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Plans and venues are falling into place for the upcoming Special Olympic Games scheduled for mid-June in Weyburn.

Marie Dionne, an organizer with the Special Olympics committee, said a number of the venues are lined up, funding has been coming in and volunteers are putting in their names for the games slated for June 16-18.

Some of the venues lined up include the Weyburn Comprehensive School for the track and field and gymnastics events, the leisure centre for swimming, and the banquet and dance will be held at the curling rink.

"Volunteers are coming along nicely, and of course we'll be needing lots," she said, adding the local group and the Special Olympics organization will both have a booth at the upcoming Farm, Home and Leisure Centre where people can submit their names as volunteers or pick up information.

The registrations will be coming in a month ahead of time, said Mrs. Dionne, so allotment of rooms can take place once the organizing committee knows how many participants are coming.

Committee meetings are ongoing this week, and more details on the games will be coming.