Sunshine Foundation®
The Original “Dream Makers®”
Mission Statement

Sunshine Foundation is a national children’s charity that answers the dreams of children, ages three through eighteen, who have severe or profound physical/developmental/intellectual challenges or trauma from physical/sexual abuse, and whose families have limited income.

Over 46 Years of Making Dreams Come True

Founded in 1976 by Bill Sample, a Philly Cop, we have remained a direct service 501c3 proudly expensing over 83% of dollars spent directly answering a child’s dream. Unlike other wish granting organizations, we continue to be the only nationally recognized non-profit that gives dreams to children who have the **challenges of living with a lifelong, severe chronic healthcare diagnoses**. Unique to our mission, is working with families who have limited income to make their child’s **once in a lifetime dream come true!** Sunshine is proud to have brought together, for 27 years, children with Progeria for an annual reunion. We also sponsored **98 Dreamlifts**, which included **108 chartered airplanes**, for a one-day trip to the Magic Kingdom.

“Every child should have at least one dream come true.” -Bill Sample, Founder

Sunshine Foundation Magical Dreams

The most common dream request is for a **Magical Dream** to the Central Florida theme parks, and choosing to stay at **Sunshine Foundation Dream Village**, an enchanted accommodation for children and their families that boasts nine fairytale themed cottages, a heated swimming pool, accessible playground and a putt-putt golf course! **Dream Village**, opened in 1990, relies heavily on volunteers, organizations and corporate groups to help keep the cottages and grounds maintained and welcoming. As the Dream Village ages, through much support, we continue to make improvements and updates to the cottages and amenities in order to ensure the dreamers have the most comfortable and enjoyable **Dream Come True** experience possible.

Sunshine Foundation Special Dreams

**Sunshine Foundation** also answers **Special Dreams** for very deserving children. These dreams can include: shopping sprees, special trips, cruises, iPads, gaming systems, computers, above ground swimming pools, outdoor playsets, celebrity meet & greets, adaptive tricycles and other special needs equipment, sensory rooms, bedroom makeovers, puppies, or anything the child can dream for! During the COVID-19 pandemic, Sunshine Foundation answered mostly Special Dreams until it was safe for the children and families (many with underlying medical conditions) to resume traveling.

2022 Program Activities

Since 1976… **Sunshine Foundation** has expended over $45.5 million in reaching out to over 41,970 deserving children.

**Lifetime Program Activities**

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*During this three year period dreams and wishes were not categorized*

**Program Activities**

**7/1/2021 to 6/30/2022**

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**Expenditures**

- **83% Program Services**
- **11% Fundraising**
- **6% Management & General**

Platinum Seal on Guidestar.org

Platinum Transparency 2022
Candid.

Top-Rated on Charitywatch.org
See What A Dream Can Do...
www.sunshinefoundation.org

Sunshine Foundation
All-Volunteer Chapters

Sunshine Foundation has 8 All-Volunteer Chapters throughout the United States. The chapters are groups of caring volunteers who represent Sunshine Foundation, hold fundraisers, and help identify children in their local area to help make dreams come true.

The All-Volunteer Ocean City Cape Atlantic NJ Chapter raised funds for Tristin, 14, diagnosed with low-functioning autism. Tristin had his dream answered for a family trip to the Central Florida Theme Parks!

“He laughed and his eyes were full of amazement with every new adventure! These are memories that we will remember for the rest of our lives, and it was all possible because of your caring and kindness.”

How YOU can help Spread Sunshine

● Tax deductible ● In Honor ● In Memory
● Workplace Campaigns
  CFC 71095 23-2044056 6590
● Shop at smile.amazon.com and choose Sunshine Foundation, Southampton PA
● Order a Personalized Dream Village Brick!
● Round Up for Dreams at Walmart.com Visit sunshinefoundation.org/shop/
● Visit the Sunshine Foundation Dream Village in Central Florida!

● We have no geographic boundaries, reaching out to children throughout the US. If you would like to apply for a dream for your child, visit our website to Refer A Child

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Join The Dream Today!
Help bring smiles and laughter to children who need it the most, for as little as $5 a month.

Join The Dream, our community of monthly givers, and help these families that just want to see their child forget about their struggles, endless therapies and surgeries, even if its just for one day.

Where families choose to stay while having Magical Dream answered
Sunshine Foundation
Dream Village
5400 County Rd 547 N
Dream Village Rd
Davenport, FL 33837
(863) 424-4188
dreamvillage@sunshinefoundation.org

Rebekah 10, with Lumbar Spina Bifida and Hydrocephalus enjoyed her 1st family vacation. “She had a great time and so much fun!”

Francesca, 10, has Frank-Ter Haar syndrome. Her Disney Cruise dream was “the most beautiful experience we could have ever imagined!”

Serving children throughout the entire United States
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