

First District Tennessee Senior Olympics

Entry Deadline: <u>August 23</u>

September 4 – October 17, 2024



Presenting Sponsor



First District includes Carter, Greene, Hancock, Hawkins, Johnson, Sullivan, Unicoi and Washington Counties

General Information

The First District Tennessee Senior Olympics is a special event for seniors 50 and older that encompasses a wide range of competitive activities. The objectives of the Senior Olympics are to recognize people who have achieved and maintained good health throughout their lives; promote physical fitness and the pursuit of lifetime leisure activities; and provide opportunities for fun, recreation and fellowship.

District Information

The Tennessee Senior Olympics hosts 10 district events across the state. It is necessary to participate in a district event to advance to the state finals. This does not apply to "open" sports offered at the state finals. Athletes are encouraged to participate in their home district (determined by county of residence). If unable to do so, one may choose from any district.

All out-of-state participants must live within <u>30 miles</u> of the Tennessee state line and be pre-registered to participate.

Individuals and teams may participate in as many districts as desired. Registration and payment are required for each district. Out-of-district composition for team sports remains the same. If you are unable to participate in the First District Senior Olympics, please call (615) 200-8760 or visit the Tennessee Senior Olympics website, www.tnseniorolympics.com, to find information on other districts.

Registration and Fees

Athletes may enter an unlimited number of events. However, they may not register for events that will overlap in time.

All participants are required to pay a one-time entry fee of **\$40.00**. The fee includes awards and t-shirts. Below are additional event-related fees. Unless otherwise noted, all fees must be submitted with the registration form and be postmarked by **August 23, 2024**

Bowling \$7.00 per event

Golf \$25.00 per person, to be paid to Pine Oaks Golf

Course on the day of the event (fee includes cart). A practice round is available for an additional \$25.00 (including cart) on August 29, August 30 or September 3, 2024 ONLY (no exceptions).

If you are interested in receiving a bag lunch (sandwich, chips, etc.) during the Track/Field events on Saturday, October 5, 2024, please add \$10.00 to your registration fee (see Entry and Event Fees on page 6).

Inclement Weather

The First District Senior Olympics reserves the right to cancel or postpone events in case of inclement weather or other

extenuating circumstances. Any schedule changes will be announced at the event site. In the event of bad weather, it is your responsibility to call and check for changes. Call 423-434-6237 to check for information and updates to the schedule.

Age Categories

The Tennessee Senior Olympics age categories are as follows:

50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70-74
75-79	80-84	85-89	90-94	95-99
100-104				

Participants will qualify for age divisions according to their age as of December 31, 2025. In doubles events and in team competitions, teams will compete in the age category determined by the age of the youngest team member.

Rules and Equipment

All events will be conducted in accordance with the 2024 Tennessee Senior Olympics *Official Rules Manual*. A copy of the manual is provided to each district coordinator. The complete rules manual is also available on the Tennessee Senior Olympics website, www.tnseniorolympics.com. A copy of the rules for each event will be available at each event site.

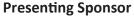
Equipment for each event will be provided, unless stated in the rules of each event. Participants are advised to consult the *Official Rules Manual* about equipment for their event.

Awards

Medals will be presented for first-, second-, and third-place finalists in each age/gender category. Any athlete who **participates** at a district event may advance to state finals in the exact sport/event in which he/she participated. The awards will be presented at the conclusion of each event.

Check-In for Events

Unless notified by mail, email or phone, check-in for events will be at the starting time listed on the schedule of events. Please allow ample time between events. Last-minute substitutions will not be allowed unless it is a team event and a player cannot participate due to illness. The substitute must be a registered participant of the Senior Olympics and cannot have already participated in the event.





Event Schedule

Athletes wishing to register for doubles and mixed doubles events will not be registered for those events unless they have a partner listed on their entry form.

IT IS NOT THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE COORDINATOR TO PARTNER PLAYERS TOGETHER.

Wednesday, September 4

Golf

9:30 a.m. Pine Oaks Golf Course, Johnson City (Golf practice round available August 29, August 30 or September 3rd 2024 **ONLY**—No exceptions See details under <u>Registration and Fees</u>, page 2.)

Friday, September 6

Basketball Free Throw/Hot Shot/3 Point

1:00pm Memorial Park Community Center

Tuesday, September 10

Bowling—Singles (Men and Women) (Practice at 8:45 a.m.)

9:00 a.m. Warpath Lanes, Kingsport

Wednesday, September 11

Bowling—Doubles (All Ages) (Practice at 8:45 a.m.)

9:00 a.m. Warpath Lanes, Kingsport

Thursday, September 12

Table Tennis-Singles, Doubles, Mixed Doubles

9:00am Memorial Park Community Center,

Johnson City

Friday, September 13

Bowling—Mixed-Doubles (All Ages) (Practice at 8:45 a.m.)

9:00 a.m. Warpath Lanes, Kingsport

Monday, September 16

Shuffleboard—Singles, Doubles (May Be Mixed)

9:00 a.m. Kiwanis Park, Johnson City

Wednesday, September 18

Pickleball—Singles, Doubles and Mixed-Doubles

9:00 a.m. Memorial Park Community Center,

Johnson City

Monday, September 23

Cornhole—Singles, Doubles and Mixed-Doubles

9:00am Memorial Park Community Center,

Johnson City

Friday, September 27

Horseshoes

10:00 a.m. Rock Springs Community Park, Kingsport

Saturday, October 5

Track/Field Events

Science Hill High School (Kermit Tipton Stadium),

Johnson City)

7:30 a.m. 1500M Run 8:00 a.m. 100M Run 8:30 a.m. 800M Run 9:00 a.m. 50M Run

9:30 a.m. Men's Long Jump/Triple Jump

Women's Shot Put

 10:30 a.m.
 200M Run

 11:00 a.m.
 Men's Shot Put

Women's Long Jump/Triple Jump

12:00 p.m. Break—30 minutes

Bag lunch available—(see page 2,

Registration and Fees)

12:30 p.m. 400M Run

1:00 p.m. Men's & Women's Javelin/Discus 2:45 p.m. Men's & Women's High Jump/

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Softball Throw

3:30 p.m. 1500M Race Walk

Tuesday, October 15

Swimming Events:

Freestyle 50Y & 200Y, Butterfly 100Y, Breaststroke 50Y & 200Y,

Individual Medley 200Y & 400Y, Backstroke 100Y

1:00 p.m. Kingsport Aquatic Center, Kingsport

Thursday, October 17

Swimming Events:

Freestyle 100Y & 400Y, Butterfly 50Y & 200Y,

Breaststroke 100Y, Individual Medley 100Y Backstroke 50Y &

200Y

1:00 p.m. Kingsport Aquatic Center, Kingsport

Registration deadline: August 23, 2024



EVENT SITES

Kermit Tipton Stadium (Science Hill High School)

501 Liberty Bell Parkway, Johnson City

Phone: (423) 378-8400

Kingsport Aquatic Center

1820 Meadowview Parkway, Kingsport

Phone: (423) 343-9758

Kiwanis Park

821 West Market Street, Johnson City

Phone: (423)434-5749

Memorial Park Community Center

510 Bert Street, Johnson City

Phone: 423-434-6237

Pine Oaks Golf Course

1709 Buffalo Road, Johnson City

Phone: (423) 434-6250

Rock Springs Community Park

1720 Rock Springs Road, Kingsport

Phone: (423) 341-2954

Warpath Lanes

2449 Memorial Boulevard, Kingsport

Phone: (423) 246-2695

DISTRICT T-SHIRTS

September 3, 2024

Shirts will be distributed at each event. If you would like your shirt earlier please indicate that on the registration form. Shirts will be available two weeks prior to the start of the Olympic events at Memorial Park Community Center. This year's shirt will be long sleeve. If you plan to pick up your shirt please do so before

HEALTH

The Tennessee Senior Olympics strongly recommends that each participant consult his/her doctor with regard to practice, preparation, and competition in these events and/or similar physical activity.

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Both Sides of Entry Form Must Be Completed In Order To Register.



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Please include your team and/or partner's name when registering for doubles events. Partners must also submit a registration form. You may not enter an event after the deadline.



NEXT SUMMER'S STATE FINALS



IMPORTANT INFORMATION! PLEASE READ!

Information and exact dates for the 2025 Tennessee Senior Olympics State Finals will be posted at www.tnseniorolympics.com by early 2025.

The 2025 State Finals will be open to all athletes on a trial basis in 2025. While 2024 district participation is strongly encouraged to maintain health, sustain sport skills, and preserve friendships, it is not required.

Registration for the state finals will open in March 2025.

Details will be e-mailed to all district participants.

Visit www.tnseniorolympics.com for more information about the state finals.

NATIONALS

2025 Nationals

We wish the best of luck to those who qualified and plan to attend the National Senior Games—the Senior Olympics for July 24—August 4, 2025 in Des Moines, IA.

Qualifying for the Nationals was held during our 2024 State Finals in June (for most sports), August 2024 for pickleball, and September 2024 for cycling.

Final Checklist

- I completed the Official Entry Form and Event Registration.
- ☐ I completed the Health Information Form and signed the Liability Waiver.
- I completed the Entry Form in full and included a check or money order for the total amount, payable to the City of Johnson City and will submit all forms and payments by August 23, 2024.
 Or register online at:

https://myjcparks.recdesk.com/Community/Home

☐ I understand that I may not enter any event after the deadline.

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