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NEW ENGLAND REVOLUTION FOUNDATION

New England Revolution Foundation Raises $145,000 for Special Olympics Massachusetts at Ninth Annual Bowl for a Goal Presented by Arbella Insurance

The Revolution's yearly full-team fundraising event celebrating inclusivity has generated over $840,000 in support of Special Olympics Massachusetts



FOXBOROUGH, Mass. *(August 4, 2026)* – The New England Revolution Foundation raised a record $145,000 for Special Olympics Massachusetts at the ninth annual **Bowl for a Goal presented by Arbella Insurance** on Tuesday night. Thanks in large part to the longstanding support of the Arbella Insurance Group, the Revolution Foundation has now raised more than $840,000 to date for Special Olympics Massachusetts through Bowl for a Goal, with more than $100,000 raised at each of the last five events.

New England's premier annual fundraiser, held at Splitsville Luxury Lanes at Patriot Place, brought together the full 2026 Revolution squad, the Revolution's Unified Soccer Team, fans, and community partners for an action-packed night of music, prizes, bowling, a silent auction, and more. With Revolution public address announcer **Mike Riley** serving as emcee, the entire Revolution team was in attendance, including first-year Head Coach **Marko Mitrović**, five-time MLS All-Star **Carles Gil**, and newly signed winger **Jack Harrison**.

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“Bowl for a Goal is one of the most impactful nights on our calendar each year. It's a special event when we can join together with our friends at Special Olympics Massachusetts, Arbella Insurance, our fans, and partners to celebrate the enduring power of inclusivity in sports," said **Revolution President Brian Bilello**. “The Unified Team has been going strong for well over a decade and continues to be an inspiration to all of us in the Revolution family and an important reminder that when we 'Choose to Include', everyone wins. We look forward to seeing the Unified Sports program continue to thrive and expand here in Massachusetts, and we will be cheering on our Unified Team next Saturday night when they take on Toronto."

This year’s Bowl for a Goal celebrates the 12th season of the Revolution Unified Soccer Team, made possible by the unwavering support of the Arbella Insurance Group. Special Olympics’ Unified Sports program brings athletes with and without intellectual disabilities together as teammates, creating inclusive opportunities to train and compete side by side. More than 1.4 million people worldwide take part in Unified Sports, which breaks down stereotypes about athletes with intellectual disabilities and promotes social inclusion through shared sports training and competition experiences.

The 2026 Revolution Unified Soccer Team opened their Play Unified season on July 22, hosting the Toronto FC Unified Team at Gillette Stadium. New England now turns its focus to its first international contest, traveling north of the border for a second meeting with the Canadian side on August 15.

“Bowl for a Goal continues to show what inclusion looks like when an entire community comes together,” said **Mary Beth McMahon**, President & CEO of Special Olympics Massachusetts. “The Revolution’s commitment to Unified sports, paired with Arbella Insurance Group’s support and the generosity from all the Revolution's fans and partners, allows us to expand opportunities for athletes across the state. Seeing our athletes welcomed so genuinely by the Revolution is always inspiring, and tonight reflected the strength of a partnership that gets stronger every year.”

“Our longstanding collaboration with the New England Revolution reflects Arbella’s commitment to expanding inclusive sports opportunities with Special Olympics Massachusetts,” said **Gayle O’Connell**, Executive Vice President and CMO of the Arbella Insurance Group. “Bowl for a Goal continues to demonstrate how powerful it is when athletes, fans, and partners unite behind a shared mission. This annual event is something we always look forward to, and we remain committed to continuing this partnership."

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ABOUT THE 2026 REVOLUTION UNIFIED TEAM:
The Revolution and Special Olympics Massachusetts are celebrating the team's 12th season in 2026. In May, 19 members of the 2026 Revolution Unified Team signed their contracts with the Revolution at the Sports Illustrated Pavilion at Patriot Place, receiving warm welcomes from Revolution Head Coach Marko Mitrović and Senior Vice President of Soccer Operations Curt Onalfo.

The Revolution Unified Team, made up of local Special Olympics Massachusetts athletes and Unified volunteer partners, faced Toronto FC’s Unified Team once already this season on July 22 and will travel to face the Canadian side again on August 15.

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About the New England Revolution

The New England Revolution, owned and operated by the Kraft family, began play in 1996 as one of the original founding clubs of Major League Soccer (MLS). Through 30 MLS seasons, the Revolution are five-time MLS Eastern Conference champions and claimed the 2021 Supporters' Shield after a record-setting campaign. New England also won the 2008 North American SuperLiga and 2007 Lamar Hunt U.S. Open Cup titles. The Revolution play their home matches at Gillette Stadium in Foxborough, Mass. The club and its acclaimed pro pathway, including Revolution II (MLS NEXT Pro) and the Revolution Academy, are headquartered at the Revolution Training Center, which opened ahead of the 2020 season.

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