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Special Olympics PEI E-Newsletter



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PEI Provincial Home Show is coming SOON!

Special Olympics PEI is proud to be Master Promotion's Charity of Choice at the PEI Provincial Home Show. Master Promotions is one of our valued Community Partners; we are grateful for their ongoing support. A portion of the proceeds from the PEI Provincial Home Show are donated to Special Olympics PEI.

Speaking about the event, Show Manager, Denise Miller, said "We are excited to be back in PEI for the 2017 Provincial Home Show – following record breaking visitor in 2016 the show management

team and the exhibitors are looking forward to what 2017 has to bring. We have everything you need from home renovation, heating & ventilation, landscaping and home building project and MORE under one roof."





New this year, Special Olympics PEI's booth will be set up on the PEI on the Move side of the event, in the arena, in booth 3013. One thing that hasn't changed though is the ice

cream! We will once again be selling delicious ADL ice cream, generously donated by ADL, another proud Community Partner of Special Olympics PEI.

The PEI Provincial Home Show, along with PEI on the Move, run from Friday, March 10 through Sunday, March 12, at the Eastlink in Charlottetown. We hope to see you there.

TEAM PEI 2018 Applications

Athletes and Coaches are preparing for the 2017 Summer Provincial games which are right around the corner! As we near the National Games qualifiers, SOPEI are actively searching for members to consider contributing to Team PEI for the 2018 Special Olympics Canada



National Summer Games. You are invited to review our detailed explanation of the roles available and application instructions on our website! The application deadline is March 31st, 2017 at 4:30pm. Coaching staff selections for Soccer and Softball will be made by May 1st, 2017 and all other team members will be named prior to September 1st, 2017. We encourage all volunteer members to consider this opportunity.



FOR SPECIAL OLYMPICS

2017 Polar Plunge

As part of the annual Law Enforcement Torch Run fundraising, law enforcement

agencies from across Prince Edward Island are gearing up for the 5th Annual Polar Plunge for Special Olympics – "Freezin for a Reason" on April 9th, 2017. All proceeds from the event will go to Special Olympics PEI. Plungers will be soliciting donations from Islanders and invite all Islanders to pledge, come out and watch, plunge or all three! Stay tuned for locations and pledge information being announced soon!



UPCOMING EVENTS:

Feb/Mar - T

 Team PEI 2018 Call For Mission/Coach Applications

February 26 - Big Chill 5-Pin Bowling Tournament

March 10-12 - PEI Provincial Home Show where we are selling delicious ADL ice cream

March 31 - Team PEI 2018 Deadline for Mission/Coach Applications

April 9 - PEI Law Enforcement Polar Plunge

April 19-20 - Atlantic Coaches Conference

May 27-28 - 5-Pin Bowling Provincials with Healthy Athletes Screenings

June 10-11 - 10-Pin Bowling Provincials

WHEN: MAY 27 & 28, 2017

WHERE: MURPHY'S COMMUNITY CENTRE, CHARLOTTETOWN, PE

ACCOMMODATIONS: UNIVERSITY OF PEI

COST:

\$45/Athlete not staying overnight \$70/Athlete staying overnight (Saturday) \$100/Athlete staying 2 nights (Friday & Saturday)

> DEADLINE TO REGISTER: April 21st, 2017

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