2020 SUMMER GAMES
OPENING CEREMONIES

DATE: Wednesday, May 13, 2020
LOCATION: Gallagher Iba Arena - OSU
TIME: Doors open @ 6:30 pm / Opening Ceremonies begin @ 7:30 pm

Parade of Athletes Staging begins @ 6:30 pm on the North Portico outside Gallagher Iba

PARADE OF ATHLETES
Athletes will represent the 14 Special Olympics Areas in Oklahoma. Each Team registered for the Games will select 1 athlete from their team who will represent their team in the Parade of Athletes.

PARADE STAGING
Parade athletes (1 athlete per team only) need to report to the North Portico off Hall of Fame beginning @ 6:30pm (no earlier please) where they'll be taken to be staged with their Area.

*NO Team banners or signs are allowed for the Parade.

The Area Programs of Special Olympics Oklahoma:

1 - Boomer Sooner (Norman & Shawnee)
2 - Fun Country (Ardmore, Ada & Pauls Valley)
3 - Cherokee Country (Muskogee & Okmulgee)
4 - Great Plains (Lawton)
5 - Cowboy Country (Stillwater)
6 - Cherokee Strip (Enid)
7 - Green Country (Tulsa & Broken Arrow)
8 - The Capitol (Oklahoma City & Mid-Del)
9 - Little Sahara (Woodward)
10 - Kiamichi (McAlester, Broken Bow, Poteau)
11 - Route 66 (Weatherford & Yukon)
12 - Grand Area (Bartlesville & Miami)
13 - Red River Area (Durant)
14 - Panhandle Area (Guymon)

ATHLETE PARADE
Coach &/or chaperone must accompany their athlete in the Parade, then will take the athlete to join the rest of the Team in the bleacher seats after the Parade is finished.

ATHLETES in WHEELCHAIRS
Athletes in WC not in the Parade of Athletes will enter & leave the Arena via SE & East doors. Volunteers will direct athletes to their seating on the floor of the Arena.

ONLY athletes in wheelchairs & their chaperone (1-2 only) may sit on the arena floor.

The 2020 SG Theme will involve → OUTERSPACE

More information to come!!!