What is the Children's Foundation of Lake County?

Founded in 2002, the Children's Foundation of Lake County is a non-profit, independent organization governed by an active, local Board of Directors. This Foundation is tasked with the very important function of generating and managing financial resources to meet the needs of Lake County's children and families, as identified by the Lake County Citizen's Commission for Children. The Foundation's current project is to assist in raising funds to build a **"Boundless Playground"** for children of **ALL abilities in Lake County**.

On a **"Boundless Playground"**, there are no barriers for a child, parent or grandparent with a disability. No one has to leave behind support equipment such as a wheelchair or walker. Children with sensory disabilities, like visual or hearing impairments, or developmental disabilities, such as autism or Down Syndrome, have lots to explore too. **Boundless Playground's** are fun, rigorous and challenging places for children of *all* abilities. What's more, activities included for children with disabilities are often the most popular with the children with the ability to play anywhere.

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Working partnerships have already been established with the Lake County Parks and Recreation Department, local organizers, and county, state and federal officials. The Lake County Boards of County Commissioners has given its support by dedicating a 45-acre lakefront park located at Lake Idamere in Tavares. It is anticipated that the first developmental phase of this playground will cost approximately $250,000.

With your support, we will have fulfilled a wish of every parent of a child with disabilities - to see their child realize the joy of a playground, and in the process we will have created an outdoor play and learning environment that will allow all children to interact, regardless of their abilities. Your donations will ensure the success of this important project. You will receive a confirmation letter for your tax-deductible donation. We are also seeking volunteers for planning, fundraising, design and construction. **If you are willing to invest in this project please contact Cindi Heiligenthal (352) 267-3905 or Candi Giddens (352) 636-2038.**

You can make a big difference in the life of a child – Mail the enclosed card today and together we can build a Boundless Playground for our Children!

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How You Can Help Build a Boundless Playground –

Some of the wonderful pieces of play equipment that make up a Boundless Playground are shown here. A card is attached for you to mark your selection on if you wish to purchase one or two or three . . . or, if you would just like to make a general contribution, we will use those monies to purchase the elements that are not included in this brochure that are needed in order to complete a Boundless Playground . . . here's just some equipment you can purchase:

Together, we can all . . .

n Arch Tire Swing $2,075

n Poly Roof Extension $2,940

n Independent Swing $855

n Roller Slide $3,710

n Overhead Swing Out $665

n Sway Fun Wheelchair Glider $7,560

build a Boundless Playground . . . Piece by Piece!

n Block Climber $1,380

n Cool Water Mister $4,290

n Store Front Panel $305

n Wiggle Ladder $340

n Sand Chute Panel $683

n Step Ladder $850

n Super Scoop $605

n Thunderhead Climber $2,915

n Cliff Climber $885

n Cozy Climber $1,210

n Critter Canyon $804

n Stationary Cycler $1,105

n Tender Tough Bench $170

n Crawl Tunnel $1,645

n 2-seat Airplane Rider $1,020

n Reach Panel Chimes $625