

## 2018 Special Olympics USA Games Seattle, WA- July 1-6, 2018



## Maryam Zlitni

**USA Games Sport**: Unified *Soccer* 

**Age**: 17

Hometown: Bonner Springs, Kansas

Local Team: Bonner Springs High

School

**Volunteer for Special Olympics**: 4

years

Other Sports: Unified Basketball

"Attending the USA Games will be an incredible experience because it is something new, exciting, and great for my school and local Special Olympics program."

## **Favorite Fun Facts**

• Color: Pink

Movie: Spirit

♦ TV show: Grey's Anatomy

• Food: Thai food, strawberries, ice cream

• Music: Anything besides Country

**♦ Book:** Meditations

Sports Team: KU Basketball

Hobby: Being at the pool

Maryam has worked for Cam Great Adventure for the past year. In the future, she hopes to become a psychiatrist or surgeon. Every year, she volunteers during the summer at the Successful Sounds summer camps for autistic children, along with volunteering at the Ronald McDonald house for 1 hour per month for the past 2 years.

Special Olympics has helped Maryam gain new friends, role models, and attain more opportunities. Maryam enjoys playing volleyball and has been to 7 countries.

Maryam's accomplishments include: President of National Honor Society, an Honor Roll student, and member of varsity volleyball team at her school.

