ABLE-ING PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED CHILDREN FOR 118 YEARS.
Dear Friends,

For the 118th summer, the physically-challenged children and young adults attending camp at the Southampton Fresh Air Home enjoyed sports, games, swimming, iPads, computers, arts, crafts, music, dancing and cooking. Off-site trips included sailing, beach, sporting events, theater, museums, the aquarium, carnivals, concerts and more – all within the beauty of the East End. Our recreational and educational off-season programs included Life Skill Lab workshops, sporting events, concerts, theater, museums, as well as fall and spring weekend retreats at the camp. Campers, alumni and their families attended an annual winter Holiday Party and a Spring Open House which allowed for further connection with friends.

The staff designs activities to help build self-esteem, independence and confidence. While all of these elements are critical to every child’s development, SFAH offers something to these children that others often take for granted: FUN. This simple act of providing fun to so many who spend so much time feeling isolated or visiting doctors and therapists is a gift of immeasurable value.

We are fortunate to be surrounded by supporting organizations that provide special activities for the campers. We thank the Southampton Animal Shelter, North Sea Fireman’s Carnival, Southampton Arts Center, Southampton Garden Club, Rogers Memorial Library, New York City Ballet, South Fork Natural History Museum, Parrish Art Museum, Kiwanis Club of Southampton Town, Breakers and Long Island Ducks baseball teams and the Southampton Rotarians.

This year, we introduced an accessible garden program. Gardening has long been regarded as a therapeutic activity, and research has shown that handling different plants and flowers has beneficial effects on both physical and mental health. The pleasure of creating a raised garden enables campers to achieve self-confidence by successfully carrying out their goals and enjoying the food and flowers they have grown. It is also a chance to learn about the outdoor environment in a safe and pleasant atmosphere and experience a love of nature.

Our two signature events brought together well over 1000 friends in support of our mission. The Decorators-Designers-Dealers Sale and Auction and the American Picnic with Fireworks continue to be community favorites giving us the opportunity to share the joy of SFAH with so many new and returning patrons. These two beloved events, along with an Author’s Luncheon celebrating Jennifer Ash Rudick and generous grants from private foundations and donors, have enabled us to offer all of our programs without regard to each family’s ability to pay.

As I finish my first year as President, I want to commend my predecessor, Kirsten Solsvig Galef, who served as President of the Board from 2016-2018. Kirsten’s thoughtful leadership and dedication to the Home serve as an inspiration to us all. During Kirsten’s tenure, the Home completed the successful reconstruction of the 15,000 square foot Main Building on-time and on-budget. I congratulate and thank Kirsten on a job well done!

I would like to welcome our new board members Amanda Grove Holmèn and Madeline Hult Elghanayan.

Our immense gratitude to our community of supporters that continue to provide SFAH with the foundation to look forward to the next 100 years of kids + camp = joy!

Sincerely,

Sarah Senbahar
President
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Complete, audited financial statements for the fiscal year 2019 are available. Please contact us if you would like to receive a copy.

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Actual 2018 Operating Income

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*excludes temporarily restricted donations for capital building projects
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Net operating income/(deficit) $(326,201)

***includes depreciation expense of $380,972

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Net operating income/(deficit) $(433,190)

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2019 was a fun filled and action packed year BECAUSE OF YOU! Your support provided a summer filled with joy and respite to many campers who made memories to last a lifetime. Throughout the off-season, many spent their weekends at SFAH reconnecting with their friends, going on trips and learning valuable life skills. Here is the 2019 recap.

**THIS SUMMER YOUR SUPPORT PROVIDED JOY TO**

**160 campers | 2,596 camper days**
2-three week & 1-one week session

112 - returning campers; 24 - first time campers
113 - New York State campers; 21 - Out of state campers
2 - International (Switzerland & Spain)

Awarded 130 camper’s financial aid totaling $250,000 in financial aid rewards

With a team of:
- 29 Counselors - 5 Head Counselors
- 5 Nurses - 5 Lifeguards - 5 Activities Leaders - 9 Cooks
- 3 Housekeepers - 2 Maintenance - 2 Alumni Interns
- 6 Management & Office Staff

You enriched our campers lives with:
- 94 Swim Sessions | 33 Sails on Peconic Bay
- 8 Beach Trips | 110 Field Trips
- 188 Sports & Games
- 2 Proms

And served:
- 14,805 meals

**DURING THE OFF-SEASON YOUR SUPPORT CONTINUED TO SERVE**

**393 campers | 478 camper days**

12 WEEKEND OVERNIGHTS included
Superbowl Party at SFAH - Halloween Weekend
St. Patrick’s Weekend

11 DAY TRIPS included
Concert - Sporting Events - Broadway Show
Disney on Ice - Live with Kelly & Ryan

9 LIFE SKILL LABS included
Self-Advocacy - Independence in the Kitchen
Sustainable Living - Career Paths - Abilities Expo

3 GATHERINGS included
Spring Family Fun Day
Holiday Party
Friends-giving

And served:
- 14,805 meals

**YOUR SUPPORT HAS MADE A LASTING IMPACT!**

“SFAH truly made me who I am today and its amazing to be accepted for who you are, not how you look. Camp is important for many of us who don’t always get accepted in the real world. Camp is the beautiful place where most of us can just be ourselves and be happy. I don’t feel that way in school so getting to come this year meant a lot to me. Camp is so amazing and please know that it will always be remembered in our hearts.”

- Christian Calamuci, camper

Once again, thank you David for everything. Giving her the opportunity to attend camp has changed the perception she had of herself. SFAH has helped her getting stronger, pushing her limits, finding confidence, being more positive. She has wonderful memories and will keep them preciously. You and all your team are really doing an incredible job and one can only be grateful to your commitment.

- Sophie Crestin-Billet, Mother of Marie
Johileny Meran attended SFAH programs from 2012-2014. Having lost her mother to cancer in 2010, JoJo lived with her brother and grandmother in a homeless shelter. This year, she graduated New York University with a BA in Global Public Health and joined the SFAH summer staff as the camp coordinator/medical administrator. Johileny writes about her experience at SFAH with the unique perspective of having been both a camper and employee.

“As a camper, Southampton Fresh Air Home (SFAH) was more than a summer camp to me. I started attending SFAH at 14. I was living in a shelter and things at home were hard as I was encountering adult responsibilities. I was the only person to speak English fluently and served as a translator for my grandma. Camp was a safe place where I could just make friends, learn to be independent, have fun and just be a kid. I was not a kid with a disability, I was a kid playing camp games, enjoying the pool and more.

This summer, 2019, I served at the SFAH office as the camp coordinator and medical administrator. I learned and experienced a different side of camp. I encountered some of the hard work that goes into ensuring that campers are able to enjoy their time with no worry. I learned that sometimes going the extra mile is what's necessary to create an environment where campers can just worry about what activity is next on their schedule. I worked with parents, nurses and management to make sure we had all the information needed to take care of campers. One of the benefits of being an alumni is knowing from experience how safe and fun SFAH is and being able to describe it to nervous, first-time camper parents.”

- Johileny Meran, alumni camper and 2019 SFAH camp coordinator

In 2019, Southampton Fresh Air Home lost two very important friends whose innumerable contributions will leave a lasting impact for many years to come.

**IN MEMORIAL**

Kurt Wolfgrüber was an avid supporter of SFAH. Along with his beloved wife Kim White, he was instrumental in the implementation of our current alumni program. The idea grew out of his concern that there were few opportunities for our campers once they aged out of our summer program at 18. The alumni program has morphed into a Life Skills program that has become instrumental in giving campers the foundation that they need to become independent and to build and maintain a network with their camp colleagues. Kurt was co-chairman of the Home’s Men’s Committee, ensuring that campers receive special experiences each summer. He could regularly be found cheering on the Long Island Breakers baseball team alongside our campers.

In addition to his unwavering support of SFAH, Kurt served as the chairman of the board of directors of Voices of September 11th and was a trustee of Ithaca College. Kurt was also passionate about the mission of the Peconic Baykeeper.
Sophy P. Q. Haynes began her association with SFAH in 1972 and was a very active member of the Board for 18 years. During her tenure as Board President, Sophy was instrumental in the building of two new dormitories, providing the children with safer accommodations in a time of need. Her outreach to the community gained much needed support.

Sophy was influential in the transformation of the Home, helping to move it into the 20th Century. She and her group of Board leaders lit the torch which we have carried into the 21st century. She embodied the spirit that pushes us forward and remained a member of the Home’s Honorary Board of Directors until her passing in June.

We remember Sophy and Kurt and credit the impact they have made at the Fresh Air Home which will be felt for many years. They will both be missed.
Michaela Keszler, a dedicated member of the SFAH Board for 20 years, has exhibited extraordinary leadership and commitment. She was President of the Board from 2012 to 2014 and has served on many committees from Buildings and Grounds to Finance. Her hard work, kind spirit, commitment, friendships and impact in the community have helped shape the modern day SFAH.

Michaela’s introduction began when she was invited to an Open House by Barbara Smith, who was Board President at the time. “I was given a tour of the facility and watched a theater piece that was put on by the campers. I had noticed during my tour that campers had filled out little notes expressing their wishes for the future. Their answers were typical of the dreams for any child such as seeing friends, getting a dog or going to camp. I was so emotionally overwhelmed and impressed seeing the joy the children experienced in this happy place despite the immense challenges they faced. A few weeks later, I called Barbara and told her that I wanted to get more involved.”

At the start of Michaela’s involvement and election to the Board of Directors in 1999, SFAH was beginning to undergo significant changes within the staff and facilities. The Main Building was about to embark on a major renovation and a new activities complex was being planned. “I worked alongside Ann Grimm and Cathy di Montezemolo in coordinating these projects and was awestruck by the way they kept the projects moving.”

As chairman of the Buildings and Grounds Committee, Michaela was involved in the rebuilding of the dormitories and infirmary in 2008. “This was the largest and most challenging project. There was so much coordinating so that we could continue to fundraise and ensure we were ready for summer. The new buildings are a great success. They allowed us to add programming during the year which has dramatically expanded our programs and mission.”

Michaela has fond memories of when camp director David Billingham was hired. “David and his wife Kara, who was co-director when they started, were so young at the time. The energy and care delivered has proven to be successful. David is able to motivate the counselors in a way that makes SFAH a happy place for everyone. It is the unique atmosphere which David creates that inspires the program.”

Michaela continues to serve as an active member of the Building and Grounds Committee and is proud of the transformation of the campus over the years. She attributes her commitment to the Home in large part to other women who have demonstrated great leadership. “There were so many great role models. In addition to Barbara Smith, Ann Grimm and Cathy di Montezemolo, there was Millie Brinn, Claire Mulholland, Peri Bogert and Susan Cocke. We all took it so personally. We are a ‘very hands’ on Board and if it needs to be done, it will get done. All the women are warriors which is what makes it so special. And to this day, we have an immediate reward when we see the children arrive at camp. It is so impactful.”

SFAH has been a true labor of love for the entire Keszler family. “Both my daughters Lulu and Paulina spent several summers volunteering at the camp and love it so much. It was a wonderful experience. My son Nicki also loved the camp very much. After his passing, we created a scholarship fund in his memory and built ‘The Nicki Keszler Sports Court’ thanks to the gracious gift from Barbara and Randy Smith. My husband Stephan is also very involved in leading fundraisers for the Home. Through the sale of art in his gallery and along with the Grant family, we installed a much needed astro turf surface to improve accessibility. He has also donated beautiful art for the DDD auction, and custom pieces for the children to enjoy.”

As Michaela enters her third decade of service on the Board of Directors, we salute her and all of her accomplishments.

THANK YOU!
During the summer months, our staff grows to over 60 employees including counselors, nurses and support staff, who provide our children with an exceptional camping experience.