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# 2018 Special Olympics USA

## Games

July 1 – 6, 2018 | Seattle

Item No. 7a

Meeting Date: May 22, 2018



The 2018 Special Olympics USA Games will showcase abilities of thousands of athletes with intellectual disabilities, promote the ideals of acceptance and inclusion through sport, and celebrate the transformative power of inclusion.



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# Special Olympics Video



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# By the Numbers

- July 1-6
- 4,000+ Athletes and Coaches
- 10,000 Volunteers
- 10,000 Family and Friends
- 50,000+ Fans
- 14 Sports Competitions
- \$76M total economic impact
- Thousands of lives transformed



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# Sports

- Athletics
- Basketball
- Bocce
- Bowling
- Flag Football
- Golf
- Gymnastics
- Powerlifting
- Soccer
- Softball
- Standup Paddle Boarding
- Swimming
- Tennis
- Volleyball



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# Competition & Event Venues

- University of Washington
- Seattle Pacific University
- Seattle University
- Celebration Park
- King County Aquatic Center
- Seattle Center
- Willows Run Golf Club
- Kenmore Lanes
- Angle Lake Park
- Lake Union Park



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# Key Events

LETR FINAL LEG | June 28 – July 1

WELCOME DAYS | June 29-30, SeaTac Airport

OPENING CEREMONY | July 1, Husky Stadium

FUTURE OF INCLUSION FORUM | July 2, Seattle Rep

SPORTS COMPETITIONS | July 2-6, Various Venues

UNIFIED SPORTS EXPERIENCES | July 2-3, UW

USA GAMES NIGHT AT THE MARINERS | July 5

CLOSING CEREMONY | July 6, Lake Union Park

DELEGATIONS DEPART | July 7



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# 2018 USA Games Legacy

- Economic Impact
- Technology
- Sustainability
- Athlete/Family Experience
- Special Olympics Washington
- Inclusion



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# Get Involved

- Attend the Opening Ceremony
- Fans in the Stands
- Donate



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