



# Special Olympics **CONFRENCING:** **Soccer**



Conferences are aligned to provide **balanced competition**.

Conference distribution considers **participation** numbers and **geography**.

**Soccer** offers five conferences across the province allowing for balanced competition for athletes of all abilities.

#### **Cavalry:**

- ICHA
- London
- Sarnia
- St Thomas
- Stratford
- Woodstock

#### **Forge:**

- Burlington
- Guelph
- Hamilton
- Milton
- Niagara Falls
- Oakville
- Welland
- West Niagara

#### **Valour:**

- Barrie
- North Bay
- Orillia
- Peterborough
- South Saugeen
- Sudbury
- Timmins

#### **Nine:**

- Aurora
- Brampton
- Mississauga
- Newmarket
- Thunder Bay
- Toronto
- Vaughan
- York South

#### **Wanderers:**

- Arnprior
- Brockville
- Kingston
- Ottawa
- Pembroke
- Perth

#### **Impact\*:**

- High Performance

**\*By Invite**

#### **YEAR ONE OF TWO YEAR ELIGIBILITY- WHAT DOES IT MEAN FOR MY TEAM?**

The summer of 2019 is year one for summer sports in the Two Year Eligibility process. Teams **MUST** compete at a SOO competition This season and send their results into SOO.



#### **WHAT'S IN A NAME?**

Each soccer conference is named after a professional Canadian soccer team.



#### **ANY OTHER QUESTIONS?**

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**An evenly-matched competition makes athletes and teams try harder—and push farther.**

**It's about athletes rising to a challenge—and giving it their all!**

**All they need to do ... is THEIR very best.**