

June 1, 2022

Ms. Karen McAndrew Care Camps 2981 Ford Street, Ext. PMB 179 Ogdensburg, NY 13669-3474

On behalf of Periwinkle, I would like to thank you for the generous contribution of \$20,000.00, dated May 9, 2022, to Periwinkle's *Camp Periwinkle*. Over 180 campers will be able to create incredible stories at this year's camp. Thanks to the generous support of donors like you we will once again fill the camp and touch the lives of so many deserving children.

Reflections from a former camper and camp counselor best describe the impact of Camp Periwinkle:

"From the time those kids step off the bus and hear the cheering and applause, they realize that Camp Periwinkle is like no other place. Laughter fills the air, and immense amounts of fun are always encouraged.

For one week while at Camp Periwinkle, I can truly be myself. I cheer louder, laugh harder, dance longer and live more. It gives me a chance to bond with other individuals who have dealt with this awful illness. Camp Periwinkle is a constant reminder that I'm not alone in this fight and that every day is a chance to celebrate....LIFE.

My journey has been a long and difficult one, but having Camp Periwinkle by my side helped me realize that cancer was my blessing in disguise. For that I am eternally grateful for Camp Periwinkle."

Your gift will be devoted to our tax-exempt purposes and we have not provided benefits or services to you that are required to be valued in consideration for this gift. We are a 501(c)(3) organization; therefore, you may be entitled to a donation deduction for your gift.

Again, thank you for your support and for your interest in improving the quality of life for children and teens with cancer and their families.

Sincerely,

Doug Suggitt Executive Director







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