

Supporting Kidds

The Center for Grieving Children
and Their Families



Special Event at UD this Saturday, December 1st

The University of Delaware's Alpha Phi Omega fraternity is hosting a campus wide philanthropy event to benefit Supporting Kidds on December 1st, 4-6pm in the Rodney Room of the Perkins Student Center on Academy Street in Newark. They will be showing the movie Elf, with gingerbread house decorating, holiday cookie decorating, and raffle baskets. **Please join them.** Thank you APO!

Holiday Open House - Thursday December 6th



Please join us from 6:30-8:30 pm (drop in anytime) for refreshments and tours of Supporting Kidds. Come learn how we make a difference in the lives of grieving children and their families. RSVPs welcome: 302-235-5544 or [email](#).

Mustaches for Kidds - a huge success!

This fun fundraiser raised both money and awareness for Supporting Kidds. Almost 100 mustache growers and their 900 supporters raised over \$50,000. We expect that total to grow higher with the generous corporate matching gifts. Twelve growers exceeded the \$1,000 level! Even though the mustache-growing season is officially over, you can still support your favorite Growers online: www.m4kwilmington.org
Special thanks to our Board members Dan Walsh and Nate Bacon!



Your donations make it all possible

"I love Supporting Kidds! Both of my girls went through your program. You are absolute angels and we are so blessed to have found you. I tell everyone I know about the great work you all do. I am really so grateful for the help my girls received."

With your support, we can continue to offer our services to grieving families on a sliding scale basis.

No one is ever turned away for financial reasons.
You can donate [on our web site](#) or mail us a check.
Your donation is fully tax-deductible. Thank you.

Trees for a Cause

This year, when you buy a Christmas Tree you can help Supporting

Holiday Happening

Wed. Dec. 5
6:30-8 pm

Our annual holiday party *especially for grieving families.*

This light-hearted evening offers a fun night out *for grieving families* and a break from the stress and challenges of the holiday season. Includes pizza, refreshments, crafts & games, and entertainment from Mad Science.

Free.
Please register [here](#) or call us at 302-235-5544.

Donate Now

You can donate on our [website](#) or by mail. Make your check payable to:

Supporting Kidds
1213 Old Lancaster Pike
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Support us at work:
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SECC (DE) # 70043
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Your donations help ensure that no child

Kidds. Just download [this flyer](#). You will get a \$5 discount and Supporting Kidds will get part of the proceeds. 3316 Kirkwood Highway, Wilmington (near The Blind Factory), 302-566-TREE.

Gift Cards Received -Thank you!

WSFS Bank and TD Bank provided \$25 Visa gift cards for the 13 artists participating in our 2012 "Expressions of Grief" Art Exhibit.

Lending Support During this Season of Giving

by Dr. Malina Spirito

Here are some simple ways that you can help families coping with the death of a loved one:

- Include them in your holiday celebrations and parties.
- Offer to lend an extra hand with tasks and chores that come up this time of year. Offer to help with holiday decorations, to shovel the driveway, or to run some errands for the family.
- It is OK to mention the person who died. Say his or her name and acknowledge that the holidays will be different this year.
- Simply BE THERE to support grieving families. Continue to offer support over time. Don't assume "no news is good news."

You can also refer families to www.SupportingKidds.org for more information about how we can help them.

Thanks for your interest and support,
Dr. Stephanie Traynor, PsyD, MBA
Executive Director

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grieves alone.

Come Tour Our House

This is a great way for you, or a friend, to learn more about Supporting Kidds.

Upcoming dates:
Tues. Dec. 11, 12pm
Thurs. Jan. 17, 12pm
Wed. Feb. 20, 12pm
Please [RSVP](#)

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