

ABOUT GOOD SAMARITAN HOSPICE

Good Samaritan Hospice, a non-profit mission of Concordia Lutheran Ministries, has provided comfort and support to terminally ill patients and their families in five counties surrounding Pittsburgh since 1998 as both a home-based and residential hospice. For more information visit www.good-samaritanhospice.org or call 1-800-720-2557. To learn more about Concordia Lutheran Ministries continuum of care visit www.concordialm.org.

ABOUT YMCA CAMP KON-O-KWEE SPENCER

YMCA Camp Kon-O-Kwee Spencer has served youth since 1926. It has developed into a facility providing camping and conference programs to Western Pennsylvania and participants from all over the United States and around the world. For more information visit www.ycamps.org

ABOUT THE MOYER FOUNDATION AND CAMP ERIN

The Moyer Foundation was founded in 2000 by Major League pitcher, Jamie Moyer and his wife, Karen. The foundation's mission is to help children in distress. With the community's support, The Foundation creates and funds programs to give children the tools, skills and support to overcome life's greatest challenges. Camp Erin is a free bereavement camp for grieving children and teens. Camp Erin is the largest bereavement camp in the country with more than 40 camps in over 25 states and one in Canada. Camp Erin is facilitated through a long term partnership with a local bereavement agency like Good Samaritan Hospice. For more information visit www.moyerfoundation.org

HOW CAN I HELP CAMP ERIN?

Be a Camp Volunteer

Camp Erin is made possible through the support of many dedicated volunteers who serve as Big Buddies and as support staff to assist with many camp activities. The individual attention that Big Buddies provide is part of what makes Camp Erin so special. For information on how you can volunteer for this extraordinary experience, contact Good Samaritan Hospice at 1-800-720-2557 or visit our website at

www.good-samaritanhospice.org

Make a Donation

Camp Erin is supported by grants and donations. If you would like to make a gift of money or supplies to Camp Erin-Pittsburgh, please call Good Samaritan Hospice at 1-800-720-2557 or visit

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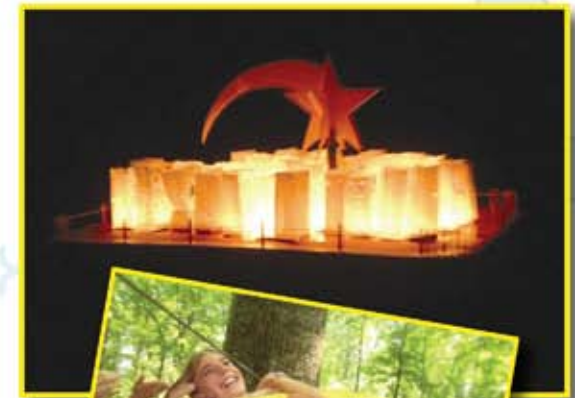
Notice of Non-Discrimination

Camp Erin presented by Good Samaritan Hospice offers camping opportunities regardless of race, sex, color, national origin, ancestry, religion, age or disability. Our policy of non-discrimination covers the services we provide, referrals and employment actions.

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A Grief Support Camp for Teens
June 15-17, 2012


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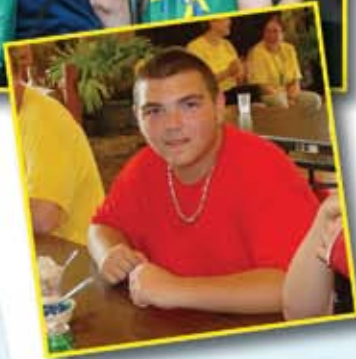
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WHAT IS CAMP ERIN?

Camp Erin is a three-day, overnight camp for teens who have experienced the death of someone close to them (parent, sibling, other family member, friend).

It is a traditional, fun, high-energy camp combined with grief education, peer bonding and emotional support.

Camp Erin-Pittsburgh is a partnership between Good Samaritan Hospice, a mission of Concordia Lutheran Ministries, The Moyer Foundation and YMCA Camp Kon-O-Kwee Spencer.



HOW MUCH DOES IT COST?

Through an initial grant from The Moyer Foundation and generous donations from the community, **Camp Erin is FREE to all campers.**

WHO CAN ATTEND?

Camp Erin is open to teens, ages 13 to 17, who have experienced the death of a significant person in their life, whether recently or years ago.

WHEN AND WHERE IS IT?

Camp will be held June 15-17, 2012. Activities begin Friday morning and end Sunday afternoon.

Camp Erin-Pittsburgh will be held at **YMCA Camp Kon-O-Kwee Spencer** on 500 acres of fields and woodlands in Fombell, PA, 30 miles north of Pittsburgh, just west of Zelienople.

WHAT ACTIVITIES ARE OFFERED?

Arts and crafts, climbing wall, swimming, zip lines and ropes course, sports, archery, music, pet therapy, camp fires and other activities are all part of the Camp Erin-Pittsburgh experience. Campers also participate in remembrance activities such as a memory board and luminary ceremony.

HOW DO I APPLY?

Parents or guardians must complete an application for each teen who would like to attend.

Applications are accepted until all available spaces are filled. It is recommended that families apply by May 1, 2012. Note: This is a recommendation, not an official deadline. Space at camp is limited, so we encourage you to complete the application and return it as soon as possible.

To obtain an application, visit our website at www.good-samaritanhospice.org, or call us at 1-800-720-2557.



BECAUSE NO CHILD SHOULD GRIEVE ALONE

Camp Erin provides a supportive and caring environment for teenagers affected by the loss of someone close to them. Fun, recreational activities help campers remember their loved one, express emotions, share their grief and develop coping skills.

Camp Erin-Pittsburgh offers a safe place where teens can create friendships with peers who have been through a similar experience.

Camp Erin is staffed by professional counselors from Good Samaritan Hospice as well as trained community volunteers.

"Camp Erin made my heart whole again. I love Camp Erin!" Camper age 14

"Camp Erin showed me that I'm not alone and that it's OK to feel the way I do." Camper age 16

