

ATHLETE:

The term Athlete refers to individuals with an intellectual disability who participate in Special Olympics Prince Edward Island (SOPEI) programs.

Athlete eligibility requirements can be found in the Pan-Canadian Eligibility for Participation and Pan-Canadian Eligibility for Participant with Down Syndrome Policies.

ACTIVE ATHLETE MEMBER:

The term Active Athlete Member refers to an athlete who has submitted an annual SOPEI Athlete Registration Form/Waiver and has been approved to participate by the SOPEI office.

POTENTIAL ATHLETE:

The term Potential refers to an individual who has attended a sanctioned SOPEI event as an athlete but is not frequently attending programming and has not submitted an annual SOPEI Athlete Registration Form/Waiver.

ACTIVE VOLUNTEER MEMBER:

The term Active Volunteer Member refers to an individual who has satisfied all of the requested steps related to the classification of their volunteer role in policy 5000-15 (Volunteer Screening Guidelines).

UNIFIED PARTNER:

The term UNIFIED Partner refers to an individual without an intellectual disability who trains and competes with athletes as part of the Special Olympics Unified Sports® programs.

HEAD COACH:

The term Head Coach shall refer to an active volunteer member of SOPEI, over the age of 18, who has been designated as the program leader and has completed the coach education outlined in policy 5000-15 (Volunteer Screening Guidelines).

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ASSISTANT COACH:

The term Assistant Coach shall refer to an active volunteer member of SOPEI who has been designated as program volunteer and has completed the coach education outlined in policy 5000-15 (Volunteer Screening Guidelines):

PROGRAM VOLUNTEER:

The term Program Volunteer shall refer to an active volunteer member of SOPEI who has been designated a program and has completed the coach education outlined in policy 5000-15 (Volunteer Screening Guidelines).

JUNIOR VOLUNTEER:

The term Junior Volunteer shall refer to a registered volunteer under the age of 16, who is also an active volunteer member of SOPEI and regularly assists the Head Coach with program delivery.

EVENT VOLUNTEER:

The term Event Volunteer shall refer to any individual who assists with the delivery of an event or competition. Please refer to policy 5000-15 (Volunteer Screening Guidelines).