



***Special
Olympics***
New York

2025 WINTER GAMES
HANDBOOK

EVENT SCHEDULES

Venue Sites:

Alpine Skiing & Snowboarding: Swain Mountain,
2275 Co Rd 24, Swain, NY 14884

Cross County Skiing I: Bristol Mountain Top,
5589 S Hill Rd, Canandaigua, NY 14424

Cross County Skiing II: Rochester Comm. Sports
Complex, 460 Oak St, Rochester, NY 14608

Figure Skating: Tim Horton's Ice Complex, 2700
Brighton Henrietta Townline Rd, Rochester, NY
14623

Floorball: Nazareth Golisano Training Center,
4245 East Ave, Rochester, NY 14618

Gymnastics: Town of Henrietta Recreation Dept,
605 Calkins Rd., Henrietta, NY 14623

Snowshoe: Rochester Comm. Sports Complex,
460 Oak St, Rochester, NY 14608

*Snowshoe No Snow Plan: Bristol Mountain Top,
5589 S Hill Rd, Canandaigua, NY 14424*

Control Center: Hyatt Rochester, 125 E Main St,
Rochester, NY 14604

Opening/Closing Ceremonies, Healthy Athletes:
Riverside Conv Ctr, 123 E Main St, Rochester, NY
14604

Alpine Skiing & Snowboarding Competition Schedule

Schedule subject to change

Venue: Swain Mountain, 2275 Co Rd 24,
Swain, NY 14884



Sport Director: Martha Pachuta

2025 Alpine Skiing Schedule	
Time	
7:00 AM	Facility Open
7:00 AM	Venue Captain, Sport Director, Volunteer Check In Arrival - prep vols
8:00 AM	Volunteer Arrival
8:30 AM	Athlete Arrival
9:00 AM	Coaches Meeting/Course inspection
	Time Trials - 1 run
	Novice - Giant Slalom
	Intermediate - Giant Slalom
	Advanced - Giant Slalom
	Final Round - 2 runs combined
	Novice - Giant Slalom
	Intermediate - Giant Slalom
	Advanced - Giant Slalom
11:30 AM- 12:30 PM	Lunch/ Reset all courses
	Final Round - 2 runs combined
	Novice - Slalom
	Intermediate - Slalom
	Advanced - Slalom
3-5:00PM	Awards

Cross Country Skiing I Competition Schedule

Schedule subject to change



Venue: Bristol Mountain Top, 5589 S Hill Rd, Canandaigua, NY 14424

Sport Director: Larry Johnson

2025 x-country Schedule - Level I	
Time	Event
8:30AM	Facility Open
	Venue Captain & Volunteer Check-In Crew Arrival
9:00 AM	Sport Director Arrival
	Volunteer Arrival
10:00AM	Athlete Arrival
10:30AM	Coaches Meeting
	1K Freestyle
	5K Freestyle
12:00-1pm	Lunch
	500M Freestyle
	2.5K Freestyle
3:00-3:30 PM	Awards

Cross Country Skiing II Competition Schedule

Schedule subject to change



Venue: Rochester Comm. Sports Complex, 460 Oak St,
Rochester, NY 14608

Sport Directors: Ian Haines & Harry King

2025 Cross Country Schedule - Level 2	
Time	Event
7:30AM	Facility Open
8:00AM	Sport Director, Venue Captain & Volunteer Check In Arrival
8:30AM	Volunteer Arrival
9:30AM	Athlete Arrival
10:00AM	Coaches Meeting
10:30AM	100M Prelims
	50M Prelims
	25M Prelims
	10M Prelims
Lunches Available - 11AM	
12:30 PM	100M Finals
	50M Finals
	25M Finals
	10M Finals

Figure Skating Competition Schedule

Schedule subject to change

Venue: Tim Horton's Ice Complex
2700 Brighton Henrietta Townline Rd,
Rochester, NY 14623



Sport Director: Karalee Piels

2025 Figure Skating Schedule	
Time	Event
7:00 AM	Facility Open
7:15 AM	Sport Director, Venue Captain & Volunteer Check-In Arrival
7:45AM	Volunteer Arrival
8:30 AM	Athlete Arrival
8:45 AM	Coaches Meeting
9:00 AM-9:15 AM	Warm-Ups
9:15 AM-12:45 PM	Dance
	L 1 Prelims
	L 2-3 Prelims
	L 4-6 Short Programs
	Lunch/Ice Cut (11:30AM)
	Dance
	L1 Finals
	L 2-3 Finals
	L 2-3 Finals
12:45 PM-1:45 PM	Awards

Floorball Team Competition Schedule

Schedule subject to change



Venue: Nazareth Golisano Training Center, 4245 East Ave, Rochester, NY 14618

Sport Director: Nancy Logan

On arrival, please note special instructions for hang out area vs lunch area. Follow guidance from the volunteers. Lunch tables are limited and are for eating only. Turf area will have tables, chairs for hanging out between games.

2025 Floorball Team Schedule	
Time	Event
6:00 AM	Facility Open
7:30 AM	Volunteer Check-In arrival (earlier for skills)
7:45 AM	Sport Director & Venue Captain Arrival
8:45 AM	Athlete Arrival
9:00 AM - 10:00 AM	Pairing Games
9:30 AM	Volunteer arrival
After Pairing Games	Coaches Meeting
10:15-4:00 PM	Team Competitions
2:00 PM-4:00 PM	Awards (as divisions finish)

Floorball Skills Competition Schedule

Schedule subject to change



Venue: Nazareth Golisano Training Center, 4245 East Ave, Rochester, NY 14618

Sport Director: Rami Aizenman

On arrival, please note special instructions for hang out area vs lunch area. Follow guidance from the volunteers. Lunch tables are limited and are for eating only. Turf area will have tables, chairs for hanging out between games.

2025 Floorball Skills Schedule	
Time	Event
7:00 AM	Venue Captain, Sport Director Arrival
7:30 AM	Volunteer Check-In Arrival
8:00 AM	Volunteer Arrival
8:45 AM	Athlete Arrival
9:15 AM	Coaches Meeting
9:45AM	Prelims
11:30 AM	Lunch
12:30 PM	Finals
2:00 PM	Awards
2:00 PM-4:00 PM	Awards (as divisions finish)

Gymnastics Competition Schedule

Schedule subject to change



Venue: Town of Henrietta Recreation Dept,
605 Calkins Rd., Henrietta, NY 14623

Sport Director: Sarah Jane Clifford

2025 Gymnastics Schedule	
Time	Event
9:00 AM	Facility open
10:30 AM	Venue Captain & Volunteer Check-In Arrival
	Lunch Volunteer Arrival
11:00 AM	Sport Director Arrival
11:00 AM	Athlete Arrival
	Lunch
12:00 PM	Athlete Warm up / Competition Volunteer arrival
12:00 PM	Coaches Meeting
1:00 PM / 1:10PM	March in / National Anthem
1:15 PM	Competition Begins
4:00 PM	Athletes Depart

Snowshoe Competition Schedule

Schedule subject to change



Venue: Rochester Comm. Sports Complex, 460 Oak St,
Rochester, NY 14608

Sport Directors: Ian Haines & Harry King

2025 Snowshoe Schedule	
Time	Event
7:30 AM	Facility Open
8:00 AM	Sport Director, Venue Captain & Volunteer Check In Arrival
8:30 AM	Volunteer Arrival
9:30 AM	Athlete Arrival
10:00AM	Coaches Meeting
10:45 AM-3:00 PM	400M Prelims
	50M Prelims
	100M Prelims
	200M Prelims
	25M Prelims
	Lunches Available - 11AM
	400M Finals
	50M Finals
	100M Finals
	200M Finals
	25M Finals
	4x100M Relay Finals
12:30PM - 3:30 PM	Awards

Snowshoe Competition Schedule NO SNOW PLAN

Schedule subject to change



PLAN B: Bristol Mountain Top, 5589 S Hill Rd,
Canandaigua, NY 14424

Sport Directors: Ian Haines & Harry King

2025 Snowshoe Schedule	
Time	Event
7:30 AM	Facility Open
8:00 AM	Sport Director, Venue Captain & Volunteer Check In Arrival
8:30 AM	Volunteer Arrival
9:30 AM	Athlete Arrival
10:00AM	Coaches Meeting
10:45 AM-3:00 PM	400M Prelims
	50M Prelims
	100M Prelims
	200M Prelims
	25M Prelims
	Lunches Available - 11AM
	400M Finals
	50M Finals
	100M Finals
	200M Finals
	25M Finals
	4x100M Relay Finals
12:30PM - 3:30 PM	Awards

Control Center

The EMS volunteers at Summer Games will provide 24 hour coverage for all athletes and coaches in attendance. You, as a coach, serve as the liaison between medical volunteers and your athletes. Special Olympics NY encourages you to handle any minor situation you can.

Medical volunteers are available at all competition, housing, and special event venues throughout games. If you are unable to immediately locate the medical volunteer, call the Control Center. Each venue will have radio communication to call for medical assistance.

Emergency Protocol

Control Center: (315) 320-7820
Hyatt Rochester, 125 E Main St, Rochester, NY
25th floor Suite
All Others: 911

Remember if you are using a cell phone from outside the area you must dial the area code. The area code for the area is **(585)**.

Emergencies should be reported IMMEDIATELY to the police, who will dispatch assistance as needed and you should then contact the Control Center.

The following types of incidents should be reported directly to the police:

Serious or Life Threatening Situations - accidents, injuries or situations where participants have been seriously harmed. This includes transports to the hospital for all injuries, admissions to the hospital, etc.

Potentially Dangerous or Hazardous Situations - such as extreme cold, overcrowding, severe weather, etc. which requires immediate action and response to avoid serious damage or harm to participants.

Report of Serious Crime - including allegations of crimes involving force, sexual misconduct, controlled substances and/or those which threaten the health and safety of participants.

BUS SCHEDULE

Competition Day ONLY - February 22nd

Departure times are listed, DO NOT arrive late, the bus will be leaving at the times listed.

Please plan to arrive 5-10 mins prior to the time listed and fill first bus to capacity. Busses are not shuttles and the sport specific teams need to leave together.



Alpine	Hotel	Departure Time
Bus #1 - Southern Tier	Wyndham Hotel 70 State St, Rochester, NY	715 AM
Bus #2 - Southern Tier & Capital	Wyndham Hotel 70 State St, Rochester, NY	715 AM
Bus #3 - Central	Double Tree Hotel 1111 Jefferson Rd, Henrietta, NY	720 AM

X-County I	Hotel	Departure Time
Central	Double Tree Hotel 1111 Jefferson Rd, Henrietta, NY	905AM

X-County II	Hotel	Departure Time
Hudson Valley & North Country	Wyndham Hotel 70 State St, Rochester, NY	915 AM

BUS SCHEDULE CONT.

Competition Day ONLY - February 22nd

Figure Skating	Hotel	Departure Time
1st stop - Hudson Valley	Wyndham Hotel 70 State St, Rochester, NY	755 AM
2nd stop NYC, LI	Hyatt Hotel 125 E Main St, Rochester, NY	810 AM

Floorball	Hotel	Departure Time
Floorball - Genesee	Hyatt Hotel 125 E Main St, Rochester, NY	825 AM

Gymnastics	Hotel	Departure Time
Capital	Wyndham Hotel 70 State St, Rochester, NY	1030 AM

Snowshoe	Hotel	Departure Time
Bus 1 - Southern Tier, North Country & Hud- son Valley	Wyndham Hotel 70 State St, Rochester NY	915 AM
Bus 2 - Central Group 1 & Western	Double Tree Hotel 1111 Jefferson Rd, Henrietta, NY	905 AM
Bus 3 - Central Group 2	Double Tree Hotel 1111 Jefferson Rd, Henrietta, NY	905 AM

Hotel Evacuation Protocol

Hotel Emergency Evacuations—whether emergency or drills, when the alarm sounds, safely exit the building using the nearest safe stairwell. **Do not use elevators. Evacuations are mandatory.** Do not take time to gather personal belongings.

Leave The Building

- ♦ Follow the signs and exit the building as quickly and safely as possible and proceed away from the building.
- ♦ Once outside the building follow all instructions given to you.

The Head of Delegation and/or On-Call Regional Staff Member should report any missing persons or injuries to the emergency responders; Fire Department, etc. SONY Medical protocol will then follow.

No one may not re-enter the building until it is declared safe by the Fire Department, and they have authorized re-entry.

No Smoking Policy

As part of the Special Olympics Healthy Athletes effort, Special Olympics New York has been designated **Tobacco Free**. Smoking and use of other tobacco products (such as snuff and chew) will not be permitted at any Special Olympics training or competition, except in specific designated outdoor areas.

Nonsmoking and tobacco-free areas expressly include:

- Any enclosed place of public access
- Any indoor venue (competitive and non-competitive)
- The field of play at any venue
- The team and spectator areas at any outdoor venue
- Olympic Village
- Dining areas
- Any bedroom or living quarters of hotels
- In any Games transport vehicles



This practice has been put into place in an effort to protect the athletes, volunteers, spectators, and staff from the harmful effects of tobacco. This practice reflects Olympic tradition, as well as community and sports expectations regarding the hosting of sporting events.



2025 WINTER GAMES FEEDBACK SURVEY

ATHLETES, UNIFIED PARTNERS, COACHES, SPORT
ASSISTANTS/CHAPERONES, HODs, SPORT DIRECTORS
AND VENUE CAPTAINS

AT THE END OF GAMES, PLEASE USE YOUR PHONE'S
CAMERA TO FILL OUT THE SURVEY BELOW

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THANK YOU, WE HOPE YOU
HAD A GREAT TIME!

