



DREAMS WITH WINGS



Belonging Matters

Each and every day I am so grateful for the community and friendships I have developed and I know you are as well! So much has changed in the last few years but the constant has been family, friends and community! Belonging matters!

We are so grateful to each of you who have continued to empower the mission of Dreams With Wings. Your unwavering support has allowed us to provide the opportunity to belong and be a participant in the community for so many, including Freddie and Vinnie.

Freddie and Vinnie's Story

We first met Freddie and Vinnie in 2015 when they began attending our Dreams in Motion summer camp. They were initially enrolled part time by their parents not knowing how this transition would go. Within a short period of time they were attending 5 days a week. Freddie and Vinnie's mother, Carole, quickly saw the



family atmosphere and the sense of belonging that is the cornerstone of Dreams With Wings programs. Initially it filled a void in the summer but it quickly became a tradition that they looked forward to! They flourished at camp throughout the years, and created quite a name for themselves as performers in the annual summer talent show! Freddie and Vinnie give Taylor Swift a run for her money during their performances. You could see the joy and connection between them, their friends and counselors. While as twins they are similar in many ways, their unique personalities bring a bright light to the Dreams family. During the

pandemic, Dreams provided virtual programs in which they participated. This gave them something to look forward to and kept the connection with their friends. Not only did they attend the summer camp virtually, they also became involved in the Teen and Young Adult program. This program provides yoga, music, art and social interaction after school and in the evenings. Freddie and Vinnie graduated from high school this past spring and joined our Enrichment Center this past fall. They are continuing to thrive!



Transition is not easy and navigating these changes can be hard sometimes. The Jenkins family felt like Dreams With Wings was a natural transition for them because of our shared commitment to community and all that it brings in helping us to belong. Our location in a neighborhood where those relationships come easily made Dreams With Wings a natural choice.



We are so thankful to have the Jenkins' as a part of our Dreams family!

You make stories like Freddie and Vinnie's possible. You empower individuals to grow and thrive. Together we believe in the possibilities for everyone and are committed to helping people build and live integrated full lives.

Freddie and Vinnie are now attending our program two days a week but would love to come more often. They and others are waiting to become more involved, grow as individuals and reach their full potential. Today, we are asking you to support our growing organization and to give additional opportunities to Freddie and Vinnie as well as others.

Your giving allows young adults that age out of summer programs to join Dreams With Wings Adult Day Dreamers Program. The demand continues as we hope to have a place for everyone that needs it.

Will you give by December 31, to ensure more young adults can take part in programs?

Your giving ensures those with intellectual/developmental disabilities and autism have what they need:

For just \$30 you provide gas for vans to transport those we support to work, play and activities.

For \$50 you provide groceries for residents living in 10 homes.

Just \$75 will provide a guest instructor to teach and mentor skills such as yoga, music, art, and bootcamp.

With \$100 a Dreamer receives support in interacting with their community.

With \$250 you can send a child or teen to a week of fun filled summer camp.

For \$500 one of our 10 residences will be staffed for the weekend.

Your past generosity is appreciated and we have so much to celebrate! Your donations allow us to look forward, grow and meet the continuing need!

Wishing you a joyful holiday season filled with family, friends and a sense of belonging!



Jenifer Frommeyer
Executive Director

P.S. Your gift gives others a chance at connection, self-sufficiency and growth. **It's easy to donate online through our secure page. Please give generously by December 31st.**

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