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Camp 'Can' Do 2011

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Camp 'Can' Do July 3-7

Our 15th Anniversary of Camp 'Can' Do was a huge success. 36 campers and 35 full-time volunteers had a great time as usual at Camp St. Christopher...swimming, dancing, cruising the harbor, and enjoying ourselves!! Please see our website and facebook for more photos!



MUSC Children's Hospital

ServiceMaster of Charleston 5th Annual Firefighter Appreciation Night, June 2, 2011

Many thanks to Lawton Hayes and the folks at Service-Master of Charleston for a great event and the donation to sponsor campers at Camp 'Can' Do 2011. Tri-County Firefighters and their families attended the cook-out/concert with Eddie Bush in Brittle Bank Park prior to the RiverDogs game at the Joe. A huge thank you to the Women Firefighters of the Low Country for their fund-raising support during the game, with proceeds benefitting the Burn Fund.



Get to Know Ryan Curry



Ryan Curry, RN

Pediatric Burn
Nurse
MUSC Children's
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Ryan Curry has been with MUSC Children's Hospital since 2005. She worked on the 7th floor as a student tech while completing her Associate Degree in Nursing from Trident Technical College. Upon graduation in December 2006, Ryan worked as a Registered Nurse on 7ACH, medical surgical unit of the Children's Hospital. She accepted the position as one of the Pediatric Burn Nurses in 2009.

Ryan completed the requirements for Clinical Nurse Leader in 2010 and is now currently working towards her BSN online at the University of Carolina Upstate. Ryan recently published an article with the other members of the pediatric burn team.

Ryan functions as the Pediatric Burn Nurse for MUSC Children's Hospital. Some of her roles include: wound management, coordinating care with the burn team, patient education and safety. She also assists with planning and participates in our annual summer camp, Camp 'Can' Do.

In her spare time, Ryan enjoys running, fishing, boating, spending time with her family and Gamecock Football. This November she plans to complete her 3rd half marathon. She has two children Bennett and Addie.

Newberry Fire Dept. Golf Tournament

The Newberry Fire Department hosted a Golf Tournament on April 30 at Newberry Country Club. Twenty-five teams participated in this event and \$4,500 was raised for the Burn Fund! Many thanks to Chief Minick, Bert Mohler, the Newberry Fire Department, and all the golfers!

Photo: Bert Mohler, Newberry Fire Department, and his family visit MUSC Children's Hospital June 28. Thanks for the generous donation and the continued support!



MUSC Physician of the Month

Congratulations to Dr. Chris Streck for being named MUSC's Physician of the Month for June 2011. Dr. Streck was nominated by Pediatric Surgery team members and recognized for his leadership role on the Pediatric Trauma Team. Thank you Dr. Streck for leading the way in the prevention and treatment of trauma in children!!



Camp 'Can' Do 2011 Sponsors

Each year many individuals, businesses, and organizations offer their support by monetary donations, gifts-in-kind, or by providing a needed service, to be sure that we can offer Camp 'Can' Do as a FREE summer camp for children and teens who have suffered a severe burn injury. Thank you to the following people and organizations who made Camp 'Can' Do 2011 a success!

- America's Female Firefighters
- ServiceMaster of Charleston
- Women Firefighters of the Low Country
- Patti-O Grill, Clover, SC
- Spirit Line Cruises/Fort Sumter Tours
- Brian's Mechanical, LLC
- Ott's Distributors
- Appalachian Springs Bottled Water
- Myrtle Beach Women's Club
- Rita's Italian Ice
- SC Financial Services Association
- HGH-Haile Gold Mine
- Molnlycke Health Care-Nicole Jackson
- Omniflight
- Hogs N Hoses BBQ

- Some Gave All Fallen Heroes Foundation
- Mr. & Mrs. Slaton Glover
- Bobbie & James Patenaude
- Rock Hill Professional FF Association
- Charlotte FF Burned Children's Fund
- Roper Hospital ED Staff
- City of Newberry Fire Department
- Frito-Lay North America
- SC Professional Firefighters' Association
- Bennettsville Fire Department
- All of our local Fire Departments!!
- **OVER 85 SOUTH CAROLINA FIRE DEPARTMENTS & BUSINESSES** who collect cans year round to benefit the Burn Fund!!

MUSC Children's Hospital Pediatric Burn Service participates in "Hero of the Month", a program of the Kids Wish Network. Each month, Pediatric Burn Team members nominate a child or teen between the ages of 3 and 18 who have demonstrated courage and spirit that are an inspiration to all.

The Hero of the Month, through the Kids Wish Network, is awarded with special gifts, paying tribute to the child's ability to overcome adversity and continue on the path of recovery.

Photo: Theophilus Nelson, Hero of the Month for April 2011, with Mom and friends in the clinic!

Hero of the Month



Upcoming Events

August

13: 2nd Annual Duck Hunt & Benefit Party,
 Patti-O Grill, Clover, SC

October

9-15: Fire Prevention Week

14: Quarterly Burn Fund Board Meeting,
 SCFA, Columbia, SC 10am-1pm





MUSC Children's Hospital & South Carolina Firefighters' Burned Children's Fund is a continuation of a program founded in 1986 by South Carolina's Firefighters and MUSC Children's Hospital to ease the recovery process for MUSC's pediatric burn patients and their families. Donations to this fund support South Carolina's only referral center for pediatric burns, MUSC Children's Hospital Pediatric Burn Center.

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2011 South Carolina Fire-Rescue Conference Myrtle Beach, SC

The Burned Children's Fund participated in the South Carolina Fire-Rescue Conference June 8-11 at the Myrtle Beach Convention Center. As usual, our wonderful volunteers (Ken Evans, Ken Gypin, Richard Sheffield, Jacob Evans, Ryan Eubanks, and Jackie Yates) did a great job of getting the word out about the Fund and Camp 'Can' Do. We also passed out burn and fire prevention information to hundreds of children and adults!

Thank you to the South Carolina State Firefighters' Association for providing our booth space and time on the agenda to update the delegates on our latest activities.

We appreciate the following companies who provide us support during the conference each year:

- Anderson Fire & Safety Equipment Company
- Slagle's Fire Equipment & Supply Company, Inc.
- Safe Industries
- Wally's Fire & Safety Equipment, Inc.
- Mountain Tek Technical Rescue Equipment, Inc.
- North America Fire Equipment Company (NAFECO)
- Municipal Emergency Services, Inc. (MES)