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It's Camping Time!

Sickle Cell Support Services is hosting a *Sickle Cell Enrichment Camp* this summer, June 12-16, 2017 at the 4-H Center. *Sickle Cell Enrichment Camp* will include a wide variety of activities, including arts, and crafts, sports, dance, music, swimming, movie maker and entertainment, all held in age-appropriate groupings. The camp will give children the opportunity to try new things, meet new friends and share many exciting experiences. Please go to our website at www.arscss.org to see last year's camp pictures.

Enclosed are the camp application(s) **due by May 15, 2017 (NO LATE CAMP APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED)**. Camp applications must be filled out by camper and also their attending sibling. Spots are limited; and will be decided on a first come first serve basis. All campers **must** also fill out the DHS forms in order to attend camp. If this form is not submitted by May 15, 2017, applicant(s) will not be able to attend camp. Incomplete Packets will not be accepted.

Who can attend Sickle Cell Enrichment Camp?

- Children with Sickle Cell Anemia ages 7 through 16.
- Children who have physician approval (for SC kids).
- Children at any stage of their disease process, on or off treatment.
- Siblings ages 7-16 are allowed to attend as sibling support. Sibling spaces are limited.

Additional information about clothing, items to bring, etc. will be mailed with acceptance letters. Notification letters of camp acceptance will go out May 25, 2017. The parent/guardian meeting for campers will be promptly @ 9:00 am on June 12, 2017. ***THIS IS A MANDATORY MEETING***, parents/guardians **MUST** attend. This meeting will last about 1 and ½ hours. The person who attends this meeting must be authorized to fill out additional paperwork. Children will not be allowed to stay for camp if Parents/guardians don't attend the meeting. **NO DROP OFFS ALLOWED!**

If you have any questions or know of another child who might enjoy camp, please let us know: (501) 650-0764 or email contactus@arscss.org

Hope we'll see you at *Sickle Cell Enrichment Camp*!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Sincerely,

LaKisha M. Johnson
Executive Director

