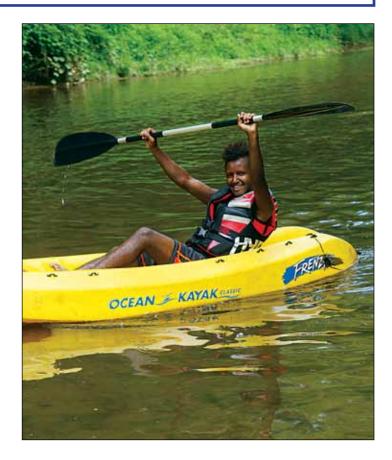


Dear Friends:

This letter will be short and sweet, so that I can leave lots of room for photos from the camp session! We had a great week and accomplished the following goals:

- 132 HIV/AIDS impacted youth attended the camp session.
- 230 counselors, medical personnel, professionals and community members volunteered during the camp session.
- We provided 110 therapeutic sessions (music therapy, art therapy, sessions with therapeutic dogs, yoga, acupuncture, equine mindfulness based therapy, wilderness based therapy, writing workshops, gestalt psychotherapy and massage) during the camp week.
- We provided 40 educational sessions on depression, HIV/AIDS, grief, eating disorders, body image, abuse, addiction, conflict resolution, anger management, puberty education and suicide prevention.
- We offered groups addressing the barriers to HIV medication adherence and strategies to increase adherence during the week. The Drexel College of Medicine launched the first HIV/AIDS gaming app called CD4 HUNTER with our Leaders in Training (LIT's) during the camp session. The LIT's evaluated the game and presented it to our Teen Camp program participants.
- We provided 145 recreational programs. These included arts & crafts, archery, karate, swimming, fishing, hiking, go-kart racing, a one man side show, Hedgerow Theatre, miniature golf, dodge ball, basketball, horseback riding, Moon Bounce, hip hop dancing and visits with small animals. The Leaders in Training created a wall of "Random Thoughts and Acts of Kindness" that filled up with sticky notes full of positive quotes and messages of love and hope. Some wonderful donors purchased solar eclipse glasses for us and we enjoyed watching the eclipse at camp!

The magic of Camp Dreamcatcher is real and we have been making dreams come true for HIV/AIDS impacted youth for almost twenty-two years! Our success is due to the dedication of our volunteers and our in-kind and financial donors. I hope



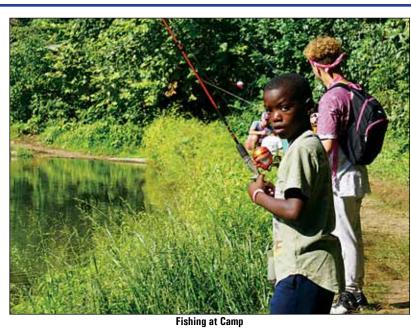
that the photos from camp, and the lengthy list of volunteers, will inspire you to make a donation in support of our programs.

I wish you a holiday season full of hope and love.

Patty Hillkirk
Founder/Director



Thank You Camp Dreamcatcher® 2017 Volunteers



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Special Events & **Program Volunteers**

Basketball Jeff Apps Al Conard Ryan Conrad Sergey Erenburg Ethan Jack Courtney Koslosky Scott Orovitz Zac Turulski Jessica Winter

"Celebrate Girls" & "Keepin' it Real" Ashley Anitista, RN Emmalee Bierly,

LMFT Taj Brown Stephanie Rand Frazin

Dance

Beat Addikts United Nickerson Rossi Dance Shannon Cooper's Academy of Dance

Fishing Program Jeff Apps

Doug, Davis & Stuart Bland Richard Brown Vivian Chiomento Nancy, Meredith & Jeff

Day Sergey Erenburg Connor Haskins Scott Hillkirk Ethan Jack Andrew Kanzer Chaz Mangan Benjamin McGowan Bill Morrow Harris Vuadens

Horseback Riding Program

Senior Art Project

Therapeutic Staff and

of Medicine Carla Brown, PhD **OCSW** Psychotherapist

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Professional Volunteers

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Campbell, MSS, LSW &

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UPCOMING EVENTS

November-December: Holiday Adopt-a-Family Program

November 28th: #GivingTuesday Campaign!

December 9th: Camp Dreamcatcher Holiday Party at The Garage Youth Center from 3:30-5:30pm

December 13th: John Flynn's Annual Holiday Party for Camp Dreamcatcher at The Sellersville Theatre January 21st, 2018: Guest Bartending Night at Kennett Brewing Company

May 5^{th} & 6^{th} , 2018: Teen Leadership Retreat at NorthBay Adventure Camp

Camp Dreamcatcher 2018 Camp Session: August 19th-25th at Camp Saginaw.

Please visit our website for information on all of these events. (http://campdreamcatcher.org/)



Leaders in Training



Seeing Eye to Eye