

# the chair

who is on the throne?



**Rudy Sleiman**  
**Event Chair**  
**Breakfast with Champions**  
**Special Olympics**

**S**ports brings people together. They create lasting memories, instill core confidence and teach lessons about not giving up. Sports hone integral skills that shape futures and present opportunities. Getting accepted into a competitive sport is difficult. Not everyone makes the cut. For those with intellectual disabilities, the chances of making the roster is an impossible dream. Unless the athlete plays for Special Olympics Arizona. It is here that athletes play the same sports in a challenging, fun and accepting environment that embraces their differences. The playing field is fair and it is one where they can finally be the star on the field.

The 10th year anniversary of the Breakfast with Champions benefiting Special Olympics Arizona is being chaired by Rudy Sleiman. This signature event will be held on Thursday, October 6th at the Camelback Inn in Paradise Valley. "As a member of the board, long time supporter of Special Olympics and a proud father of three children, with a 17 year old son with special needs who competes in Special Olympics Arizona, this is an honor," says Rudy.

Attended by over a 1,000 participants, expect a dynamic morning full of entertainment and inspiration, and most importantly raising awareness and funds for Special Olympics athletes across this great state of Arizona.

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