



**Special
Olympics**
New York



Basketball Skills Competition Registration Packet

Date: Sunday, June 4th 2023

Location: Riverdale Country School
5250 Fieldston Road
Bronx, NY 10471

Registration
Deadline: **Friday, May 19th, 2023**

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Events Offered

Basketball Skills

Level 1- 10 Meter Dribble, Target Pass, Spot Shot

Level 2- 12 Meter Dribble, Perimeter Shooting, Catch & Pass

Quotas

This event has open quotas. Please contact David Durandisse immediately to ensure that we will have a space for your skills athletes.

Your coaches' quota is determined by the number of athletes you bring. Each training club is entitled to 1 coach per 4 skills athletes.

Competition Guidelines

Divisioning

- Skills athletes will be placed in the appropriate division based upon entry scores
- Athletes will compete in a preliminary round to determine preliminary scores (preliminary round)
- Athletes will then compete in a final round after being placed in final divisions based on preliminary scores (medal round)

Awards

- Skills awards will be presented throughout the day upon the conclusion of each heat.



Attire

Athletes should be properly attired for competition. Jeans (of any color) are not permitted and **athletes wearing jeans will not be allowed to compete.**

Certifications

- Basketball Skills: All coaches must be certified in basketball

Should you have any difficulty or questions about meeting these requirements, please contact Lindsey Coyle at (212) 682-8060 prior to the registration deadline.

Additional coaches above your quota number must be pre-registered with your contingent and approved by SONY. These individuals are not required to be certified, though it is recommended. Additional coaches typically include bus drivers, agency personnel or additional chaperones for athlete supervision, and are to be brought at the contingent's expense unless otherwise approved.



Schedule of Events

9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Registration
9:30 a.m. -10:00 a.m.	Opening Ceremonies
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Preliminary Round
11:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Final Round

Times are approximations, and are subject to change should any complications present themselves day of competition.

Awards for skills event will be presented throughout the day, following the completion of each heat.



Policies/Coaches Responsibilities

Policy on the consumption of alcohol

In 1989 the Special Olympics New York Board of Directors voted to eliminate the consumption of alcohol from all Special Olympics training and events, which includes all competition and training on local, area, sectional, and state levels. Consumption of alcohol is forbidden for any persons associated with this event from time of departure to the event to arrival back to the Area.

Medical Information

- Coaches must be familiar with participants' health problems, medications and dosages.
- First Aid personnel will be in attendance for the entire event. Medical personnel are trained in both CPR and First Aid and will be readily identifiable
- All accidents and medical concerns must be reported to medical personnel regardless of the magnitude of the incident.

Coaches Responsibilities

Coaches attending the Basketball Skills Competition must accept and carry out the following responsibilities:

- Compliance with SONY's prohibition of alcohol and controlled substances at Special Olympics events.
- Providing for the general safety, health, welfare and well being of each athlete in his or her charge.



Directions/Parking Information

Transportation

Each Contingent is responsible for providing transportation to and from the area for the competition. Buses will be provided for training clubs in need.

Venue Location

All events will be held at Riverdale Country School.

Please note: We are a two-campus school. The mailing address, 5250 Fieldston Road, is our Hill Campus.

From Manhattan (West Side Highway)

Go north through the toll on the West Side Highway, which becomes the Henry Hudson Parkway. Proceed to Exit #21, West 246th Street. Proceed to traffic light and make right onto 246th Street. Continue to circle at 246th Street and Fieldston Road. Go 3/4 around circle onto Fieldston Road and follow 1/2 mile to main entrance of Hill Campus on right.

From Manhattan (Major Deegan Expressway)

Take Exit #11, Van Cortlandt Park South. Bear right off exit onto Van Cortlandt Park South. Then bear right onto Broadway. Proceed onto Broadway to traffic light at Mosholu Avenue. Make left onto Mosholu Avenue and follow to first traffic light. Turn left onto Fieldston Road. Main entrance of Hill Campus is 1/2 mile on left.

From Westchester (Saw Mill Parkway)

Take the Saw Mill Parkway south. Take Exit #23, Broadway North. Bear right onto Broadway. Follow to first traffic light at Mosholu Avenue. Turn left on Mosholu Avenue. At first traffic light, turn left onto Fieldston Road. Proceed 1/2 mile to main entrance of Hill Campus on left.

From New Jersey

George Washington Bridge to Henry Hudson Parkway northbound. Proceed according to directions to Hill Campus from Manhattan.

Public Transportation Directions from New York City to the Hill Campus Take the IRT (West Side #1 subway) to 242nd Street, which is the last stop. Take the #9 bus north on Broadway to Lakeview Place. Cross Broadway and walk one block on Lakeview Place to Post Road. At Post Road, make a right and proceed to



the end of the street. Turn left and continue up the hill to Fieldston Road. Make a left onto Fieldston Road and follow to the Hill Campus entrance.