



## MEDIA ALERT

### Special Olympics PA – Philadelphia to Host Largest Volleyball Tournament to Date

- What:** Athletes will compete in a friendly team scrimmage during Philadelphia's largest 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Volleyball Tournament. Awards will be given based on the order of finish.
- Where:** Abraham Lincoln High School  
3201 Ryan Avenue  
Philadelphia, PA 19136  
Parking is available on-site off of Ryan and Rowland Avenues
- When:** Saturday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Opening Ceremonies – 9:00 am  
Competition Begins – 9:45 am  
Awards presented on a rolling basis, starting around 3:00 pm
- Who:** 150 athletes with intellectual disabilities from Philadelphia, Montgomery, Bucks, Delaware, Lancaster, Clinton and other surrounding counties
- Why:** The Special Olympics experience fills a critical need in the lives of people with intellectual disabilities by providing opportunities for physical activity, social interaction, and the demonstration of competence to themselves, their families and the community. Experience for yourself the joy that Special Olympics brings to many athletes and watch as athletes bump, set and spike for the gold
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