individual skills: Long putt, short putt, chip shot, pitch shot, iron shot, wood shot	Level 2 9-hole, partner, alternate shot	<p><b>Level 4</b> 9 holes</p> <p><b>Level 5</b> 18 holes</p>		<p><b>Level 3</b> See Unified Sports® 18 holes (alternate shot format)</p>	Yes	O - 7	Fall
Gymnastics: Artistic Rhythmic			<p><b>Men's events Level 1, 2, 3, 4</b> Floor, rings, vaulting, horizontal bar, pommel horse, all-round, parallel bars</p> <p><b>Women's events Level 1, 2, 3, 4</b> Vaulting, uneven bars, balance beam, floor exercise, all-round</p> <p><b>Mixed gender events</b> Vaulting, wide beam, tumbling, floor exercise, single-bar, all-round</p> <p><b>Women's Rhythmic Level 1, 2, 3, 4</b> Rope, ball, hoop, ribbon, floor</p>		<p><b>Levels 1</b> hoop</p> <p><b>Level 2</b> ball</p> <p><b>Level 3</b> ribbon</p>	Yes	P - 11	Summer

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Kayaking			<b>Singles Tourist</b> 200m, 500m <b>Doubles Tourist</b> 200m, 500m <b>Unified Sports Doubles Tourist</b> 200m, 500m				P-13	Summer
Powerlifting			Bench press, squat, deadlift, combination		See Unified Sports®	Yes	R - 7	Winter
Roller Skating	30m straight line race 30m slalom race School figures		<b>Artistic</b> School figures (2, 3, 4), freestyle singles (2, 3, 4) <b>Speed Competition</b> 100, 300, 500, 1000m, race the track	30m carpet race	2 X 100m two-man 4 X 100m four-man	Yes	R - 8	Winter
Sailing	Yes	Yes			Level 1 – Level 2	Yes	O - 8	Fall
Soccer	<b>Individual Skills:</b> Dribbling, shooting, control and pass			5-a-side	11-a-side	Yes	P - 13	Summer
Softball	<b>Individual Skills:</b> Base race, bat for distances	<b>Individual Skills:</b> Base run, hitting fielding, throwing		t-ball competition coach pitch	slowpitch team slowpitch coed	Yes	O - 9	Fall
Speed Skating			50, 100m races			Yes	R - 7	Winter
Table Tennis		Hand bounce, racket bounce, forehand volley, backhand volley, serve	Singles, singles WC competition		doubles		R - 8	Winter

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Tennis	Target serve, target bounce, racket bounce, return shot	Racket bounce, "UPS," forehand volley, backhand volley, forehand ground stroke, backhand ground stroke, serve-deuce, advantage, alternate ground	Singles, two-bounce singles, transitional ball singles		doubles, two-bounce doubles, transitional ball doubles	Yes	P - 14	Summer
Triathlon			Levels 1, 2, 3		Levels 1, 2, 3, 4, 5	No	Q - 12	Fall
Volleyball	Volleyball juggle, volleyball pass, toss and hit	Serving, passing, overhead passing			Yes	Yes	R - 9	Winter
Tennis	Pilot Program for 2008		Singles, Transition Ball, Singles	Modified Tennis Court		No	P - 16	Summer
Figure Skating	Unified	Unified	Pairs			Yes	R-6	Winter



# GENERAL SPORTS INFORMATION