

New Hampshire Special Olympics

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For the 31st year in a row, McDonald's Restaurants of Exeter, Dover, Rochester, Newington, Greenland, Seabrook, Newmarket, Portsmouth and Salem supported the New Hampshire Special Olympic Summer Games. The nine restaurants combined cooked 4,800 fajitas on Saturday, June 3rd and delivered them to the University of New Hampshire, just in time to feed the hungry Special Olympians, coaches and volunteers. Gina Warner, manager of Dover McDonald's, organized the food preparation and delivery schedule, as well as organizing volunteers to help stuff the 2,400 bagged meals at the field. This year as in the past, we had some very special volunteers help us with preparing and handing out the lunches. From McDonald's Corporation in Westwood, Art Rico and his daughter, Dick Bisbee and his family, Joe Carey and his wife, Ellen Locke and Glenn Ivey and his family volunteered their time. Employees from the Windham Office Staff returned to show their support. They were Chris Bodenrader, Shannon Reagan, Judy Urban and Debbie Thompson. Special thanks also go out to Area Supervisors Larry Lane and Chad Evans and to Vice President Bob McDougall and his family.

For years McDonald's has been a major supporter of the Special Olympics games by providing volunteers and food for the games. Everyone who took part this year deserves a special thanks.