



Special Olympics Colorado Young Athletes™ Play Group **Play Captain Expectations**

Special Olympics Colorado Will Provide:

- The Young Athletes™ Activity guide and a week by week suggested program guide to follow for the Play Group
- Equipment to be used exclusively to run the program at no charge to the play captain
- T-Shirts for the Play Captain and Young Athletes
- Young Athletes Ribbons to provide at the end of each series
- Contact list and information for those who are participating in the Play Group
- Communication materials for YA parents/families on upcoming opportunities for young athletes to participate in future traditional SOCO events

Young Athlete Play Captain Expectations:

- Provide a safe, secure environment to conduct the Young Athletes Play Group
- Complete and return all necessary paperwork to Special Olympics Colorado which includes registration forms, weekly session notes, weekly session pictures or videos, family surveys, etc.
- Keep all information/equipment in a protected and secure location
- Implement provided program curriculum
- Use provided and suggested equipment
- Communicate at the end of each Young Athletes Play Group 4-week Series with the Special Olympics Colorado Young Athletes Director to update on progress/successes/challenges of program
- Participate in research/evaluations surveys to provide information on the benefits of the program
- If a weekly session cannot occur or did not occur, proper documentation must be submitted as to why
 - If available to coach all 8 weeks of the program, one session is allowed to be missed
 - If available to coach only 4 weeks of the program, all sessions must be facilitated