

# Want to Volunteer?

## Become A Camp Counselor!

### Requirements:

16 years and older (Camp Heart to Heart & Camp Freedom)  
17 years and older (KY Lions Youth Camp)  
Willing to volunteer the entire camp week  
Satisfactory background check

### **Camp Freedom**

June 27 – July 2, 2010

### **Kentucky Lions Youth Camp**

July 4 – 9, 2010

### **Camp Heart to Heart**

July 11 – 16, 2010

### If You Are Interested Contact:

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## **Camp Heart to Heart**

Camp Heart to Heart was formed in 1999 for children living with HIV/AIDS and was dedicated in honor and memory of Lion - Tom Welker, PDG. Camp Heart to Heart is a collaboration between Lions Camp Crescendo, Inc., House of Ruth, AIDS Interfaith Ministries of Kentuckiana (AIM), Kentucky AIDS Life Alliance (KALA), and other AIDS service organizations. The camp is made possible with financial help from individuals, companies, clubs, foundations, and Lions members.

### **Camp Mission**

- To provide a traditional lifetime camping experience for these special children.
- To promote social growth, self-confidence, and self-reliance.
- To provide an opportunity to share with their peers.
- To provide opportunities for creative expression.

**Eligibility:** Camp Heart to Heart is open to all children (**ages 5 – 12**), who are living in the shadow of HIV or AIDS. This includes kids who have HIV/AIDS, those who have a HIV+ family member, or have lost a family member to AIDS.

## **Kentucky Lions Youth Camp**

The Kentucky Lions Youth Camp for children who are blind or visually impaired began in 1982. Lion's service was expanded in 1992 when a second camp was added for children who are deaf or hard of hearing.

### **Camp Mission**

- To provide a week of traditional fun and camp activities for special youths.
- To provide an opportunity for special youths to share a week of fun with their peers, to promote social growth, self-confidence and self-reliance.

**Eligibility:** Youth (**ages 6 - 15**) who are: Blind or visually impaired and/or Deaf or hard of hearing.

## **Camp Freedom**

Camp Freedom was formed in 2006 by Lions Camp Crescendo and Foster Care Agencies. The camp is made possible with foundation grants and donations from individuals, clubs, and companies.

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### **Camp Mission**

To provide a memorable camping experience for these children in a safe and secure environment while providing a week of respite for the caregivers.

### **Camp Goal**

To provide a camp experience that will last a lifetime and to provide activities to help the children build confidence, learn about teamwork, anger management, and trusting/sharing with others.

**Eligibility:** Camp Freedom is open to children (**ages 6 – 11 with a level of care 1 – 3**) with mild to moderate behavioral, emotional, and physical needs that are in Foster Care or are in the custody of their grandparents. Attendance restrictions for the 2010 camp are limited to 100 campers from the following counties: Anderson, Breckinridge, Bullitt, Fayette, Franklin, Grayson, Hardin, Hart, Henry, Jefferson (limited to 30 campers), Jessamine, Larue, Marion, Meade, Nelson, Oldham, Pendleton, Shelby, Spencer, Trimble, Washington, and Woodford.

***All camps are FREE to campers and volunteer counselors!***