



### By the Numbers

Numbers that shape the 2006 Special Olympics USA National Games:

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| 0 –       | Number of National Games held prior to this year   |
| 0 –       | Cost of the entry fee for competitors  |
| 5 –       | Number of days of athletic competitions  |
| 12 –      | Number of Olympic-style sports athletes will participate in                                    |
| 15 –      | Number of trucks required to haul drinking water needed for the National Games                 |
| 16 –      | Number of sport venues at the National Games   |
| 20 –      | Number of celebrities volunteering at the National Games                                       |
| 48 –      | Number of states with representatives in the United States Law Enforcement Torch Run®          |
| 50 –      | Number of states participating in the National Games   |
| 75 –      | Number of average seconds between Cessna Airlift takeoffs and departures over a 12-hour period |
| 90 –      | Number of communities within Iowa and Illinois the Torch Run will involve                      |
| 150 –     | Number of countries served by Special Olympics   |
| 230 –     | Number of Cessna Citations involved in the airlift   |
| 1,800 –   | Number of athletes served by Cessna Citation Airlift   |
| 2,000 –   | Number of coaches and officials participating in National Games                                |
| 3,000 –   | Number of Special Olympics athletes participating in National Games                            |
| 6,000 –   | Number of medals expected to be given out during National Games                                |
| 8,000 –   | Number of volunteers participating in National Games   |
| 14,500 –  | Number of people expected to watch Opening Ceremonies  |
| 40,000 –  | Number of spectators and family members expected at National Games                             |
| 50,000 –  | Number of actual citizens of Ames, Iowa  |
| 550,000 – | Number of Americans who participate in Special Olympics  |

- 2,250,000 – Number of people worldwide who participate in Special Olympics
- 7,000,000 – Number of Americans with intellectual disabilities
- 170,000,000 – Number of people worldwide with intellectual disabilities

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