

News Release

April 25th, 2010

Special Olympics Windsor & Area

Caboto Charity Pasta Night

Wednesday, May 5th at 4:30 p.m to 7:30 pm., Caboto Club

Special Olympics Windsor & Area along with G. Caboto Club's Charity Committee will be hosting a Pasta Dinner on Wednesday, May 5th at the Caboto Club in Windsor. All money raised from this event will help support our local athlete's journey to the National Games being held in London, Ontario. Area athletes will be competing in Softball, Rhythmic Gymnastics, Track & Field and Bowling.

Team Ontario athletes come from neighbourhoods big and small and will represent not only our Province, but local communities as well. The members of Team Ontario have qualified because of their outstanding performance at the Durham Spring Games and the Special Olympics Ontario Provincial Summer Games that were held here in Windsor this past summer.

Team Ontario is comprised of 319 athletes, 77 coaches and 14 Mission Staff from all across the province. The National Summer Games are also a qualifying event for the 2011 World Summer Games to be held in Greece.

Congratulations to our local athletes and coaches of the Team Ontario training squad.

Coaches

Sloane Crease – LaSalle - Track & Field

Karen Clarke – Windsor – Rhythmic Gymnastics

Janet Morton – LaSalle – Softball

Athletes

James Boyce – Windsor – Soccer

Dave Rudge – Windsor – Soccer

Kitch Grubb – Leamington - Aquatics

Celine LaBrecque – Rhythmic Gymnastics – Amherstburg

Jordan Miner – LaSalle – Softball

Charlie Johnston – LaSalle – Softball

Dan Morton – Amherstburg – Softball

Don Malette – LaSalle - Softball

Debra Thompson – Windsor – 5-Pin Bowling

Paul Rodrigues – Leamington – 10 Pin Bowling

Catherine Jones – Windsor – Track & Field

Cody Crease – LaSalle – Track & Field

Jasmyn Kersey – LaSalle – Track & Field

Joey Laurin – Windsor – Track & Field

Shawn Tofflemire – Essex – Track & Field

The 2010 Special Olympic Canada Summer Games will be held in London, Ontario from July 11 to 18th, 2010. Over 1400 athletes, coaches and mission staff from across the country will be in attendance at the event.

Special Olympics offers individuals with the chance to experience and succeed in sport allowing their self-confidence to grow which they can then carryover to become more active citizens in our community.

G. Caboto Club's Charity Pasta Committee asks you to join them in supporting this wonderful organization which provides much needed services in our community. Dinner includes pasta with choice of tomato or meat sauce, salad, buns, coffee, tea and desserts. Tickets are \$8 for Adults, \$7.50 for Seniors (60+) and \$6 for Children 5-12 years. Take-out will also be available for \$9 per serving.

Take this opportunity to meet with our local athletes and share in their experience through this amazing journey. There will be an information table along with media and memorabilia from their exciting journey.

For more information on the National Games visit their website: www.london2010.ca

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