

BE A COOL SCHOOL FOR SPECIAL OLYMPICS

Who

Get your school involved - classmates, teachers, parents, anyone and everyone is allowed and encouraged to participate. Teams are forming now!

What

Cool Schools is a project initiated by **Special Olympics Kansas** to allow local students to show their support for Special Olympics Kansas Athletes and the Kansas Polar Plunge. The Polar Plunge is an annual fundraiser in which participants raise money by gathering pledges for their commitment to take the plunge.

When & Where

Plunges occur at ten different locations throughout the state:

- **Kansas City**, Shawnee Mission Park Swim Beach- January 30th
- **Topeka**, Lake Shawnee Swim Beach- January 30th
- **Wichita**, OJ Watson Park- February 6th
- **Hays**, Gross Memorial Coliseum at FHSU- February 13th
- **Pittsburg**, Crimson Villas Apartment Complex- February 13th
- **Emporia**, Mouse Lake- February 20th
- **Salina**, Webster Conference Center- February 20th
- **Lawrence**, Bloomington Beach Park - February 27th
- **Manhattan**, Tuttle Creek Swim Beach - February 27th
- **Dodge City**, Water Sports Campground - March 6th

Why

By being a part of Cool Schools and the Plunge experience, you are allowing thousands of children and adults with intellectual disabilities to experience a brighter tomorrow. And don't forget, prizes will be awarded to the most successful teams!

How

It all starts by you forming a Cool School team of your own. Post signs around your school, put flyers in your school paper, set up a registration table during lunch, and encourage your friends to join you in freezin' your fur! Register online by going to www.kssso.org/plunge, click on the city nearest you, and then click **Register on-line now**. Or you can mail in your registration with a signed copy of the online waiver to SOKS HQ (address given below) or bring it with you to the Plunge!

If you have any questions or simply want more info, feel free to contact...

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