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**Your support helps send children in need to Rec-PAC**



**Dear Park Friend:**

Our winter was mild and spring seems to be coming early this year! Flowers are beginning to bloom, trails and parks are filling up with people enjoying the outdoors. County residents and the Park Authority are getting ready for a very busy spring and summer!

With spring comes planning for children's summer camps. Regrettably, many parents in Fairfax County struggle to pay for their basic daily needs and camp is a luxury they can't afford.

In a county as wealthy as ours, it's hard to believe that 69,657 people live in poverty and **19,178 of those are children under 18!** These families must live on less than \$24,250 a year and camps are simply out of their reach.

Fortunately, the Park Foundation's generous donors, like you, made it possible to provide **Rec-PAC scholarships to 2,420 children** during the summer of 2016! Your generosity is greatly appreciated!

The demand for Rec-PAC camp scholarships will be high in 2017 and we hope you will once again help send a needy child to Rec-PAC. **Your donation of \$1,000, \$300, \$100, \$50 or whatever you can afford to give will make a difference in a child's summer.**

A gift of \$50 provides a week of summer camp; \$100 for two weeks and \$300 funds a full six-week scholarship! A gift of \$1,000 provides activities for an entire school site for 6 weeks!

Rec-PAC offers children a positive intervention to aid them in their learning how to make good decisions on how to spend their leisure time. Camp experiences are a lasting memory that inspire children throughout their lives.

Rec-PAC is excited to participate in **FCPA's Solar Eclipse educational outreach** during the week of July 31 – August 4! This hands-on STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) program will teach children and parents on how to safely watch the Total Solar Eclipse on Monday, August 21, 2017 and will actively engage the children in the fun of learning science! You can make this wonderful and unique experience possible!

**Your donation will help make camp a reality for these low-income children.** The smiles on the children's faces are our biggest thank-you!

Sincerely,

Stephen C. Thormahlen  
Chair, Board of Directors

Roberta A. Longworth, CFRE  
Executive Director

P.S. Thank you for considering a gift to help Rec-PAC children! **Your generous donation is tax-deductible to the fullest extent of the law.**

**Yes, I want to help send a kid to camp! Donate online at [www.fairfaxparkfoundation.org](http://www.fairfaxparkfoundation.org) or mail your gift with this form to: 12055 Government Center Pkwy, #404, Fairfax, VA 22035-5508**

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☐ \$1,000 ☐ \$300 ☐ \$100 ☐ \$50 ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

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☐ Check (please make check payable to the Fairfax County Park Foundation)

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☐ Make this a recurring gift charged to my credit card each month

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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- ☐ Save a tree! (Send a communication to the email above).
- ☐ Matching gift paperwork is enclosed.
- ☐ Send me information on how I can include Fairfax County's parks in my will or estate plan.
- ☐ In honor of: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ In memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

Send gift notification to: \_\_\_\_\_

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