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AJ's and Tucker's Story



AJ, 16, and Tucker, 12, along with their mom and dad, Kim and Byron, are long-time members of the Y. AJ is on the FM Gator Swim Team and enjoys using the Y's fitness facilities. Tucker has participated in Horsemanship Camp at Camp Cormorant, along with many other Y activities.

Both boys are recipients of Y scholarships, made possible by the Partner of Youth Annual Campaign, and Kim, a former Y employee, said that these scholarships have made it possible for her sons to discover their passions.

I couldn't have done it without help. The scholarship program is one of the Y's "HIDDEN GEMS."

Kim Rueb, mother



Beyond their participation in Y activities, both AJ and Tucker say that being a part of the Y has taught them valuable life lessons including respect and kindness, and has allowed them to meet many new people.

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 FOR HEALTHY LIVING
 FOR SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

CONFIDENT KIDS TODAY BECOME HEALTHIER, HAPPIER GROWN-UPS TOMORROW

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PARTNER OF YOUTH ANNUAL CAMPAIGN

Funds raised through the Partner of Youth Annual Campaign at the YMCA of Cass and Clay Counties allows the Y to provide scholarships for children to learn life skills through different programs such as swimming lessons, basketball, camp, child care and more.

With a growing and diverse population, Cass and Clay Counties are facing new challenges. These challenges create greater need for the work the Y does. With help from our members, volunteers, staff and donors, we can continue to make an impact on the lives of youth in our community.

Y activities give our children the opportunity to LEARN, GROW AND THRIVE!

Mathias's Story

Betty Dollinger wanted to provide opportunities for her son Mathias to learn and grow.

Though cost had become a barrier for some of these opportunities, Betty was determined. She picked up the phone and called the Y, asking if there were any opportunities for her son to get involved. "The Y staff was wonderful," Betty said.

Y staff members supported her efforts to give her son better opportunities. They also accommodated his needs and helped to comfort her as she prepared to say goodbye to her son as he departed for a week at camp.

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Betty Dollinger, mother



The changes in Mathias were evident from the moment he came home from camp. At camp, Mathias was challenged to step outside of his comfort zone,

allowing him to gain confidence, build communication skills and make new friends. He became more flexible, independent, and more willing to take initiative.

The scholarship provided by the Partner of Youth Annual Campaign alleviated financial strain on the Dollinger family.

Betty expressed her gratitude to the donors who helped pave the way for this life-changing experience for her son.

"Camp Cormorant was a great experience that every kid should have access to," she said. "The Partner of Youth Annual Campaign allows that to happen."

Mathias is now raising money to help send OTHER KIDS to camp!

Mathias



SUPPORT THE Y

Each year over 20,000 youth at our Y are cultivating the values, skills and relationships that lead to better health and educational achievement.

\$15.00

provides one school age child one day of before and after school care

\$500.00

provides two youth one week of camp at YMCA Camp Cormorant

\$50.00

lets a child play Y basketball for an entire season

\$1,000.00

gives two children one month of safe, fun & educational full-time child care in a Y Learning Center

\$100.00

allows a child to take two sessions of Y swimming lessons

\$2,000.00

provides 25 children the opportunity to attend Wheels to Wellness

\$200.00

lets eight children be active in Y programs like basketball & dance

\$5,000.00

allows 20 children to have an unforgettable experience at YMCA Camp Cormorant