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Camp Happy Days Moves to a New Home

Camp Happy Days, a non-profit organization dedicated to providing support and services to South Carolina's children diagnosed with cancer and their families, is thrilled to announce that they have moved into their new home at 933 Dupont Road, Charleston, SC 20407.

In this 4,500 square foot building, they will transform the scope of how they support South Carolina's kids with cancer and their families. The larger, more flexible facility will offer on-site programs like play and art therapy, yoga, team building exercises, overnight lock-ins, drop-in sessions with staff, pre-teen and teen clubs, movie nights and more.

933 Dupont Road will provide a landing spot for the many children and families who travel to MUSC for cancer treatment from outside the tri-county area and offer families a place to visit, relax, play, and interact with each other and Camp Happy Days staff. It will give families a respite, away from the hospital—the kind of inviting, consistently available multiuse place that families facing pediatric cancer want and need.

“Cancer is lonely and scary and a million other awful things, but Camp Happy Days gives our family an opportunity to escape and have fun and build memories outside of the hospital.” observes Amy Eacho, a Camp Happy Days parent.

The new facility will also strengthen our signature summer camp, held at Camp Bob Cooper in Summerton, by providing year-round space for volunteer training, program planning and storage. At Camp Happy Days, kids discover the power within them—as they share life-changing experiences with kids just like themselves who are battling cancer.

This new home has been a dream of Executive Director, Cindy Hay Johnson, for over 7 years. “This space allows us to offer frequent, consistent programs and activities that truly meet the needs of our families”, she remarks.

Donations of all sizes are needed to cover build-out expenses, movie screens, video and other games, kitchen supplies, picnic tables, playground equipment, outdoor furniture, folding tables and chairs, conference table, storage spaces, athletic equipment and more.

For more information or to donate, please visit the 933 Campaign page at CampHappyDays.com or contact Casey Nitsch at Casey@CampHappyDays.com or 843-571-4336 ext.24.

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