



**Dear Family, Friends, and Area Businesses,**

Exciting news!! YOU helped us accomplish our dream of an adaptive playground! Our ribbon cutting will take place at our open house, May 13<sup>th</sup> from 12-2. MORE exciting news, this past summer came with record numbers! We provided an outdoor experience to 340 campers in 2022! Our campers, who are of all ages and all disabilities, are looking forward to creating more memories at camp this summer.



Quick story: In the summer I tend to prop open the office door to listen to the campers while they are doing activities. This summer, I had the joy of hearing a camper, who has minimal verbal skills, sing (Yes, SING!) during our weekly talent show. He had attended many weeklong camps last summer and during each one we noticed his love & comfort for camp grow more and more. What we do matters so much! We are hoping you will partner with us to create more accessible programming for camp. Our wish for 2023 is to create a paddleboarding program and a camp garden that all campers can access and enjoy.

Thank you for taking the time to read this and your consideration. There is an annual sponsorship form included. We are a 501c(3) and your donation is tax deductible. If you donated at the end of the year and wish to apply this towards a sponsorship, please let us know! We would love to have you stop out for a tour or visit our website at [www.campfishtales.org](http://www.campfishtales.org). You can also visit us on Facebook and Instagram. If you have any questions or need more information, please call me anytime.

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### **MISSION STATEMENT:**

***Camp Fish Tales provides a unique and exciting outdoor learning experience where individuals with special needs interact and develop skills that enhance their health, abilities, independence and quality of life.***