

SKINsational

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Every child deserves a week of wonder. The spirit of giving is the cornerstone of our message. CSDF gratefully acknowledges the generosity of individuals, sponsors and donors who make Camp Wonder possible.



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Thank You!

FROM CSDF AND
Camp Wonder

Wonder Run FUNDRAISER...

The first annual Wonder Run took place on November 7, 2015 in Fort Worth, Texas and was attended by over 400 runners. The event included a Fun Run and a 5K race. It was an amazingly successful event that raised over \$88,000 for the CSDF and Camp Wonder. The race was inspired by two Galderma employees who attended Camp Wonder and wanted to create an annual way to raise funds for CSDF and Camp Wonder. We thank the Steering Committee for all their hard work in putting together such a successful event; Tiffany Smith, Bryan Cox, Josh Lehman, Katherine Rouse, Lane Kuntz, Matthew Meckfessel, Perla Gonzalez and Shannon Iwaniuk.

We can't thank Galderma enough for their commitment and partnership with CSDF and Camp Wonder.

Halloween FUNDRAISER...

The first annual Camp Wonder Halloween Fundraiser was hosted at the The Big Basin Restaurant owned by Andrew Welch in Saratoga, CA on October 25, 2015. This tremendous event that raised over \$20,000 was hosted by Andrew and Nathalie Welch and Lincoln and Lana Krochmal and organized by the committee of MaryLu Marsh, Scott Fairbanks and Max Vargas. The evening entailed many ghostly activities including a costume contest, trick or treat food stations, silent auction center, a giving tree, games, music, a candy buffet and dessert! Thank you to our volunteers who helped the day of the event; Brian Cody, Cameron Smead, DJ Emery, Kelsi Marsh, Lindsay Marsh, Michaela Lassig, Ryan Clakley, Kenny Douville, Sergio Quilici, Stephanie Pham and Yut Au.

Thank you to our wonderful sponsors and donors for the auction items, food & beverages and raffle prizes; B. Allen Jewelers, Sean and Patty Thrapp, Acme Bread Co., Woodhouse Chocolates, Soquel Vineyards, Cetaphil, California Skin Institute, The Protein Bakers, Clos LaChance Winery, Main Street Annex Salon, The Plumed Horse, La Fondu, Deja & Co., Diana & Doug Chan and Rocco's Pizzeria Restorante.



2016 CAMP WONDER

OFFICIAL Camp Dates...

Counselors will arrive on Sunday, June 19th for orientation with Camp Director, Richard Bernstein and Assistant Camp Director, Jen Pham-Mejares. Campers will arrive on Monday, June 20th and depart on Saturday, June 25th!

Summer WISH LIST...

Craft Items: Jewelry Making Beads & Ceramic Items to Paint
 Prom Night: Attire for Boys & Men, Girls party dresses 7-16
 Gift Cards: Target, Home Depot
 Decorations: Cultural Decorations/items for "World Theme" Night
 Donations: \$25, \$50, \$75, \$100

CAMP WONDER Support...

CSDF has a special partnership with Cetaphil that includes one of their best-selling products, Cetaphil Moisturizing Cream. You can find this product at Walgreens, CVS and Wegmans. Each purchase of the Cetaphil jar with the special label of Camp Wonder goes to support Camp Wonder.

Please tell your friends and family and help support CAMP WONDER!!!

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We appreciate our volunteer staff, your efforts mean so much to so many.

VOLUNTEER Highlight...

Dr. Dominic Ricci has been a Camp Wonder volunteer since the summer of 2010. Dr. Ricci completed his General Dermatology in Madison, Louisiana and from there he moved to Denver, Colorado to participate in a fellowship. Currently, he resides in Austin, Texas with his family.

Camp Wonder has been a rewarding professional experience for Dr. Ricci as he was able to participate in bandage changes and he saw first-hand what daily life is like for EB patients. Dr. Ricci's says "I learned so much from the campers on how to how to bandage better". Dr. Ricci's favorite time of camp is the downtime, getting to hang out with the kids and allow them to be who they are- mealtimes, at night or between activities.

Not only does Dr. Ricci volunteer his time, he and his family organized a fundraiser this year to support CSDF and Camp Wonder!! *Thank you to the Ricci Family for their continued effort in helping children and their families with skin disease.*

Yes, I want to help children with serious skin disease and their families!

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JOIN TODAY...

For as little as a \$35 donation, you can become a CSDF Partner and help send a child to camp. Your tax deductible gift helps with the financial, medical and emotional burdens of children and families with life threatening skin diseases.



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