Pittsburgh Chapter Education in General

Self Esteem Building

Camp Aim Program

**Timing, duration, frequency of program**

Annually, June – July

**Fiscal Information**

Budgeted expense total for program last year: $1,000

**Partnerships**

YMCA and local school districts

What role does your partner(s) have in the program? The camp is a YMCA camp used by school districts for educational programming in the summer. We support the camp with a monetary donation and volunteer help.

**Clients**

Number of children/families served your last fiscal year: 150 special needs children

Age range of clients served: ages 5 – 18

**Volunteers**

How many volunteers participate in this program (planning and working): 8

What roles do the volunteers have in this program? Help children with dressing for their Prom, provide a pizza party

**Program Description**

Overall goal of this program: To provide fun and educational experiences to special needs children

What service/materials do you provide to your clients? Monetary support, Volunteer hours

This camp serves children with physical, cognitive, emotional, social and other disabilities with a unique summer experience.

Children from several school districts attend, and many are repeat campers. The program combines life skills, social and recreational activities, physical education, home economics, music and art.

The Christ Child Society has supported Camp Aim since 2011 with the time, talent and treasure of the Society. Volunteers help the children with sewing and other arts and crafts, serve them lunch, and help with Prom Day by making corsages, helping with clothing selection, jewelry, make up, and manicures.

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