

SUMMER CAMP 2017

How to Sign Up for Camp

All of our application info is now on-line. Please use the link below to apply. app.campdoc.com/register/happiness

2017 Camp Dates

For kids and siblings ages 6-15*. See our website for specific times and helpful camp preparations.

- Session 1: July 9-July 13*
- Session 2: July 16-July 20
- Session 3: July 23-July 27
- Session 4: July 30-Aug 3
- Session 5: Aug 6-Aug 10



*Note that 16-year-old campers are allowed for Session 1 only.

Our Mission

Our mission is to provide children with cancer and their siblings a residential camp experience together with sophisticated medical care for campers both on and off treatment. These special children come to this unique camp free of charge, where they can put aside their illness and do what kids like to do...have fun!



A Getaway in the Country

The camp is nestled in a private, rural setting on 150 acres in scenic north-west New Jersey. At the heart of the camp is a refreshing lake offering exploration and adventure. Amenities include spacious, air-conditioned cabins, remodeled bathrooms, fully equipped dining hall, zipline, full-size swimming pool, climbing tower, lighted sports complex, gym, and much more!

Happiness at a Glance

36	Years in Operation
18,500	Happy Campers
310,000	Meals Served
13,500	Bandages Placed
5,200	Volunteers
3,000	Ice Packs Applied
1,025	Renditions of Taps Sung
150	Acres of Outdoor Space
Countless	Hugs and High Fives
1 Person	Who Makes a Difference

Happiness Is Camping brings fun, hope and friendship to children with life-threatening illnesses. Thanks to the generosity of our donors, these special children and their siblings come free of charge to this unique camp.

For more information about camp, sibling programs, staff, volunteering, medical programs & donations, please contact us!



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CAMPING**
a camp for kids with cancer since 1982



**WHERE HAVING
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HAPPINESS...FOR OVER 18,500 CAMPERS IN 36 YEARS

A Wealth of Activities

The activities never stop, and neither do the children. The day begins with reveille at 8:25 am and doesn't end until the flag is lowered at 9:00 p.m. In between, campers can choose from many daily activities including: swimming, fishing, archery, ropes, boating, arts & crafts, drama, indoor/outdoor sports, and much more.

Who is Eligible?

Any child with cancer, in treatment or remission, ages 6 to 15 years old is welcome. All that is required is that the child's personal physician determines the child is well enough to attend. **All medical care, food and activities are included.** Proof of insurance and/or Medicaid is required. Permission forms are included in the application and must be signed by parent or guardian.

24 Hour Medical Staff

Our facility houses a fully equipped health center. Our 24 hour medical staff always includes a pediatric oncologist and two hematology oncology nurses. We are equipped to handle on-going care, enabling the camp to welcome children who require oral and/or IVP chemotherapy, and children with blood disorders, infections, and significant physical disabilities.

HOW YOU CAN HELP

Thanks to the generosity of our donors, these special children and their siblings come free of charge to this unique camp. Your gift helps to underwrite the expenses associated with providing services such as...

- Exceptional care provided by a staff of dedicated medical professionals
- Around-the-clock supervision in fully handicap accessible facilities
- Exciting activities including swimming, adventure and ropes courses, color wars, hikes, cookouts, dances, talent show, and much more



Help make camp an unforgettable experience in the life of a seriously ill child by making a donation today.

Other Ways to Help:

- Tribute Gift – In Memory or In Honor of a Special Person
- In-kind Gift – See our Wish List
- Give a Kid a “Campership”
- Gifts of Stock
- Leave a Legacy
- Attend or Host an Event
- Corporate Sponsorship

Happiness Is Camping is Free
for All Campers & Siblings!



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