

# Candlelighters FAMILY Connections

## 2018-2019 CANDLELIGHTERS CONTINUING EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP

The application process for the 2018-2019 Candlelighters Scholarship is now open.



Candlelighters will be rewarding three \$2,500 scholarships to qualified applicants. Email your completed application to Phil at [phil@candlelightersoregon.org](mailto:phil@candlelightersoregon.org) or mail to the location listed on the application.

In 1996, Candlelighters For Children With Cancer established the Candlelighters Continuing Education Scholarship Program. We recognize that families can amass overwhelming debt in medical bills after

years of treatment, follow up appointments, and on-going medical issues caused by treatment. The journey doesn't stop for families, and Candlelighters support doesn't stop either.

Financial assistance is awarded to high school seniors or current college students to support their pursuit of a higher education who have previously been or are currently diagnosed with cancer.

### Applicant will need:

- Most recent high school or college transcript
- Letter of Recommendation
- Answer an essay question
- Completely filled out application form.



**Applications must be received no later than April 1, 2018**

► Visit [www.candlelightersoregon.org](http://www.candlelightersoregon.org) under the Programs tab to download the application and view a full list of criteria.

Candlelighters For Children With Cancer publishes *Candlelighters FAMILY Connections* six times a year to provide news and other information to families affected by cancer in Oregon and SW Washington.



Our mission is to provide a community of healing, hope, and light throughout the life-long journey of childhood cancer. We advocate, we educate, we build partnerships, and we foster solidarity for all families experiencing cancer.

**SATURDAY, MARCH 10**

## Art Day

**Group 1: 10:00am – 11:30am**

**Group 2: 12:00pm – 1:30pm**

**Children’s Art Healing Project  
8065 Southeast Grand Ave  
Portland, OR 97202**

Our kiddos will be participating in a group art session! Open for ages 5 – 13. There will be availability for 15 kids in each session. Spots are first come, first serve, so RSVP today. All kiddos will have a project to do. While kids are busy, there will be a gathering space for parents with light refreshments and treats.



**SATURDAY, APRIL 28**

## Picnic in the Park

**11:00am – 1:30pm**

**North Clackamas Park  
150 Beaver Creek Rd  
Oregon City, OR 97045**

For those who have lost a loved one, you are invited to join us for our annual Picnic in the Park where Wendy Kathryn Tucker ATR CYT, Expressive Arts Therapist, who will facilitate a peace flag activity that will honor and celebrate the lives of our loved ones.

# SOUTHERN OREGON

**SATURDAY, MARCH 10**

## Rogue Snowmobilers Day

**Meet at Fred Meyer at 9:00am  
1000 Springs  
Prospect, OR 97536**

Join our wonderful sponsors for a day on the mountain as they show off their amazing snowmobile skills! Food and drink will be provided. Be sure and wear your winter clothing. Meet us in North Fred Meyer’s parking lot at 9am located at 2424 Crater Lake Hwy, Medford, OR 97504 to arrange rides and caravan up to 1000 Springs.

**\*\*Depending on Snow\*\***



**Rogue**  
SNOWMOBILERS  
SOUTHERN OREGON

**SATURDAY, APRIL 7**

## Mom’s Planter Party

**1:00 pm  
Cascade Nursery  
6389 Blackwell Rd  
Central Point, OR 97502**

Join us for a Planter Party for all Southern Oregon Candlelighters’ moms. Moms may pick a container and make a planter with Cascade Nursery’s wide selection of plants and accessories!



**TUESDAY, MARCH 13**

## Mom's Night Out

**6:30 pm**

**Location To Be Announced**

Join us for dinner and an evening of comradery.



**SUNDAY, MARCH 18**

## Easter Egg Hunt

**1:00 pm**

**Camp Harlow**

**3850 County Farm Rd**

**Eugene, OR 97408**

Join us for one of our favorite events of the year! There will be nearly 800 eggs to collect. Our special Easter Bunny and Easter Rooster will also make an appearance.



**SATURDAY, APRIL 14**

## Mini Golf & Pizza

**2:00 pm**

**Location To Be Determined (Depending on weather)**

Come mini golfing with us! Location will depend on rain or sun. RSVP today!



**WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18**

## Mom's Night Out

**6:30 pm**

**Ixtapa Restaurant**

**24965 OR-126**

**Veneta, OR 97487**

Join us for dinner and support a restaurant owned by one of our Candlelighters Families.

# OTHER NEWS

 AUGUST 4-9, 2018

## Camp Agape

Camp Angelos  
32149 SE Stevens Rd  
Corbett, OR 97019

Join Camp Agape for an all-expense paid adventure at camp. Camp Agape is a 5-day camping experience for the whole family located at Camp Angelos on the Sandy River! Activities include nature walks, fishing, archery, camp fires, supervised



river activities, and many more. Camp also includes lodging & meals, a buddy program for kids ages 3-9, and onsite medical staff.

Go to [www.campagapepdx.com](http://www.campagapepdx.com) for Application Information

If you have any questions email us at: [campagapepdx@gmail.com](mailto:campagapepdx@gmail.com)

Check out Camp Agape on Facebook [www.facebook.com/CampAgapeOfPortland](http://www.facebook.com/CampAgapeOfPortland)

## Programs Intern

Welcome Kimberly Wing, our Programs Intern from Warner Pacific College



Kimberly is studying for her Masters in Human Services and will graduate in May 2018. Kimberly wanted to be part of Candlelighters because of her own personal connection to childhood cancer. Kimberly's grandson Karter was diagnosed with Leukemia November 13, 2013. He was in treatment for four years at Doernbecher Children's Hospital. He is currently in remission and will celebrate his 7th birthday on April 25th. Thank you Kimberly for being part of Candlelighters and helping all families experiencing childhood cancer!

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