

# SCAMP NEWS

## GIVING TUESDAY

Every year, on the Tuesday after Thanksgiving, millions of people around the world come together for Giving Tuesday - a global day dedicated to generosity, kindness, and supporting the organizations that make a difference in their communities. It's a powerful reminder that after the excitement of Black Friday and Cyber Monday, we can all take a moment to give back.

For SCAMP, Giving Tuesday is more than just a fundraiser. It is a chance for our community to celebrate what makes SCAMP so special - friendship, belonging, joy, and life-changing experiences for our campers. Each donation, share, or interaction helps ensure that SCAMP continues to be a place where every camper is welcomed and loved exactly as they are.

This year, our goal is to raise \$5,000, and we believe we can reach it with the support of our incredible SCAMP supporters!

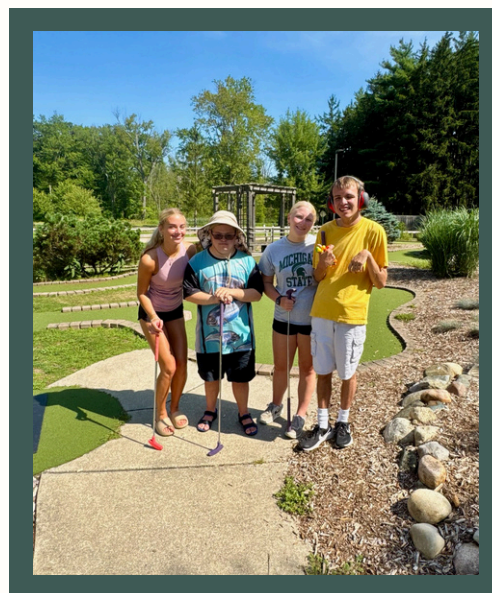
Find out all of the ways you can give back on December 2<sup>nd</sup> on the next page!

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## IMPORTANT DATES

**Giving Tuesday** - December 2<sup>nd</sup>

**Walk & Roll** - May 17, 2026

**Summer Shindig** - May 30, 2026

**Golf Classic** - September 11, 2026

**Jingle & Mingle** - November 7, 2026



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## HOW TO PARTICIPATE

### Donate Through Facebook

On Tuesday morning, we will pin our official SCAMP Giving Tuesday Facebook Fundraiser to the top of our page. This is the easiest and most impactful way to support us - Facebook fundraisers often help us reach new donors and expand our impact. Every contribution, big or small, helps us move closer to our goal.

### No Facebook? No Problem!

You can also give directly through our website. All donations go straight to supporting SCAMP's programs, scholarships, activities, and the unforgettable experiences our campers look forward to every year.

### Other Ways to Support (No Donation Needed!)

Not everyone can give financially - and that's okay. You can still make a meaningful difference!

Share, like, and interact with our Facebook posts, newsletter, and fundraiser. Engagement helps our message reach more people!

Invite friends to follow SCAMP

Ask friends and family to like our Facebook and Instagram pages. Growing our online community helps us reach more potential supporters.

Support SCAMP through Kroger Rewards

You can designate SCAMP as your beneficiary through Kroger Community Rewards. Every time you shop, Kroger donates a portion to SCAMP - at no cost to you!



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## SCAMP END OF YEAR REPORT

We are excited to share something brand new with our SCAMP community - this year, we're launching our very first End-of-Year Report in the form of a beautifully designed calendar! As a special thank you, all donors who gave \$300 or more in 2025 will receive their SCAMP Calendar in the mail by the end of November. This is our way of expressing heartfelt gratitude for your generosity and for helping us continue creating life-changing summers for our campers.



## CONNECT WITH US

Want an easy way to support SCAMP all year long? Connect and interact with us on social media! Your likes, shares, comments, and follows help our posts reach more people - spreading awareness, growing our community, and opening the door for new supporters to learn about SCAMP.

We're active on Facebook and Instagram, and we're excited to share that SCAMP now has a LinkedIn page! We'd love to build our presence there, and your connection makes a big difference. Follow us, invite your friends, and help us strengthen our network across all platforms.

Every click helps SCAMP shine a little brighter!

### SCAMP Is Now Using Zeffy!

We're thrilled to share that SCAMP has officially switched to Zeffy for our online donations. Zeffy is a nonprofit platform that charges no fees. This means 100% of your gift goes directly to SCAMP. No processing costs, no hidden charges, just pure support for our campers and programs.

When you give through Zeffy, your generosity stretches even further. Thank you for helping us make every dollar count!

# JINGLE & MINGLE

## SPECIAL THANK YOU

We extend our heartfelt gratitude to **Kevin and Carole Chase** for graciously opening their beautiful home to host this year's Jingle & Mingle.

Your generosity, kindness, and continued support make gatherings like this possible. Thank you for helping us create a wonderful evening in celebration of SCAMP and the incredible community that surrounds it.

Thanks to the enthusiasm and generosity of everyone who attended, we raised an astounding \$136,302.48 - funds that will directly benefit our SCAMPers and ensure that children and adults with special needs continue to enjoy a summer filled with friendship, fun, and growth. We truly couldn't have done it without you!

## THANK YOU TO OUR 2025 DONORS

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