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WALK FOR THE GOLD THIS SATURDAY

City Council President Christine Lundberg will be part of the 8th annual Special Olympics Oregon Eugene/Springfield Walk for the Gold this Saturday, August 23rd at the Alton Baker Park Pavilions at 9 a.m. Registration for the walk begins at 9am with the walk starting at 10am. The fee for non-registered participants is \$25. For more information contact Ted Barker, Field Director Special Olympics Oregon at 741-4495.

Special Olympics is a year-round athletic program for individuals with intellectual disabilities. The Eugene/Springfield program offers training and competition opportunities in 11 sports over 3 seasons. Over 250 athletes take part in the local program.

What: Walk for the Gold

When: Saturday, August 23rd at 9 a.m.

Where: The Alton Baker Park Pavilions