

Proclamation

Of

May 5 as Special Olympics Day

WHEREAS, over 400 athletes will gather for the Buncombe County Special Olympic Spring Games on May 5, 2011; and

WHEREAS, athletes will compete in track and field events to celebrate their gifts and abilities; and

WHEREAS, many of these specially gifted athletes will show how they are able to succeed and to inspire; and

WHEREAS, through Buncombe County Special Olympics, friendships will be established between volunteers and athletes and with the help of a host of citizen volunteers, the athletes from Buncombe County will enjoy the fellowship of their fellow Olympians as well as earn the respect of many others; and

WHEREAS, the Buncombe County Special Olympics spring program will be promoted throughout the County in an effort to increase volunteer support and awareness.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IE PROCLAIMED by the Board of Commissioners for the County of Buncombe as follows:

1. That Thursday, May 5, 2011 be and it is hereby proclaimed:

SPECIAL OLYMPICS DAY

in Buncombe County.

2. That citizens be urged to take part in the programs scheduled for this week and that the athletes that compete in these games have fun and great success.
3. That this proclamation be effective upon its adoption.

ADOPTED this the 3rd day of May, 2011.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR THE
COUNTY OF BUNCOMBE

DAVID GANTT, CHAIRMAN