Make-A-Wish Foundation® of New Jersey

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Mr. Gary Yourman Greater Trenton Dart League



Dear Gary,

On behalf of our families and most importantly, the wish children, I would like to thank you for organizing the "7th Annual Darts for Dreams Dart-a-thon" with proceeds benefiting Make-A-Wish® New Jersey. Your efforts totaled \$21,290.00 and adopted the wishes of the following Mercer County children as part of our Adopt-A-Wish program.

Abigail is a five year old girl, who was diagnosed with Congenital Heart Disease. She likes the color yellow, the singer Pitbull, the television show "Sponge Bob Square Pants" and the movie "Toy Story". When Make-A-Wish volunteers visited Abigail and her family, they asked her the one magical question, "If you could have one wish, what would it be?" where she wished to go to Disney to meet the characters from Toy Story because she loves the movie! Late this summer, Abigail and her family were whisked away to Disney World in Orlando, Florida, where they stayed at Give Kids the World Village - a special adjoining area specifically for wish children, like Abigail. While staying here, she was able to take advantage of the 24-hour ice cream service, character meet-and-greets, have Disney characters read her bedtime stories, as well as cut to the front of every line at all of the Disney parks with a special button and their park hopper passes!

Adam is a fifteen year old boy, who was diagnosed with Hodgkin's Lymphoma. He loves the New York Yankees, the television show "Tosh Point 0", Will Ferrell and loves browsing around on eBay. When Make-A-Wish volunteers visited with Adam and his family, they asked him that same magical question, where he wished to go on a shopping spree at the Freehold Mall! Adam's wish came true when he was whisked away to the Freehold Mall for his shopping spree to begin! While there, Adam made stops at Game Stop, Champs Sports, Dick's Sporting Goods, Abercrombie & Fitch, Hollister and took his family out to eat at the Cheesecake Factory.

Six year old Romano was diagnosed with Osteosarcoma. He loves to play "Spiderman" and video games, listen to pop music, the television show "Victorious", and tigers. When Romano was asked "If you could have one wish, what would it be?" he wished to go on a Disney Cruise because he likes boats and the Toy Story characters! Romano's wish came true late this summer when he was whisked away to Florida for his adventure to begin. Romano and his family boarded the Disney Fantasy for their getaway to Castaway Cay – Disney's private island, Cozumel,



Samuel & Josephine Plumeri Wishing Place Grand Cayman and Costa Maya! While there, they had a chance to visit Mayan ruins, swim in blue lagoons and participate in all of the amenities the ship had to offer.

Studies suggest that approximately 820 children are diagnosed with a life-threatening medical condition annually in the state of New Jersey. Each year, we strive to identify an ever-increasing number of these children whose hospital visits, treatments and overall outlook on their illness has the potential to be more positive after that one memorable wish has been granted.

In our 29-year history, no wish-eligible child has ever been turned down because of a lack of funding and that's because we have caring donors like you, who have helped make these wishes come true. Once again, thank you for helping us restore hope, strength and joy to Abigail's, Adam's and Roman's lives and for **sharing the power of a wish®!**

With warm wishes,

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Director of External Events

Thank you so much for helping to make ablequels, adams, & Romano's wishes come time! I look forward to working with you again!