Isadora Silk, 41, has been participating in Special Olympics since 2000 and was fortunate enough to be a part of the 2006 pre-World Games and 2007 World Games as a bowler. She won gold medals both times and also attended the 2014 USA Games in New Jersey.

But Isadora’s resilience and determination extends far beyond the bowling alley. As a cancer survivor, Isadora has learned to make the most of every opportunity. She spends her spare time scrap booking and she works as a cashier at Rite Aid. Isadora is also a proud member of the Jewish Sports Hall of Fame of Pittsburgh.

**IN HER WORDS**

I am proud to show that I can do anything that anyone else can do.

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**Hometown:** Pittsburgh, Pa.  
**Age/Years Involved:** 41/18  
**Local Program:** Allegheny County  
**Role:** Athlete  
**Other Sports:** Basketball, bocce, golf, soccer and tennis