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November 28, 2014 For Immediate Release Fruitcakes in the Alley Bowling Tournament



Thank you for making a real impact!

The funds raised by Fruitcakes in the Alley are earmarked to benefit Kids with Arthritis. This allows the children to attend special camps designed just for them, at Camp Boggy Creek, and their entire family to attend the annual national Juvenile Arthritis Conference in a different city and state each year. Funds are also used to find a cure.

We often receive notes of appreciation and wanted to share them with you, the supporters of Fruitcakes in the Alley. To learn more visit www.fruitcakesinthealley.com

"These kids live in a world filled with pain, appointments, and treatments...there are no words that can fully explain what it's like to see them smiling, happy, and having the normal childhood experiences offered at Camp Boggy Creek and the JA Conference. The joy-filled faces of our children is a gift that we parents will treasure forever. Thank you, Fruitcakes!" - Dawn Veselka, JA Parent

"It was wonderful to see Delaney so comfortable and to see our son, Drake, connect with siblings and other JA kids and see how compassionate he is." - Donnalea Hutchinson, JA Parent



Thanks Fruitcakes! Camp Boggy always makes me smile...because you know you are never fully dressed without a smile! - The Honorable Fruitcake Parker Lentini, age 15



I love Camp Boggy Creek because I get to be a regular kid and no one cares if I have to use my wheelchair. I met a great Pal and I get to see my friends and make new ones. Plus, they have crafts, fishing and archery! - Sadie Veselka, age 10



Conference was amazing because I didn't have to explain myself...The other kids just get it and me! I had a blast! Thank you Fruitcakes!! - Delaney Hutchinson, age 16



Conference is the one time of the year that I get to learn about me and when I can feel normal with my friends. And my family can learn too. Plus, we get to go on vacation! - Sami Knight, age 9



Boggy Creek is fun and it's interactive. The pals are very nice - they will do anything that the kids want to do. I love playing soccer in the gym and playing cards. I also love giving out tumbleweeds. Some kids have medical conditions that make them think they are the only one like that but Camp Boggy Creek makes them happy and know that they are not the only one. - Ethan Abramowitz, age 9