

Special Olympics group planning a bikeathon

Members of the Staten Island Special Olympics Committee heard an address by Ralph Provenza, director of the state Special Olympics, and his assistant, Debby Dickinson, and saw a film on the Special Olympics by James Van Vorst and Albert Gaudet, during a meeting last night in the Staten Island Developmental Center, Willowbrook.

The film, which was taken during different events at last year's International Special Olympics at Brockport N.Y., and the state event at St. Bonaventure University on Long Island, will be shown to different organizations to

recruit volunteers and for public education, according to Doris Grell, a member.

The membership made plans for a bikeathon Saturday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the grounds of the developmental center. Riders and sponsors are needed. Those interested may contact Steven Finger at 967-1129.

The Wagner College training club, a special Olympics training club for youngsters who want to participate in next year's event, will take place on the Grymes Hill campus.

The next meeting will be Dec. 12.