COVID and social distancing has prevented Special Olympics Kansas (SOKS) from hosting our annual Convos in person for 2020. The Convoy is one of the most anticipated events not only for the drivers, but also SOKS athletes who line the roads and overpasses to cheer on the parades. Further, it has been over 6 months since SOKS athletes have been able to practice sports, meet with friends, or participate in Healthy Athletes events. Effectively, COVID has taken them from the playing fields to the sidelines...

HOWEVER, it’s time for the Convoy and its participants to rally again around our athletes and move them back to the playing fields. As Special Olympics Kansas continues to return to activity and build online training, your participation in the Convoy can help ensure our programs are ready for all 4800 athletes. The Convoy has always delivered smiles, and promises to do so again for 2020!

THIS YEAR, we are asking you to enroll your company vehicles, personal cars, or motorcycles and help us log over 3,000 miles for the Special Olympics Kansas Convoy! For full details on participation, please see the back of this flyer.

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Details, rules, and ONLINE registration available at:

www.ksso.org/convoy

Special Olympics Kansas Convoy Paper Entry Form
(Or go to ksso.org/convoy to do it online!)

Please sign waiver and return this portion with entry fee made payable to: Special Olympics Kansas 5280 Foxridge Drive, Mission, KS 66202 or call 620.408.4450 to pay by credit card.

Name: _____________________________________________________  Circle one registration type:

Address: ____________________________________________________  $100 - Big Rig Package - includes 2020
City, State, Zip: ______________________________________________  Convoy shirt, hat, and decal
Phone Number: ______________________________________________  $50 - Tandem Package - includes 2020
Email Address: ______________________________________________  Convoy shirt and decal
Company (if applicable): ______________________________________  $25 - Bobtail Package - includes 2020
Shirt Size ($25 if not included in package): S  M  L  XL  XXL  XXXL  XXXXL  XXXXXL
Free - Part of a sponsorship package
Rules for the Convoy
1. Have fun! Even though we can’t be together, it doesn’t mean we can’t have fun!
2. Vehicles must be road safe and in good working order.
3. All participating vehicles and drivers must register with Special Olympics Kansas. Registration can be done by attaching the form below and returning to SOKS with payment. (Address is: SOKS, ATTN: Convoy, 5280 Foxridge Drive, Mission, KS 66202)
4. Any vehicle or mode of transportation is welcome to participate! Motorcycles, cars, light duty trucks, semis, tractor trailers, vans, or scooters may join with their paid entry.

One week prior to the Convoy
1. All participants will receive via USPS mail a welcome packet. The packet will contain one (1) mileage log and one (1) official Special Olympics Kansas Convoy vehicle decal.
2. Those participants who have paid for shirts and hats will be notified of local merchandise pickup locations throughout Kansas and the hours of those events. Arrangements can also be made by contacting any of the committee members listed on the front of this form.

Day of Convoy
1. Be sure to clean the area on your vehicle before applying the official Convoy decal. SOKS is not responsible for any damage done to a vehicle’s shine or polish.
2. Please take photos of your journey in the Convoy! Stop along Kansas’ scenic byways or historical markers. Get creative!
3. Share your photos or videos to our social media channels. (Facebook: Special Olympics Kansas, Twitter and Instagram: @sokansas
4. At the end of the day, complete the official mileage log and return it to Special Olympics Kansas. Logs can be emailed to schultel@ksso.org or mailed to SOKS at the address above.
5. Remove decal.

After the Convoy
1. Visit SOKS’ social media accounts for final tallies and view participant photos.
2. Thank local sponsors!
3. Visit ksso.org for upcoming events and details regarding the online auction that is typically held in person at the Convos.
4. Celebrate knowing you helped bring Special Olympics Kansas back to activity for our athletes!

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In consideration of participating in the Special Olympics Kansas, Inc. Truck Convoy ("Activity"), I represent that I understand the nature of this fundraising event and that I and/or my minor child am qualified, in good health, and in proper physical condition to participate in such Activity. I acknowledge that if I and/or my minor child believe event conditions are unsafe, I and/or my minor child will immediately discontinue participation in the Activity.

I fully understand that some fundraising events involve risks of serious bodily injury, including viral infections, bacterial infections and other communicable diseases and illnesses, permanent disability, paralysis and death, which may be caused by my own actions, or inactions, those of others participating in the event, the conditions in which the event takes place, or the negligence of the "releasees" named below; and that there may be other risks either not known to me or not readily foreseeable at this time; and I fully accept and assume all such risks and all responsibility for losses, costs, and damages I and/or my minor child incur as a result of my and/or my minor child’s participation in the Activity.

I hereby release, discharge, and covenant not to sue Special Olympics, Inc., Special Olympics Kansas, Inc., its respective administrators, directors, agents, officers, volunteers, and employees, other participants, any sponsors, advertisers, and, if applicable, owners and lessors of premises on which the Activity takes place, (each considered one of the "RELEASEES" herein) from all liability, claims, demands, losses, or damages on my account caused or alleged to be caused in whole or in part by the negligence of the "releasees" or otherwise, including negligent rescue operations; and I further agree that if, despite this release, waiver of liability, and assumption of risk I, or anyone on my and/or my minor child’s behalf, makes a claim against any of the Releasees, I will indemnify, save, and hold harmless each of the releasees from any loss, liability, damage, or cost which any may incur as the result of such claim.

I hereby authorize Special Olympics International, Inc. and Special Olympics Kansas, Inc. to use my name, likeness, statements and other identifying information, including in photographs, video, and recordings for the purposes of publicizing and promoting Special Olympics, this fundraising event, or other purposes For Special Olympics, worldwide, in perpetuity. This authorization includes use in any media now known or hereinafter devised throughout the universe, including but not limited to print and on the World Wide Web. I understand that I will not be compensated for such use and that Special Olympics is not obligated to use my name, likeness or statements or other identifying information.

I have read this RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY, ASSUMPTION OF RISK, AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, AND PARENTAL CONSENT AGREEMENT ("AGREEMENT"), understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing it and have signed it freely and without any inducement or assurance of any nature and intend it to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability to the greatest extent allowed by law and agree that if any portion of this agreement is held to be invalid the balance, notwithstanding, shall continue in full force and effect.

Signature: ___________________________    Date: ______________________