



Camp Courageous is a year-round recreational, respite, and travel program for individuals of all ages with disabilities.





# 2024 Projects

## Nature Trail -Pictured Rock Addition

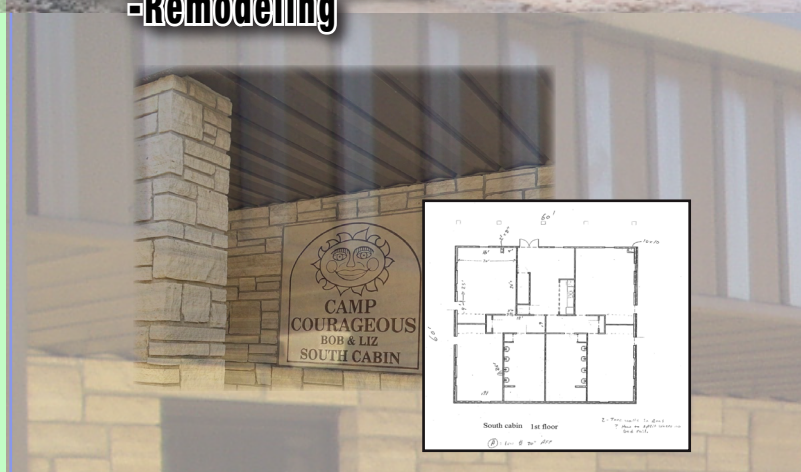


Camp Courageous is constructing a **Nature Trail** in the Pictured Rocks Addition (north of base camp). This trail will be part of a long-term project of expanding paved and unpaved trails into many areas. The Nature Trail in the Pictured Rocks addition will travel through the north area of Camp's property. The area, formally the "Pictured Rocks Methodist Camp," had basic walking trails in several areas when Camp acquired the land. However, these trails were not very accessible for campers being served by Camp Courageous.

To make contribution for this Project visit:

<https://campcourageous.org/nature-trail-contribution/>

## South Cabin -Remodeling



**South Cabin**, approximately 60' by 60' with a basement, was primarily designed with input from the Program Staff during the early to mid-90s. It marked the beginning of replacing three old cabins. These previous cabins were notably smaller, about one-third the size of the current cabin, without basements, and in need of updates.

During that conservative era, heating the large lodge for 25-50 campers was considered extravagant. Therefore, we adopted a self-contained approach. Cooking took place in the cabin's kitchenette, and both volunteers and campers stayed in the same building.

There was air conditioners in the hot summer months. Operations were leaner back then, with more volunteers wearing multiple hats, such as medical managers, cooks, counselors, and activity specialists. One can reminisce about those times with Jim Zimmerman and his family, recalling the days when things were different.

One proposal involves removing walls and installing glass boards and ceiling tiles would modernize the layout. Each room would accommodate a staff member, with an additional staff member stationed in the middle if necessary. Gender-specific arrangements or mixed-gender occupancy could be implemented. Optimizing space utilization, including the use of Murphy beds, is a key consideration.

You can donate to Camp Courageous by visiting the website. Simply visit the link below or scan the QR code.

[www.campcourageous.org/donation-page/](http://www.campcourageous.org/donation-page/)







Camp Courageous was thrilled to have our dear friends from the **Molo Companies** visit for a check presentation and tour of the facilities. Molo had a Fuel Round-Up where the company and the customers rounded their purchases up for Camp Courageous...a huge success! (L-R) Camp Courageous Board Member and COO/VP of Molo Companies, Glenn Hasken; Cathy Morrison from the Hiawatha Store; Melissa Edwards, Dubuque; Marcus Rush, Dubuque; Jacque Hager, Retail Operations Manager, Dubuque; and Camille Willett, Molo's Marketing person. Super group of good and caring individuals that are very involved in giving back to the area.



During the winter **Linda Wehrman** from Waterloo IA, contacted Camp Courageous inquiring if the camp could use more quilts for the camper's beds. The answer was an emphatic "Yes!" Linda immediately got busy cutting, piecing, and sewing these beautiful, patchwork quilts in one month! While at the camp she inquired if the camp would have a need for other hand sewn items, as she has several seamstresses ready and willing to create items for the campers. We look forward to seeing Linda again soon with more of her, and her friend's lovely creations!



Camp Courageous was honored to have the **GTG Peterbilt Team** visit Camp Courageous for a tour. (L-R) Kim Renken, Parts Director, GTG Peterbilt; Harrison Hartgrave, Manager, GTG Peterbilt; Chad Muszynski, VP, GTG Peterbilt; Barry Johnstone, Director National Parts at Custom Truck One Source, Oak Creek, Wisconsin; Shane Remington, Parts Sales Manager, GTG Peterbilt; and Randy Faulkner, Facilities Manager, GTG Peterbilt. Randy is also the longest serving Camp Courageous Board Member. He and his entire family have been involved with Camp since the 80s. Charlie Faulkner, Randy's son, is Used Truck & Wholesale Manager & Corporate Buyer at GTG Peterbilt. Charlie Faulkner and Chad Muszynski have been long time friends, and all those years they have been helping Camp in a variety of ways, including cooking omelets for Open House/Breakfasts to huge donations of office furniture. For GTG Peterbilt's 50th anniversary they did several fund raisers to benefit Camp Courageous. GTG Peterbilt was honored to win Peterbilt's "Best In Class" Award in recognition of being one of the top Peterbilt dealers in the country. This award reflects the wonderful and dedicated employees, many of whom, are also very involved in Camp Courageous. Thank you to a super company, made up of good and caring staff and customers.



Camp Courageous would like to thank John Clark-Hansen (standing-back) for inviting the Camp to give a program to the **Marion Lions Club**. This Club has been supporting the Camp since 1978! They are a super group of hard and dedicated workers. We are grateful for the opportunity and their strong support!

## Winning family of the 2013 fiat abart



**Robert Strong** winner of the 2013 Fiat Abarth. His ticket was pulled on New Year's Eve by Camper, Cooper Yonkovic and read by **Eloise Dennis**, who had donated the car. With Robert is his wife, Elizabeth, son Josiah, and daughter, Gabby. Robert had told Gabby, that at Cruisin' for Camp Courageous he had bought Gabby a new car...and lo and behold...he did. Robert has his roots in Dubuque but has lived in Colorado for many years. A Dubuque Senior High Graduate, we thank Robert for his service in the Navy! Unfortunately, they came back to Iowa earlier than planned, when Robert's mother had a stroke and was transported from Finley in Dubuque to University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics via helicopter. She is a retired Special Education Teacher at Roosevelt in Dubuque, and Robert's family has a rich history of serving those with special needs. We wish for the Robert Strong Family many fun and safe years of driving.

Camp was extremely grateful to have Robert Bolyard with the **Sons of The American Legion, Marion IA**, stop by with a generous



donation. Robert had many great questions about the camp and hopes The Sons of the American Legion are able to visit soon for a tour.

## Courier Newsletter

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ANNUAL CAMP COURAGEOUS

# **Omelet Breakfast**

## **and Open House**

**Sunday, April 28th**

**8 AM to 12 PM**

**\$10 Adults • \$5 Children  
12 and under**

**Enjoy live oldies music from the  
East Side Big Band, Laser Tag, Train Rides  
and pet the animals.**

**\$10 Zipline rides and Mini Golf**

**Fresh made-to-order omelets, sausage, toast,  
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**For more information, contact Ashley Burino  
319-465-5916 ex 2400 or [ashley@campcourageous.org](mailto:ashley@campcourageous.org)**

**12007 190th Street, Monticello, IA**





A special thank you to **Ann Hodges** (L) for inviting Camp Courageous to give a program to this delightful Cedar Rapids P.E.O. at the home of Joanne Peterson (Joanne is sitting in the greenish chair, with her dog, Cooper, in her lap). Ann was a special education teacher in the Cedar Rapids School District for years and brought students to camp. In the back window is longtime friend of the camp, Susan Ovel and Char Pence. Wonderful group and a wonderful afternoon. P.E.O. is a philanthropic organization where women celebrate the advancement of women, educate them through scholarships, grants, awards, loans, and stewardship of Cottey College, and motivate women to achieve their highest aspirations. P.E.O. had its roots in Mt. Pleasant, at Iowa Wesleyan College, in 1869 and is headquartered in Des Moines, IA. Jeanne Muellerleille, who headed the Camp's program for about 40-years, was a member of the Monticello P.E.O. have known many exceptional members over the years.



Thank you to President Claire Tupper and the **Cedar Rapids Kiwanis Club** for inviting Camp Courageous to give a program to their group. They meet at the impressive Groundswell@Mathew 25 the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of the month from 12-1PM in SW Cedar Rapids. Very engaging group, with a lot of history with Camp Courageous. It was fun to come back and do a little reminiscing. They are group that constantly giving back to their community.



A huge thank you to the **Masonic Lodge #37 of Davenport, IA.** for a very nice donation of miscellaneous items. Pictured L-R are Dennis Zahrt, Janet Zahrt and Dennis Soebbing. This fine group of camp supporters have donated so much over the decades, from various items in excellent condition, financial support and countless hours of work at camp fundraisers. We thank them from the bottom of our hearts.



A special thank you to Doug Welton of New Hampton, IA for giving Camp Courageous the opportunity to give a program to their Lion's Club. **The New Hampton Lions** have been long time supporters of Camp. A delightful group that does a tremendous amount of good



A huge thank you to **Lynn Burrell of Frontier Garden Center** for an incredible donation of flower pots and other miscellaneous items. Lynn is pictured here with his hardworking staff Traci Sandeen and Rod Weber. Lynn donates a variety of plants and garden supplies year round. We deeply appreciate his generosity.



The employees at **Bankers Advertising/Tru Art** showed their holiday spirit by donating an SUV filled with items from the camp's needs list. To make the donations even more festive, much of them were enclosed in 2 large boxes wrapped in holiday paper with large bows! Bankers Advertising/Tru Art have been supporting Camp Courageous for decades. Many thanks to employee Rhonda Hoffmann (L) and her friend Laurinda Kraft (R) who personally drove to camp with this special delivery.



Camp Courageous extends heartfelt gratitude to the **Marion American Legion Riders** for their unwavering dedication and support. Their ongoing financial contributions and generous commitment of time exemplifies the true spirit of compassion and community. Their partnership with camp enriches the lives of the campers and strengthens the mission to provide memorable experiences. Thank you for standing with us in making a difference. (L-R) Roger Norfolk, Rosemary & Carl Kerschenske, Jason Achenbach, Mike Etzel, Lori Achenbach and Mike Cleveland.



Cedar Valley Street Rods Present the 37th Annual

# CRUISIN'

for Camp Courageous



One of Iowa's largest charity car shows with  
over 400 cars, trucks,



**May 19, 2024 • 10 am – 4 pm**

*The event will be held rain or shine.*

**Camp Courageous • 12007 190th St. Monticello, IA**

**Adults – \$5**

**Children 12 & Under – Free**

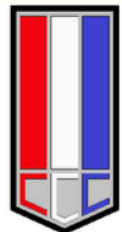
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Fun for the whole family – silent and live auction, camp activities,  
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Zipline Rides, games and more!



*No alcohol or tobacco products allowed on the grounds of Camp Courageous.*

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A very special thank you to our dear friends. The **Iowa City Old Capital Kiwanis**, for inviting Camp Courageous to give them an update and some wonderful donations. Camp Courageous thinks the world of this group and often refers to them as family! Thank you to Clarence Skog for doing a beautiful job introducing the Camp Courageous program to the Iowa City Old Capital Kiwanis Club and to Jim Close for doing a lot of prearrangements. The Iowa City Old Capital Kiwanis has been supporting Camp with gifts of needed supplies, volunteer time, and financial support for nearly three decades. Camp Courageous is super grateful. In addition, we spent a moment remembering John Green, their long-time secretary and past president. John was an exceptional individual, who is dearly missed by all.



A sincere thank you to the **St James Lutheran Church of Bettendorf, IA** for their donation of tables and chairs. Pictured L-R are Steve & Sue Miller and friends. Steve and Sue have been great friends of camp and donors for many years now.

*If you would like to volunteer at Camp Courageous in any department contact:*

**volunteer@campcourageous.org**

Volunteers needed in every Camp department as well as for events (camp breakfasts, Sprint Triathlon, Cruisin car show, and more!)



A big thank you to **Dr. Gayle Pohl, PH.D.**, (front, left) Associate Professor of **Public Relations at the University of Northern Iowa**, for giving Camp Courageous the opportunity to present to the UNI Public Relations Campaign Methods Class. This dedicated class is taking on the Camp Courageous' need to recruit exceptional counselors. Camp was very fortunate to have Dr. Jeffrey Brand stop into the class. Dr. Brand told the class his story about his children, Steven and Brittany, attending Camp and what an incredible experience they have at Camp. It was Dr. Brand who suggested to Dr. Pohl what a great opportunity it would be as a project for students. The class is divided into 3 groups and they will be making their presentations in the weeks to come. A huge thank you for opening the door! UNI is one of the top, if not the #1 source of counselors for Camp Courageous.



**Ketelsen RV** is one of the Midwest's oldest RV dealers. Camp's dear friends, Johnny and Marge Ketelsen, started the business in 1962 in Marion, Iowa and grew the business by providing exceptional value and service to their customers. And more than half-a-century, the tradition continues! For many years Gary Ketelsen, Johnny & Marge's son, has had a customer appreciation/open house weekend that included a free-will pancake breakfast to benefit Camp Courageous, one of his parents' favorite charities. This family of friends type event, has been one of camp's top annual fund raisers, as the Ketelsen Family matches dollar-for-dollar everything raised. A wonderful, heartwarming family, who carries on a rich tradition of truly caring for family, friends, and those in need. Pictured are Gary Ketelsen, holding a picture of his folks, Molly Breslin (admin), Alex Petersen (sales), Brian Guildford (finance dept), Brandon Skaggs (finance dept), Kevin Dorrington( sales), Denny Zimmerman (sales) and JT Thomas (warranty). Special thanks to Molly, for coordinating the event and who has spent most her life doing for other.



It was a special treat to have **Roberta Snyder** (L) come from Yale, IA to deliver 19-quilts (a real labor of love) and some paper products in memory of her dear friend, Dayna Decker-Nuzum. Roberta and Dayna were members of the Pythian Sisters, and every year they would travel for hours to deliver quilts and items from the needs list to Camp. Dana had Camp Courageous as her Pythian State Project, and since about 1990, they have been supporting the Camp. Dana passed a year ago, just before their annual road trip to Camp Courageous. A special thank you to Roberta's daughter-in-law, Amy Snyder (R) for driving...they were on the road most the day. Amy is a Camp Courageous Triathlete, and lives in Marshalltown, IA. Both had the opportunity to ride the Camp's Zipline!





## KCRG 9-Who-Care Award

A huge congratulations to **Jimmy Gibney** for being one of the nine honorees for the **KCRG 9-Who-Care Award!** Special Thanks to Connie Parrish-Heidemann for nominating him! Jimmy Gibney started coming to Camp Courageous when he was 11 years old. At the age of 20, he was enjoying the **cam Wilderness Trackers** program, a week of camping, canoeing, and wilderness activities away from base camp. Jimmy so enjoyed his time at Camp Courageous, he wanted to give a young person the same opportunity he was given.



So, Jimmy, annually, has been saving his birthday money, along with “re-purposing” his tips (which he felt very guilty accepting) from his work at the Wilson Ave. Hy-Vee, along with employee bonus money, to provide a person with special needs the opportunity to go to Camp Courageous (Campership), and additionally provide money for the camper to have a t-shirt and snacks while at Camp! Jimmy has always had an ‘Eagle Scout mentality’, with the need to serve.

Jimmy grew-up, learning by example from his mother, Lisa Gibney Wright, what it means to help others. Lisa was involved for years with the Variety Club Telethon, Camp Courageous and many other worthy causes. Jimmy has a wonderful role model in his mother.

Jimmy recently celebrated over 20-years with Hy-Vee! Jimmy’s goal is to have his picture on the wall of the Wilson Ave. Hy-Vee as a 40-year employee! As Lisa mentions, “he lives to serve his Hy-Vee customers!”

One would be hard pressed to find a nicer person. Jimmy is an inspiration to more people than he could ever realize. Thank you, Jimmy, for being such a good and caring person! Your story has and will continue to warm the hearts of many...

Jimmy chose Camp Courageous to be the recipient of a donation from KCRG in Jimmy’s Honor. In addition, judge Sheri Grawe, also donated her honorarium to Camp Courageous!



**Jimmy Gibney with his mother, Lisa Gibney Wright.**



**Jimmy Gibney with nominator, Connie Parrish-Heidemann.**

## Skye in Perry, Iowa



Camp Courageous Staff member Dalton Barrier and Skye, the camp’s therapy dog, attended the first day back to school at Perry Elementary School and Perry High School. Skye was one of three dogs present to provide support for staff and students throughout their day. They had the opportunity to walk around all the classrooms, from kindergarten to High School, and spend time with the students during their normal class periods. The students were delighted to have the dogs there, and they loved the Skye Cards that Camp’s Team handed out to all the teachers in the classrooms. It was a great day full of laughter, tears, and the overwhelming joy of a small community coming together!





**Camp Courageous is run on donations, without government assistance, formal sponsorship, or paid fund raisers. Everything given to camp, whether it be food, time, materials, or financial support, goes directly to benefit the individuals with disabilities who are served each year. Listed below are those who have contributed money, time, and/or supplies from January 01, 2024 to March 18, 2024.**



#### **ANCHORAGE, AK**

Larry and Rose Scott - In memory of Beulah L. Shannon and Dennis C. "Denny" Scott

#### **BIRMINGHAM, AL**

Mary J. Mortell  
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Unitrust

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In memory of Charles  
P. Hansen and Dennis  
Hansen

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Bud and Georgia  
Johnson

#### **MESA, AZ**

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Daniel McGinn - In  
memory of Martin  
James Hermes  
Vonnie Richter - In  
memory of Barbara  
Sweeney  
Dennis and Carol Rickles  
- In memory of Peter  
Reinertsen

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Mr. & Mrs Daniel Nelson  
- In memory of Pat  
Mesick

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Bernard and Judith  
Luensman - In memory  
of Jean Marie Reiter

#### **PHOENIX, AZ**

Frank & Karen Dolezal -  
In memory of Wilburn  
Hollis  
Sheila McGinn Dorman  
- In memory of Martin  
James Hermes  
Mark Hermes - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **PINETOP, AZ**

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- In memory of Martin  
Hermes

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America

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Kendall Consulting

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Marsh

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Helen Secrist

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#### **LAKEWOOD, CO**

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Judd

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#### **NAPLES, FL**

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Krafock  
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#### **TAMPA, FL**

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Martin Hermes

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memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Sandra Southworth - In  
memory of Jennifer  
Washington

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memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **WINTER PARK, FL**

Kate Demory - In memory  
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Hermes

#### **ATLANTA, GA**

Brian House - In memory  
of John Inskeep Jr

#### **BIG CANOE, GA**

Steven Pohlmann - In  
memory of Grant White

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Aisha Manus

#### **ACKLEY, IA**

Albert and Marilyn Abbas  
Barb and Dave Keniger  
John and Judith Schafer  
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Geneva

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Mary Jo Callahan - In  
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memory of Jerome  
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memory of Wayne  
Whitham

#### **ANAMOSA, IA**

Sylvia Albers - In memory  
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Gerst, and Richard  
Nickels

Randy and Sandra  
Antons

Christine Baker  
Bill and Marlene Barnes  
- In memory of Phyllis  
Hoge  
Larry Basham  
Curt and Valerie Daily - In  
memory of Rachel White  
Virginia Dearborn - In  
memory of Dave  
Dearborn  
Duke and Kay Dusheck  
- In memory of Helen  
Secrist

Greg and Paula Hart  
Cecilia Hatcher  
Jeff and JoAnn Hinz  
Lori and Larry Huff - In  
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memory of Doug  
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Len Kuzela, and Tom  
Hamilton  
Patty Pauley  
Dick Raddatz  
Crystal Randall  
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Miles Ray  
James and Sharon  
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Witt  
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memory of Lorenz  
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Virginia Mitchell  
Marilyn Rubner - In  
memory of Lorenz  
Behrens

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memory of Wilfred  
Smithson

#### **ATALISSA, IA**

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Karl & Elizabeth  
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Thomas and Nancy Less  
- In memory of Leo Rabe

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Karen Martin - In memory  
of Jennifer Washington

#### **BARNES CITY, IA**

Lions Club of What Cheer

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Donald and Reda  
Prichard - In memory  
of Barb Edwards, Betty  
O'Mara, Gene Clerkin,  
Jim Chekal, Lillian  
Winslow, Louise Weeda,  
and Pat Rupp  
Joe Schwab

#### **BELLEVUE, IA**

Larry and Beverly Clasen  
- In memory of Cab  
Endlein  
Wayne and Lois Kilburg  
- In memory of Betty  
Sieverding, Herbert  
Ernst, and Larry Clasen  
- In honor of Jack Dyas  
Paul Petesch  
Phyllis Reistroffer

#### **BENNETT, IA**

Mary Weih - In memory of  
Rhea Hambright  
Mike and Julie Wilkins  
- In memory of Patricia  
Powers and Richard  
Hein

#### **BERNARD, IA**

John Udell

#### **BETTENDORF, IA**

Logan Anderson  
Melinda Bowers  
Keith Brick - In memory  
of Ron & Judy Brick  
Nancy Cox - In memory  
of Ann Powers  
Barbara J. Donald - In  
memory of Family  
Members  
Maxine Hansohn  
Jim and Sue Johnson - In  
memory of Patricia  
Mesick  
Curtis Lundy - In honor of  
Martin Hermes  
Edward Mesick - In  
memory of Patricia  
Mesick  
Rebecca Mesick - In  
memory of Patricia  
Mesick  
Timothy Mesick - In  
memory of Patricia  
Mesick  
Mary Jeanne Meumann  
- In memory of Patricia  
Mesick  
John and Katie Morrow  
John & Carol Mulhausen



Feeding the animals in the Nature Center is a popular activity for campers.



Alexander Sandra  
David and Karen Thode  
Katherine Turner  
Arno A. & Janice A.  
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St. James Lutheran  
Church  
Davenport Woman's Club

#### **BIRMINGHAM, IA**

Sherri Moore

#### **BLAIRSTOWN, IA**

Vivian Cronbaugh - In  
memory of Beth Kimm  
and Jimmy Gusta  
Larry and Theresa Hagen

#### **BLOOMFIELD, IA**

Tom and Paula Robinson

#### **BLUE GRASS, IA**

Vincent and Connie  
Motto  
Tom and Denise Spies  
- In memory of Dena  
Schliesman  
Deborah Stillwell - In  
memory of Lorenz  
Behrens

#### **BRANDON, IA**

Paul and Darlys Rogers  
- In memory of Helen  
Purdy

#### **BRIGHTON, IA**

Paul Hagist - In honor of  
Christopher Marner

#### **BROOKLYN, IA**

Larry Cline - In memory  
of Don Nicklas and  
Marlene Carter  
Bob and Marilyn Collum  
- In memory of Dan  
DeRycke and Don Van  
Ersvelde  
Jim and Elsie Foels - In  
memory of Jim Crabtree  
Craig and Connie Hall - In  
memory of Gerald Hall  
Craig and Mary Lang  
Norma Van Ersvelde - In  
memory of Mary Lou  
Mann  
Roger and Carol Van  
Renterghem

#### **BRYANT, IA**

James & Patricia  
Lauritzen - In memory of  
Paul Hammann  
Roland and Bette  
Petersen - In memory of  
Cawyn Cain and Stanley  
Von Thun - In honor of  
Mike Diercks

#### **BURLINGTON, IA**

Nancy Knotts  
Rae & Rennie Ludens  
- In memory of Arlene  
Bonnesen  
Steven Parker - In  
memory of Leo Greco  
Burlington Noon Lions  
Club

#### **CALAMUS, IA**

Sherry Haack - In  
honor of Joy & Karen  
Anthony's 50th wedding  
anniversary  
Kim Jacobi - In memory  
of Patrick Bousset  
Charles and Karen  
Porth - In memory of  
Betty Sieverding, Harold  
"Harry" Olson, and  
Robert Jacobi

#### **CALMAR, IA**

Roger and Bernice Winter  
- In memory of Viola  
Bohr

#### **CAMANCHE, IA**

Joy and Karen Anthony -  
In memory of Todd Card  
Barb Bialas  
Ronald and Evelyn  
Blatchley

William and Connie  
Dohrmann - In memory  
of Dorothy Kellermann  
Murl and Tracey  
McCulloh - In memory  
of Dar Lange, Harold  
Olson, and Mart Connell  
- In honor of Alec Davis,  
Amy Sater, Jan & Lynda  
Fletcher's 50th wedding  
anniversary, and Owen  
Baker's Birthday  
Ron Schneller - In  
memory of Dorothy  
Schneller

#### **CARROLL, IA**

Carroll Lions Club

#### **CASCADE, IA**

Von and Jean Denlinger  
- In memory of John  
Denlinger  
Terry and Jan Frasher  
- In memory of  
Charles E. Hawkins,  
Jacqueline Trumm,  
Lois Manternach, Ralph  
Manternach, Theresa  
Drew, and Thomas  
(Slim) Boyle  
Rosalie Hughes - In  
memory of Marilyn  
Hughes  
Steve & Mary Jean  
Knepper  
Bernie and Jessie  
Koob - In memory of  
Louis Manternach and  
Thomas (Slim) Boyle  
Dan Koppes  
Patricia Krofton  
Ellen Lindauer - In  
memory of Keith Urbain,  
Lois Manternach, Ralph  
Manternach, Rose  
Wolfe, Slim Boyle, and  
Theresa Drew  
Joseph and Jean Lynch  
Dick and Grace Noonan  
- In memory of Berdena  
Miller, D. Wayne Small,  
Jean M. Steger, Judy  
Kilburg, Kathy Bardon,  
Lenice Flesch, Lois  
Herrig, Mel Berendes,  
Sharon M. Manternach,  
Steve Supple, Thomas  
Boyle, Thomas J.  
Healey, Thomas  
Wainwright, and Tim  
Otting  
Bill and Kerri Takes - In  
memory of Theresa  
Drew  
American-Iowa Inc

#### **EDDYVILLE, IA**

Eddyville Ruritan Club

#### **CEDAR FALLS, IA**

Liz Berns - In memory of  
Peter Reinertsen  
Danielle Bonzer  
Steven Christoph - In  
memory of Peter  
Reinertsen  
Ann Cunningham - In  
memory of Pete  
Reinertsen  
John and Jodi Deery  
- In memory of Pete  
Reinertsen  
Rita and Larry  
Durchenwald - In  
memory of Mary  
Durchenwald  
Ted & Mari Gerdes - In  
honor of Dr. Tom and  
Char Strub  
Mike Green  
David & Kathy Hendrix  
Greg Robinson  
Christopher and Tara  
Sagers - In memory of  
Peter Reinertsen  
Richard Sulentic - In  
memory of Pete  
Reinertsen

Shirley Thompson  
Elizabeth Wild  
Barbara Witzel - In  
memory of Larry Elling  
Warren and Dorothy  
Brecheisen Fund

#### **CEDAR RAPIDS, IA**

Stella Albertson - In  
memory of Adam  
McWherter and Cheryl  
Beachler - In honor of  
Dick & Pat Minor's 60th  
wedding anniversary  
Mary Aldrich - In memory  
of Mary Newman  
Tom and Jeanne  
Amosson - In memory of  
Paul Benischek  
Lindsay Anaya - In  
memory of Mary Louise  
Newman  
Patricia Anderson  
Ron and Pat Ashlock - In  
memory of Maurita  
Penn  
Heather Bachman  
Charles and Donna  
Bagge  
Linda Barron - In memory  
of Mark Kadlec  
Robert Barta - In memory  
of Mark Kadlec  
John Bauck - In memory  
of Joyce Goldsberry  
Rhoda Bauer - In memory  
of Lyal Bauer  
Brenda Becker - In  
memory of Mark Kadlec  
John and Cheryl Bell  
Rick and Diane Benhart  
- In memory of Jim &  
Dorothy Benhart  
Larry and Susan Berns  
- In memory of Mark  
Kadlec  
Donna Black - In memory  
of Paulette Avis  
James and Maryann  
Boardman - In memory  
of Mark Kadlec  
David and Kathy  
Bowersox - In memory  
of Randy Littrell  
Barry Breffle  
Carolee Bruner - In  
memory of Wilburn  
Hollis  
George Brunscheen  
- In memory of Paul  
Benischek  
Sandra Brunscheen -  
In memory of Brice  
Krafock  
Joanne Buresh - In  
memory of Neal Paulsen  
Brett Cassabaum  
Wes and Michele Cerveney  
- In memory of Mark  
Kadlec  
Barbara Clark - In  
memory of Richard  
O. Clark and Waneta  
Beasmore  
Jack and Marilyn  
Colentine - In memory  
of R. Dave Rowell  
Jim and Renee Corkery  
- In memory of Peter  
Reinertsen  
William Davis and Kathy  
Franzburger  
Ray and Korrina Dawson  
- In memory of Mark  
Kadlec  
Jean Deasy  
Betty Debban  
Jennifer and Nick Decker  
- In memory of Irene  
Mullenbach  
Ken and Frances  
DeMarce  
Carol DeWulf - In memory  
of Cawyn Cain  
Duston and Jessie  
Diesing  
Janet Dolphin

Barbara Driscoll  
Patricia Drumbarger - In  
memory of Ed Clark on  
his 3/19 birthday, Ma &  
Pa Black at Easter time,  
and Marge & Ed Clark at  
Easter Time  
David Durchenwald - In  
memory of Pamela  
Durchenwald  
Julie Dvorak  
Dennis and Judith Dye -  
In memory of Mark Allen  
Kadlec  
Paul Egger - In memory  
of Rev. William B.  
Harnish  
Dale and M. Sue  
Eichenberger  
Judith Ernst - In memory  
of Marie Scott  
David and Dixie Estrem  
Orville Fair  
Elizabeth Farmer - In  
memory of Wilburn  
Hollis  
Mark and Mary Fiala - In  
memory of Mark Kadlec  
Mike and Malinda Finley  
David Fisher  
Tom and Sue Flaherty - In  
memory of Mark Kadlec  
Alan & Sue Fletcher - In  
honor of Jan & Lynda  
Fletcher's 50th wedding  
anniversary  
Carole Fluegel - In  
memory of Cawyn Cain  
Michael Foust  
Faye Gerner - In memory  
of Wilburn Hollis  
Mary Gilliam  
Todd Ginther  
Dee Gray  
Linda Hale  
Michael and Mary  
Hansen - In memory of  
Mark Kadlec  
Betty and Vernon Happel  
Sally Harms - In memory  
of Allan L. Harms  
Robert and Susan Hartley  
- In memory of Lyal  
Bauer  
Eric and Ann Hearn  
Nancy Heaverlo - In  
memory of Earl E. Iben  
Michael Heims  
Cindy Helle  
Carol Hills - In memory of  
Mary Newman  
Sylvester Hinz  
Michael and Nancy  
Hirleman  
Mary Hoffman - In honor  
of Mike Swift  
Steve and Casey Hogan  
- In memory of Connie  
Saunders and Larry Kula  
Kathryn Houlihan - In  
memory of Waneta  
Beasmore  
Marcella Husen - In  
memory of Darlene  
Pennock and Glenn  
Ebert  
Lupe Inskeep - In memory  
of John Inskeep  
Marge Jansa - In memory  
of Jan Murphy and  
Regis Zweigart  
Marjorie Jansa - In  
memory of Helen  
Secrist  
Joseph and Ann Jeffries  
- In memory of Wilburn  
Hollis  
Earl and Carol Johnson  
- In memory of Wayne  
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- In memory of Mark  
Kadlec  
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Camp is always interested  
in new and exciting acts and  
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programs!

**Do you or someone you know  
have a talent to share with  
the campers? Play in a band?  
Can teach line dancing? Come  
teach us something or put on  
a fun show with the camper's  
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**Interested in volunteering  
your time? Please contact  
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Rodney and Nancy  
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Travis Krapfl  
Jim and Flo Kruger  
Bill Kuba - In memory of  
Joyce Kuba  
Mary Pat Kucera  
Linda Lane  
Jerald Lange  
Marc and Charisse  
Lawrence - In memory  
of Wilburn Hollis  
Greg and Mary Lehner - In  
memory of Mark Kadlec  
Linda Lumsden - In  
memory of Bernie  
Brickman and Brent  
Harstad  
James and Marti  
Maccani  
Dale March - In memory  
of Ann Katherine  
Sullivan Powers  
Bob and JoAnn  
Matthiessen - In  
memory of Cheri Techau  
and Terry Disterhoft  
James and Carolyn  
McAuliffe - In memory  
of Mark Allen Kadlec  
and Marylou (Kadlec)  
Pearson  
John & Donna McDonald  
Deb McDonough - In  
memory of Marj Lubben  
Doug McKechnie  
Tom and Paula Moran - In  
memory of Rita Penn  
Kristin Morris  
Molly Murphy - In  
memory of Ellen  
Schmidt  
Theresa Nigg - In  
memory of Dan Nigg  
Kurt Nilsson  
Barbara Noe Koch - In  
memory of Rachel White  
David and Andrea Novak  
- In memory of Rachel  
White  
Julie Novak  
Lynn O'Connell - In  
memory of Ann Powers

Richard and Mary Jane  
Overmann  
Mike Papich - In memory  
of Emil Grulke  
Robert and Margaret  
Pence - In memory of  
Wilburn Hollis  
Marshall and Jennifer  
Petersen  
Mary Petersmith - In  
memory of Mary  
Newman  
James and Rose Phillips  
- In memory of Cheryl  
Beachler  
Dorothy Pomeroy - In  
memory of Elfrieda  
Hansen  
Larry and Phyllis Purcell  
Holly Ralston  
Becky Ranck - In memory  
of JP Ranck  
Jeff and Lisa Rehman - In  
memory of Carm Quirk  
Mary Richeson - In  
memory of Mark Kadlec  
Mark and Mary Rinehart  
- In memory of Ann  
Powers  
Randall and Danielle  
Rings  
Kelly Roedema - In  
memory of Mary  
Newman  
John and Monica Roltgen  
Barbara Ross  
Floyd Sandford  
Karen Sasek - In memory  
of Norman & John  
Sasek  
James and Sara Sauter  
- In memory of Peter  
Reinertsen  
Jennifer Schlee - In  
memory of Mark Kadlec  
Steven & Janet Schroeder  
- In memory of Rachel  
White  
Ellie Schwab - In memory  
of Mary Newman  
Ron and Mary Scott  
Melvin Scoville  
Michael Scruggs  
Linda Shay  
Kathy Shelton - In  
memory of Mark Kadlec  
Nancy Shields - In



memory of Norman Mathis  
David and Jane Siegel - In memory of Mark Kadlec  
Ann Marie Simmons  
Charley Snodgrass  
Teresa Snopsek - In memory of Helen Secrist and Mark Kadlec  
Karol Spores  
Paul and Kaye Steege  
Georganne Steele  
Alan Steil  
Sandra Stepanek - In memory of Fred Koehler  
Robert and Amy Stevenson - In memory of Cawyn Renae Cain  
Linda Stoll - In memory of Mark Kadlec  
Ben and Lora Summerwill  
Byron and Julie Tabor  
Kirk Talbott  
Donald and Judy Teply - In memory of Mary Rita Hebl  
Clair Thayer  
Mike Thibault  
Alice Tritle  
Audrey Tuttle  
Gary Van Cura - In memory of Mona Myhlhousen  
Mary Van Houten - In memory of Rachel White  
Eleanor Van Tasell - In memory of Lois Thedens  
Robert and Debbie VanDolah  
Robert Wagner  
Charles and Carol Wehage  
Madge White - In memory of Joyce Rohling  
Sherri Wilcox and Richard Mishler  
Dan Woert  
Mike Zlatohlavek  
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TrueNorth Companies  
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Mailing Services Inc.  
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In Tolerance  
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IBEW Local 1362 - In memory of Wally Hootman  
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**CENTER JUNCTION, IA**  
Mel and Nancy Mysak

**CENTER POINT, IA**  
Paul & Jeri Clark - In memory of Wilburn Hollis  
Stuart and Lori Davidson

- In memory of Peter Reinertsen  
Kenneth and Twyla Dinger  
Ginny Luchauer  
Steve & Karen Milota - In memory of Gene, Delores, & Michael McCormick  
Todd & Carolyn Mitchell - In memory of Rachel White  
Steve and Amy Neighbor  
Rita Porter  
Norman and Zelda Sackett  
Dan & Theresa Scheeler  
Center Point Fire Department

**CENTRAL CITY, IA**  
Doug and Sara Kelley  
Wayne and Linda Martin  
Norma Nietert - In memory of Gloria Warner, Kathleen Andersen, Larry Johnson, Luther Williams, and Pauline Randall  
Rose Noonan - In memory of David Wetzel, Jim Noonan, Paul Kohout, Rachel White, and Waneta Beasmore

**CHARLOTTE, IA**  
Daryl and Verda Mae Glahn - In memory of Dorothy Kellermann and Grace McDonald  
Bill and Carol Schrader - In memory of Bill Carlson, Grace McDonald, and Phyllis Eggers  
Bob and Sandra Unruh - In memory of Grace McDonald and Nola Fanger - In honor of Mike Diercks

**CHELSEA, IA**  
Judy Kenner

**CHEROKEE, IA**  
Gloria Ford

**CLARENCE, IA**  
Bill and Karen Bachman - In memory of Bricen Krafock  
Betty Blake - In memory of Don Bechtold  
Jeri Flockhart - In memory of Bricen Krafock  
Shirley Geadelmann  
Velma Huebner  
Connie Kelly - In memory of Bricen Krafock

**CLARION, IA**  
Sacred Heart Parish

**CLARKSVILLE, IA**  
St. John Lutheran

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Dawn Drydale  
Paula Dummett

**CLERMONT, IA**  
Kirk and Dawn Jacobsen  
Knights of Columbus, Clermont & Postville

**CLINTON, IA**  
Dolores Diercks - In memory of William Schilling - In honor of Mike Diercks  
Eugene and Virginia Eggers - In memory of Michael Diercks  
Joe & Deborah Farrell - In memory of Merry Christmas to Gerry Farrell  
Gary and Myrna Gifford - In memory of Jack E.

Ramser and Michael Diercks  
Ivogene Griswold - In memory of Cindy Clayton, Lois Black, and Phyllis Eggers  
Ed and Jean Hupfer - In memory of Artie Seeser, Dorothy Schneller, Grace McDonald, Marilyn Lockhart, Mark Neblung, and Vern Pals  
Charles and Nancy Jargo - In memory of Betty Moeller  
Jr and Barb Johns  
Gerald and Danny McGrath - In memory of Carolyn Knight  
Marvin & Vickie McQuistion - In memory of Charlie Steen  
Rita Powers - In memory of Ed Hrklicka, Lucille Rowold, and Phyllis Eggers - In honor of Wanda Campbell  
Judith Smith - In honor of Mike Diercks  
Helen Steen - In memory of Chuck Steen  
Lynn Steen - In memory of Chuck Steen  
Barbara Tietjens - In memory of Bonnie Miel  
Brigham Tubbs - In memory of Cawyn Cain  
Debra and Gary Vath - In memory of Cawyn Cain  
Darryl Waugh  
Andover Lions Club - In memory of Michael L. Diercks

**CLUTIER, IA**  
Clutier ZCBJ Lodge - In memory of Naomi Jean Konicek

**COGGON, IA**  
Tiffany Holub  
Doris and Jim Hoskins - In memory of Rachel White  
James and Rosemary Kinley - In memory of Velma LeClere Jensen  
Cletus Kremer - In memory of George Benn, Inez Kremer, Leon Mullis, Margaret Bertling, Marlene Schlarmann, and Mike Devlin  
Robert and Roxanne Portzline  
Brian Rowe  
Steven and Mary Sheppard - In memory of Danny Youngblood, Diane Doese, and Shelli L. Wilson

**COGOON, IA**  
Laurel McCarthy

**COLESBURG, IA**  
Janet Brown - In memory of Bob Brown  
Amanda Diers

**COLUMBUS JUNCTION, IA**  
David Coghlan Jr

**CORALVILLE, IA**  
Richard and Ann Burton  
Michael Conner  
Joseph Greiner  
Steve Kessler  
Tyler Todd - In honor of Laura Shepard  
Gary and LaDonna Wicklund  
Iowa Children's Museum  
The Iowa Children's Museum

**COUNCIL BLUFFS, IA**  
Beverly Fletcher

**CRESO, IA**

Beverly Meade - In memory of Keith Meade  
Bill and Cheryl Seele

**DAVENPORT, IA**  
Michael and Debra Alvarado  
Lori and Michael Anderson - In memory of Lorenz Behrens  
Alan & Elizabeth Budelier - In memory of Martin Hermes  
Allan & Nancy Elias - In memory of Dottie Burrichter  
Jim and Margo Hancock - In memory of Jeff Miller  
April King  
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Richard Martens  
James McCreight  
Charles & Sheila Mesick - In memory of Patricia Mesick  
George and Karol Moore  
Pat O'Donnell - In memory of Cawyn Cain  
Donald and Connie Patridge  
Wendy Pondell - In memory of Patricia Mesick  
Larry and Leah Reiling - In memory of Leon Feuerbach  
Randy and Beth Rogers  
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Glenda Ziolkowski  
Carl and Norma Zurborg  
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KAABA Shriners

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Goldie Hillesland - In memory of Donald Blegen  
V.F.W. Auxiliary #1977

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Jane Coyle  
Grant and Tana Guetzo  
Larry and Sue Hillers  
Val Krause  
Ivan and Cathy Lilienthal  
Sandy Mensen  
Kathy Rowray

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Doug and Sue Goodall - In memory of Cawyn Cain, Dean Penningroth, Joyce Rohling, Martin Connell, and Paul Shanahan  
Mavis Kaczinski - In memory of Loved Ones  
Gary and Sandra McAvan  
Marlene McCloy - In memory of Rose Marie Miller  
Allen and Carolyn Oltmanns - In honor of Quinn Stumpf  
Loran and Cheryl Roling - In memory of Arlin Kilburg, Connie Roling, Kenny Kilburg, and Tim Hansen  
Dennis and Connie Rorah - In memory of Cawyn Cain and Dennis Scott  
Paul and Catherine Seyfert - In memory of Cawyn Cain  
Brian and Debra Shea - In memory of Dean Penningroth  
Steven and Christine

## Camp Volunteer and Employment Opportunities for Summer 2024

Volunteer and paid positions at Camp Courageous are available this Summer season for **week-long sessions or weekends!** Working with children and adults with disabilities is a very rewarding job which does come with some challenges. Campers may need help with personal care including feeding, dressing, and personal hygiene. Some campers exhibit behavioral challenges.



Patience, energy, good judgement, and enthusiasm are important qualifications for a position at Camp Courageous. The hours are long. An unselfish attitude and an emphasis on teamwork are needed. If you or someone you know have the necessary attributes, apply for a position at camp. Room and board are provided. Non-smokers only.

Apply at  
[campcourageous.org](http://campcourageous.org) or  
scan the QR code below.  
Contact [program@campcourageous.org](mailto:program@campcourageous.org).



Tubbs - In memory of Cawyn Cain

**DES MOINES, IA**  
Robert Baker  
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David and Nancy Diehl  
Bob Dillard  
Amy Friedrich - In memory of Peter Reinertsen  
William Green - In memory of Wilburn Hollis  
Angela Hutton  
Deanna Jackson - In honor of Ray Jackson  
Todd Martin  
Blank Neonatology - In memory of John Inskeep  
Casey Smith  
Scarlett Taylor Moffat  
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Nancy Aiken - In memory of Dwain Goettsch  
Ardis Barr - In memory of Cawyn Cain  
Carla Behrend - In memory of Alan White, Ida Starr, and Todd Card  
Paul & Sherry MarvinAllan and Sandy Anderson - In honor of Bill Homrighausen's 99th birthday  
Dolores Aude - In memory of Galen Bartels  
Carol Cain - In memory of Dwain Goettsch, Mark McDermott, and Marty Cornell  
Debbie Clark - In memory of Cawyn Cain  
Curt and Sandy Daniels - In memory of Rick Puckett  
Joann Daniels - In memory of Ivan Van Ommeren, Jon Wall, Michael Diercks, Paula Huebner, and Shirley Jackson  
Joel and Carolyn Dohrmann - In memory of Dorothy Kellermann  
Carol Dohrmann - In memory of Earl Kuhl  
David and Judy Fletcher - In memory of Eymard (Boots) Wanzer Jr., Harold "Harry" Olson, and Verlin Fleagle - In

*Even if you fall on your face, you're still moving forward.*



honor of Jan & Lynda Fletcher's 50th wedding anniversary  
 Larry and Joyce Frandsen  
 - In memory of Cawyn Cain  
 Mary Kittleson - In memory of Mark McDermott and Mart Connell  
 April and Luke Lubben - In memory of Alan White  
 David and Kathy Mangan - In memory of Larry McElroy and Mark McDermott  
 Thomas and Sandra Meade - In memory of Mark McDermott  
 Duane and Bernice Meyer - In memory of Cawyn Cain and Walter Humphrey  
 Ray and Irene Myers  
 Steve and Eunice Olson - In memory of Bob Jacobi, Cawyn Cain, and Mark McDermott  
 Gary and Cathy Paarmann - In memory of Jan Hamdorf  
 Duane and Sharon Petsche  
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 Dennis Dietrich  
**DIXON, IA**  
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 - In memory of Thomas Schemmel and Vera Price Boyd  
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 David Mangan - In memory of Robert Jacobi  
**DONNELSON, IA**  
 Dennis & Linda Krehbiel  
 Jack and Dorothy Lamn  
 Gene and Ruth Myhre  
**DUBUQUE, IA**  
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 Shirley Bergfeld - In memory of Carmen C. Blosch and John G. Bergfeld - In honor of Theresa Merkes  
 Rodney and Marilyn Cooper - In memory of Loved Ones  
 Christine Efferding  
 Nancy Eisbach  
 Cheryl Fuller - In memory of Alan B. White  
 Janet Grady  
 Glenn and Tina Hasken  
 Rebecca and Keith Krapfl - In memory of Chris Hermen and John Bartels  
 Jeff and Pam Luecke  
 Dixie Reuter  
 Stephanie Sanders  
 Lynn Schmal - In memory of Charlie, Bill, Marilyn & Rita  
 Bobbi Smrcina - In memory of Bob Smrcina  
 Irene and Donald Stephan - In honor of Florence Puls  
 Katie Stephan - In honor of Beth Muir Tranel  
 Amy Taylor  
 Kenneth and Marlene Tekippe  
 Linda VanNatta - In memory of Sarah Smith  
 Donna Wahlert  
 Robert and Patricia Wolfe - In memory of Diane Lahr  
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 Patrick and Marsha Mescher  
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**DUNKERTON, IA**  
 Joe and Janice Demuth  
 - In memory of Grace Pauley and Michael Steimal  
 Chris Jensen  
**DURANT, IA**  
 Rich and Marge Harmsen  
 - In memory of Douglas Roehlk  
 Vera Pewe - In memory of Lorenz Behrens  
 Elaine Sorgenfrey - In memory of Don Lilienthal  
 Barb Wuestenberg - In memory of Don Lilienthal, Larry Makoben, and Leon Feuerbach - In honor of Harold Nostrom's 90th birthday  
**DYERSVILLE, IA**  
 Beth Schmercach  
 Monty and Debbie Branstetter  
 Dora Demmer  
 Philip and Jane DeShaw - In memory of Herb Recker  
 Judy Digmann  
 Lou Mae Fangman - In memory of Leonard & Jeanette Fangman  
 Mary Fischer  
 Brenda Ludwig  
 Jerry and Sandy Nickol - In memory of Eileen Dingbaum  
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*Snow Sculptures*

**CAMP COURAGEOUS**

Last winter at Camp Courageous was a blast! The Camp hosted a Snow Sculpture Contest, and the audience on social media served as the judges. They liked and shared to support their favorite sculptures! In the end, Mister Potty Man announced as a winner with 100 votes.



of Bob (Robert) Kovacs,  
 Doug Jacob Weaver,  
 and Jim Dostal  
 Regis and Barb Arp - In memory of Marvin Stallman and Regis Zweigart  
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 Jack and Mary Ann Rubly  
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 Gerald Bourdeaux  
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 Keith Krogmeier  
**GALVA, IA**  
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 Harrison Gresham - In memory of Karen Gresham  
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 Duane and Carol Flickinger - In memory of Fern Stueck  
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Camp Courageous was thrilled with the **digital Nesper Sign** at the base camp and so when a semi truck took down the sign at the Manchester Garage Sale, it was a no brainer who Camp was going to go to for a digital sign. To say the 100+ volunteers and 1,000s of shoppers are delighted with the new sign is an understatement...super professional...great communication...it could not have been a better project! Special thanks to Mike Schulte and the Nesper Sign Team, long time **Camp Courageous supporters!**

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Lois Shindoll  
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Eileen Smith - In memory of Dee Anderson, Everett Dayden, Glenn Ebert, and Virginia Ross  
Larry & Nancy Smith  
Kathy Thill  
Rene Van Gerpen  
Kent and Lisa Walton  
Phil and Laura White - In memory of Rachel White  
S. Dean and Rachel Willis  
Kenneth and Marilyn Wilson  
John and Judy Winistorfer - In memory of Rita Penn  
American Legion Post 298  
Marion Hy-Vee  
State Farm Insurance-Kent  
Farmers State Bank  
Marion Iron Company  
Cedar Rapids Tire  
Rathje Construction  
Sons of the American Legion  
Quality Auto Rebuilders, Inc.

#### MARSHALLTOWN, IA

Mary Baker - In memory

of Wayne Whitham  
Doug Beals  
Cindy Billman - In memory of Katherine Billman and Ruth Ballard  
Mechdyne Corporation  
Marshalltown Evening Lions Club

#### MASON CITY, IA

Jesse & Jessica Lutz  
- In memory of Dean Penningroth

#### MASONVILLE, IA

Donald and Alice Fangman  
Michael and Mary Lou Gudenkauf  
Paul and Jane Rubner - In memory of Alice Evelyn Hamlett, Constance Joan Funke, Kathy Callan, and Marilyn Lloyd

#### MECHANICSVILLE, IA

Patricia Albaugh - In memory of Gaylord Owens  
Scott and Diane Schroeder - In memory of Becky Danly, Diane Griffith, and Ronald Wingert  
Mechanicsville Knights of Columbus #13426

#### MILES, IA

Marv and Sara Hankemeier - In memory of Jon Wall  
David Hansen - In memory of Joe Garnica  
Valda Johnson - In memory of Ardo Schmidt and Dan Marburger

#### MONMOUTH, IA

Rodger and Pat Schnoor - In memory of Arlin Kilburg, Beverly Daws, Beverly Johnson, Candance Stearns, Don Rickels, Galen Bartels, Jack Scanlan, Matt Sohn, Paul Benischek, and Paul Shanahan

#### MONTEZUMA, IA

Sarah Sheets  
Ponderosa Supply, LTD  
Montezuma Community Fund, Inc.  
Montezuma Lions Club

#### MONTICELLO, IA

Doug and Pat Adams - In memory of Barbara Bone Adam and Dennis Bayne  
Ed and Jan Allaire - In memory of Barry Anderson, Dale Gerst, Don Harmen, Doris Henderson, Doris Herren, Johnnie Pegorick, and Wilma Bronemann  
Charlie and Pat Becker - In memory of Al Hendricks, Ann Powers, Berdona Schliesman, Betty Ann Jensen, Cindy Arbogast, Dean Penningroth, Dennis Bayne, Donald Van Ersvelde, Eileen Dingbaum, George Henry, Helen Secrist, Inez Kremer, John "Jack" Walters, John "Zoobie" Bartels, John Slusher on the anniversary of his passing, Johnny Jones, Larry Stoneking, Marilyn Althoff, Marj Lubben, Mark Bader, Mark Kadlec, Mark



Schmitt, Mary Gwynn Keller, Mary Newman, Nancy Williams, Norm Mathis, Pat Mesick, Pete Reinertsen, Phil Kelchen, Rachel White, Rita Penn, Robert "Bob" Connolly, Sandra Byers, Vernon "Wally" Hootman, Wilburn Hollis, and William Marsh - In honor of Bob Hatcher's Retirement, Dennis Bayne, Doug Wortman's retirement from Orbis, Garnet Harbaugh's 95th birthday, Happy 103rd birthday to Vera Gienapp, Joe Ironside's 92nd Birthday, Lura McBride being named the recipient of the 2023 Howard Hall Excellence in Business Award, Palmer Hardware for all they have done for Camp Courageous, and Tim Conlon for being named the Dubuque Telegraph Herald First Citizen of 2023  
Paul Beckman - In memory of William Beckman  
Linda Burns - In memory of Mark Bader  
Stephen and Kim Carlson  
Judy and Bruce Duit - In memory of Agnes Duit  
Denny and Lisa Folken  
Jerry and Marla Hinrichs - In memory of Mark Bader  
Mike and Sue Holmes  
Lyle Holub  
Susan Hosch - In memory of Mary Noonan  
Cheri Huiner  
Diana Jones - In memory of Johnny Jones, Marj Lubben, and Ryan Toenjes  
Sarah Kraus  
Marie Kurth - In memory of Howard B. Kurth  
Mike Lambert - In memory of Brian Ahlrichs, Dixie Weber, George Wells, Gladys Payne, James Brunkan, Larry Stoneking, Marj Lubben, Mark Bader, Mike McCullough, Nancy Williams, Phyllis Rickels, Rob Robertson, Steve Laningham, Tim O'Mahoney, Tom Bohlken, and William Foley Jr.  
Craig and Sheri Lampe - In memory of Dennis Bayne and Linda Holm  
Steven Licht  
Rodney & Sue Lilly  
Shane & Andrea Lloyd - In memory of Lee Blair  
Ken and Mary Lyons - In memory of Tony Sibilio and Vic Damon  
Bernard and Anna Manternach  
Terry Mayo  
Shannon and Carol Melton-Poe - In memory of Dennis Bayne  
Susan Menster  
Mike and Pam Nodolf  
Linda Parker - In memory of Dennis Bayne and Nancy Williams  
Darrell Paulsen - In memory of Neal Paulsen  
Deb Pingel  
Darnell and Beth Porter - In memory of

Barry Anderson, Larry Stoneking, and William Foley  
Randy Rickels - In honor of Happy Birthday to Hannah Rickels  
Ed and Sharon Roller - In memory of Dennis Bayne, Martin Hermes, Peggy Arduser, Rachel White, and Rose Hubler Flaig  
Cheyenne Sieverding  
Keith and Sandy Stamp - In memory of Brian Ahlrichs, Gary Speicher, Lois Paulsen, Rachel White, and Rose Hubler Flaig  
Harold White - In memory of Brian Ahlrichs  
Richard and LuAnn Wolken  
Jim and Marianne Zimmerman - In memory of Brian Ahlrichs and Sandi Byers  
Energy Manufacturing Co., Inc. - In memory of Ancil Gulingier, Emma Jean Scott, Jim Scherbring, Mary Jane Davis, Nancy Carroll Williams, and Robert J. Kirsch  
Nourish  
M Town Tire & Auto  
Julin Printing Company  
Yogi's Inc.  
**MORNING SUN, IA**  
Lyle and Debra Massner - In memory of Arlene Bensen  
**MOSCOW, IA**  
Jerry and Dawn Marolf - In memory of Deborah Norton, Derby Babcock, and Warren Voss  
**MOUNT PLEASANT, IA**  
Mary Anne Bainbridge  
Dwayne and Lucy Hummel - In memory of Paul & Betty Mertens  
Brad and Kris Miller - In memory of Amanda Moeller  
Gregory and Rosemary Peck  
Richard and Susan Walljasper - In memory of Harrison Walljasper VFW Auxiliary No. 2561  
**MOUNT UNION, IA**  
New London Lions  
**MOUNT VERNON, IA**  
James and Jackie Engelbrecht  
James and Linda Hickey - In memory of Don Knepper  
Jim & Linda Hickey - In memory of Mike Devlin "Wheels"  
Walt & Nancy Horn - In memory of Mark Kadlec  
Carmen Kleinsmith - In memory of Cawyn Cain  
Susette Kortemeyer - In memory of Viola Pospisil  
John Marion - In memory of Wilburn Hollis  
Dean and Nyla McCall - In memory of Mike Evans and Pat Mesick  
Bob Niederhauser  
Neil and Becky Orthner - In memory of Bob & Carol Morris  
John and Thelma Rife - In memory of Wilburn Hollis  
**MUSCATINE, IA**  
Andrew Allison - In

memory of Dena Schliesman  
Ann Behn - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
James and Katherine Berns  
Larry and Judy Carter  
Mary and Gene Doran - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Dwight and Dianne Glenney - In memory of Don & Mary Challis  
Melissa Henderson - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Jeff and Lisa Hollenbeck - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Jerry and Gwen Johnson - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Bill and Mary Lou Kearney - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Mark and Vicki Krieger - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Norma Lewis  
Todd Millage - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Donna Reed - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Josie Sanger - In memory of Betty Jensen  
Phill & Gina Schliesman  
In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Jen Simmering - In memory of Rachel White  
Charles & Gail Van Hecke - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Joel and Becky Wichers - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Rita Painter  
**NEVADA, IA**  
Richard Bartosh - In memory of Evelyn & Wesley Bartosh  
Jimmie Kotouc  
Mark & Lynn Rhodes - In memory of Dean Penningroth  
**NEW HAMPTON, IA**  
Andy Besser  
Judy Roberson  
Douglas Welton  
New Hampton Lions  
**NEW LONDON, IA**  
Donald and Pamela Halbach  
CA and Anna Williams  
**NEW VIENNA, IA**  
John and Ruth Deutmeyer - In memory of Les & Joan Feldman  
Marian Klostermann - In memory of Kristy Herbrandson  
Mary Ann Lukan - In memory of Eugene Krapfl and Kenneth Bries  
Rosemary Naber  
Gerald Nadermann  
Kay Pasker  
Beth Ulrich  
Carol Vorwald - In memory of Bob Brown, Jerry Vorwald, and Philip Daniel Hogan  
**NEWHALL, IA**  
Janet Boddicker - In memory of Gene Ehlers  
Bob and Jan Campbell - In memory of Beverly Demory  
Bruce Cross and Ellen Becker - In memory of Brad Olson, Don Anders, and Randy Ellis  
Newhall Class of 1960 - In memory of Lloyd

Swarting  
**NORTH ENGLISH, IA**  
Robert and Janice Leinen - In memory of Merlin J. Fagan  
**NORTH LIBERTY, IA**  
Hallie and Christen Nolte  
John and Julie Osterhaus  
Lisa Reese  
Power Concrete Construction  
North Liberty Optimists  
**NORWALK, IA**  
Ken & Connie Schall - In memory of Peter Reinertsen  
**NORWAY, IA**  
Linda Brecht and Richard Schlotterback - In memory of Anna Blayer  
Robert Miller - In memory of Orville Meyer  
Gary Nappe  
**OELWEIN, IA**  
Clair and Barbara Ramlo - In memory of Diane Hovden, John Miculinich, Robert Bellmer, and Robert Tekippe  
Betty Riley - In memory of Lon Allen and Richard Falck  
Thomas and Leola Sperflage - In memory of Kasey Sperflage on her 16th birthday  
Janet Wissler - In memory of Keith Andersen and Verlyn Heine  
City Clean & Simple  
**OLIN, IA**  
Linda Davis  
Brian and Cathy Licht  
**ONSLow, IA**  
Jennifer Lewis - In memory of Neal Paulsen  
**OSKALOOSA, IA**  
Julie Knox  
Dennis & Mary Stewart - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
**OSSIAN, IA**

Virgil and Audrey Birdsell - In memory of Marie Balk  
Joyce Hageman - In memory of Richard Nickels  
**OTTUMWA, IA**  
Larry and Dianne Borst  
**OXFORD, IA**  
Julie Neuzil - In memory of Mary Rita Hebl  
**OXFORD JUNCTION, IA**  
Doug Ahrendsen - In memory of Craig Wright  
Joel and Jodi Ahrendsen - In memory of Craig Wright  
Kevin Ahrendsen - In memory of Craig Wright  
Monte and Margo Ahrendsen - In memory of Brian Ahlrichs and Craig Wright  
Pam Martin - In memory of Jon Carstensen  
Mr. & Mrs. Dennis Vonsprecken  
**PALMER, IA**  
St. Paul Lutheran Church  
**PALO, IA**  
James Farmer  
Irene Hillier  
Dick & Pat Minor - In memory of Norman Mathis  
**PARKERSBURG, IA**  
Parkersburg Lions Club  
**PELLA, IA**  
Sarah Olson  
**PEOSTA, IA**  
Ken and Jan Bergfeld - In memory of Mary Sue McAllister, Noel E. Kurt, and Robert R. Wiederholt  
Dennis Elenz - In memory of Jim Roling and Norm Mathis  
Leon Elenz - In memory of Norm Mathis  
Steve and Sherry Horsfield  
**PERRY, IA**

Stacy Vaughn - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
**PETERSON, IA**  
B & J Service  
**PLEASANT HILL, IA**  
Dale and Susan Pierce  
**PLEASANT VALLEY, IA**  
Charles and Nancy Von Maur  
**POSTVILLE, IA**  
Joe and Jolene Duwe - In memory of Dwight Bacon  
David and Mary Koopman  
**PRAIRIEBURG, IA**  
John and Katie Hasler - In memory of Arlene Holub  
**PRESTON, IA**  
Trula McDonald  
William and Pansy Oldag - In memory of Dan Marburger  
Judith Schneider - In memory of Ardo Schmidt and Larry Clasen  
Elaine Smithson - In memory of Carol Yaddoff  
St. John's Lutheran Church  
**PROTIVIN, IA**  
Knights of Columbus  
Protivin Council #2744  
**QUASQUETON, IA**  
Kori Martin  
Dave and Linda Mueller - In memory of Veronica Mackey  
**REMSEN, IA**  
Michael Buman  
**RICHLAND, IA**  
Charlie and Jane Blakely  
Heartland Industries  
**RIVERSIDE, IA**  
Dennis and Peggy Jenn  
**ROBINS, IA**  
Ray and Mary Collins  
Mike & Sharon Dautremont - In memory of Rachel White

**MAJOR CAMP NEED:**

## Passenger Van XL



**\$50,00 for a 15-passenger van to transport campers**

Full naming rights available with name/logo on vehicle.  
Optionally, \$12,500 per side.



Any amount toward this major need would be appreciated. For details contact Charlie at 319-465-5916, ext. 2100.



## How can I help?

**Volunteer Your Time** - Nothing is more valuable and appreciated than your time. Help is needed from office help (weekday and weekends), cutting grass, picking up donations, to working with campers. Individuals, groups, and organizations are welcome. Please contact Tobi Luetkemeier, Volunteer Director, by e-mail at [tobi@campcourageous.org](mailto:tobi@campcourageous.org) or by phone at (319) 465-5916, ext. 2340 for information on how you or your group can volunteer at the camp.

Alvin & Bonnie Eckhoff  
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Mark Ipsan  
Mark and Denise Mitchell  
Shirley Peckosh  
Steve Schoenauer - In memory of Wilburn Hollis  
Pauline Spiekermeier - In memory of Rachel White  
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Chris and Linda Thompson  
Jonnie Thornton

### ROCKFORD, IA

Carol Hoffarth - In memory of Leroy & Dorothy Ehlinger

### ROLAND, IA

James Gibson

### ROWLEY, IA

Max and Charlotte Grover - In memory of Ruth Hanson

### RUTLAND, IA

James Vought - In memory of Pete Reinertsen

### RYAN, IA

Ivan and Deb Anderson - In memory of Mary Newman  
Donald and Karen Cook - In memory of Craig Wright, Kathleen Callan, and Members of the Cook and Tumey Families

Dan and Jean Drummy  
Charity Loecke  
Julie Raak - In memory of David S. Raak

### SABULA, IA

Candi and Jeffrey Diercks - In honor of Mike Diercks

### SAC CITY, IA

Leland Loux

### SHELLSBURG, IA

Peg Deklotz - In memory of Mary Newman  
Cindy Wolfe

### SHERRILL, IA

Balltown Lions Club

### SIGOURNEY, IA

Tom and Sharman Neece - In honor of Martha Snyder's birthday

### SIoux CENTER, IA

Jake Wagenaar - In memory of Cathy Wagenaar

### SOLON, IA

Steven Brown  
Jim and Linda Croy  
Gregg and Paula Day - In memory of Marv Stallman  
Jim Goldsberry  
Larry and Judy Greco - In memory of Kevin Van Houten and Winnie

Williams  
Albert and Jean Hanes  
Annalou Johnson - In memory of Sue Barvinek  
Gary and Beth Kramer  
Gary and Donna Redlinger  
Rich and Mandy Schumacher  
Scott and Karen Shulista - In memory of Joyce Goldsberry and Mary Zdilla  
Curtis and Mary Updegraff

### SPRAGUEVILLE, IA

Glenn and Pam Holdgrafer - In memory of Mary Pat & Robert Breittfelder  
Janice Portz - In honor of Mike Diercks

### SPRINGBROOK, IA

Nancy Jacobs - In memory of Ardo Schmidt

### SPRINGVILLE, IA

Mary Dengler  
Mike & Karen Gregoricka  
Minnie Holland - In memory of Craig Shelton  
Janet Lentz - In memory of Phyllis Hoge  
Ruth Wurster - In memory of Ginny Ross, Rev. Clive Cook, Richard Butikofer, Susanne Campbell, Theresa Huber, and Vic Pittman

### STANWOOD, IA

Carmell Emory - In memory of Martin Hermes  
Joann Hegarty - In memory of Mary Ann Wells  
Jim White

### STRAWBERRY POINT, IA

Laura Corbin  
Mary Fransen  
Julie Henke  
Jennifer Richmond  
Randall Richter  
Marla Sollberger  
Deb West  
Swales Precast, Inc.

### SUMNER, IA

David and Barbara Hennessey  
Jane Holtz - In memory of Lorenz Behrens

### SUTHERLAND, IA

Pat Fuhrman - In memory of Rodney Meyer

### SWISHER, IA

Dave Dohnalek - In memory of Maurice Pitlick  
Doug and Laurie Krumm - In memory of Rachel White  
Don and Linda Kulish - In memory of Bob Young  
Jay and Leslie Ann Mowry

Roger and Becky Neuhaus - In memory of Mark Kadlec  
Dennis and Gayle Sopousek - In memory of Mark Kadlec

### TAMA, IA

Patricia McBride  
Julie Rathjen - In memory of Dan Rathjen  
St. Patrick Church

### TIFFIN, IA

Kenneth and Lynne Reimers  
Gregory and Linda Schrock - In memory of David Seydel and Joann Murdock

### TIPTON, IA

Eric Dethmann and Amy Crock - In memory of Chuck Steen  
Gene and Linda Horman - In memory of Robert Wilkins Sr  
Ronald and Patricia Hougas - In memory of Robert Wagner  
Merlin Hulse - In memory of Bob Wilkins Sr  
Lynne Rechterman - In memory of Alberta Bernick  
Jeneane Stiff - In memory of Patricia Powers  
Mary Swan - In memory of Dennis Bayne and Peggy Driscoll  
Eleanor Thoeming - In memory of Webb  
Dave Wethington - In memory of Doris M. Howe  
Janet Wetington - In memory of Doris Howe  
Cedar Lodge No 11 A.F. & A.M.

### TODDVILLE, IA

Phillip and Kathy Jasper  
Nancy Williams

### TOLEDO, IA

Richard and Mary Kendall  
Mary Ellen Kriegel - In memory of Don Nicklas  
Larry Mason - In memory of Connie Gardner and John Kucera

### TRIPOLI, IA

St. John Lutheran Church  
Crane Creek

### TROY MILLS, IA

Harold and JoAnn Annis - In memory of Mary McArthur and Teri Mosher  
Jerry and Pat Cameron - In memory of Arlene Holub, Bart Freeman, Gary Nosek, Marvin McArthur, and Norman Fisher

### URBANA, IA

Lance Halder  
Dwayne and Eileen Schmidt  
Ryne Strum - In memory of John Kluesner

### URBANDALE, IA

Chad & Megan Arp  
Larry and Mary Blixt  
Jane Buck - In memory of Richard W. Canham  
Jon and Susan Cruikshank  
Charles Current - In memory of Patricia Mesick

### VAN HORNE, IA

Otto Claassen - In memory of Randy Ellis  
Richard and Kaye Less

- In memory of Jim Emerson

### VICTOR, IA

Joe and Heidi Drummy  
John and Jean Gryp - In memory of Bill Larkin, Don Brush, Larry Davis, and Mitch Hanson  
Gerry McGarry - In memory of Don Nicklas  
Delmar and Mabel McWilliams - In honor of Charles & Ruth Ranfeld's birthdays  
Charles and Ruth Ranfeld - In memory of Donald Nicklas - In honor of Mary Lou Blomme's 90th birthday  
Gary and Joan Schafbuch - In memory of Don Brush and Ron Kleppe - In honor of Julie & Larry Grier  
Shirley Thys and Rick Cole

### VINTON, IA

Marv and Becky Andrews  
Lynn and Shirley Arthur - In memory of Charles Fuller, Jim Wicks, JoAnne Heckroth, Leslie Mullnix, and Toni Reed  
Garth and Patricia Beatty - In memory of Dorothy Beatty, Mary Buhr, Mert Alpers, and Ronald Burroughs  
Brad Cullinan  
Micki Dufresene  
Ramona Hanson - In memory of Mert Alpers  
David and Judy Henkel - In memory of Mert Alpers and Ron Roushar  
Corey Seibert  
Robert and Phyllis Simnacher - In memory of Gilbert Hanson  
Steve and Connie Spicher  
Dale and Donna Sutton - In memory of Don Anders, Gilbert Hanson, and Joan Heckroth  
Lisa and David Vermedahl

### VOLGA, IA

Gina Briggs

### WALCOTT, IA

Curtis and Mary Frick - In memory of Leon Feuerbach, Lorin Fox, and Tom Schemmel  
Doris Hamann - In memory of Larry Makoben and Leon Feuerbach  
Sue Needham - In memory of Paul & Bernice Hughes  
Linda Paustian - In memory of Lowell Gehrls  
Annette Tank - In memory of Linda K. Tank  
Dale and Karen Wulf - In memory of Lowell Gehrls

### WALFORD, IA

Dolores Kloubec - In memory of Dave King  
Joe and Sandy Lentz

### WALKER, IA

Linda Devereux - In memory of Maurita Penn  
Judy Doyl - In memory of H.W. "Dutch" McCright on his birthday, Ronnie Doyl on his birthday, and Ted & Lucille Doyl on their birthdays  
Jeffrey and Amy Grundmeyer - In memory of Lorenz Behrens

Robert Hampton - In honor of The Hampton Family  
Robin Henderson  
David and Donna Kely Bud and Connie Miller - In memory of Michael Kroh Walker R.A.R.E. Club

### WAPELLO, IA

Gary and Bonnie Samuels

### WASHINGTON, IA

Richard and Dixie Young  
Dan and Margaret Stauffer

### WATERLOO, IA

Dave and Mary Ann Amend  
James and Theresa Bovy - In memory of Marlys Nagel  
Kim Elliott  
Raynard and Donna Engel  
John and Mary Jane Engquist - In memory of Kitty Dolan - In honor of Steve Riley  
Charles and Karma Fischer - In memory of Pete Reinertsen  
Norma Forsyth  
Don and Jan Frost  
Kathy Hadley - In memory of Kitty Dolan  
Allen and Judy Heber - In memory of Kevin C. Landau  
Russ Heiple  
Sam and Janet Holden - In memory of Peter Reinertsen  
Kelsy Knebel - In memory of Peter Reinertsen  
John Koch  
Richard Levis  
Mary Meier  
Sue Morkel - In memory of Pete Reinertsen  
Larry Padden  
Glenn Purdy  
Marcia Rellihaan - In memory of Peter Reinertsen  
Bev Schaefer - In memory of Bonita Maraska and Kevin Landau  
Florence Schall - In memory of Peter Reinertsen  
Gary and Cheryl Sharp - In memory of Pete Reinertsen  
George Warren - In memory of Pete Reinertsen  
Linda Wehrman  
Mark Weidner - In memory of Peter Reinertsen  
The Isle Casino & Hotel at Waterloo  
Monat Wealth Management

### WAUKEE, IA

David and Carol Frohwein - In memory of Cawyn Cain

### WAVERLY, IA

Waverly Lions Club

### WEBSTER CITY, IA

Al and Ruth Ehley

### WELLMAN, IA

James and Mary Gent

### WEST BRANCH, IA

Barb Fortune - In memory of Robert Paulsen  
Gary and Judith Suhomel - In memory of John Gordon  
St. Bernadette's Catholic Church

### WEST DES MOINES, IA

Joseph L. L. Coco  
David and Glenys Lynch

Larry and Jennifer McLellan - In memory of Patricia Mesick  
Leon and Marilyn Schramm - In memory of Gordon L. Boots - In honor of Pat & Duane Burk's 60th wedding anniversary  
Farmers Mutual Hail Insurance Co. of Iowa

### WEST LIBERTY, IA

Dale and Audrey Lenz - In memory of Betty Ann Jensen  
Bob Rohner

### WEST UNION, IA

Edward Franzen  
Bob and Judy Rothlisberger - In memory of Lorenz F. Behrens  
Victor and Karen Schmitz

### WHEATLAND, IA

Patricia Gade  
Jim & Glenda Lee - In memory of Joyce Rohling and Mona Cleary  
Betty Licht - In memory of Patricia A. Kelley  
Kautz and Robert Jacobi  
Linda Schneider - In memory of Dustin & Carson Willey, Joyce Rohling, and Marilyn Hass  
Barb Schreiber - In memory of Jan Hamdorf  
Barbara Schreiber - In memory of Robert Jacobi  
Joyce Schroeder - In memory of Robert Tonn  
Suann VanDaele - In memory of Cawyn Cain

### WILLIAMSBURG, IA

James and Janice Burnham - In memory of Diana Fuhrmeister  
Catherine Coleman  
Belva Fogwell  
Mark and Becky Hurt - In memory of Mary Rita Hebl  
Deanne Myers - In memory of Mark Kadlec  
Burg Insurance Agency

### WILTON, IA

Kay and Shirley Grimm - In memory of Lois Arlene Wellendorf  
Doug and Deanna Hora - In memory of Rachel White  
Ernest and Monyeen Hora - In memory of Rachel White  
Stephanie Kean - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Robert and Cheryl Onken  
Kelli Pedersen - In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Roger and Lisa Sessler - In memory of Robert Wilkins Sr  
Wilma Tank - In memory of Pam Moeller  
Alex & Ariel White - In memory of Deb Norton and Marcia Hetzler

### WINFIELD, IA

Winfield Lions Club

### WINTerset, IA

Lillian Eivins

### WINTHROP, IA

Ken and Linda Cook - In memory of Norman Fisher  
Dennis & Mary Donlea - In memory of Peter



Reinertsen  
Nancy Higgins - In  
memory of Chad Smith  
Lois and James  
Loughren - In memory of  
Lois Murray  
Doug and LuAnn  
Reck - In memory of  
Kathy Crawford, Peter  
Reinertsen, Sherrie  
McClaren, and Steve  
Nabholz

David and Coleen  
Sperfsilage - In memory  
of Connie Funke and  
Larry Stoneking  
Dave and Julie Sproull  
- In memory of Peter  
Reinertsen  
Susie and Mike Stafford  
- In memory of Chad  
Smith and Kathy  
Crawford  
Dennis & Barb Sullivan

#### **WORTHINGTON, IA**

Scott and Christy  
Deutmeyer - In memory  
of Margaret Bertling  
Doug and Mary Kaiser  
Karol Klaren  
Lynne Krogman  
Diane March  
Dunkel Salvage

#### **WYOMING, IA**

Rick and Vicki  
Brunschien - In memory  
of Larry Williams  
Kristy and Tom  
Oberbreckling - In  
memory of Phil Kelchen

#### **YALE, IA**

Roberta Snyder - In  
memory of Dayna  
Decker-Nuzum

#### **BAYVIEW, ID**

Dorothy Johnson - In  
memory of Inez Kremer,  
John Rader, Norm  
Mathis, and Sonny  
Mullis

#### **ABBOTT PARK, IL**

Abbott Laboratories

#### **ADDISON, IL**

Anna Marie Orrico - In  
honor of Martin Hermes

#### **ALPHA, IL**

Mr. & Mrs. Charles  
McLaughlin - In memory  
of Pat Mesick

#### **AMBOY, IL**

Rick & Penny Farringer  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, IL**

Lani and Jeff Vabulas

#### **ATKINSON, IL**

Carol VanMeenen - In  
honor of Sandra Heller  
Blackert's 90th birthday

#### **AURORA, IL**

Katie DeSotell - In  
memory of Jennifer  
Washington  
Karen Klimcak - In  
memory of Nicole  
Dickerson

#### **BROOKFIELD, IL**

Dan Stivers

#### **CAMBRIDGE, IL**

David Nelson - In memory  
of Pat Mesick

#### **CARY, IL**

Teri Sarallo - In memory  
of Norman Mathis

#### **CHARLESTON, IL**

Robert and Brenda Good

#### **CHICAGO, IL**

Meredith Burlew - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Bellene Kaish

Mary Levine - In honor of  
Martin Hermes  
Theresa Liu - In memory  
of Martin Hermes  
Martha McGinn - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **CLARENDON HILLS, IL**

Elizabeth Levy - In honor  
of Martin Hermes

#### **DES PLAINES, IL**

Michelle Sachtler - In  
honor of Martin Hermes  
Patricia Sachtler - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **DIXON, IL**

Corrinne Ackman - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Sheila Ames - In memory  
of Martin Hermes  
Aaron & Kathy Book - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Deb Bowers - In memory  
of Martin Hermes  
Rick & Lee Ann Brantner  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Brian, Kelly, Lauren,  
Allison & Devin Burrs  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Pat & Elizabeth Bushman  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Joe & Mary Grace  
Crisham - In memory of  
Martin Hermes  
Mark & Maggie Fassler  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Josh & Darci Francque  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Ed and Nancy Fritts - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Mary Fritts - In memory  
of Martin Hermes  
Thomas Henkel - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Dennis & Joan Hermes  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Dick & Donna Hermes  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Matt & Bernadette  
Hermes - In memory of  
Martin Hermes  
Paul and Barb Hermes  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
James Hermes  
Tom & Jean Hermes - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Roger & Carla Hill - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Theresa Lease  
Heffelfinger - In memory  
of Martin Hermes  
Kay Lee - In memory of  
Martin Hermes  
Lisa Magnafice - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Mary Manning - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Joseph McGrath - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Mary Miller - In memory  
of Martin Hermes  
Steve & Theresa Miller  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Gary & Pam Morris - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Sandy, Kim and Kelly  
Morrissey & Families

- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Nancy Nichols - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
John & Janet Payne - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Virginia J Prophter - In  
honor of Martin Hermes  
Kathryn Schafer - In  
honor of Martin Hermes  
Joe and Jean Welty - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Diana, Hayley, Evan and  
Shelby Westart - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Lorenzo & Susan  
Zambelloni - In memory  
of Martin Hermes

#### **EAST DUBUQUE, IL**

William and Joni Miller  
Ahva Living

#### **ERIE, IL**

Gary & Denise Bush - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **EVANSTON, IL**

Elisa Dworak - In memory  
of Martin Hermes

#### **FULTON, IL**

Karen Naeve - In memory  
of Michael Diercks

#### **GALENA, IL**

John and Laura Portzer

#### **GENESEO, IL**

Clarke and Anita Barnes -  
In honor of Lois Riggan's  
82nd birthday  
Margie Gay

#### **HAMPTON, IL**

Rex Newman

#### **HARMON, IL**

Mary Coleman - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Chris & Rita Henkel - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **JOLIET, IL**

JoAnne and Richard  
Davidson

#### **LAKE FOREST, IL**

Dennis Jennings - In  
memory of Mary Ann  
Hebl

#### **LINCOLN, IL**

Cheryl Lowney - In  
memory of Wilma

#### **MCHENRY, IL**

Tess Reinhard - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **MCNABB, IL**

McNabb United  
Methodist Church

#### **MILLEDGEVILLE, IL**

Jen Dettman - In honor of  
Martin Hermes

#### **MOKENA, IL**

Sharon Varel - In memory  
of Rita Penn

#### **MOLINE, IL**

Todd Epping - In memory  
of Patricia Mesick  
Randy Pollner  
John Deere Foundation

#### **MONTGOMERY, IL**

John Schmidt - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **MORRISON, IL**

Ryan & Jennifer Oetting  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **MOUNT CARROLL, IL**

Justin, Eilan & Evan Rahn  
- In memory of Martin

#### **Hermes**

#### **MOUNT PROSPECT, IL**

Kathleen Cawley - In  
honor of Martin J.  
Hermes

#### **MUNDELIN, IL**

Gregory Hill

#### **NAPERVILLE, IL**

Gary and Marsha Bach

#### **NEW LENOX, IL**

Raymond Conway - In  
honor of Martin Hermes

#### **NORMAN, IL**

Martin Behrens - In  
memory of Lorenz  
Behrens

#### **OAK BROOK, IL**

Hugh & Kathy Kron  
Conway - In memory of  
Martin Hermes

#### **OAK PARK, IL**

Rick Sumner and Judith  
Weik

#### **OPHEIM, IL**

R.F. Nelson - In memory  
of Pat Mesick

#### **PALATINE, IL**

Tim and Suzy Sherman  
Steven Tart

#### **PARIS, IL**

Elaine Fayhee - In  
memory of Norman  
Mathis

#### **PARK RIDGE, IL**

Joe and Sally Keenan  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **ROCK FALLS, IL**

Eugene Grennan - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Ted & Jill Jacobs - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Gary & Denise Mosher  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Michael Mullen - In honor  
of Martin Hermes  
Mike & Jenny Terveer  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Craig & Susan Wolf - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Hugh F. Miller Insurance  
Agency, Inc. - In memory  
of Martin Hermes

#### **ROCK ISLAND, IL**

John McClean - In honor  
of Martin Hermes

#### **ROCKFORD, IL**

Claudia Aschbrenner  
- In honor of Brian  
Aschbrenner  
Judy Hermes - In memory  
of Martin Hermes  
Joe Ironside - In memory  
of Dennis Bayne, Nancy  
Williams, and Nelda  
Mead - In honor of Clyde  
and Bobbie Meyer's 70th  
wedding anniversary  
and Joe Ross' birthday  
Harold and Sue May  
Joan Paddock - In  
memory of Cameron  
Paddock  
Jana Politsch - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **ROSELLE, IL**

Scott Scheidecker

#### **SAVANNA, IL**

Craig and Lois Hatteberg  
- In memory of Ancil  
Guilinger, Ella Rittmer,  
Jon Wall, and Paula  
Watson

#### **Frederick Phillips**

#### **SHERRARD, IL**

Daryl Chard

#### **SILVIS, IL**

Brandy Fisher  
Terry and Brenda  
Williams

#### **STERLING, IL**

Terrence Ackert - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
James Hermes  
Timothy Austin - In honor  
of Martin Hermes  
Ted & Lynn Cassens - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Deborah Cheshier - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Dorothy Cheshier - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Larry and Vicki Cooper  
Howard & Teresa Craft  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Tom & Paula DuBois - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Tim & Maureen Dunphy  
- In honor of Martin  
Hermes  
Richard Eberley - In honor  
of Martin Hermes  
John & Sally Fassler - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Joan Gascoigne - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Leo Hammes - In memory  
of Martin Hermes  
Dawn Harrielle - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Annie Hungerford - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Mike Imel - In memory of  
Martin Hermes  
Steve & Barb King - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Mary Lawrence - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Chris Lee - In memory of  
Martin Hermes  
Jeff & Susie LeMay - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Joe & Teresa McCue - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Jim and Carol Nieman  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Jim and Sue Olson - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Tom & Joan Padilla - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Samantha Petty - In  
honor of Martin Hermes  
Dave & Lola Pletsch - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Aaron & Tara Prophter

#### **- In memory of Martin**

Hermes  
Joseph & Margo Reaver  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Curtis & Janice Repass  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Marvin & Pat Reyes - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Lydia Sacucedo Skelley  
- In memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Mary Say - In memory of  
Martin Hermes  
Jeff & Terri Scanlan - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Chuck & Theresa  
Swanson - In memory of  
Martin Hermes  
Debbie Vivarelli - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
James Hermes  
Carl & Diane Wade - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Beth and Greg Wahl - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
Margaret Wike - In honor  
of Martin Hermes  
Sauk Valley Bank - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **TAMPICO, IL**

Amber Allen - In memory  
of Martin Hermes

#### **WILMETTE, IL**

Aimee Koski - In memory  
of Jennifer Washington

#### **WYOMING, IL**

Marlene Alltop

#### **BLOOMINGTON, IN**

Martha Mathis - In  
memory of Rachel White

#### **CARMEL, IN**

Ronald and Janifer Ruhl  
- In memory of Robert  
Liddy

#### **CLAYTON, IN**

Janet Willey

#### **COLUMBUS, IN**

Debbi White - In memory  
of Rachel White

#### **INDIANAPOLIS, IN**

Carla Dorfmeier - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes  
James Hermes  
Rollins Giving Fund

#### **KOKOMO, IN**

Gail Myers - In memory of  
Rachel White

#### **MICHIGAN CITY, IN**

Mary Anderson - In  
memory of Martin  
Hermes

#### **NOBLESVILLE, IN**

Doris Campbell - In  
memory of Vernon  
"Wally" Hootman

#### **SOUTH BEND, IN**

Jennifer Betz - In memory  
of Martin James  
Hermes

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# Camp Courageous

## RENTAL OPPORTUNITIES

Weddings | Events | Retreats | Catering



Durgin Pavilion is located on beautiful Lake Todd. Two accessible levels. Upper Level accommodates 250 people. Lower Level features arcade games. Lower Level Patio accommodates 300 for outdoor seating. Large parking area and additional parking across 190th Street.



Other Camp Courageous facilities available for rent include the Sill Barn, indoor pool, Pictured Rocks Addition for retreats, and more. All rental proceeds go towards helping Camp serve thousands of campers annually.

Need catering for an event at camp? Camp Courageous recommends



For more information, visit [www.campcourageous.org/rental](http://www.campcourageous.org/rental) or contact [rental@campcourageous.org](mailto:rental@campcourageous.org) or 319-465-5916 ext. 2140.

- VALPARAISO, IN**  
Scott and Barb Harvey - In honor of Mark Harvey
- OLATHE, KS**  
Jim McConachie
- OVERLAND PARK, KS**  
Paula Zillmer - In memory of Pete Reinertsen
- SPRING HILL, KS**  
Mary Gamber - In memory of Dennis Bayne
- WICHITA, KS**  
The SPR-Employee Fund - In memory of Berdena Schliesman
- BOSTON, KY**  
Donald Cranmer
- FISHERVILLE, KY**  
Marilyn and Ramond Peak
- PROSPECT, KY**  
Susan Nicholson - In memory of Wil Hollis
- CAMBRIDGE, MA**  
Katherine Clouse - In memory of Peter Reinertsen
- FITCHBURG, MA**  
Harold and Ruth Rehauer
- MARLBOROUGH, MA**  
Bill & Whitney Eberley - In memory of Martin Hermes
- WALTHAM, MA**  
Raytheon Technologies - In memory of John Kluesner
- BALTIMORE, MD**  
Kevin Echer
- BETHESDA, MD**  
Bernard Shapiro and Mary McGinn - In memory of Martin Hermes
- BRUNSWICK, MD**  
Gerard & Eleanor Putz - In memory of Martin James Hermes
- CLARKSTON, MI**  
Robb Allen - In honor of Martin Hermes  
Elaine Houser - In memory of Patricia Rose Mesick
- DEARBORN, MI**  
Richard A. Bisgrove
- MIDLAND, MI**  
Rose Carlson
- NORTHVILLE, MI**  
J. Paul & Susan Conway - In memory of Martin Hermes
- AFTON, MN**  
Paul and Kelly Olson - In memory of Peter Reinertsen
- APPLE VALLEY, MN**  
Douglas and Patricia Dirks
- AUSTIN, MN**  
Emily Iseli
- BURNSVILLE, MN**  
John Slagle
- EDINA, MN**  
Janet and Steve Dietrich - In memory of Peter Reinertsen
- EXCELSIOR, MN**  
Karen Erdall - In memory of Art Erdall Jr
- FARMINGTON, MN**  
Katie Blaha - In memory of Rachel White
- HACKENSACK, MN**  
Blake & Jan Grangaard - In memory of Peter Reinertsen
- HARMONY, MN**  
Kristi Frommelt
- MADELIA, MN**  
John and Carol Watts
- MINNEAPOLIS, MN**  
Joanne Behrens - In memory of Lorenz Behrens  
Joseph & Judith Klohs - In memory of Peter Reinertsen  
Doreen M McEvoy  
General Mills Foundation
- NEWPORT, MN**  
John & Breyonne Demory  
Family - In memory of Martin James Hermes
- NORTHFIELD, MN**  
Tim Gallagher
- PLYMOUTH, MN**  
Channing and Susan Gove - In memory of Peter Reinertsen
- ST PAUL, MN**  
Mary Turenne - In memory of Beverly Harper-Johnston
- WHITE BEAR LAKE, MN**  
Larry Flaherty  
Richard Voeller
- ASHLAND, MO**  
Mary Kuhlmann - In memory of George Kuhlman
- EXCELSIOR SPRINGS, MO**  
Beverly Claypool
- KANSAS CITY, MO**  
Travis Bouslog - In memory of Norma J. Leinen  
Lyle and Cathy Stone - In memory of Dena Schliesman
- LEES SUMMIT, MO**  
Philip and Ellen Skelley - In memory of Dennis Bayne
- O'FALLON, MO**  
Farries Jordan - In memory of Ann Katherine Sullivan Powers
- PARNELL, MO**  
Kathryn Newberry
- SPRINGFIELD, MO**  
Kathleen Denniston
- ST. CHARLES, MO**  
St. Joseph Parish
- WARRENSBURG, MO**  
LaVonne Petersen - In memory of Galen Bartels
- OXFORD, MS**  
Jim & Joyce Herbert
- WHITEFISH, MT**  
Alan and Becky Crump - In memory of Chris Barton, David S. Raak, and John Hart
- APEX, NC**  
Andrew Butler
- CALABASH, NC**  
Albert Ferrioli
- CHAPEL HILL, NC**  
Molly Knowles - In memory of Martin Hermes
- GREENSBORO, NC**  
Carol Gavin - In memory of Tom Gavin
- GREENVILLE, NC**  
Philip and Meri Gibbs
- HENDERSONVILLE, NC**  
Mary Ickes - In memory of Ed Farrell and Ed Farrell



**SHERRILLS FORD, NC**  
Michael & Colleen Sloan  
- In memory of Wilburn Hollis

**BENNINGTON, NE**  
Jeffrey and Lynn  
Pirruccello - In memory of Patricia Rose Mesick

**OMAHA, NE**  
Bob Akaki  
Jeff and Christa Goesser  
- In memory of Dena Schliesman  
Donald Holst  
Scott and Julie Ransdell  
Barbara Tesch  
Allan Ziesemer

**GREENLAND, NH**  
Thomas Coleman

**KEENE, NH**  
Bill and Paula Eberley - In honor of Martin Hermes

**PRINCETON, NJ**  
Goldman, Sachs & Co.  
Matching Gift Program

**LAS CRUCES, NM**  
Dallas Teufel

**HENDERSON, NV**  
John and Mary Ann  
Cunningham  
James and Adona Struve

**LAS VEGAS, NV**  
Mary Kremer - In memory of Maggie McCarthy

**RENO, NV**  
Duke Vermazen

**BROOKLYN, NY**  
Katrina Ngo - In memory of Martin James  
Hermes  
Joyce Thomas

**FOREST HILLS, NY**  
Mary Mairowitz - In honor of Martin Hermes

**NANUET, NY**  
Graham Seidel - In memory of Peter Reinertsen

**NEW YORK, NY**  
Kari Herrig - In memory of Lorenz Behrens

**SMYRNA, NY**  
William and Cathryn  
Rickard - In memory of Bill & Audrey Upmeyer

**WATERTOWN, NY**  
Car-Freshner Corp. - In memory of B. Brown

**CANAL WINCHESTER, OH**  
Mike and Patty Holm

**CANTON, OH**  
Mary Nolan - In memory of Martin James  
Hermes

**CHARDON, OH**  
James D. Ellis

**CINCINNATI, OH**  
Fidelity Charitable

**DUBLIN, OH**  
John and Shirley Becker

**NORTH CANTON, OH**  
Terry and Joyce Nolan  
- In memory of Martin Hermes

**YOUNGSTOWN, OH**  
Peggy Humes

**PORTLAND, OR**  
Zana Herren

**BUTLER, PA**  
Kenneth Calairi - In memory of Wilburn Joseph Hollis

**HARRISBURG, PA**  
Anthony & Angela Sedun  
- In honor of Martin Hermes

**LEWISBURG, PA**

Marge and Tom Duck - In honor of Brian Shaffer

**LOWER GWYNEDD, PA**  
Amina O'Farrell - In memory of Donald Van Ervelde

**PITTSBURGH, PA**  
Joyce and Douglas  
Benish - In memory of Wilburn Hollis  
Henry Posner

**BLUFFTON, SC**  
The Steve & Mary Beth  
Allsop Voice of Hope  
Foundation - In honor of Khloie Lehman

**CHARLESTON, SC**  
Kelly Lenz - In memory of Pat Mesick

**SPARTANBURG, SC**  
Scott Day Sue Dwelly - In memory of Lorenz Behrens

**ST HELENA ISLAND, SC**  
TK and Catherine  
Kinsella - In memory of Martin James Hermes

**BRADYVILLE, TN**  
Tim Garoutte

**LOUISVILLE, TN**  
Cynthia McReynolds

**LYNCHBURG, TN**  
Carolyn Sawyer  
Lori Wise

**MEMPHIS, TN**  
Penniford Justice

**MURFREESBORO, TN**  
Tami Morton

**NASHVILLE, TN**  
Sarah Burton - In honor of Martin Hermes

**WINCHESTER, TN**  
Tims Ford Powersports

**ALAMO, TX**  
Wendall Zylstra

**AUSTIN, TX**  
Wajih Rizvi - In memory of Martin Hermes

**CELINA, TX**  
Robert & Tracy Holman  
- In memory of Lorenz Behrens

**CONROE, TX**  
Regis Beckhauser

**DALLAS, TX**  
Judy Cummings - In memory of David Schirm  
Texas Instruments  
Foundation  
CBRE

**DENTON, TX**  
Marcia Bauer - In memory of Martin Hermes

**HOUSTON, TX**  
Koda Chovanetz - In memory of David Schirm  
Maggie Fleming

**IRVING, TX**  
Wayne and Kay Hadley - In memory of Kenneth Merrill

**PEARLAND, TX**  
Allen and Charlotte  
Kremer - In memory of Inez Kremer and John & Mabel Kremer

**PLANO, TX**  
Matt Peters - In memory of Joyce Goldsberry,  
Morrie Pitlick, and Robert Kabel

**RICHARDSON, TX**  
Jan Miller - In memory of David Schirm

**SAN ANTONIO, TX**  
Tanya Lanuzo - In memory of Norm Mathis  
Debra Yansky

## Have you ever considered a Charitable Gift Annuity?

A charitable gift annuity is basically a "gift that pays you income for life." **Now is a great time to look at this particular type of annuity in your will because current return rates are very good.** If you get returns above the guaranteed rate then **you can gift that amount to Camp Courageous!**

When you fund a Charitable Gift Annuity you get a **FIXED** payment for life no matter what happens to the economy. You get an income tax deduction this year for part of the funding amount. You receive possible capital gains benefits when you fund one by transferring stock. You can receive payments for one or two lives, but with similar rates, and you can be comfortable knowing every gift annuity benefits Camp's mission of serving individuals of all ages with disabilities.

Contact your financial advisor to learn about funding a Charitable Gift Annuity!

**SAN JUAN, TX**  
Ronald and Joann  
Janssen

**SUGAR LAND, TX**  
Gladys Rigler

**SUNSET, TX**  
Anita Jamison - In memory of Bill Horstman, Dude Breitbarth, and Jim Rogers

**BOONES MILL, VA**  
G. Laird and Sarah Ann  
Bowman

**BRISTOW, VA**  
James Mattox

**CLIFTON, VA**  
Marlene Ackert - In memory of Martin James Hermes

**MCLEAN, VA**  
Sara Feder - In memory of Martin Hermes

**WAYNESBORO, VA**  
Duane Hill - In memory of Harold, Margaret and John Hill

**COVINGTON, WA**  
Kenner & Kirsten  
Ahrendsen

**LYNNWOOD, WA**  
Samuel Bowman

**REDMOND, WA**  
Kevin Rolles - In memory of Lou Mertes  
Microsoft Corporation

**SEATTLE, WA**  
Nordstrom

**WENATCHEE, WA**  
Charles and Terri McKay

**APPLETON, WI**  
Thrivent Fund

**BURLINGTON, WI**  
Kathleen O'Mara

**DE PERE, WI**  
Brian Cootway - In memory of Vernon "Wally" Hootman

**ELK MOUND, WI**  
Shannon Riebe

**GRAFTON, WI**  
Richard and Sheryl  
Peshek - In memory of Rod Wright

**HAZEL GREEN, WI**  
Bevlin Bartels - In

memory of John  
"Zoobie" Bartels  
Bill and Beth Taylor - In memory of Larry & Jan Conlon

**HUDSON, WI**  
Elenor Bentrott - In memory of Darrel Hicks, Doug Witte, Galen Bartels, and Ronnie Schroeder

**LA CROSSE, WI**  
Kwik Trip, Inc.

**LANCASTER, WI**  
Joseph Krantz

**MADISON, WI**  
Michael and Linda Orr  
Carol Steckel

**MENOMONEE FALLS, WI**  
Deborah Bardele - In memory of Bricen D. Krafack

**OAK CREEK, WI**  
Shawn Stolte - In memory of Sandy Parrett and Thomas Sneed Sr

**PLEASANT PRAIRIE, WI**  
Gary and Judy Hutchins  
- In memory of Wilburn Hollis

**SUN PRAIRIE, WI**  
Cynthia Carty-Tracy - In memory of John "Zoobie" Bartels

**WAUSAU, WI**  
Mary Brennan - In honor of Martin Hermes

**WEST BEND, WI**  
Roberta Laska - In memory of Martin James Hermes

**ALTA, WY**  
James and Cheryl  
Reinertsen - In memory of Peter Reinertsen

**CODY, WY**  
Gayle Jarvis

**GILLETTE, WY**  
Tom and Penny Kremer - In honor of The John & Mabel Kremer Family

**UNSPECIFIED, NA**

Kyle  
Heather Buenting  
Maulsby - In honor of Jared Maulsby's birthday  
Brian Crook - In memory



## IRA Charitable Rollover

When you reach the age of 72 you are required to take RMDs (required minimum distributions) from your IRA. You can make all or part of your RMD's nontaxable by making a charitable donation directly from your IRA.

Consult your tax advisor for more details or visit:  
<https://campcourageous.org/donation-page/>

of Leroy Crook  
Carol Dimitroff  
Becky Fisher - In honor of Happy Birthday to Megan Berges  
Chris Gatlin - In honor of Happy Birthday to Megan Berges  
Elise Hinthorn - In honor of Elise Hinthorn's Birthday  
Deb Hosch - In honor of Tina Anderson's birthday  
Robert Laughlin  
Craig Lohmann  
Amanda Mertz  
Nels Paulson - In honor of Achele Jones' birthday  
Ryan Reid - In honor of My Birthday  
Karen Richardson - In memory of Pete Reinertsen  
Bruce Shaft - In honor of Happy Birthday to Hannah Rickels  
John D. Smith  
Sharon Steege - In honor of Camp Courageous



Campers' Day Camp experience 2024 Day camp opportunities occur during the winter and spring season. They often work in conjunction with the Experiential Education program.

Visit <https://campcourageous.org/programs-services/>

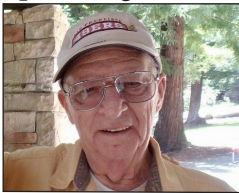


# Charlie's remembrances on some of Camp's loved ones...

Camp Courageous is saddened by the passing of **Ann Katherine Sullivan Powers**, 91, of Cedar Rapids. Ann brought happiness and joy everywhere she went, particularly here Camp Courageous, as she entertained thousands of campers over the years, as a member of the New Horizons Band. Music was a lifetime passion of Ann's and she not only entertained, but she also spent over 30-years teaching music. A truly wonderful lady! Camp's sympathy goes out to Ann's family and friends. She requested memorials to Camp Courageous.



In 1988 Camp Courageous Board Member, Leigh Clark, donated his fruitcake recipe to Camp Courageous and began baking fruitcakes in the camp lodge kitchen as a fund raiser for Camp...a fund raiser that grew to baking 10,000 fruitcakes a year! Leigh was honored, when his son, **Bill Marsh** of San Bruno, CA began volunteering to help his dad. Bill easily won the award for coming the furthest, flying from San Bruno, CA! Bill was a lifetime supporter of Camp Courageous and recently passed at the age of 98!



**Bill's History:** Bill was born in Colorado, where his dad, Forest Marsh died in a motor vehicle accident. His mother, Florence (Skelley) Marsh, returned to Monticello with her children, Virginia, and Bill. There she met Leigh Clark, a builder, and they married. Leigh was a loving husband and a father to Virginia, Bill and a new daughter, Merileigh. Bill flew P-40 Flying Tiger fighter planes in WWII. Following the war, he came back to Monticello and married Helen McLaughlin. They were married for 57-years. After 8-years of farming, Bill & Helen headed to Bruno, CA where he worked for United Airlines for 32-years (during some of these years United Airlines was flying jet fresh pineapple from Hawaii as a fund raiser for Camp). Bill had a lot of the characteristics of Leigh Clark...a good, caring, and wonderful person of great integrity! Camp's sympathy goes out to Bill's family and friends.

Camp Courageous is deeply saddened by the passing of the very beloved camper, **Mark Kadlec**, 70, of Cedar Rapids. Mark was a trail blazer, back during some of the early years of the Camp. He had a personality of compassion that radiated everywhere he went. He was such a good and caring and loving person. On many occasions it was Mark helping counselors with other campers. Just a wonderful human being. Mark loved dances and special events at Camp. He particularly loved Fonzie, Hulk Hogan, John Wayne, hot rods, professional wrestling, and the Hawkeyes. He was dearly loved and he will be dearly missed. The family asked that Mark's memorials go to Camp Courageous. ([www.campcourageous.org/donate](http://www.campcourageous.org/donate))



Camp Courageous is saddened by the recent passing of **Cindy Anna Louise Carter Arbogast**, 69, of Ankeny, IA. Cindy's husband, John Arbogast has been a life-long friend, thus Cindy was quickly brought into the mix and has been a loyal supporter of Camp Courageous for decades. John & Cindy had just attended the Pancake Breakfast and Open House at Camp. Cindy was extremely involved in dozens of organizations over her years. She was one to jump into things 100%, and the organization was always far better off, thanks to Cindy's involvement. Cindy taught 100s over the years piano and voice lessons. She had a deep love for her faith, her family, and music. For many years it was a tradition to meet at the Jim McDonough Concert in Des Moines, often breaking bread together before the Concert. Camp's sincerest sympathy goes out to Cindy's husband, John, and their children Abigail, Amos, and Amissa, along with family and friends. A wonderful lady who brought beautiful music, laughter, friendship, and true joy into the lives of more lives than she could ever realize. -Charlie



It is with great sadness that we learned that long time Camp Courageous **Dietary Director, Chef Dennis Bayne**, has passed, at the age of 76 (just short of his 77th).



Dennis Bayne started volunteering at Camp Courageous during some of the Camp's earliest days. Having been an employee of the Monticello Express, at a very young age, he was part of the first publishing of the Camp Courageous Courier, and the thousands of print jobs that followed. Later in life (50ish) he went back to school and became a Chef, through the Kirkwood Community College's exceptional Chef program. Dennis was a regular volunteer for the Camp's Annual Omelet Breakfasts and Pancake Breakfasts, being a natural to teach others. In 2002 Dennis was named to the position of Dietary Director at Camp Courageous.

Camp saw some of its greatest growth in quantity and quality during Dennis Bayne Era as Chef. Camp hit all time highs of serving 3,000 visitors at the Annual Omelet Breakfasts, along with baking and selling 10,000 Camp Courageous Fruitcakes. Dennis loved to cook for the campers and staff and for special groups. He would cater weddings and other special events that occurred at Camp and established a special "Boardroom" experience where, small groups would have lunch and meet in Camp's Board Room, and Dennis would serve an exceptional meal. When Dennis started at Camp in 2002 over 4,500 campers were being served annually and when he retired from Camp the number had grown by 2,000 to over 6,500. Dennis served as Dietary Director for eleven years and Camp Coordinator in his final year at Camp. He was presented the Camp Courageous Trailblazer Award for his exceptional service to camp over the years.

When computers and e-mail were new, Dennis, who was very much in love with his wife, Sandy, accidentally sent an email to the entire staff, that was meant for Sandy, just letting her know how much he loved her. Didn't bother Dennis a bit, because he really loved his wife, Sandy, and their family with all his heart. Camp's sincere sympathy goes out to Dennis's wife of nearly 60-years, Sandy and children Tim\*, Karmen, and Joe, along with family and friends.



Camp Courageous is saddened by the passing of **Wil Hollis**, 83, of Marion, IA. Wil wished for his memorials to go to Camp Courageous ([www.campcourageous.org/donate/](http://www.campcourageous.org/donate/)), which is extremely humbling for Camp. I did not meet Wil until 1980, 45-years ago, but always loved listening to Tait & Dotty Cummins tell me stories about Wil Hollis, as they covered him extensively working the sports department of WMT radio and television. Wilburn Hollis was legendary. A real hero of his time. Wil was born in Possum Trot, Mississippi November 12, 1940. He lived in Boys



Camp Courageous is deeply saddened by the passing of **Pete Reinertsen**, 74, of Waterloo, IA.



Pete came into the Camp Courageous circle of close and dear friends when he bought Frost Oil in Jesup, IA from Honorary Board Member Norb Bahl. Possibly, unknown to Pete at the time, but Camp Courageous was clearly a major part of the Frost Oil deal.

Pete quickly assumed the duties Norb left him of being a super advocate for Camp Courageous, particularly with the Petroleum Marketers and Convenience Stores of Iowa (now FUEL Iowa). Frost Oil became Consolidated Energy and grew under Pete's leadership. Pete eventually retired as CEO at Consolidated Energy Company.

Pete was the long-time chairperson of the PMCI golf outing for Camp Courageous and was a constant champion of the event even after his retirement. It was a natural for Pete, an event that combined his love for golf and his love for Camp Courageous. Pete was always known for his keen ability to sell Mulligans at the golf benefit to everyone, even if one was not playing. Pete had a unique personality that no one said no to. In 2015 the Petroleum Marketers and Camp Courageous presented Pete a special award, which the caption read, "A Special Thank You To A Special Person, Pete Reinertsen, Who Started The PMCI Golf Outing 20 Years Ago For Camp Courageous. An Event That Has Raised Nearly A Half Million Dollars For The Camp!" Camp's sympathy goes out to Pete's wife, Cindy, along with his family and friends. Pete was bigger than life...legendary and Camp Courageous always felt honored to be the recipient of his hard and dedicated heartfelt work.

-Charlie



Town in Omaha, Nebraska from the age of 9 to his completion of high school. There he excelled in sports and had a good competitive nature. Tait talked about University of Iowa Football Coach, Forest Evashevski, recruiting Wil to play for the Hawkeyes. Wil was Iowa's quarterback from 1959-1961. During his time at the University of Iowa, Wil became the first African American to earn All-America accolades. He was recognized as a second-team All-American and first-team All-Big Ten honoree in 1960. He scored 68 points his junior campaign, the most scored by a Hawkeye since 1922. My point in bringing forth Wil's exceptional background is the fact, what an honor it is, that a person so gifted and talented, would think of those who have much different gifts and talents for his memorials. It is

not only heartwarming, but speaks volumes for the character of Wil Hollis. In 1985 Life Investors (later Aegon and now Transamerica) celebrated their



25th Anniversary by having a raffle of a McLaren's sports car, with the proceeds going to Camp Courageous. The drawing was on Valentine's Day and a University of Iowa student won. About \$55,000 was raised. This was Camp's largest one-time donation to date. Members of this committee included (L-R back) CEO of Life Investors and former Iowa Governor, Bob Ray; Marie Swope, Wilburn Hollis, Cheryl Hollingsworth, Pat Ryan, Art Christoffersen (also a Camp Board

Member at the time) and Charlie Stortz. (L-R front) Pat Baird, Theron (Tommy) Thomsen (also a Camp Board Member) and Jim Kuchenbacher. This team worked their hearts out for Camp and became lifetime friends, and their picture has been on display in the Camp Office for 40-years!

For decades Wil and Nadine have been supportive of Camp in a number of ways. Living a short distance from Camp Board Member, Sheri Grawe, they often have had things for Camp and the Camp Garage Sale.

Camp's sympathy goes out to Wil's wife of nearly 50-years, Nadine Griffin Hollis, along with family and friends.  
-Charlie Becker





Camp was saddened by the recent passing of **Inez Kremer**, 85, of Independence, IA. Inez, along with her husband, Ralph, donated the '57 Chevy the Camp is currently raffling. Camp's sympathy goes out to Ralph, their daughter, five sons, along with family and friends. Inez was a wonderful wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and an exceptional worker on the farm and in the radiology departments of several hospitals in the area and later on boards related to health care. She spent her life deeply concerned and caring for those around her, from her family to her patients, she was dedicated to service to others.

**George Henry** does not seek the limelight, although one will often find him there." George Henry was a remarkable personality, that Camp Courageous was blessed to have called a friend, since the Camp's beginning. George started supporting Camp Courageous in 1974, when the first campers came through the gates. Charlie Cummins, Tait & Dotty Cummins' son was among those first 211 campers during the summer of '74. Tait and Dotty were good friends with George, particularly Dotty, with her love for photography, especially black & white. I first remember George at the 1980 Pineapple Gala. He took brilliant pictures of all 83-tables of ten Camp friends, and dozens of pictures capturing the evening. Over the years Camp Courageous accumulated countless Camp picture books, gifts from George. George Henry set many records in his day, and passing at the age of 101, there were more opportunities than normal. He was a veteran, serving in the Army Air Corp piloting the B24 over Italy and Austria until the end of WWII. George started his photography hobby after returning from the War in 1946, when he bought a Kodak Medalist camera in downtown Cedar Rapids. George loved his white-water rafting trips for 45-years, down some of the most challenging rivers in Utah and Colorado. After more than 350-multi-day trips and 25,000 river miles, he laid claim to unique friendships with passengers like Bobby & Ethel Kennedy, John Glenn, Jim Whitaker (the first American to summit Mount Everest), Andy Williams, Art Buchwald (American humorist) and others. He was eventually fired from the rafting job after 45-years, (2000) because the insurance company would no longer insure him, because of his age. He was Coe College's photographer for nearly 70-years! He developed film for about a decade when WMT discontinued that service. At the time of his death, he was recognized as the longest serving and oldest Optimist Club Member (74-years)! His later years were spent at Cottage Grove Place, where he continued to do art shows and display his works. I will always treasure the hours we spent visiting about his incredible experiences photographing Martin Luther King at Coe, Bob Kennedy on campaign in Marion, George Bush, Louis Armstrong, and so many others. Like Dotty Cummins, George was a wonderful storyteller. Through his art of photography, George Henry left a legacy that will last forever. Truly a life well lived! -Charlie Becker

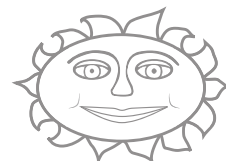


Camp has lost many dear friends who have requested memorials go to Camp Courageous. Use the envelope included with this newsletter or go to [campcourageous.org](http://campcourageous.org) to make a tribute in their name:

Lorenz Behrens, Eldridge, Iowa  
Cawyn R. Cain, Muscatine, Iowa  
Patricia "Pat" R. Mesick, Bettendorf, Iowa  
John E. "Zoobie" Bartels, Moore, OK  
(Dyersville)  
Jennifer Lynn Washington, Naperville, Illinois  
Betty Ann Jensen, Iowa City, Iowa  
Francis W. "Bill" Buchheit, LeClaire, Iowa  
Martin James Hermes, Sterling, Illinois

Mary Louise Newman, Cedar Rapids Iowa  
Arlene Jane Green, Amana, Iowa  
Mary Rita Hebl, Iowa City, Iowa  
Bill Marsh, San Bruno, CA  
Scott Sanders, Cedar Rapids, Iowa  
Maurita "Rita" Penn, Marion, Iowa,  
Norman "Norm" Mathis, Marion, Iowa,  
Debra Ann "Debbie" Sladek, Iowa City, Iowa  
Bricen D. Krafock (Cravaack), Clarence, Iowa

Don Van Ersvelda  
Mark Kadlec, Cedar Rapids Iowa







Camp Courageous is saddened by the passing of Martin Hermes, 40, of Sterling, IL. Martin was a favorite at Camp Courageous and came for nearly 20-years. He was a regular for Lions Visually Impaired Week. Camp received many special notes from family and friends about Martin's joy of coming to Camp, and how much he was loved. We thought we would share some:

*\*You have an amazing camp. I enjoyed looking at the pictures of Martin's adventures for many years.*

*\*Martin loved his years at camp, and I enjoyed the experience every year when I assisted in dropping him off...*

*\*Martin was a sweet and very kind person. I remember how gentle he was and how he was loved by his brothers and sisters. My sincere condolences. He was a treasure.*  
-Mary Grace Anderson

*\*God bless you and your family for the beautiful care and love you have Martin over the years. It is an impactful example of selflessness and faith to me, especially now as a parent. God grant him rest, and now we ask Martin to intercede for us in a more profound way with Our Lord!*  
-Anthony & Angela (Hermes) Sedun

*\*I have never known a brother as loved as Martin. Mary, and Hermes family, - you are in our thoughts, in our prayers, and in our hearts.*  
Love - The Burtons.

## Camp Courageous Vermazen-Carver Aquatic Center Information

Daily Admission:	15-Day Pass:	6-Month Pass:	Annual Pass:
\$7.00/Swimmer	\$70.00	\$350.00	\$550.00

Refer to web site for dates and times for public:

Lap Swims	Water Aerobics	Open Swims	Swim Lessons	Private Lessons
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Pool page

### Pool Rental

Non-swimmer guests are to be included in the guest count

#### ALL RATES ARE HOURLY

Up to 25 Guests - \$150

51-75 Guests - \$275

26-50 Guests - \$225

Party Room (max 25) - \$50

The Vermazen-Carver Aquatic Center is available for rental when not in use by campers. For questions or details contact:

319-465-5916, ext. 2600 -- [aquatics@campcourageous.org](mailto:aquatics@campcourageous.org)

or visit <https://campcourageous.org/pool>

On Jan 8, 2020, at 11:35 PM,  
Rachel Hermes wrote:

Dear Mr. Becker,  
Happy New Year! My brother, Martin Hermes, has attended - and loved - camp for the past 15 years or so.

My fiance Karl and I had the opportunity to participate in the Sprint Triathlon this past year in Cedar Rapids, and hope to do so again! When we get married this coming May, we would like to include donations to Camp Courageous as an option for a wedding gift. Could you - or someone you designate - let us know the best way to go about setting this up?

Many thanks,  
Rachel Hermes

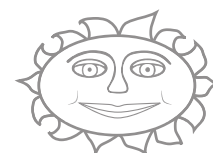
*\*Martin always had a smile for me. I knew him better when we were children & teenagers, but when I was blessed to get the chance to visit with him in our adulthood, he always left me feeling hopeful & buoyed. I think this was because Martin was one of those rare adults who was able to sustain his genuine love of life into adulthood. He also maintained his light-filled and fun-loving personality;*

*I have always attributed this maintenance to his enormous strength of character and the abundance of light and love with which his home was filled every day. Martin never wanted for love, as he was surrounded by it constantly and unconditionally; and he, in turn, never held love back. He was always a beaming light in the room--I say "a" beaming light and not "the" beaming light because to know those who filled Martin's home is to know a great many brilliant, blazing, beacons of light. One of the most significant blessings of my life has been to know the lights in that home. That's where Martin lived his life: as one among many glorious, loving, boisterous, sparkling lights who all lit up the most when they were with their Martin. He is so clearly a source of love, virtue, and strength for his family...*

Anne Hermes

Obviously, Martin made a lasting impress in all those who knew him. Martin loved his time at Camp Courageous and his family would like to see his memorial donations come to Camp Courageous. [www.campcourageous.org/donate](http://www.campcourageous.org/donate)

Thank you!



# Stepping into their fourth decade...



*They may not be quite as famous as the Beatles, nor have their legendary golf outings carried them to Abbey Road in London. Regardless, these charter members of the first Jay-Lynn-O Tour event are proudly stepping into their fourth decade of Fun, Fellowship, and Philanthropy: (L-R) Randy McDonnell, Lynn Rinehart, Jay Watson, and Steve Roe. Photo compilation by Darrell Dodge*

## Jay-Lynn-O Tours: Fun, Fellowship, & Philanthropy By Darrell Dodge

Time flies when you're having fun. Time flies even faster when you're having fun for a good cause. That could be the motto for Mount Ayr's Jay-Lynn-O Tours as they celebrate the 30th anniversary of their charitable relationship with Camp Courageous in Monticello, which provides year-round recreation, respite, and travel opportunities for individuals with disabilities and their families. The genesis of that relationship, however, goes back to 1981. That year the Petroleum Marketers & Convenience Stores of Iowa (today known as FUEL Iowa) took Camp Courageous under its wing and began to support a fledgling charity in Northeast Iowa.

Lynn Rinehart and his Lynn's Sinclair were there was a part of that group.

The original idea for the Jay-Lynn-O Tours came much later in 1994 when Rinehart read an article describing a golf tournament at the Lake of the Ozarks to benefit the Make-a-Wish Foundation. Due to conflicts, Rinehart and his friends were unable to attend that tournament, but the idea of playing golf for charity continued to intrigue Rinehart.

While playing golf on a Wednesday afternoon at the Mount Ayr Golf and Country Club, Rinehart approached his friend Jay Watson with the idea of forming their own charity golf event. He even had the perfect name - Jay (Watson) - Lynn (Rinehart) - O (for name recognition with the popular comedian and former Tonight Show host, Jay Leno).

It wasn't long before Rinehart and Watson had recruited Steve Roe, Randy McDonnell and eight more of their local golfing buddies... and the first Jay-Lynn-O Tour was born at the Lake of the Ozarks in 1995.

While fun and fellowship have always been hallmarks of each subsequent golf outing, philanthropy has remained at the heart of Jay-Lynn-O Tours from the very beginning.

Therefore, a budding relationship between the golfers and Camp Courageous was a natural fit.

When Jay-Lynn-O started supporting Camp Courageous, the Camp served about 3,000 campers. Today, it has grown to 10,000 campers. Back then the camp had five buildings on 40-acres. Today, there are 35 buildings on 400 acres!

Over their 30 years, Jay-Lynn-O has raised over \$60,000 and inspired many others to give, helping match those families who could use Camp Courageous' services.

"It has been a wonderful relationship over the past 30 years," said Camp Courageous CEO Charlie Becker, "and it was a thrill when the group visited Camp Courageous for their 25-year reunion. The group, particularly Lynn, was able to see first-hand the tremendous growth of the Camp and how many lives it was touching today. This is one of those groups of individuals who wear their hearts on their sleeves...they truly care.... Many were brought to tears, seeing firsthand the huge difference they had made at Camp and how grateful the Camp was to them."

Later this spring a plaque acknowledging the contributions of Jay-Lynn-O Tours will be installed at the new mini golf course at the camp.

"Camp Courageous is truly humbled that a group so talented and gifted would be so kind and generous to the Camp Courageous campers that do not have those same opportunities," said Becker.

The generosity of Jay-Lynn-O Tours doesn't stop with Camp Courageous. Last May the group made a contribution to and attended the Havana, Illinois, Songwriters Festival.

"The festival features some of the finest songwriters from the Midwest or a weekend of intimate performances and an unmatched listener experience," said Rinehart. "It was a great opportunity to meet the performers and mingle with other attendees."

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**August 16, 2024 • 6 PM • DoubleTree, Cedar Rapids**

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**Watch for the Pineapple Sales at area  
Hy-Vee Stores coming in early August.**

Scan the QR code or visit the Gala web page at  
<https://campcourageous.org/pineapple-gala>  
for ticket and auction details.

**MAIL-IN FORM FOR TICKET ORDERS AND SPONSORSHIP  
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NAME:
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- ☐ We would like a table for 10 at \$750.
- ☐ We would like to purchase \_\_\_\_\_ tickets at \$75 each.
- ☐ **We would like to donate the auction item(s):** \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ We would like to make a donation to the Gala of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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✓	LEVEL	AMOUNT	Receive up to...
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bronze	\$1,000	1 Table (10 seats)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Silver	\$2,500	3 Tables (30 seats)
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**For more info contact Charlie Becker at  
[cbecker@campcourageous.org](mailto:cbecker@campcourageous.org)  
or call 319-465-5916, ext. 2100.**

**Send this form to Charlie Becker,  
PO Box 418, Monticello, IA 52310-0418**  
All sponsors will receive special recognition during the ceremonies and identification in promotional material developed for the event.





## Sweetheart Dance



Campers embraced the opportunity for creative face painting and captured cherished moments at the photo booth during the Sweetheart Dance. A heartfelt thank you to all of the volunteers, donors and staff that made this event possible!

## Shamrock Shindig Dance

Let's dance into St. Patrick's Celebration with the **Shamrock Shindig** at Durgin Pavilion!



Campers and their families joined in the fun, dancing to Irish tunes and playing games. With faces painted in green and smiles all around, precious moments were captured at the photo booth. Huge thanks to the volunteers, supporters, and media for making this celebration unforgettable. Cheers to friendship and the luck of the Irish!

## Embarking on a Journey Of Impact: Camp Courageous Travel



To learn more about participating or volunteering in Camp Courageous Travel

Email: [travel@campcourageous.org](mailto:travel@campcourageous.org) Call: 319-465-5916 ext: 2325



Hawkeye basketball game



London, UK



Cher Tribute performance



Disneyland, CA



London, UK



Daytona 500, FL



Thank you to **Karl Nebergall** from Atalissa, IA for his donation of a 2000 Ford Windsor minivan.

If interested in donating a vehicle of any type to Camp can contact Russ Yonkovic at 319-465-5916 ext 2500.

## Adventure is out there!

The Camp Courageous Travel Program serves adult campers eager to explore the world. 2024 has kicked off with amazing trips, with many more slated throughout the year.



# Staff Update: Camp Courageous New Staff Members



Meet **Rogelio Hernandez**, a seasoned professional with a rich background in the outdoor setting. Having served as a counselor and evening program specialist for Camp Courageous, Rogelio possesses a unique blend of leadership and interpersonal skills. His hands-on experience and passion for creating memorable experiences make him the perfect fit for his role as Assistant Travel Director. Get ready to embark on extraordinary journeys with Rogelio's guidance, where every adventure promises to be both thrilling and meticulously orchestrated.



Camp Courageous welcomed **Julie Davis** to the Administrative Assistant Role this past fall, and we are excited to have her on board. Julie is hardworking and versatile, with proven organizational skills and thorough knowledge of office administration duties; her bubbly personality lends itself to her excellent communication and people skills. She is well-organized and able to multitask while maintaining a high level of professionalism and attention to detail. Julie makes the daily commute from Hopkinton where she is an active member of the Hopkinton City Council and a committee member for Hot Rods & Harleys Car Show. Julie is the mother of three awesome sons that keep her entertained. In her free time, she enjoys going to her boys sporting events, attending car shows, volunteering for multiple events, and hanging out with friends to get a good laugh.



Camp Courageous welcomed **Hannah Rickels** as the Marketing Director. Originally from the Philippines, she moved to the United States to pursue a Masters in Applied Analytics. With over 10 years of experience in software engineering, IT consultancy, analytics, and marketing technology, she's worked in diverse industries and cultures, interacting with people from various backgrounds. Outside of work, she enjoys scuba diving and traveling. Hannah is passionate about learning, making memories, and being creative.



**Spring Staffs Photo**

Are you passionate about making a difference? Become part of the team by scanning the QR code below.



## Endowing Staff Positions at Camp Courageous

You can ensure that Camp Courageous continues to grow through exceptional staff by **endowing a position**. Position endowment creates employment stability and also reduces operating expenses for the camp. Through endowing a position, you will impact Camp Courageous for generations to come.

Those who have endowed a position will be recognized on the Camp Courageous Foundation display. Additionally, a plaque recognizing the donor will be displayed above each position's office door.

Executive Director .....	Endowed by Ronald & Winifred Flemming
COO/Operations Director .....	\$1,000,000
CFO/Finances .....	\$1,000,000
Program Director .....	\$1,000,000
Nursing Director .....	\$1,000,000
Facilities Director .....	\$1,000,000
Dietary Director .....	\$1,000,000
Marketing/IT Director .....	\$1,000,000
Assistant Program Director .....	\$750,000
Respite Director .....	\$750,000

Volunteer Director .....	\$750,000
Aquatic Director .....	\$750,000
Nature Director .....	\$750,000
Travel Director.....	\$750,000
Admin. Assistant .....	\$750,000
Assist. Nursing Director .....	\$750,000
Assist. Facilities Director.....	\$750,000
Assist. IT Director .....	\$750,000
Facilities Staff (2 available) .....	\$750,000
Program Specialists (15 available)....	\$500,000
Counselor (40 available).....	\$250,000

If you have questions or would like more information regarding position endowment, please contact Charlie at [cbecker@campcourageous.org](mailto:cbecker@campcourageous.org) or 319-465-5916 ext. 2100.





A big thank you to the dozens of volunteers who make up the Manchester Garage Sale! These folks work year-round to make sure Camp's largest fund raiser continues to be the success that it is! So many volunteers talked about what a highlight of their week it is to do their shift at the Garage Sale. They love the other volunteers, they love helping Camp, and they talked about the many situations over the holidays, where folks didn't have the money to pay retail at a store, but they could still provide their family nice gifts from the Manchester Garage Sale. It is a win-win-win situation. Along with a little appreciation luncheon, the volunteers received instruction on how to use the AED (Automated External Defibrillator) from the Regional Medical Center in Manchester, IA. Manchester and the surrounding area is a wonderful community and Camp Courageous is grateful they took Camp Courageous under their wing, nearly 50-years ago!



Camp Courageous 2024 season is in FULL swing at Camp. Camp activities for the first quarter of 2024 have included everything from sledding to miniature golf with the weather changes. Camp has offered 4 weeklong camps, hosted MANY spring experiential day camps to schools and groups from across the state, 2 fabulous dances AND 8 respite Friday-Sunday weekend programs so far this year.

## Seasonal and Year-Round Camp Courageous Employment Opportunities

We invite you to join our team of passionate individuals who create meaningful relationships and improve the lives of people with disabilities. This is an experience you will cherish forever!

Camp Courageous is eagerly seeking Individuals for volunteer, paid, and internship positions. There are opportunities for weekend, seasonal, and year-round positions.



**Accessible, Hand-Paddle Boat**  
In 2023, a generous donor donated the funds for one ADA accessible paddle boat for Lake Todd. This paddle boat has gone over so well, that we are in need of another! The paddle boat includes one side that is "paddled" with one's arms rather than their feet. This allows campers the ability to participate in another way AND allows up to 4 campers and one staff to be on the boat at a time!



Working with children and adults with disabilities is very rewarding, however it does come with some challenges. Campers may need help with personal care including feeding, dressing, and personal hygiene. Some campers also need behavioral guidance.

Patience, energy, good judgement, and enthusiasm are important attributes for success at Camp

Courageous, as well as teamwork. If you, or someone you know have these valuable traits and the desire to make a difference in the lives of others, please consider applying.

**On site training: CPR - First Aid - Life Guarding - Med Manager**  
Room and board are provided while working with campers

College internships and international sponsorships are available

Apply at [campcourageous.org](http://campcourageous.org) or scan the QR code here.  
Contact [program@campcourageous.org](mailto:program@campcourageous.org) for questions

More details for all positions available can be found online.



For more information or to donate towards the boat, please contact Kaite at [program@campcourageous.org](mailto:program@campcourageous.org)



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## Drawing Held October 6th, 2024 3PM CDT

*At the Hot Rods & Harleys Car Show  
in Hopkinton IA*

Camp Courageous was humbled when Ralph and Inez Kremer of Independence, IA contacted Camp to donate their 1957 Chevrolet Bel Air Sport Coupe to benefit Camp Courageous.

This car has had a professionally done frame off restoration. "From top to bottom this is a very detailed/show car" according to Duffy's Classic Cars. "It has a non-original 327 engine, overdrive automatic transmission, power steering, power front disc brakes and alloy wheels with radial tires which have been added to make this a very fun car to drive,"



"The rest of the car is in stock form. Undercarriage is red oxide primer and very detailed. Paint is a beautiful Dusk Pearl and is in excellent condition and the original color for the car. This car is a very popular make and model and a show winner," according to Duffy.

When asked they chose to give Camp Courageous this wonderful gift, they replied with a tear in their eye, that they have been very fortunate to have had a healthy family and never needed the services of Camp Courageous, but at the same time they fully understood the 24/7/365 care many families with a disabled family member are faced with.

**More at: [campcourageous.org/57Chevy](http://campcourageous.org/57Chevy)**

**Do not need to be present to win.** Drawing will be held at the *Hot Rods & Harleys* car show in Hopkinton Iowa, 52237 at 3:00 PM CDT on October 6th, 2024. Tickets will be available at the *Hot Rods & Harleys* car show event until 2:00 PM. Online ticket sales end at 12:00 PM CDT on October 5th, 2024. Drawing will be streamed live and winner's name will be announced. A link to the live video stream available on day of drawing on raffle web page. All proceeds go to Camp Courageous, a year-round recreational, respite care, and travel program for individuals of all ages with disabilities.



Scan this QR Code  
to purchase tickets  
online at Camp  
Courageous' web site.



[www.campcourageous.org](http://www.campcourageous.org)

### Camp Courageous '57 Chevy Bel Air Raffle

Use this form to order your Raffle Ticket(s) by mail.

Your name and address (billing address if using credit card):

NAME (or name on debit card):		
ADDRESS (or billing address of debit card):		
CITY:	STATE	ZIP CODE
DAY PHONE #:	E-MAIL ADDRESS:	

Credit Card information:

CARD NUMBER:	3-DIGIT # (BACK OF CARD):
EXPIRATION DATE (MM/YY):	SIGNATURE:

Name(s) on ticket(s) if not same as above:

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QTY.	COST/EA.	AMOUNT
	x \$100	\$
DONATION:		\$
TOTAL:		\$

Mail this form with payment or check (to "Camp Courageous"):  
Camp Courageous, PO Box 418, Monticello IA 52310-0418



# Needs List

Get latest needed items list at:  
[campcourageous.org/needs-list](http://campcourageous.org/needs-list)



**Camp can always use paper towels, toilet paper, napkins, paper plates, and other paper items. Gift/Gas cards of all types/stores can be accepted!**

## Program

**Sleeping pads (for camping)** (Robes, nailpolish,makeup)  
**Waterproof Pillow** Hair Ties  
**Painters Tape** Face Paint  
**Lamination Sheets** Expo Markers  
**6 person Tents** Party Lights  
**2 person Tents** Tailgate canopy  
Campfire grate Dress up items and accessories  
Portable speakers (small)  
**TV Trays** Amazon Gift Cards  
**SPA Items**

## Medical Supplies

Ice Bags - Instant disposable 5x7  
Freestanding/Folding Six-Panel Room Divider  
Cetirizine (Zyrtec)  
Benadryl  
Ibuprofen  
Claritin (Loratadine)  
First Aid Cream  
Hemorrhoid Ointment  
Hydrocortisone Cream  
Imodium  
AED Batteries  
Glucose (tabs or gel)  
Milk of Magnesia  
Miralax  
Triple Antibiotic Ointment  
Bleeding Control Kit  
Chux/Cloth Bed Protectors  
Cups (5 or 8 oz)  
Ear Plugs (Wax/Silicone)  
Invacare 1079815 Reliant  
Lift Battery Charger Kit w/ Wall Mount  
Alcohol Pads  
Sunscreen/Bug Spray  
Ziploc Bags (Gallon-size)  
Tylenol (tabs or liquid)

## Outdoor Living

**2-Person tents**  
**Folding Campfire grates**  
**Ensoelite Sleeping Mats**  
**Waterproof Dry Bag with Shoulder Strap 50-65L**  
**Cooking Knives**  
Camping Cots  
5 Gallon Buckets  
Extra long 22" tongs  
Rubber Mallet  
Rain jackets and Pants  
Coleman Two Burner Stove

## Volunteer

Paint Rollers  
Paint Brushes  
Painter's Tape  
Gardening Work Gloves  
Leather Work Gloves  
Safety Glasses  
Safety Vests  
Angle Grinder Blades  
Rubbermaid Carts  
Milwaukee Bit Set  
Vacuum  
Knife  
Polaris Ranger  
8 Ft. Fiberglass Ladder  
Milwaukee M18 or M12 Fuel Tools

## Maintenance

Sun & Shade grass seed Mix  
Dewalt with cut off Wheels  
Furwax Filters (16x20x1) (20x25x1)  
Batteries (AA-AAA-9 volt)  
Black Dirt  
Riding Lawn Mowers  
Welding Helmet (Solar)  
Round up Concentrate  
Wasp Spray  
Paint Brushes (All Sizes)  
Sharpie Markers  
Fat Max 25' Tape Measures  
Milermatic 252 Mig/  
Aluminum Welder  
Polaris Ranger Oil Change Kits  
Air Hoses  
Garden Water Hoses

## Housekeeping

Paper Towels  
Antibacterial Liquid Soap - small & refills  
Angle Brooms  
Brown Single-Fold Paper Towels  
Commercial Pivoting Upright Lobby Dustpan  
Magic Erasers  
Swiffer duster refill  
Swiffer floor stiffer handle  
13 & 55 gal Trash Bags  
Toilet Paper  
Toilet Brush  
Dexter Industrial Washer & Dryer  
Rug Doctor X3 Commercial Carpet Cleaner  
Rug Doctor Oxy Carpet Cleaning Solution  
Toilet Bowl Cleaner

## IT/Marketing

Mini Business Computers  
360 Photo Booth Machine

## Dietary

Dry Pasta  
Dried Beans (lentils, black beans, pinto, kidney)  
Gluten Free Pasta  
Frozen or Canned Vegetables and Fruits  
Drink mix (Koolaid/Gatorade)  
Brown, White, Powdered Sugar  
Eggs  
Salad Dressing Mayo, Honey Mustard)  
Boneless/Deli ham  
Food Gift Cards

## Travel Program

**Clear Plastic Backpacks**  
Black Lanyards  
Laminated Photo Badges  
Permanent Markers  
Hotel/Gift/Gas Cards  
(BP, Casey's, Kwik Star),  
Restaurant Gift Cards

## Nature Center

**Timothy Hay**  
Fish Food  
**Natural Pet Bedding**  
**Red Cedar Bedding**  
Dried Mealworms  
Guinea pig food  
Rabbit food  
Bearded Dragon food  
Mineral blocks  
Hay  
Alpaca Feeds

## Pool/Aquatics

**Floor Squeegee**  
**Mesh storage carts**  
Adult & Kids Swim Goggles  
Straps for Spinal Boards  
Big Kahuna Pool Noodles  
Life jackets - 3XL  
Lifeguard hip bags  
Febreeze plug-in fresheners  
Deck scrub brushes

## Office Supplies

**Paper (White 8.5"x11")**  
Bubble Wrap  
Stamps: Forever and Extra  
Ounce  
Dymo Label Cassette  
Calculator Tape  
Manila File Folders  
Easels  
Labels Avery #5160  
Correction Tape  
Clear Heavy Duty Packing Tape  
Gift Cards to Office Supply Stores  
Compressed Air Canisters  
Markers (Sharpies, Fine Point)  
Empty- Gatorade Bottles (16 oz)  
Glow in the Dark paint - Neon Colors  
Bobby Pins  
Mason Jars w/ Lids (80oz and up)  
Black Iron Oxide powder  
Toilet paper rolls (empty)  
Paper towel rolls (empty)  
aluminum foil rolls (empty)  
Aluminum foil pans  
Sponges

## Arts & Crafts

**Acrylic Paint**  
**Contact Paper**  
**Colored Duct Tape**  
Large Glue Gun Sticks  
**Dye for Tie-Dyeing**  
**Canvases**  
**Colored Air Clay**  
Heat Gun  
Butcher Paper  
Wooden Dowels (4-5 inches)  
Empty-plastic water bottles (16 oz)

## MAJOR NEEDS:

**\$400,000 Duplex-Staff Housing (or \$200,000 for one side)**  
**\$150,000 - New Camper Bus**  
**\$75,000 - 200kW standby generator 120/208 Volt 3 phase**  
**\$75,000 - 800 AMP Generator for PBJB buildings and area**  
**\$50,000 - Transit Passenger Van XL Full naming rights or \$12.5K per side**  
**\$25,000 ea. - Mainliner Memorial Park sponsor of Five branch (Army taken) & COVID monuments**  
**\$20,000 - qty of 2 for 4 person golf cart w/c assible electric cart**  
**\$20,000 - MotoEV 6 Passenger Wheel Chair Golf Cart**  
**\$20,000 - 8 Passenger People Mover**  
**\$10,000 - Two Program utility cars (\$5K each used) - will include naming rights**  
**\$6,500 - Adult changing table (need 2)**  
**\$5,500 - Commercial Paddle Boat (ADA for Campers)**  
**\$5,500 - 8-Foot Prostyle Air Hockey Table**  
**\$2,500 - Adventure Equipment (helmets & Adaptive Harnesses)**  
**\$2,000 - 4200 PSI Power Washer/ Hose**  
**\$2,000 - Foam Machine for Camper at evening program**



## Nature Trail Project at the Pictured Rocks Addition...

Camp Courageous is paving over a mile of a nature trail in the Picture Rocks Addition. Sponsorship opportunities are available to help make this trail accessible. Get more details or make a contribution online at [campcourageous.org/nature-trail](http://campcourageous.org/nature-trail)

Your name and address (billing address if using credit card):

COURIER NEEDS LIST

NAME (or name on credit card):		
ADDRESS (or billing address of credit card):		
CITY:	STATE	ZIP CODE
DAY PHONE #:		E-MAIL ADDRESS:

Your gift toward this project:

☐ \$100,000 Title ☐ \$10,000 Silver ☐ Other Amount  
☐ \$50,000 Platinum ☐ \$5,000 Bronze  
☐ \$25,000 Gold ☐ \$1,000 Nature

OTHER - ANY AMOUNT APPRECIATED:

\$

(make checks payable to Camp Courageous)

Name(s) to be designated on trail plaque for donations of \$1,000 or more:

NAME(S) TO BE ENGRAVED OR DESIGNATED:

Credit Card information:

CARD NUMBER:	
EXPIRATION DATE (MM/YY):	3-DIGIT AVS # (BACK OF CARD):
SIGNATURE:	

**Cut out and mail this form to:**  
**Charlie Becker, PO Box 418,**  
**Monticello, IA 52310-0418**



# Sponsors of "The Camper T-Shirt" 2024:

Those who attend Camp Courageous have spent the entire year eagerly anticipating what the week holds, and one of their most prized possessions is "The Camper T-shirt". Campers look forward to receiving a T-shirt each year. The shirt is a symbol of belonging and acceptance, and wearing it gives them a sense of pride and confidence that they carry with them long after their time at camp.

Sponsors City Clean, & simple, Citizens State Bank, Pinnacle Engineering, Ohnward Bank, Cedar Lodge #11 (Tipton), Farmers State Bank, The Tibor Family, Dr. Kim Kazimour, and the Dave Mason family.

Interested in becoming a sponsor? Contact [sbelew@campcourageous.org](mailto:sbelew@campcourageous.org) or call 319-465-5916, ext. 2140



Camp Courageous was honored to have **International Lions leadership** visit Camp. (L-R) Past District Governor, Ken Klemish; Past International Director, Ardie Klemish; Lion, Jama Wahl; Past International Director, Bud Wahl; and Rick Baughman, 9EC District Governor. This wonderful group received a royal tour and was able to witness first-hand the good Lions and others have provided thousands of individuals with disabilities,

through the work being done at Camp Courageous. Some campers were leaving, after a week at Camp; Travel campers were just leaving for a weekend travel trip; and in just a short time, Respite Campers were arriving. The group came away in awe, over all the activities, including learning more about Lions Visually Impaired Week. Camp is so grateful that these great leaders took some of their precious time to see Camp Courageous.

## Registration for the 2024 Camp Courageous Sprint Triathlon is still open!

Save the date for the 15th annual Camp Courageous Sprint Triathlon being held on Sunday August 4th, 2024!

Thanks to our generous corporate sponsors, 100% of your CCST entry fee goes directly to Camp Courageous! For more info and to Sign-Up visit [www.ccsprinttri.org](http://www.ccsprinttri.org)

**You have time to train!  
You can do this! Make this your new years resolution!  
We welcome first-time triathletes in a friendly, helpful environment. If it's your first, make it us!**



## Donation Form

Camp Courageous continues to run on donations. Use this form to make a contribution.

Scan this QuickCode to jump to camp's online donation page:



Camp Courageous is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization. Use enclosed envelope or mail this form to: Camp Courageous, PO Box 418, Monticello IA 52310-0418

### Your gift to Camp Courageous:

AMOUNT: \$	<input type="checkbox"/> Check <input type="checkbox"/> VISA <input type="checkbox"/> Mastercard <input type="checkbox"/> Discover <input type="checkbox"/> AmEx (make checks payable to Camp Courageous)
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### Your name and address (billing address if using credit card):

NAME (or name on credit card):		
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CITY:	STATE	ZIP CODE
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### Credit Card information:

CARD NUMBER:	
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### This gift is a tribute :

In memory of:	
In honor of:	
To celebrate:	

An acknowledgement card or letter can be sent to individuals or families to tell them about your tribute if you provide name(s) and an address below.

### Send an acknowledgement about your tribute to:

NAME(S):		
ADDRESS		
CITY:	STATE	ZIP CODE

### Please use this gift for:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> General Fund                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Campership Fund<br><small>Full campership is \$700.00 which covers the camper's fee &amp; may cover other camper expenses</small> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Camp Foundation (Perpetual Fund) | <input type="checkbox"/> Mainliner Memorial Park   |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Pool                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Train Depot Plaque  |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Solar Project                    | <input type="checkbox"/> 700' Zipline  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Miniature Golf                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Multi-Purpose Field   |

### Other ways to help or get information:

- ☐ I would like to be part of your monthly pledge program. Please send more information.
- ☐ My employer, \_\_\_\_\_, will match this gift (please enclose matching gift form from employer).
- ☐ Please send information on including Camp Courageous in my will/estate.
- ☐ I am interested in volunteering opportunities. Please have someone contact me.
- ☐ I am interested in having a presentation given to my group or organization about Camp Courageous.

### Please send me more info about:

- |  |                                      |
|--|--------------------------------------|
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Courier Sponsorship | <input type="checkbox"/> Employment  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Camper Registration | <input type="checkbox"/> Internships |

In general, donations to the camp will be tax deductible to many. However, you will need to contact your tax advisor to determine the deductibility of your contributions. Your personal information will only be used by Camp Courageous and will never be sold or provided to a third party.

## Upcoming Events:

Apr. 13 - Camp Preview Day  
Apr. 19 - Spring Break Bash  
Apr. 28 - Omelet Breakfast  
May 19 - Cruisin' for Camp Courageous  
Jun. 01 - 50th Anniversary Staff Reunion  
Aug. 04 - Sprint Triathlon  
Aug. - Pineapple Sales  
Aug. 16 - Camp Courageous Pineapple Gala

Listen to AM 600-WMT Newsradio for Camp updates every Saturday morning between 7:15 and 7:30 AM.

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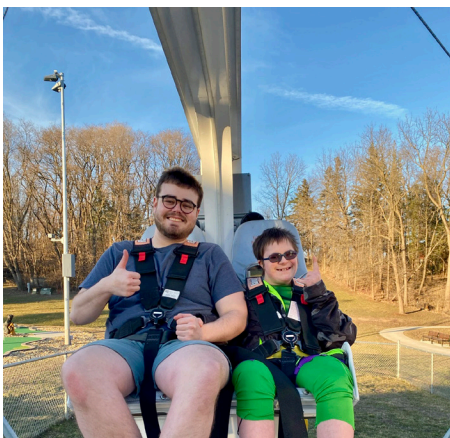
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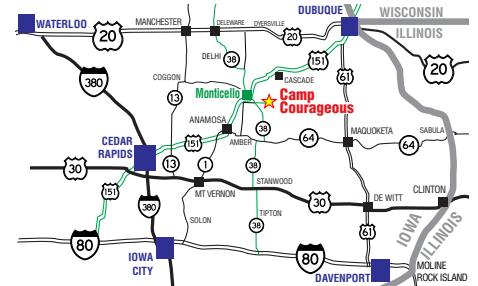
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### Where can I get more info?

Additional information can be found at [www.campcourageous.org](http://www.campcourageous.org), call Camp at 319-465-5916, or stop out for a tour to see first-hand how the camp has grown over the years.

### Where is Camp Courageous?

The camp is located five miles south of Monticello, Iowa, off Highway 38 or 151. The camp lies on 400 acres of land surrounded by thousands of acres of state primitive land and the Maquoketa River. Use US Highway 151 (exit 65), turn south on Highway 38, then east on 190th Street (all hard-surfaced roads).



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Open camera app, point at code, tap screen to go to donate page