



CAMP LITTLE RED DOOR



ABOUT US

Little Red Door Cancer Agency provides support to cancer patients and their families throughout their cancer journey. We offer services for cancer patients, resources for those in need and information on cancer prevention.

Little Red Door strives to make the most of life and the least of cancer for the medically underserved residents of Central Indiana.

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WHAT IS CAMP LITTLE RED DOOR?

Little Red Door Cancer Agency holds four camps for children who have been affected by cancer. Any child ages 8 to 18 who are in active cancer treatment or remission or have a parent or guardian who has cancer are eligible to attend Little Red Door's camps.

Camp Little Red Door is a chance for children to have the same camp experience as any other child and to interact with other children facing similar experiences.

Camp activities include swimming, canoeing, archery, horseback riding, zip lining, nature education, rock climbing, arts and crafts, campfires and more!

• CAMP LITTLE RED DOOR

Camp Little Red Door is a week-long residential camp held each year in June at Bradford Woods in Martinsville, Indiana.

Robert T. Grand Leadership Academy:

Campers ages 16-18 who are attending Summer Camp are eligible to apply to leadership training, which takes place two days before camp. Campers will learn life-long lessons they will put to use right away.

Leadership Academy is open to both children diagnosed with cancer and their siblings or one friend, ages 16 to 18.

• FAMILY CAMP

Held over a weekend at Bradford Woods, Family Camp is an opportunity for the entire family to experience camp! Occurring once in the spring and once in the fall, Family Camp Little Red Door is offered to any family in Indiana with a child in or beyond cancer treatment or with a parent in or beyond cancer treatment. Parents and all siblings are welcome to come spend time in the woods swimming, hiking, fishing, and cooking out among other families who understand the journey.

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What are 2019 camp dates?

Spring Family Camp: March 8-10

Summer Camp: June 14-21

The Robert T. Grand Leadership Academy: June 14-16

Camp Little Red Door in the City: July 8-12

Fall Family Camp: October 11-13

Who can attend Camp Little Red Door?

Youth ages 8-18 who are currently in active cancer treatment or cancer remission, or have a parent or guardian who is in active cancer treatment or cancer remission and are Indiana residents. Campers' additional siblings and one friend between the ages of 8 and 18 are also invited to our camps.

Camp Little Red Door in the City is for youth ages 6-14 who are currently in active cancer treatment or cancer remission, or have a parent or guardian who is in active cancer treatment or cancer remission and are Indiana residents. Each camper may bring any or all siblings between 6 and 14 or one additional friend.

How much does camp cost?

Little Red Door's camps are paid for by generous contributions from donors. No family is ever turned away.

What is offered at camp?

Camp activities for the week are age-appropriate and based on each group's skill level. Activities offered: swimming, rock climbing, horseback riding, zip lining, archery, fishing, canoeing, nature hikes, arts and crafts, music, campfires, games, and more. Activities are designed for all participants, regardless of ability level.

Family Camps will offer traditional camp activities including water activities, archery, cookouts, family activities and games, and a chance to connect with other families.

Camp Little Red Door in the City is a day camp in which campers will participate in adventure activities, crafts and games, community visits, friendship and team building, welcome and closing ceremonies, skill building games and more!

What is the application process?

Create an account (parent's information) here _____ and register your child, select a session, and pay your fee online.

You must complete the entire Health Profile (to 100%) for both the child diagnosed with cancer and their siblings or friend. A physician's release must be signed and uploaded for all children participating in summer camp. Little Red Door staff will review the application and confirm that all required documents are completed. Once accepted, you will receive a packet in the mail with details about camp check-in, what to bring, and more. For Family Camp, you must complete one application per family. LRD will review all applications submitted and notify those of acceptance through mail.

What is the Robert T. Grand Leadership Academy?

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Where are Little Red Door camps located?

Summer Camp and Family camps are held at Bradford Woods in Martinsville, IN, 30 minutes south of Indianapolis. Camp Little Red Door in the City is held at our offices at 1801 North Meridian Street in Indianapolis. Pick up and drop off for each day of camp will be at Little Red Door.

How are campers' health care needs met?

Camp Little Red Door maintains an experienced medical staff 24 hours a day, many from the ranks of Riley Children's Hospital and St. Vincent Peyton Manning Children's Hospital. Cancer treatment and any medications may be given while at camp.

What should I pack for my child for camp?

When you receive your child's acceptance packet in the mail, it will include a suggested list of items to bring to camp.

How is this camp funded?

The actual cost to send a child to camp for one week is \$1,250. Camp Little Red Door is made possible through the annual Camp Little Red Door Golf tournament organized by Robert T. Grand, grants, the Adopt-A-Camper program which encourages individuals and companies to sponsor a child's trip to camp, and contributions from the community. Click for more information on the Camp Little Red Door Golf Tournament.

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