

Youth Rally Committee, Inc.

a program for young people with bowel or bladder dysfunction

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Youth Rally at University of San Diego State University, July 12—17, 2008

"Living Independently For Tomorrow - You Are Not Alone."

-- Youth Rally theme 1984, and every year since! --

Dear Friends of the Youth Rally – please help.

The Youth Rally has set a high standard of excellence for 29 years. We have seen children attend this summer camp, blossom into confident, self-reliant young adults and return as counselors to provide guidance and emotional support. Youth Rally is the only camp that provides an opportunity for children with ostomies and continence issues to share mutual concerns and make life-long friends.

"In the past 29 years we have made a huge difference in the lives of thousands of special- needs children. At Youth Rally there are days filled with laughter and quiet times for conversation with peers and staff who have had similar surgeries. There are informative health education classes on topics from dating and hygiene to different types of ostomies, surgeries and/or continence issues. All this is provided by an excellent staff of volunteer counselors and nurses in a safe, healthy, fun- filled camp environment."

April Gimlen, Vice President & former Rally Program Chair

The Youth Rally is largely supported by donations. The registration fee is \$425, but only a handful of camper parents can afford this fee, let alone the expense for travel. If one includes supplies, shipping, activities and other expenses, a true figure would be closer to \$700, but this amount is a hardship and would prevent many children from attending.

"If you could only see the transition these children make at camp!!!! They arrive quiet and withdrawn, and depart filled with joy and confidence. The nurses and counselors volunteer their time and pay for their own travel and registration. They do an incredible job of improving the children's self-esteem and self-reliance. Without your personal and support group contributions we could not continue this valuable program."

Liz Hiltabidel, MSN RN CWOCN, Vice President & Rally Medical Chair

Please be as generous as possible with your donation to the address given. Your contribution of any amount is very important, and will be greatly appreciated! You will be helping campers to attend, and will be under-writing activities that are so important to this camp.

Sincerely,
April Gimlen
Vice President, Youth Rally Committee

Elizabeth Hiltabidel, MSN, RN, CWOCN
Youth Rally Medical Chair



Donor Name: _____

Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Please accept \$ _____ as a donation.

Check: enclosed or Credit Card (circle): Visa MC

Card#: _____ Expires: _____ / _____

Signature: _____

Return to: Youth Rally Committee, Inc.
Linda Aukett, Treasurer
424 Bradford Ave., Westmont, NJ 08108

The Youth Rally Committee, Inc. is incorporated as a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization. Donations are fully exempt, as you have received no premium in return – just the good feeling of helping our kids.

2008 Youth Rally • July 12—17 • San Diego State University

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2008 YOUTH RALLY SPONSORSHIP / DONATION FORM

Please print or type, return to address at bottom left – Thank You

Contact Name: _____

___ Individual Donor

___ UOAA Support Group (name): _____

___ WOCN Region/Affiliate (name): _____

E-Mail address: _____ Phone: _____

Address for Acknowledgement & thank you: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Donation opportunities:

\$ _____ toward Housing & Meals + \$20 spending money for one camper: \$ 445

\$ _____ toward Housing & Meals for one counselor: \$ 425

The Youth Rally Committee, Inc. (YRC) depends on contributions to fund a sizeable deficit after campers and counselors have paid what they can afford. Would you or your support group consider a gift to cover one or more of the following?

\$ _____ To help offset Rally travel expenses, estimated to total: \$ 25,000

\$ _____ To help offset Rally activities expenses, estimated to total: \$ 20,000

\$ _____ To help offset Rally liability insurance costs, estimated at: \$ 20,000

___ Please accept this total amount of \$ _____ as a donation.

Date: _____ Check: ___ enclosed *or* ___ Credit Card (circle): Visa MC

Card#: _____ Expires: _____/_____/_____

Signature: _____

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___ Help us identify a ___ child or a ___ counselor from our area who we can sponsor.

___ We already know that we would like to sponsor:

Attendee Name: _____

Parent Name: _____

E-Mail address: _____ Phone: _____

Family Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Additional Comments: _____

ATTENDEE IS:

Camper _____

Counselor _____

Thank you for your generosity and willingness to make a difference in the lives of children. Look at our website for more details and pictures: www.rally4youth.org

If you have any questions, please contact one of these persons:

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Please return this form to:

Youth Rally Committee, Inc.

Linda Aukett, Treasurer

PO Box 318

Collingswood, NJ 08108

For Administrative Use Only:

Date received: _____ Amount: _____

Date on check: _____ Check #: _____

Date credit card processed: _____

CC Authorization #: _____