



Total Family Participation

Rolling Thunder encourages and welcomes all family members to participate in team activities. Parents and siblings can become mentors and valuable role models, and see their athletes develop unsuspected talents and continually surpass expectations.



Join to cheer... Join to coach...

Join to inspire!

Athlete participation in Rolling Thunder's program is completely free of charge. Funding for this program is obtained from generous individual and corporate contributions.



To join, contribute, or to get more information on Rolling Thunder training sessions and upcoming events log onto www.RTSNP.org or contact Coach Steve Cuomo at (631) 399-5564.

Rolling Thunder is a member of the Greater Long Island Running Club, Long Island Track and Field and US Track and Field



Rolling Thunder Special Needs Program



Let The Challenge Continue

A Sea Of Green

Since its start in 1999, Rolling Thunder's green uniforms have become a familiar sight on Long Island's competitive running circuit. Our athletes, ranging from four years of age to adult, always place and often win these races. What is remarkable is that Rolling Thunder athletes are physically and/or mentally challenged individuals successfully competing in mainstream events.



Discovering Special Abilities

Rolling Thunder Special Needs Program is a non-profit organization set up specifically to train physically and mentally challenged athletes in all aspects of running, walking and fitness, so that they can compete at all levels in mainstream competitions. Through competition, our athletes earn the respect they deserve as they develop the confidence and self esteem that they need to be successful in life.

Our mission: **Independence, Inclusion and Choice.**



World Class Training

Indispensable to the success of this program is a well structured and demanding training regimen. Under the direction of Head Coach Steve Cuomo, Rolling Thunder's all-volunteer staff includes professional athletic trainers, health care providers, special educators, and interested members of the community, who contribute their unique talents to assist in the team's training.

