

Section: PROGRAM
Topic: Honorary Life Member
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This award designation will be presented to a longstanding volunteer member of Special Olympics Saskatchewan who has made extraordinary contributions to Special Olympics.

NOMINATIONS

Each Special Olympics accredited district/community is encouraged to nominate volunteers whom they feel are worthy of receiving this prestigious designation. Nominations are accepted from any SOS member in good standing including: the executive committee, coaches, volunteers, athletes, Board of Directors, Sport Advisory Committee, and the provincial office by the annual deadline date. All nominations must be accompanied by a Nomination Form (attached), a minimum of one (1) letter of reference and maximum of two (2), and either a digital photo OR a passport sized photo.

*NOTE: Any additional forms/letters of support **will not** be considered by the Selection Committee when reviewing the nominations.*

The Special Olympics Saskatchewan Awards Committee will carefully review the nominations and select the recipient.

AWARD CRITERIA

- Nominations will be judged on the strength and quality of their submission.
- Nominees **MUST** be/have been a registered volunteer in good standing with Special Olympics Saskatchewan for a minimum of 15 years.

AWARD RECOGNITION

- The recipient will receive a Lifetime Membership to Special Olympics Saskatchewan.
- This award will be presented to the successful recipient(s) at the Provincial Awards Banquet held annually.
- The recipient(s) will receive an Honorary Life Member Award plaque.
- The recipients' name will be added to Special Olympics Saskatchewan Recognition Plaque.
- The recipient and nominees may be highlighted and publicly recognized by Special Olympics Saskatchewan for their achievement(s). This may include such things as; postings on social media sites, newspaper/journal articles, community newsletters, etc.
- This individual may be further considered for Special Olympics Canada National Awards