

Special Olympics and Minnesota Magic

Gold, Bronze, and Big Smiles

Crystal and Brianne are back from the **Special Olympics USA Games in Minnesota**, and what a week they had!

The two traveled to Minnesota to represent **Oregon in Bocce Ball**, and they absolutely made the most of the experience. After days of competition, cheering, laughing, and making memories, Crystal and Brianne brought home a **Bronze Medal in team competition!**

But wait... there's more!

Crystal kept her winning streak going and earned an incredible **GOLD MEDAL** overall!

Anyone who knows Crystal knows she puts her whole heart into everything she does. Whether she's competing, spending time with friends, or taking on a new challenge, she shows up with determination, positivity, and a smile that can light up a room. Watching her shine on the national stage was something truly special.

And let's hear it for Brianne, too! Having a great teammate makes all the difference, and Brianne was there every step of the way—supporting, encouraging, celebrating, and sharing in the adventure.

Together, they made a fantastic team and represented Oregon proudly.

Of course, the medals are exciting, but the best part might just be the memories they made along the way. From traveling across the country and exploring St. Paul and the University of Minnesota to competing against athletes from all over the nation, this is an experience neither of them will ever forget.

Congratulations, Crystal and Brianne! We are so proud of you both and can't wait to hear all the stories from your amazing adventure.

Way to go, ladies! Oregon brought home the hardware!

All of us here at CHI could not be prouder and more excited for you both! ❤️

