



National Kidney Foundation™
of Louisiana



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Dear «first»:

Summer is here and we invite you to join the National Kidney Foundation of Louisiana and send children on the summer camping adventure of a lifetime.

Picture this...an 8-year-old kidney patient's first ride in a canoe and first mount on a horse. The fear in their face on day one is transformed into ear-to-ear smiles on day two. **How about...**a 9-year-old kidney transplant patient with a bone disease called Rickets which causes bowing of the legs. During a competitive game of kickball, this child dives into first, then into second...I think you get the picture.

And nature...nature is at a premium for these kids, many of whom have led sheltered lives as a result of long hospital stays and many surgeries.

From campfire sing-alongs and late night ghost stories, to boating, nature walks, swimming and arts and crafts, Camp Shining Stars provides the same excitement and activity available at other summer camp programs. The difference? Camp Shining Stars campers experience the joys and challenges of camp in a fully accessible setting, with a dedicated team of medical professionals to care for each child's special needs. The kids leave camp with a sense of belonging and have found connections with kids like them. They are full of life, full of energy and are prepared to take on the challenges that lie ahead.

The National Kidney Foundation of Louisiana is proud to cover the full cost of camp tuition, including travel costs and camp fees for every child. There are no costs to the family and the program is only made possible through generous donations from people like you.

How Can You Help? Sponsor A Child!

It costs approximately \$800 for a child to spend a week at camp. Your donation will underwrite camp tuitions, supplies and travel costs. And more importantly, you will give them a summer they will never forget.

*All donations to the National Kidney Foundation of Louisiana are tax-deductible. Make your donation today at www.kidneyla.org or complete and mail the donation form.

*Questions? Contact Tracey Eldridge, Community Development and Programs Manager at 504-861-4500 or email tracey@kidneyla.org.

Sincerely,

Tracey Eldridge
Community Development and Programs Manager



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*I agree to sponsor a child to attend Camp Shining Stars

Date: _____

Business/Organization Name: _____

Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State Zip: _____

Sponsorship Level:

_____ \$800--Will sponsor one child's camping experience

_____ \$400—Will pay for food, lodging, recreation and medical supervision

_____ Other amount

Payment Method:

_____ Check (Make checks payable to the NKFL)

_____ Credit Card

Credit Card # _____

Expiration Date _____ Security Code _____

Authorized Signature _____

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