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# What is the Law Enforcement Torch Run?



## About the Annual Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics New Jersey

- Torch Run began in New Jersey in 1984 as a way to raise funds and awareness for Special Olympics New Jersey
- The run is a day-long event, split into 26 legs (or starting points) with some legs beginning as early as 4:45 a.m.
- The run travels through more than 300 towns, covering 750 miles on-foot
- 3,000 runners expected in 2023
- Over 400 police departments are expected to participate and fundraise
- Led by 40 Torch Run State Committee members
- To learn more, visit [www.NJTorchRun.org](http://www.NJTorchRun.org)

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# Press Release



## PRESS RELEASE

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**  
**April 28, 2023**

## Celebrating 40 Years of the New Jersey Law Enforcement Torch Run

**STATEWIDE** – 2023 marks the 40th Anniversary of the New Jersey Law Enforcement Torch Run with officers, known as “Guardians of the Flame” showing that the “Flame of Hope” is alive and well for years to come in the Garden State.

On Friday, June 9th, the annual Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics New Jersey will feature more than 3,000 officers taking to the streets of their local communities, split up into 26 separate legs with some starting as early as 4:45 a.m., and run to raise awareness for Special Olympics New Jersey. The Annual Torch Run will precede Special Olympics New Jersey’s Summer Games taking place on The College of New Jersey campus from June 9-11.

Spectators are invited to watch and cheer in this milestone events, as the flame makes its way through local communities across New Jersey. For maps or more information, visit [www.NJTorchRun.org](http://www.NJTorchRun.org).

“Law enforcement officers have been serving Special Olympics New Jersey athletes for over 40 years,” says Chief Robert Belfiore, Retired Deputy Chief of the Port Authority of NY/NJ and Director of the New Jersey Torch Run. “As the Director of the Law Enforcement Torch Run, I am privileged to work with such a resilient group of individuals for so long. The Annual Torch Run is stronger than ever thanks to these dedicated men and women of law enforcement, and we will continue to come together as a community in support of the Special Olympics New Jersey mission.”

The Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics New Jersey is recognized as a leader in fundraising among the many programs around the globe, and bounced back to pre-COVID fundraising totals, raising more than \$3.7 million for the athletes of Special Olympics New Jersey.

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# Press Release



“From training to competition, health resources to leadership opportunities, Special Olympics New Jersey provides all its programs completely free of charge to our community,” says Jason Schubert, Senior Director of LETR Initiatives for Special Olympics New Jersey. “And for over 40 years of Special Olympics New Jersey history, law enforcement officers have been supporting these initiatives and raising millions of dollars annually for our athletes.”

For more information on the 2023 Law Enforcement Torch Run, visit [www.NJTorchRun.org](http://www.NJTorchRun.org).

For more information on the 2023 Special Olympics New Jersey Summer Games, visit [www.sonjsummergames.org](http://www.sonjsummergames.org).

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## **ABOUT SPECIAL OLYMPICS NEW JERSEY:**

Special Olympics New Jersey has provided year-round sports training and athletic competition in 24 Olympic-type sports for thousands of children and adults with intellectual disabilities, completely free of charge. Through the joy and power of sports, athletes are provided opportunities to develop physical fitness, demonstrate courage, experience joy and participate in a sharing of gifts, skills and friendship with their families, other Special Olympics athletes and the community. Visit [www.sonj.org](http://www.sonj.org) for more information.

## **ABOUT THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TORCH RUN:**

The Law Enforcement Torch Run (LETR) is part of an international campaign for Special Olympics coordinated and managed by all divisions of Law Enforcement officers and officials from throughout the world whose mission is to raise dollars and awareness of the Special Olympics movement worldwide. The Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics New Jersey has been recognized for many years as one of the top grassroots fundraising organizations for Special Olympics worldwide. In 2022, the LETR for Special Olympics New Jersey raised more than \$3.7 million.

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# Towns the Torch Will Travel Through



The "Flame of Hope" is coming to a town near you!

Town Name	Leg #	Town Name	Leg #	Town Name	Leg #
Aberdeen	7	Deal	7	Hampton	17c
Absecon	8	Delran	14	Hanover	4
Allendale	10a	Demarest	10b	Harrington Park	10b
Allenhurst	7	Diamond Beach	9	Harrison	6
Asbury Park	7	Dumont	10b	Harvey Cedars	13
Atco	8	Dunellen	2	Hasbrouck Heights	6
Atlantic City	8	East Brunswick	15	Haworth	10b
Audubon	8	East Newark	6	Hawthorne	3
Avon	7	East Orange	5	Hazlet	7
Barnegat Light	13	East Rutherford	6	Helmetta	15
Basking Ridge	1c	East Windsor	12a	High Bridge	17c
Bayhead	7	Eatontown	7	Highland Park	11a
Beach Haven	13	Edgewater	10a	Hillsborough Township	2
Belleville	5/6	Edgewater Park	11a	Hillsdale	10b
Belmar	7	Edison	14	Hillside	11a
Bergenfield	10b	Egg Harbor City	8	Hoboken	11a
Berkeley Heights	1c	Egg Harbor Twp	8	Ho-Ho-Kus	10a
Berkley Township	7	Elizabeth	2/11a	Holmdel	7
Berlin	8	Elmwood Park	10a	Hopatcong	1a
Bernardsville	1a	Emerson	10b	Hopewell	12b/17c
Bloomfield	5/18	Englewood	10b	Howell	7a
Bogota	10a	Essex Fells	5	Iselin	11a
Boonton	14	Evesham Township	19	Jackson	7a
Bordentown City	4	Ewing Township	12a/12b	Jamesburg	15
Bordentown Township	14	Fair Lawn	10a	Jersey City	11a/11b
Bound Brook	2	Fairfield	5	Kearny	6
Brick	7	Fairview	10b	Kendall Park	11a
Brielle	7	Fanwood	2	Keyport	7
Burlington City	14	Flemington	17c	Kingston	11a/12a
Burlington Township	14	Florence Township	14	Lake Cuomo	7
Butler	4	Fort Lee	10a	Lakewood Township	7a
Byram Township	1	Franklin	1a	Lavallette	7
Camden	8	Franklin Lakes	10a	Lawnside	8
Cape May	9	Franklin Park	11a	Lawrence Township	12a
Cape May Court House	9	Freehold Township	7a	Lawrenceville	12a
Carlstadt	6	Galloway	8	Leonia	10a/10b
Cedar Grove	5	Garfield	8	Lincoln Park	4
Cedar Knolls	4	Gibbsboro	6	Linden	11a
Chatham Twp	1a	Gillette	1c	Lindenwold	8
Cherry Hill	14	Glen Gardner	17c	Little Falls	5
Chilselhurst	8	Glen Ridge	18	Little Ferry	10b
Cinnaminson	14	Glen Rock	10a	Lodi	6
Clementon	8	Gloucester City	8	Lumberton Township	19
Cliffside Park	10b	Greenwich	17b	Long Beach Island	13
Clifton	5	Hackensack	6/10a/10b	Long Beach Township	13
Clinton	17c	Hackettstown	17a	Long Branch	7
Closter	10b	Haddon Heights	8	Long Hill Township	1c
Collingswood	8	Hainesport	19		
Colonia	11a	Haledon	3		
Cranbury Township	15	Hamburg	1a/1b		
Cranford	2	Hamilton Township	12a		
Cresskill	10b	Hammononton	8		

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# Towns the Torch Will Travel Through



Town Name	Leg #	Town Name	Leg #	Town Name	Leg #
Lopatcong	17	Ocean Township	7	South Amboy	7
Lyndhurst	6	Ogdensburg	1a	South Brunswick	15
Magnolia	8	Old Bridge	7/15	South Hackensack	10b
Manalapan	7a	Old Tappan	10b	South River	15
Manasquan	7	Oradell	10b	Sparta	1a
Mansfield	14/7a	Palisades Park	10b	Spotswood	15
Mantoloking	7	Palmyra	14	Spring Lake	7
Maple Shade	14	Paramus	10a	Springfield Township	1c
Marlboro	7a	Park Ridge	10b	Stanhope	1a
Marlton	19	Parsippany	4	Stone Harbor	9
Maywood	10a	Passaic	5	Stratford	8
McGinley Square	11b	Paterson	5	Summit	1c
Medford Lakes	19	Pennington	12b	Surf City	13
Medford Township	19	Pennsauken Township	14	Sussex	1a
Merchantville	14	Pequannock Township	4	Teaneck	10a
Metuchen	11a	Perth Amboy	7	Tenafly	10b
Middlesex	2	Phillipsburg	17b	Tinton Falls	7
Middletown	7	Piscataway	15	Toms River	7
Midland Park	10a	Plainfield	2	Totowa	5
Millburn	1c	Point Pleasant Beach	7	Union	1c
Milltown	15	Point Pleasant Boro	7	Union City	11a
Monroe Township	15	Princeton	12a	Upper Saddle River	10a
Montclair	18	Prospect Park	3	Vernon Township	1b
Montvale	10b	Rahway	11a	Verona	18
Montville	4	Ramsey	10a	Waldwick	10a
Moorestown	14	Raritan	2	Wall	7
Morris Plains	1a/4	Red Bank	7	Wallington	6
Morris Township	1a	Ridgefield	10b	Wantage	1a
Morristown	1a	Ridgefield Park	10b	Washington	17a/17b/17c
Mount Laurel	14	Ridgewood	10a	Washington Township	17b/17c
Mountain Lakes	4	River Edge	10b	Waterford	8
Mullica	8	River Vale	10b	Wayne	3
Neptune City	7	Riverdale	4	Weehawken	11a
Netcong	1a	Riverside	14	West Caldwell	5
New Brunswick	11a/15	Riverton	14	West Cape May	9
New Providence	1c	Rochelle Park	10a	West Long Branch	7
Newark	5/11a	Roselle	11a	West New York	11a
Newton	1a	Roselle Park	2	West Orange	18
North Arlington	6	Roxbury	1a	West Windsor	12a
North Beach Haven	13	Runnemede	8	Westfield	2
North Bergen	10b/11a	Rutherford	6	Westwood	10b
North Brunswick Township	11a	Saddle Brook	6	Wildwood Crest	9
North Caldwell	5	Saddle River	10a	Willingboro	14
North Haledon	3	Sayreville	7	Willowbrook	5
North Plainfield	2	Scotch Plains	2	Winslow	8
North Wildwood	9	Sea Girt	7	Wood Ridge	6
Northvale	10b	Seaside Heights	7	Woodcliff Lake	10b
Norwood	10b	Seaside Park	7	Wyckoff	10a
Nutley	5	Secaucus	6		
Oakland	10a	Shrewsbury	7		
Oaklyn	8	Somerdale	8		
Ocean Port	7	Somerville	2		

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# 2023 Legs of the Run and Contact Info



Leg #	Contact Info.	Start Location	Start Time	End Location	End Time	# of Miles	Est. # of Runners
1a	Jerry Colligan (973) 462-6422 jc1275bc@gmail.com	Wantage PD 888 State Highway 23 Wantage, NJ 07461	6:00 a.m.	Somerville Shopping Center 451 Route 28 Raritan, NJ 08869	3:35 p.m.	68.1	200
1b		Mountain Creek 200 Route 94 Vernon, NJ 07462	6:40 a.m.	Joins Run 1a at Route 23 and Route 94 Hamburg, NJ 07419	7:10 a.m.	6	50
1c	Ray Gizienski (973) 277-1365 rgizienski@gmail.com	Union PD/Town Hall 981 Caldwell Ave. Union, NJ 07083	9:30 a.m.	Intersection of Long Hill & Basking Ridge Roads Long Hill, NJ 07946	2:00 p.m.	29	50
1d	John Guevara harrisonfc15@yahoo.com	Hanover Police Department 15 North Jefferson Road Whippany, NJ 07981	9:00 a.m.	Madison Community Pool 105 Rosedale Avenue Madison, NJ 07940	11:30 a.m.	12.3	20
2	Mike Sherwood (973) 652-1401 msherwood2420@optonline.net	Wakefern ShopRite 500 Division Street Elizabeth, NJ 07201	10:30 a.m.	Hillsborough ShopRite 601 Route 206 Hillsborough Twp., NJ 08844	4:30 p.m.	35	200
3	Joe Bardi (973) 934-8005 bardij@wpunj.edu	Wayne Municipal Complex 475 Valley Rd. Wayne, NJ 07470	6:30 a.m.	Hawthorne Police Department 445 Lafayette Ave. Hawthorne, NJ 07506	8:00 a.m.	10.5	75
4	George Beylounne (973) 838-4100 beylounne@butlerpd.com	Butler Police Department 10 High St Butler, NJ 07405	8:10 a.m.	Smith Field Park Route 46 Parsippany, NJ 07054	12:06 p.m.	26	125
5	Frank Dara (973) 722-2299 Fdara3@optonline.net	West Caldwell ShopRite 540 Passaic Ave. West Caldwell, NJ 07006	7:40 a.m.	Branchbrook Park 115 Clifton Ave. Newark, NJ 07104	12:10 p.m.	22.6	125
6	Bill Zika (201) 734-1706 papdnynj@gmail.com	Wallington ShopRite 540 Passaic Ave. Wallington, NJ 07057	8:30 a.m.	Economy Supply Hardware 204 Harrison Avenue Harrison, NJ 07029	1:15 p.m.	17.6	100

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7	<b>Brian Belfiore</b> (973) 868-9256 belf52@verizon.net	<b>Island Beach State Park</b> 2401 Central Ave. Seaside Park, NJ 08752	5:00 a.m.	<b>Perth Amboy ShopRite</b> 365 Convery Blvd. Perth Amboy, NJ 08861	3:55 p.m.	59.65	200
7a	<b>Beth Kraus</b> (732) 778-0323 westrich64@msn.com						
7a	<b>Todd Smith</b> (732) 598-5504 ftpdsmith@gmail.com	<b>1700 Madison Avenue</b> Lakewood, NJ 08701	9:00 a.m.	<b>Marlboro ShopRite</b> 208 Route 9 Marlboro, NJ 07751	1:30 p.m.	25	100
8	<b>Gary Evangelista</b> (856) 843-1500 GWE4919@aol.com	<b>Caesars Atlantic City</b> 2100 Pacific Avenue Atlantic City, NJ 08401	5:45 a.m.	<b>The Victor's Pub</b> 1 Market Street Camden, NJ 08102	3:00 p.m.	59	200
9	<b>James Loftus</b> (609) 602-4381 loft85@comcast.net	<b>Cape May Point Lighthouse</b> Light House Ave. Cape May, NJ 08212	8:00 a.m.	<b>Cape May Co. Police Academy</b> 171 Crest Haven Rd. Cape May Courthouse, NJ 08210	12:15 p.m.	25	70
10a	<b>Jim Sepp</b> (201) 647-7301 jamessepp83@gmail.com	<b>Oakland ShopRite</b> 14 Post Rd. Oakland, NJ 07436	5:30 a.m.	<b>Veteran's Field Park</b> 1057-1165 River Road Edgewater, NJ 07020	2:00 p.m.	36.9	170
10b		<b>Northvale ShopRite</b> 246 Livingston Ave. Northvale, NJ 07647	7:00 a.m.	<b>Hudson County Park</b> 9003 Bergenline Avenue North Bergen, NJ 07047	2:20 p.m.	32.0	150
11a	<b>Anna Kot</b> 201-344-6811 akot@hcpc.org	<b>Corner of Bergenline Ave. &amp; 91st St.</b> North Bergen, NJ 07047	9:00 a.m.	<b>Millstone River Bridge</b> Route 27 Kingston, NJ 08528	6:45 p.m.	59.5	350
11a	<b>Jason Gerba</b> 732-407-4233 jayg322@aol.com						
11a	<b>Chelsea Richard</b> 732-670-7990 Chelsea.Richard.nj7@gmail.com						
11b	<b>Vanessa Lamboy-Wojtowicz</b> (201) 547-5455 VLamboy@NJJCPS.ORG	<b>Pick up torch from 11a at</b> Secaucus Rd. & Kennedy Blvd. Union City, NJ 07087	10:15 a.m.	<b>Passes torch back to 11a at</b> Communipaw Ave. & West Side Ave. Jersey City, NJ 07304	10:45 a.m.	3.5	30
11c	<b>Chris Rinalidi</b> (201) 893-8938 chrisrin@gmail.com	<b>Secaucus Police Department</b> 1203 Paterson Plank Road Secaucus, NJ 07094	10:00 a.m.	<b>Secaucus High School</b> 11 Millridge Road Secaucus, NJ 07094	11:15 a.m.	4.2	25

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12a	<b>Chip Bartkowski</b> (609) 915-6085 bartkowskikarl@gmail.com	<b>Millstone River Bridge</b> Route 27 Kingston, NJ 08528	5:12 p.m.	<b>Lions Stadim at The College of New Jersey</b> Metzger Drive Ewing, NJ 08638	7:20 p.m.	12.8	50
12b		<b>Pennington ShopRite</b> 2555 Pennington Road Pennington, NJ 08534	6:15 p.m.	<b>Joins 12a at Ewingville Rd. &amp; Green Ln. intersection</b> Ewing, NJ 08638	7:10 p.m.	2.2	50
13	<b>Jimmy Ayers</b> (609) 354-8586 jayers@lbtpd.org  <b>Kevin Lyons</b> (609) 548-2930 lpp@njspsba.com	<b>Southernmost part of Long Beach Island Parking Lot</b> 5699 Long Beach Blvd. Long Beach Twp., NJ 08008	8:30 a.m.	<b>Barnegat Lighthouse State Park</b> 208 Broadway Barnegat Light, NJ 08006	12:00 p.m.	20.2	50
14a	<b>Bryan Norcross</b> (856) 701-0627 norcross.bryan@gmail.com	<b>Bordentown ShopRite</b> 622 Route 206 Bordentown, NJ 08505	7:00 a.m.	<b>Burlington County Special Services</b> 20 Pioneer Blvd. Westampton, NJ 08060	1:30 p.m.	30	50
14b		<b>Pennsauken PD</b> 2400 Bethel Avenue Pennsauken, NJ 08109	7:00 a.m.	<b>Burlington County Special Services</b> 20 Pioneer Blvd. Westampton, NJ 08060	1:30 p.m.	30	50
15	<b>Chris Neder</b> (732) 312-7234 christopher.neder@co.middlesex.nj.us	<b>Middlesex County Adult Corrections Center</b> Route 130 North Brunswick, NJ 08902	6:00 a.m.	<b>Rutgers SHI Football Stadium</b> 1 Scarlet Knight Way Piscataway, NJ 08854	1:30 p.m.	39.7	250
17a	<b>Meg Hammond</b> (908) 399-3672 Meghammond98@hotmail.com	<b>Knights of Columbus</b> 142 Liberty Street Hackettstown, NJ 07840	8:30 a.m.	<b>Route 31 &amp; Route 57 intersection</b> Washington, NJ 07882	12:00 p.m.	12.5	50
17b		<b>Greenwich ShopRite</b> 1207 Route 22 Phillipsburg, NJ 08865	8:15 a.m.	<b>Joins 17a at Route 31 &amp; Route 57</b> Washington, NJ 07882	12:00 p.m.	17.4	50
17c		<b>North Hunterdon Library</b> 65 Halstead Street Clinton, NJ 08809	9:00 a.m.	<b>Route 202 and 31 South Intersection at Toad Lane</b> Ringoes, NJ 08551	1:15 p.m.	13.5	60
18	<b>Ken Miscia</b> (201) 452-8018 kmishjr@gmail.com  <b>Paul Rusiniak</b> (973) 509-4776 prusiniak@montclairnjusa.org	<b>Wilshire Grand Hotel</b> 350 Pleasant Valley Way West Orange, NJ 07052	8:30 a.m.	<b>Bloomfield PBA Hall</b> 1-9 Watsessing Ave. Bloomfield, NJ 07003	10:20 a.m.	6.5	50
19	<b>Al Tittermary</b> (856) 816-7027 atittermary@comcast.net	<b>Marlton ShopRite</b> 307 West Route 70 Marlton, NJ 08053	7:00 a.m.	<b>Burlington County Courthouse</b> 49 Rancocas Road Mt. Holly, NJ 08060	1:30 p.m.	23	60



# Law Enforcement Depts. That Participated in 2022\*



**\*all are expected to participate again in 2023**

Aberdeen PD	Chatham Twp PD	Freehold Boro PD
Aberdeen Twp. PD	Cherry Hill PD	Freehold Twp PD
Absecon PD	Cinnaminson PD	Galloway Twp PD
Allendale PD	Clayton PD	Garfield PD
Allenhurst PD	Cliffside Park PD	Garwood PD
Andover PD	Clifton PD	General
Asbury Park PD	Clifton Recreation	General Run 10
Atlantic City PBA Local 24	Closter PD	General, Run 5
Atlantic County Department of Public Safety	Collingswood PD	Gibbsboro PD
Atlantic County Jail	Cranbury Twp PD	Glen Ridge PD
Atlantic County Prosecutor's Office	Cranford PD	Glen Rock PD
Audubon PD	Cresskill PD	Gloucester County Police Academy
Avalon PD	CSX Railroad Police	Gloucester Twp PD
Barrington PD	Deal PD	Green Brook Twp PD
Bay Head PD	Delaware River Port Authority	Greenwich Twp PD
Bayonne PD	Delran PD	Guttenberg PD
Beachwood PD	Demarest PD	Hackensack PD
Bedminster Twp PD	Department of Homeland Security - Immigration & Customs Enforcement	Hackettstown PD
Belleville PD	Department of the Treasury-IRS, Criminal Investigation	Haddon Twp PD
Belmar PD	Dept. of Homeland Security - US Customs & Border Patrol	Haddonfield PD
Bergen County PD	Dept. of Immigration and Customs Enforcement - Newark	Haledon PD
Bergen County Prosecutor's Office	Deptford Twp PD	Hamburg PD
Bergen County Sheriff's Dept. Bureau of Police	Dumont PD	Hamilton PD - Run 8
Bergenfield PD - Run 10	Dunellen PD	Hamilton Police Division - Run 12
Bergenfield PD - Run 6	East Brunswick PD	Hammononton PD
Berkeley Heights PD	East Hanover PD	Hanover PD
Berkeley Twp PBA Local 237	East Newark PD	Harding Twp PD
Berkeley Twp PD	East Rutherford PD	Hardyston Twp PD
Berlin PD	East Windsor Twp PD	Harrison PD
Bernards Twp PD	Eatontown PD	Hasbrouck Heights PD
Bernardsville PD	Edgewater Park PD	Haworth PD
Blairstown Twp PD	Edgewater PD	Hawthorne PD
Bloomfield PD	Edison PD	Hawthorne Police Association
Bloomingtondale PD	Egg Harbor Twp PD	Hazlet PD
Bogota PD	Elizabeth PD	Highland Park PD
Boonton PD	Elmwood Park PD	Hightstown PD
Bordentown City PD	Emerson PD	Hillsborough Twp PD
Bordentown Twp PD	Englewood Cliffs PD	Hillsdale PD
Bound Brook/Piscataway PBAs	Englewood PD	Hillside PD - Run 10
Bradley Beach PD	Essex County Corrections	Hillside PD - Run 11
Branchburg Twp PD	Essex County Prosecutor's Office	Hoboken PD
Brick Twp PD	Essex County Sheriff's Dept.	Ho-Ho-Kus PD
Bridgewater PD	Essex Fells PD	Holmdel PD
Brielle PD	Evesham Twp PD	Hopatcong PD
Brooklawn PD	Ewing Twp PD	Hopewell Twp PD
Burlington City PD	Fair Lawn PD	Howell Twp PD
Burlington County Dept of Correctional Police	Fairfield PD	Hudson County DOC and Rehabilitation
Burlington County FOP Lodge #2	Fanwood PD	Hudson County Prosecutor's Office
Burlington County Prosecutor's Office	Far Hills PD	Hudson County Sheriff's Dept
Burlington County Sheriff's Dept	FBI-Newark	Hunterdon County Communications
Burlington Twp PD	FBI-NY	Hunterdon County PBA Local 188
Butler PD	FBI-Red Bank	Hunterdon County Prosecutor's Office
Byram Twp PD	Federal Agents PBA Local 121	Hunterdon County Sheriff's Dept
Camden County DOC	Florence Twp PD	IRS-CID
Camden County PD	Florham Park PD	Italian American Police Society of New Jersey
Camden County Prosecutor's Office	FOP Lodge 34	Jackson Twp PD
Camden Metro Police	Fort Lee PD	Jamesburg PD
Camden PD	Franklin Boro PD	Jersey City PD
Cape May County Local 401	Franklin Twp PD (Somerset County)	Kearny PD
Cape May County Prosecutor's Office		Kenilworth PD
Carlstadt PD		
Cedar Grove PD		
Chatham Boro PD		

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Keyport PD  
Kinnelon Boro PD  
Lady Blue & Gold NJSP  
Lake Cumo PD  
Lakewood PD  
Lavallette PD  
Lawrence Twp PD  
Leonia PD  
LETR State Committee  
Lincoln Park PD  
Linden PD  
Lindenwold PD  
Linwood PD  
Little Egg Harbor Twp PD  
Little Falls PD  
Little Ferry PD  
Lodi PD  
Long Beach Island PBA #175  
Long Beach Twp. PBA Local #373  
Long Beach Twp. PD  
Long Branch PD  
Long Hill Twp PD  
Lopatcong PD  
Lower Twp PD  
Lumberton Twp PD  
Lyndhurst PD  
Madison Boro PD  
Mahwah PD  
Mainland PBA Local 77  
Manalapan PD  
Manasquan PD  
Mansfield Twp PD (Burlington County)  
Mansfield Twp PD (Warren County)  
Mantoloking PD  
Manville PD  
Maple Shade PD  
Maplewood PD  
Margate PD  
Marlboro Twp PD  
Maywood PD  
Matawan PD  
Medford Lakes Boro PD  
Medford Twp PD  
Mercer County Prosecutor's Office  
Mercer County Sheriff's Dept  
Metuchen PD  
Middle Twp PD  
Middlesex Boro PD  
Middlesex County DOC  
Middlesex County Prosecutor's Office  
Middlesex County Sheriff's Dept  
Middlesex PD  
Middletown Twp PD  
Midland Park PD  
Millburn PD  
Milltown PD  
Monmouth County PBA 256  
Monmouth County Prosecutor's Office  
Monmouth County Sheriff's Office  
Monmouth University PD  
Monroe Twp PD (Gloucester County)  
Monroe Twp PD (Middlesex County)  
Montclair PD

Montclair State University PD  
Montvale PD  
Montville Twp PD  
Moorestown PD  
Morris County Prosecutor's Office  
Morris County Sheriff's Dept  
Morris Plains PD  
Morris Twp PD  
Morristown Bureau of Police  
Mountain Lakes PD  
Mt. Holly PD  
Mt. Laurel FOP Lodge 191  
Mt. Olive Twp PD  
Mullica Twp PD  
N.J.P.B.A. #296  
N.J.S.P.B.A. Association #265  
Neptune City PD  
Neptune Twp PD  
Netcong Boro PD  
New Brunswick PD  
New Jersey Devils  
New Jersey Division of Criminal Justice  
New Jersey Knights of Columbus  
New Jersey State FOP  
New Jersey State PBA  
New Jersey State Police - Run 7  
New Milford PD - Run 10  
New Milford PD - Run 6  
New Providence PD  
Newark PD  
Newton PD  
NJ Conservation Officers  
NJ Juvenile Justice Commission  
NJ State Park Police - Run 4  
NJ State Park Police - Run 8  
NJ State Parole - District Office #6  
NJ State Parole - Run 5  
NJ State Parole Officers PBA Local 326 - Run 8  
NJ State Parole Officers PBA Local 326 North - Run 15  
NJ State Police - NJDOC  
NJ State Police - Perryville  
NJ State Police - Troop D  
NJ State Police - Washington Station  
NJ Transit PD  
NJDOC  
NJDOC  
NJDOC  
NJIA FOP #174  
North Arlington PD  
North Bergen PD  
North Brunswick PD  
North Caldwell PD  
North Haledon PD  
Northvale PD  
Norwood PD  
Nutley PD  
Oakland PD  
Oaklyn PD  
Ocean City PD  
Ocean County Prosecutor's Office  
Ocean Twp PBA  
Ocean Twp PD

Ogdensburg PD  
Old Bridge PD  
Old Tappan PD  
Oradell PD  
Palisades Park PD  
Palmyra PD  
Paramus PD  
Park Ridge PD  
Parsippany PD  
Passaic County Corrections PBA 197  
Passaic County Police and Fire Emerald Society  
Passaic County Prosecutor's Office  
Passaic County Sheriff's Dept.  
Passaic County Technical Institute  
Passaic PD  
Paterson PD  
Paulsboro PD  
PBA 105, NJ DOC - Run 5  
PBA 105, NJ DOC - Run 7  
PBA Local 30  
PBA Local 362  
Peapack/Gladstone PD  
Pennsauken PD  
Pequannock Twp PD  
Perth Amboy PD  
Phillipsburg PD  
Pitman PD  
Plainfield PD  
Plainsboro Twp PD  
Point Pleasant Beach PD  
Point Pleasant Boro PD  
Pompton Lakes PD  
Port Authority of NY & NJ - Run 1  
Port Authority of NY & NJ - Run 10  
Port Authority of NY & NJ - Run 11  
Port Authority of NY & NJ - Run 2  
Port Authority of NY & NJ - Run 6  
Port Authority of NY & NJ - Run 7  
Princeton PD  
Princeton University PD  
Prospect Park PD  
Rahway PD  
Ramsey PD  
Randolph PD  
Raritan Borough PD  
Raritan PD  
Red Bank PD  
Richard Stockton University PD  
Ridgefield Park PD  
Ridgefield PBA  
Ridgewood PD  
River Edge PD  
River Vale PD  
Riverdale PD  
Riverside Twp PD  
Riverton PD  
Robbinsville Twp PD  
Rochelle Park PD  
Roselle Park PD

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# Law Enforcement Depts. That Participated in 2022\*



Roselle PD  
Roxbury PD  
Rutgers University Lodge #62  
Rutherford PD  
Saddle Brook PD  
Saddle River PD  
Sayreville PD  
Scotch Plains PD  
Sea Girt PD  
Seaside Park PD  
Secaucus PBA Local 84  
Ship Bottom PD  
Shrewsbury Boro PD  
Somerset County Corrections PBA Local 177  
Somerset County Prosecutor's Office  
Somerset County Sheriff's Dept  
Somerset County Sheriff's SOA  
Somerville PD  
South Amboy PD  
South Brunswick PD - Run 11  
South Brunswick PD - Run 15  
South Hackensack PD  
South Plainfield PD  
South River PD  
Southern Camden County PBA  
Sparta PD  
Spotswood/Helmetta PDs  
Spring Lake Heights PD  
Spring Lake PD  
Springfield PD  
Stafford Twp. PD  
Stone Harbor PD  
Summit PD  
Sussex County Corrections  
Sussex County PAL  
Sussex County Prosecutor's Office  
Sussex County Sheriff's Dept  
Teaneck PD  
Tenafly PD  
Tewksbury-Lebanon PBA #386  
The College of New Jersey PD  
Tinton Falls PD  
Toms River PD  
Trenton State DOC  
Tuckerton Boro PBA 295  
Union City PD  
Union County DOC  
Union County PD  
Union County Prosecutor's Office  
Union County Sheriff's Dept  
Union Twp PD  
United States Park Police - NYFO  
Upper Saddle River PD  
US Customs and Border Protection  
Ventnor City PD  
Vernon Twp PD  
Verona PD  
Vineland PD  
Voorhees PD  
Waldwick PD  
Wall Twp PD  
Wallington PD  
Wanaque PD

Warren County DOC  
Warren County Prosecutor's Office  
Warren County Sheriff's Dept  
Warren County Vo Tech Law & Public Safety  
Warren County PBA Local 280  
Washington Twp PD (Bergen County)  
Washington Twp PD (Mercer County)  
Washington Twp PD (Morris County)  
Watchung PBA Local 193  
Watchung PD  
Waterford Twp PD  
Wayne PBA  
Weehawken PD  
West Caldwell PD  
West Long Branch PD  
West Milford PD  
West New York PD  
West Orange PD  
West Windsor PD  
Westampton Twp PD  
Westfield PD  
Wharton PD  
William Paterson University PD  
Willingboro Twp PD  
Winslow Twp PD  
Woodbridge PD  
Woodcliff Lake PD  
Woodland Park PD  
Wood-Ridge PD  
Wyckoff P.B.A., Local #261

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# 2023 SONJ Summer Games Fact Sheet



## 2023 Summer Games

Over 2,000 Special Olympics athletes and Unified partners from throughout New Jersey, joined by hundreds of coaches, thousands of volunteers, family members, friends, and spectators, will participate in the 2023 Special Olympics New Jersey Summer Games. Athletes will compete in bocce, gymnastics, powerlifting, softball, swimming, tennis and track & field.

### Competition Events:



#### Tennis

June 9 - 9:00 a.m.  
June 10 - 8:30 a.m.  
June 11 - 8:30 a.m.  
Tennis Courts, TCNJ



#### Bocce

June 10 - 8:00 a.m.  
June 11 - 8:00 a.m.  
Field Hockey & Lacrosse Complex,  
TCNJ



#### Powerlifting

June 10 - 9:00 a.m.  
Kendall Hall, TCNJ



#### Swimming

June 10 - 8:00 a.m.  
June 11 - 8:00 a.m.  
Aquatic Center, TCNJ



#### Softball

June 10 - 8:00 a.m.  
June 11 - 8:00 a.m.  
Armstrong Memorial Park, Ewing, NJ



#### Track & Field

June 10 - 8:00 a.m.  
June 11 - 8:00 a.m.  
Track & Field Complex, TCNJ  
and George Ackerman Park, TCNJ



#### Gymnastics

June 11 - 8:30 a.m.  
Schafer Sports Center, Ewing, NJ

### Special Events:

#### Games Reception\*

*\*by invitation only*  
June 9 -- 5:30 p.m.  
Brower Student Center, TCNJ

#### Opening Ceremony

June 9 -- 7:30 p.m.  
Lions Stadium, TCNJ

#### Young Athletes Activities

June 10 & 11 - 9:45 a.m.  
Dr. June Walker Field, TCNJ

#### Young Athletes Future Stars Race

June 10 & 11 - 12:00 p.m.  
Track & Field Complex, TCNJ

#### Healthy Athletes

June 10 - 9:00 a.m.  
*\*Opening Eyes will close at 3:00 p.m.*  
June 11 - 9:00 a.m.  
*\*Opening Eyes will close at 12:00 p.m.*  
Brower Student Center, TCNJ

#### Olympic Village

June 10 - 10:00 a.m.  
June 11 - 10:00 a.m.  
Trenton Hall Lawn, TCNJ

#### Closing Ceremony

June 11 - 12:00 p.m.  
Trenton Hall Patio, TCNJ

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