VIRTUAL SUMMER GAMES

2020

SATURDAY, JUNE 13

TIE DYE DAY!

LOOK INSIDE!
WELCOME TO 2020 VIRTUAL SUMMER GAMES

Special Olympics Illinois is proud to bring you the first-ever Virtual Summer Games. The virtual event will take place Tuesday, June 9 – Sunday, June 14. Starting with an Opening Ceremony on June 9 and ending with a Closing Ceremony and Victory Dance on June 14, we look forward to sharing many fantastic programs and activities.

The athletes of Special Olympics Illinois are some of the most determined and resilient people on earth. Special Olympics Illinois stands together through adverse times. Although we may not be together on the field, we are an inclusive community that always stands strong and, more importantly, together.

A NEW WAY TO PLAY

View today’s exciting schedule below. In between all the action, we hope you will check out the fun activities in this booklet and celebrate the theme of each day – crafted by our Unified Champion Schools students.

We will also be highlighting the spirit of the games across virtualsummergames.soill.org, Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and LinkedIn.

The Virtual Summer Games is open to anyone: whether you are a Special Olympics Illinois athlete, volunteer, supporter, or just someone wanting to be a part of this first-of-its-kind event that celebrates inclusion, on and off the field of play.

We know if we stay focused and stand together, we can overcome anything. We know if we work hard and stand together, we can accomplish great things. #SOILLStandsTogether

TIE DYE DAY

June 13

Virtual Torch Run
Move It Minute | The Daily Leader
Today's Healthy Habit
Featured Spirit Week Activity

ASL Class

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Do-it-Yourself (DIY) Stress Ball

Make your own stress ball at home with a few simple supplies!

Time: 20 minutes

Equipment:
- One balloon (uninflated)
- Filling (flour, rice, baking soda, cornstarch, dry beans)
- Small plastic bottle (empty water bottle)
- DIY paper funnel
- Marker for decorating

Instructions:
- Make a paper funnel. If you need to, tape the paper together to hold the funnel shape.
- Use the funnel to fill the plastic bottle with your stress ball filling.
- Pull on the top and bottom of your balloon to stretch it out.
- Blow up the balloon approximately half way.
- Attach it to the top of the bottle.
- Turn the balloon and the bottle over, and gently shake your filling into the balloon.
- Once the balloon is filled, carefully remove the balloon from the bottle. Don’t let go!
- Slowly, let the extra air out of the balloon.
- Once all the air is out, tie a knot to close the balloon.
- Decorate!

*The stress ball will wear out over time and may pop. Be sure to replace your stress ball with a new one, as needed!
What Happens When a Unicorn Poops?

Unicorns aren’t like other _____; they’re ______. They look like _____ (adjective), with _____ (plural noun; animals) for feet and a ______ (adjective) mane of hair. But unicorns are ______ and have a ______ (color) _____ (noun) on their heads. Some ______ (plural noun) don’t believe unicorns are ______ (adjective) but I believe in them. I would love to ______ a unicorn to faraway ______ (plural noun). One thing I’ve always ______ (verb-ed) about is whether unicorns ______ (verb) rainbows, or is their ______ (noun) ______ (adjective) like any other animal’s?
### Silly Seventies Slang

Match the 70's slang term to its clue.

**Boo-yah! That's Far Out!**

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BLACK BLUE BROWN GREEN ORANGE PINK PURPLE RED WHITE YELLOW

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7 SPECIAL OLYMPICS 70'S FACTS
AT 7:00 WITH DANNY

- While this isn’t the 70's, it's close enough and super important - The first Special Olympic games were held in Chicago back in July 1968.
- In December 1971, The U.S. Olympic Committee let Special Olympics be the only other organization allowed to use the name “Olympics” in the United States.
- In 1971, Illinois hosted about 1,500 athletes from all 50 U.S. states in Chicago for international summer games.
- In 1972, California hosted nearly 2,500 athletes from all 50 U.S. states and 3 international programs in Los Angeles for international summer games.
- In 1977, Colorado hosted over 500 athletes in Steamboat Springs for the first international winter games, with ABC, CBS, and NBC providing the coverage.
- In 1975, Michigan hosted about 3,200 athletes from 10 different nations. A few sports that the athletes competed in were the long jump, basketball, bowling, and softball throw.
- In 1979, Muhammad Ali (a major professional boxer) became a huge supporter for both Special Olympics athletes and competitions.

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