



# Global Messengers **Region 3**

Riverside County and San Bernardino County



**Brett Laza**

**San Bernardino County**

Brett has been involved with the Western San Bernardino Special Olympics for 14 years, participating in Athletics, Bowling, Floor Hockey, Tennis, and Volleyball. He competed in the 2018 USA Games, earning two Gold and a Silver in Track & Field. Brett was part of the Final Leg Torch Run for the 2015 World Games, traveling across California. He has delivered speeches promoting acceptance, and one of his most memorable was at a concert for over 2,000 people. Special Olympics has given Brett life-changing experiences, including participating in the Torch Lighting Ceremony in Athens, Greece.



**Amy Edelbrock**

**San Bernardino County**

Amy has been a dedicated Special Olympics Southern California athlete for 10 years, competing alongside her fiancé, Chris, and her team, the Redlands Yucaipa Rebels. She participates in a variety of sports, including Bocce, Golf, Basketball, Soccer, and Bowling. Since joining Special Olympics, Amy has formed lasting friendships and connected with athletes from diverse regions. She has proudly competed in both the Summer Games in Long Beach and the Fall Games in Fountain Valley. Her ultimate goal is to represent Southern California at the World Games with her team, the Redlands Yucaipa Rebels.



**Krystal Johnson**  
**San Bernardino County**

Krystal has been a Special Olympics Southern California athlete for 23 years, competing in Tennis, Floorball, Athletics, and Bowling, with past participation in Gymnastics, Cycling, and Volleyball. She serves on the Board of Directors, the Athlete Leadership Committee, and is a Global Messenger and part of the Athlete Stewardship Network. Krystal has competed in two World Games, earning two bronze medals in tennis at the 2019 Abu Dhabi Games, and has participated in three USA Games, winning gold and silver in tennis at the 2022 Games.