

Camp Kangaroo Pledge Sponsorship Form

Yes, I want to support Camp Kangaroo Miami. This donation symbolizes our deep desire to steward kids through their journey.

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Seasons Hospice Foundation Camp Experience



*Camp Kangaroo is a free camp experience offering
a supportive atmosphere for children who have
experienced the loss of a loved one.
Ages 5 to 13*



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Camp Kangaroo Miami

Small People, Big Emotions

Have you ever experienced the sadness of a child? How the sadness can overwhelm the young person's ability to cope with grief? And challenge the child's family to bring solace? Kids can shut down in many ways when faced with the loss of a close loved one – changes may take place with behavior, sleep or eating habits. Older kids may lose interest in school, medicate with alcohol or drugs and without support even harm themselves – all things to watch for. The strain on supporting adults can also be incredible, as they feel the need to always be strong, but also requiring their own emotional support.



New Destinations Require New Adventures

The journey from the moment we lose a loved one to the time when we have reconciled to purposefully move forward may be a long one – and for some grief may never go away. Supporting kids through their journey is the task of a community as well as close loved ones. By going to camp, kids may immediately realize they are not “going crazy”, “not alone” and “not under pressure” to act differently than the way they feel. Although there may be no “quick fix” for grief; embracing life effectively is the foremost goal of Camp Kangaroo. Seasons sponsored camps provide the community a safe and supportive atmospheres for children traveling toward new meaning following the loss of cherished loved ones.



Camp Kangaroo Miami is for children ages 5-13 who have lost a parent or other significant loved one. This camp will be widely available for all children in the Greater Miami/ Dade community and it takes place from January 18-20, 2014 at Shake – A – Leg Miami. Camp Kangaroo, is staffed by Seasons Hospice & Palliative Care bereavement professionals from our Miami clinical site and led by world-renowned bereavement expert Russell Hilliard, PhD, LCSW, MT-BC, together with dedicated volunteers, the team provides a supportive place to work through grief. Camp teaches children what grief is and provides outlets for expressing feelings; provides education about death and dispels myths and misunderstandings children often have about it. The Camp provides peer support by connecting campers with others in their age group going through a similar experience; and helps children honor their lost loved one and begin to move forward through their grief.

How You Can Help

The cost to provide this camp in Miami to children is approximately \$10,000. We respectfully ask you to consider making a gift to help provide this camp or to sponsor a child in need. We hope that you will share our enthusiasm for this project and will be able support Camp Kangaroo. Together all of our gifts can make a difference.

