



# Special Olympics opening ceremonies

The 1991 Special Olympics hit North Battleford over the weekend, with the opening ceremonies held Friday night at Beaver Lions Stadium and the events taking place all day Saturday at Centennial Park. Besides track and field events, there were swimming and horseshoe events. Here are a few glimpses at the opening ceremonies. CLOCKWISE: Battlefords RCMP Insp. George Sveinbjornson and Zone 7 Special Olympian Linda Lacoursiere prepare to light the torch to start the Games; An enthusiastic Zone 7 team proclaims their superiority; One of the wheelchair athletes; Insp. Sveinbjornson and Lacoursiere run in with the torch; Zone 5 athletes and coaches get drenched by rain during opening ceremonies. The Special Olympics wrapped up late Saturday afternoon. More on the Games will appear in Wednesday's edition.

