

Camp Kaleidoscope

Whatcom Hospice is excited to announce a new opportunity for grieving children!

Camp Kaleidoscope is a **free** overnight camp for children who are grieving the death of a significant person in their lives. Children ages 6-12 will attend a weekend camp experience from Friday afternoon to Sunday that blends traditional summer camp activities with thoughtful and creative grief activities. Some examples of activities for camp include swimming, campfires, art, music, animal assisted therapy, being goofy and having fun!

Whatcom Hospice believes that all children deserve to be safe and feel free to be their full, honest, whole selves at camp. We are creating a space that will be safe and inclusive to all children and welcome the diversity and uniqueness that each child will bring. We will work hard to ensure that every child is cared for, seen, and trusts that they can go to any adult for support.

We also believe that every child has the right to “pass” at camp. We know that grief is hard, messy, and can be unpredictable. It’s important to us that all campers have autonomy to navigate their grief experience at camp and are able to make choices about how they want to participate throughout the weekend.

Families interested in this opportunity can fill out and send in the attached application. Camper spots will be filled on a first come, first serve basis from when the application is received. If you or your families have additional questions, please contact me at 360-603-8831.

Thank you for taking the opportunity to share this opportunity with families who may have children that qualify.

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