LifePath Hospice offers its annual

Camp Circle of Love a weekend camp for children who have experienced the loss of a loved one

Friday, February 28 through Sunday, March 2, 2025



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All children need to be surrounded by love, especially those who recently experienced the death of a loved one. LifePath Hospice recognized the special needs of these children and created Camp Circle of Love. This weekend camp for children, ages five through high school, helps those who have recently lost a loved one share their feelings of loss with others. The experience combines healing with fun, letting children know that life still has a lot to offer.

Location

Camp will be held the weekend of Friday, February 28 through Sunday, March 2, 2025 at Lake Aurora Christian Camp and Retreat Center in Lake Wales Round-trip transportation is provided for all campers. Camp is situated in a rustic, wooded setting with beautiful lake views and secure cabins. Well-prepared meals will be provided and served daily.

Camp Staff

Each cabin is assigned trained cabin volunteers who assist with group discussions and provide support, as needed. All camp staff and volunteers undergo background checks and receive comprehensive training.

Activities

Camp combines exciting outdoor activities with opportunities for group discussions led by cabin staff and volunteers. One of the most poignant activities is a memorial service designed to provide healing and closure opportunities for the children. Supervised camp activities include swimming, arts and crafts, campfires, ziplines and team sports.



How to Register

Registration includes completing an application and participating in an interview with a LifePath Hospice counselor. Registration is required for attendance. Following the interview, families will be contacted with further information regarding camp attendance.

For more information, call the LifePath Hospice Bereavement Department at 813.357.5610 or visit www.chaptershealth.org/camp-circle-of-love/.



Watch the Camp Circle of Love video by scanning the OR Code to the left.

Or visit, https://www.youtube.com/ watch?v=wAzAyrMpXfA



Register your child to participate in 2025 Camp Circle of Love as a camper by scanning the QR Code to the left.

Or visit, https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/1f-6dc4272abd4f4b8117d4b121c3dab8

LifePath Hospice invites you to volunteer at Camp Circle of Love



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Change Your Life and the Lives of Others: Become a Camp Volunteer

Camp Circle of Love is an amazing experience for children who have experienced the loss of a loved one. Along with traditional camp activities, campers also participate in therapeutic activities throughout the weekend. These activities help the campers process their grief, build relationships with others and have some fun in the process!

Volunteers are an essential part of the Camp Circle of Love team. We cannot support these children without their kindness and generosity. Volunteers will be supported by our professionally trained grief team as well as other seasoned volunteers who have worked camp before. All volunteers will receive training on child grief and how to support our campers prior to the camp weekend.

Our camp volunteers have told us year after year how fulfilling this camp experience is. It's an opportunity to directly invest in the lives of children who are experiencing deep grief. To see these children grow, play and laugh during this camp is a life-changing experience. We would love for you to join us!

Let's Get Started

The volunteer application deadline is Wednesday, February 10, 2025. To apply to be a volunteer, please complete the online camp volunteer application at https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/d4b699e9b-34240c1aabf815f31b1c11d or call the LifePath Hospice Bereavement Department at 813.357.5610. All volunteers are required to complete an application, including those who volunteered previously. For more information, please email LPHBereavementEvents@chaptershealth.org.

Sponsorship Opportunities

If you'd like to send a child to camp or make a monetary donation, please contact Chapters Health Foundation at 813.871.8444 or Foundation4LPHGroup@chaptershealth.org.

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