

INVESTING IN PA VENT CAMP

We are proud to have served those who use mechanical ventilation for more than twenty-five years... and we can't wait to see what the next twenty-five years will bring!

Our campers are those who have been told "No," day after day; their everyday lives aren't designed to enable their families or facility staff to help do whatever they want on a whim. However, at PA Vent Camp: we share with all campers an enthusiastic YES! We build an experience where campers can experience life without (much) regard to their physical abilities.

"When I was four years old, I started going to this awesome place called PA Vent Camp... and I have only missed two years since then! Words cannot describe what this camp has meant to me."

- Sara



We can't do this alone; it is the support of generous sponsors and donors who make PA Vent Camp possible. Read on if you'd like to help campers like Sara experience an incredible week without limits.

ABOUT US & CONTACT INFO

PA Vent Camp was founded in 1993 with just a handful of campers, and has since grown to serve more than 40 campers each year during a 5-day/4-night summer camp. Additionally, PA Vent Camp serves adult campers (ages 21+) for a weekend each fall.

Open to children (ages 5-18) who use any sort of mechanical ventilation (ventilator, BiPAP, CPAP), campers can experience the fully-accessible grounds of Camp Victory while at PA Vent Camp! Kids can get airborne on the zip-line, scale the rock wall, go fishing or cruise around in the pontoon boat, scope out the view from the tree house, experience wildlife firsthand at the Camp Victory nature center, and enjoy a variety of crafts and activities -- there's never a boring day!

PA Vent Camp is a magical place where life-long friendships, lessons, and independence come to life for our campers.

Quick facts about PA Vent Camps:

- Over 300 campers have attended since the start of camp
- About 125 volunteers are needed each year -- approximately a 1:3 ratio, camper to volunteers
- Over 350,000 volunteer hours have been donated to PA Vent Camp since 1993
- It costs appoximately \$2,500 to send each camper to camp
- Camp is FREE for campers and their families!







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LEADERSHIP

Our Leadership is highly invested in the work of PA Vent Camp, and has been for the last twenty-five years. As we look to the next twenty-five years, we're undergoing a succession planning process to ensure the work of PA Vent Camp continues in support of another 300 campers, and more!

MEET THE TEAM:



Tonya Miller PT, DPT, Ph.D. | **Executive Director** | Tonya is a founding member of PA Vent Camp and has served the organization in many capacities including, Activities Director, Fundraising Chair, Board of Directors member, and most recently Executive Director.

Outside of camp, Tonya is a faculty member in the graduate school of physical therapy at Lebanon Valley College and is the Owner/Founder of TYM Coaching, a professional development and leadership coaching program.



Dr. Michael Dettorre | **Medical Director** | Dr. Mike has served as the Medical Director for PA Vent Camp since the mid 1990s. In his role as director, he oversees all of the camp's organizational structure as well as the medical status of each camper.

Outside of camp, Dr. Mike is the Director of the Home Ventilator Program for Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center and is currently an Associate Professor in Pediatric Critical Care. Additionally, he also serves as a Pediatric Intensivist at Shriners Hospital for Children in Philadelphia.



Robin Kingston MSN, CRNP | Staffing Coordinator | Robin has been attending PA Vent Camp since the mid 1990s. She has served as a team leader and is presently the staffing coordinator for PA Vent Camp. In her role as staffing coordinator, Robin recruits and coordinates all staffing for the camp.

Robin is a pediatric nurse practitioner with the Pediatric Home Ventilator Program at Penn State Milton S. Hershey Medical Center.



Noelle Smith M.S., CCC-SLP | Activities Director | Noelle has been volunteering as a partner and Activities Staff member at PA Vent Camp since 2000, but has been an active supporter of the camp since her parents helped start PA Vent Camp in 1993. In her role as Activities Director, Noelle oversees an Activities Staff that develops the theme for camp and designs and implements activities to entertain the campers throughout the week.

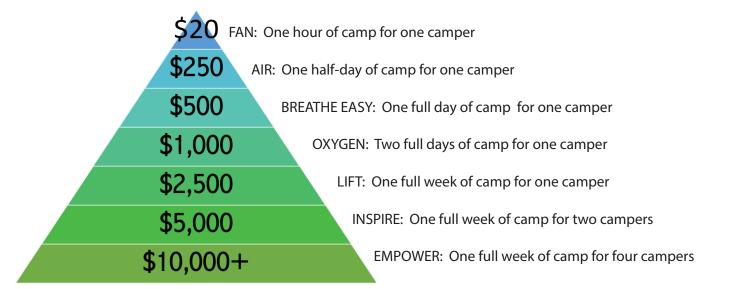
Outside of camp, Noelle is a licensed speech-language pathologist in the state of Virginia. She has earned specialized competencies required to provide high quality Augmentative and Alternative Communication (AAC) services to children with complex communication needs and their families.

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We need all kinds of support to make PA Vent Camp a free and successful week for campers and their families. Please contact us if:

- You would like to make a gift of goods, services, or treasure
- You would like to host an event to benefit PA Vent Camp
- You or your company would like to sponsor PA Vent Camp and our Breath of Fresh Air Gala
- You would like to start a Facebook fundraiser
- You or someone you know would benefit from attending PA Vent Camp as a camper

How your investment affects our campers:



These levels of support come with additional sponsorship perks -- you or your company will be recognized at our Breath of Fresh Air Gala, during both weeks of PA Vent Camp, and at any other PA Vent Camp event!

Questions?

Contact donations@paventcamp.org to learn more!



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Thank you for your support!

Want to donate online? Visit www.paventcamp.org/donate. Otherwise complete the form below:

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- Hosting an event to benefit PA Vent Camp
- Fundraising on Facebook
- Brainstorming (you're not sure how you can help, but you want to get involved)