



Oncology Updates

for the Children's Cancer and Blood Disorders Center



Special Love's 2019 Tidewater Family Weekend

Friday, March 22 – Sunday, March 24

Airfield 4-H Center, Wakefield, VA

Register at speciallove.org

The 14th Annual Tidewater Family Weekend offers cancer patient families the opportunity to come together, hike, enjoy crafts, and sing around the campfire. This weekend is open to the immediate families of any cancer patient 17 years old and younger. The cost per family is only \$25 and will cover all food and lodging for the weekend. A scholarship to cover the cost is also available for families in need, and is listed on the registration form.

Support

Parents and Caregivers Support Group

Tuesday, March 26, Noon – 1:30 p.m.

CHKD, 8th floor HemOnc conference room

Join other parents and caregivers of children with cancer for a support lunch. Call Kelly Trejo at (757) 668-7931 to attend.

Save These Dates

Victory Junction Summer Camp

Sunday, July 7 – Thursday, July 11

Victory Junction, Randleman, NC

Register at victoryjunction.org.

Victory Junction has enriched the lives of more than 11,000 children and families since opening in 2004 and welcomed children from 47 states and three countries. **Thanks to generous donors no child or family incurs the cost of camp.** The camp, located in Randleman, N.C., is built on 84 acres and donated by Richard and Lynda Petty. Children must be between the ages of 6-16 years in order to attend camp.

Special Love's Camp Fantastic (Summer Camp)

Sunday, August 11 – Saturday, August 17

Northern Virginia 4-H Educational Center, Front Royal, VA

Register at speciallove.org.

Special Love is gearing up for another fantastic week at Camp Fantastic, a one-week adventure created by Special Love, Inc. just for kids battling cancer. Camp is open to children who are between the ages of **7-17 who are currently in treatment for cancer or who have received cancer-specific treatment within the last 3 years.** Campers will stay in the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains of Virginia and will enjoy lots of fun activities like canoeing, horseback riding, marshmallow roasting, campfire singing, and much more! This camp also offers two big benefits that no mainstream camp can give - lifelong friends and memories with other kids who understand what they're going through. The cost to attend camp is \$25, but no child is ever turned away if the family cannot afford to pay. Scholarships are available to any family simply by filling out a scholarship form, found at speciallove.org. Forms should be mailed to Special Love, Inc., 117 Youth Development Court, Winchester, VA 22602. Campers must be registered by May 1st.