NEWS FROM
Shriners Children's™ Ohio

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Ohio patients have out-of-this-world experience at Camp Ytiliba



Twelve patients soared to infinity and beyond at our space-themed Camp Ytiliba! Campers spent a week fishing, bowling, canoeing, swimming, horseback riding and more! Even some Shriner clowns surprised them one evening! They also tapped into their creative side and pulled out their best galactic face paint and costumes!

Check out just some of the photos from a very busy, but fun week! A special thank you to the hospital staff who coordinated the camp and everyone who came out to enjoy the fun!



















SCO covers 4th of July events, offers burn prevention message

Indoor fireworks show offers safe alternative to traditional celebration

Shriners Children's Ohio is proud to be the official sponsor of the indoor fireworks show at the Red, White, and Boonshoft event. Our 30-second promotional video will air before every fireworks show inside the planetarium at the Boonshoft Museum of Discovery. Children can also explore the Museum's science lab, meet animal ambassadors, and make crafts. We're so excited for the opportunity to get in front of local families.

Fezzy LEGO mosaic at largest Independence Day celebration in Ohio

For the second year, our partners at Brixlated will take our mosaic to the Americana Festival on Tuesday, July 4th in Centerville. This event attracts an estimated 70,000 people per year making it the largest one-day patriotic celebration in Ohio. In addition to the Fezzy mosaic, families will get an opportunity to take brochures and other information about our care.

Don't forget, Brixlated is still selling the Shriner parade car kit as well! Each kit comes with instructions to make three different parade cars, each with their own Shriner driver. A portion of each sale is donated back to our hospital. Click here to order.

Shriners Children's Ohio discusses fire safety ahead of Fourth of July holiday
daytondailynews.com

Dr. Petra Warner talks burn injury prevention, awareness with local media

The Dayton Daily News reached out to talk with Chief of Staff Dr. Petra Warner about increased risk of burn injuries from not only fireworks, but also consumer dark grills. Click here to view the video version of the interview. Multiple other media requesting interviews around burn safety and prevention over the holiday.

Donor Spotlight

"Cycling Shriner" makes pit stop in Ohio

You may have seen pictures of Dave Romero, the cycling Shriner, as he trekked across the United States to raise money for Shriners Children's! Dave's journey started in California and ended in New York City. He stopped at our hospital on his return journey. The entire trip equates to about 3,7000 miles over 43 days!

Our associate director of philanthropy, our Board of Governors Vice Chairman and other Shriners gave Dave and his team a hospital tour so they could learn more about how SCO is changing the lives of children with burns and cleft lip and palate.

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Celebration Weekend

August 25–26, 2023
Dayton, Ohio

CONNECTING SHRINERS, PATIENTS, FAMILIES AND STAFF

New Members, Nobles, Ladies, Staff and Guests, please plan to join us.

Tickets are limited! Click HERE to view the exciting activities planned for that weekend and RSVP today!

Celebrating our cleft and craniofacial patients

July is National Cleft and Craniofacial Awareness and Prevention Month

There's something extra special about the smiles of our cleft patients! That's why we'll be sharing some of their stories throughout the month of July on social media.

This is a great opportunity to educate families about level of care at Shriners Children's Ohio and why we should be the top choice for children born with a cleft or other craniofacial condition.



Mudcat Mason holds up his mom's phone to prove he caught a whopper of a catfish!



Dr. Chris Gordon poses with Lola. You may recognize her from some of earlier marketing campaigns. They travel all the way from Florida for her appointments. Lola's mom said the long journey is "worth it" so her daughter gets the best care.



Although Trenton is getting ready to graduate from our care, he wasn't too grown up to get a picture with Fezzy and one of his favorite nurses, Cristy. He says she always remembers his preferences, like dimming the lights in his room.



Siblings Heavenlee and Michael were both born with cleft conditions so they have their appointments at the same time. They also enjoy tapping into their silly sides for photos!

In case you missed it:

New video features Shriners Children's Ohio patient and Weber Grillographer



Ten-year-old James took a bite of the summer grilling season in a new video with Weber Grills! James and Weber Grillographer (grill photographer) Mike made grilled banana boats with all the sweet toppings. The video shows how families can bring kids into the cooking experience, while following some basic burn prevention tips. You can watch the video on our Facebook and Instagram channels or click here to watch on YouTube.

Don't forget to check out the resource hub!

We've collected the best hospital and patient videos, logos, social media graphics, fundraising information and education materials in one easy-to-access hub. Simply scan the QR code or click the link below to access the hub. We'll continue to add more resources so check back often!

Click here to access SCO Resource Hub

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If you know a child we can help, go to ShrinersOhio.org or call: **855-206-2096**

Shriners Children's™ Ohio is one of only four Shriners hospitals in the country dedicated to the treatment of pediatric burns and specializing in plastic and reconstructive surgery. Our physicians' experience and expertise in pediatric treatment makes Shriners Children's Ohio a first choice for care. All services are provided regardless of the families' ability to pay.

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Conditions Treated

All types of burns
Cleft lip & palate
Plastic & reconstructive surgery
Complex wounds & skin conditions

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