



## INVEST IN THE LIFE OF A CHILD

Camp Boggy Creek relies on the generosity of individuals, foundations, corporations, medical partners and voluntary health organizations who believe in our mission and the programs that impact our campers and their families. Donations support all program activities, including 24/7 medical care, meals and lodging — everything needed to make a week of camp an unforgettable experience for children with serious illnesses. Gifts made to Camp Boggy Creek are not only an investment in the life of a child diagnosed with a serious illness, it is a gift that gives back a childhood that has been taken away.

“Camp is the only place where I looked up at the stars and not wished I was somewhere else.”

- Boggy Creek Camper



For more information, attend a tour of Camp or to make a donation, please visit [campboggycreek.org](http://campboggycreek.org) or call us at 352-483-4200 ext. 4644.



**a serious&fun camp**  
founded by paul newman

### MISSION

To foster a spirit of joy by creating a free, safe and medically-sound camp environment that enriches the lives of children with serious illnesses and their families.

30500 Brantley Branch Road, Eustis, FL 32736

Camp Boggy Creek is constructed to the standards of the Americans with Disabilities Act and is accredited by the highly respected American Camp Association.

Camp Boggy Creek is a U.S. 501(c) (3) tax exempt organization. Camp Boggy Creek is a proud member of the SeriousFun® Children's Network.



# THE JOY OF YES



# Safe, Respected and Loved

## HOW YOU CAN HELP



For more than two decades, Camp Boggy Creek has made a lasting impact on the lives of children with serious medical conditions and their families by giving them the opportunity to celebrate simply being a child — to forget the word “no” and embrace the promise of “yes.”

Our exceptional staff, dedicated and experienced volunteer doctors and nurses, and enthusiastic counselors, ensure all campers and family members are provided a safe, fun, and life-changing experience.

### CAMP BOGGY CREEK WELCOMES CHILDREN DIAGNOSED IN THE FOLLOWING ILLNESS GROUPS:

- Arthritis / Rheumatic
- Asthma (severe)
- Cancer
- Craniofacial
- Diabetes
- Epilepsy
- Gastrointestinal
- Heart
- Hemophilia / Bleeding Disorders
- Immune Deficiency
- Kidney
- Sickle Cell
- Spina Bifida
- Transplants
- Disorders Requiring Ventilator Assistance

## PROGRAMS THAT EMPOWER!

### SUMMER CAMP *(June – August)*

Eight illness-specific overnight camp sessions welcoming 120 - 150 children in 13 illness groups (ventilator and diabetes are retreat only).

### FAMILY RETREATS *(September – April)*

Seventeen extended weekend retreat programs welcoming up to 32 families in 15 illness groups.

### LEADER IN TRAINING (LIT)

Campers (17 - 18 years) attend select summer or family retreat programs to learn leadership skills that will assist with their transition into young adulthood and furthering education and/or career goals.

### CAMPER TRANSITION PROGRAM (CTP)

Campers (16 - 17 years) attend select retreat programs to learn skills that will assist with transitioning from camper to young adulthood.



It is solely through the generosity of our supporters and friends that Camp Boggy Creek is able to provide life-changing programs at no cost to our campers and their families. Below are just some of the ways you can make a difference in the life of a child with a serious or chronic illness today.

### GIVE THE GIFT OF CAMP

With a gift of \$450, you can help create a Day of Magic for one of our campers. Or, you can sponsor a camper for an entire week of camp with a gift of \$2,500.

### CORPORATE SUPPORT

From work parties to partnerships, we have many opportunities that offer employee engagement, increased brand awareness and direct impact in our communities.

### FUNDRAISE FOR BOGGY

Planning an event is a great way to raise awareness and funds for Camp. Choose Boggy Creek as the beneficiary of your next reception or golf event, 5K race or forgo presents and donate your birthday.

### SPONSOR OR PARTICIPATE IN ONE OF OUR EVENTS

Check out our website for upcoming events and sponsorship opportunities.

### LEAVE YOUR LEGACY

One of the most rewarding and lasting gifts you can make in support of our campers is to include Camp Boggy Creek in your will or estate plan.

### GIVE GOODS & SERVICES

Do you have a special trade or skill? You could donate your time and talents to Camp. Or, check out our Needs List online.

### VOLUNTEER

As a year-round camp, Boggy Creek utilizes nearly 1,800 volunteers per year to accomplish our mission. We are always looking for energetic and compassionate people to donate their time. All volunteers must be 19 or older.