

A Note from Camp Quality Southern Ontario

2023 was our second year back at inperson camp since the pandemic began. We learned a lot in 2022, and with your support we were able to build back stronger and serve more children affected by childhood cancer. We look forward to continuing to grow with you.



Who we Served

43 Campers

43 Volunteers

That means...

6 Campfires

301 Unique Camp Days*

465 S'mores

258 Penguin Plunges

Countless smiles, laughs, and moments of connection

*number of campers x days at camp



What makes camp so special?

Camp Quality has provided a wonderful environment for the kids to share with others who have gone through similar experiences and their siblings, it helps them gain confidence, self esteem and take on new challenges or leaning new skills while providing peace of mind to the parents as there is staff and volunteers that ensure their safety and medical needs are covered." - Parents

NEW in 2023

- ✓ Traveling staff team to support volunteers
- Updated and improved volunteer training
- ✓ Family lunch before camp to meet the community

Post-camp surveys showed

that of families who responded:

90% reported that their camper bonded with those with similar experiences

80% reported that their camper's independence improved

90% reported that their camper made a new friend

60% reported that their camper's social skills improved

80% reported that their camper's **self-esteem** improved

Looking Forward

Families are telling us they want to come to camp together so we are piloting some new opportunities. We need more volunteers to make this happen so we are focusing on retention and recruitment, as well as growing our funding base to ensure we have the funds necessary to meet the needs of our community.





THIS WAS ALL POSSIBLE **BECAUSE OF YOUR SUPPORT.**

THANK YOU!

Click here to check out our summer <u>recap!</u>

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