This Month

Thanks to the generosity of donors, lunch for patients on G9 is provided:
  - Most Tuesdays by Chance for Hope
  - Fridays by The Ronald McDonald House

Secondary Specials

Wednesday, August 2 at 1:00 pm
Join the School Team in the Classroom for a high school-level art class! This month’s Secondary Specials will be a Pixar themed art project.
*Only G9 Patients*

Meet the Teachers

August 21 - 24 at 10:00 - 12:00
We’re not sure how the summer went by so fast, but the team is ready to bring in the new school year! Swing by the B7 Clinic to meet the amazing teachers, ask questions, and pick up school supply packs. We can’t wait to see what the new year brings!
*One supply pack per patient*

Camp Family Fun Day

Saturday, August 26 at 10:00 am
The 2023 camp season has come to a close and we hope you had the time of your lives! Before we start planning for next summer, we’re hosting one last day camp and the entire family is invited! Scan the QR Code to register.

National Celebrations

International Day of the World’s Indigenous Peoples
This international day is observed to raise awareness of the needs of the indigenous population everywhere and recognize their contributions to improve issues such as environmental protection.

Comin’ Up

Childhood Cancer Awareness Month
We try to spread awareness for childhood cancer all year long, but September is our time to shine bright gold! We’re planning various events throughout the month to highlight pediatric oncology, spread awareness beyond the Children’s Cancer Hospital, and just have fun! Stay tuned for more details.

Monster Mash
Fall is for cooler weather, spending time with family and Halloween! Planning has started for a spook-tacular celebration and we can’t wait. Stay tuned!

TeamTalks

Arts in Medicine
Did you know the arts (visual, music, dance, etc.) can improve mood and overall wellbeing? The Arts in Medicine (AIM) team provides programming that can give you a sense of control and purpose, reduce anxiety, build confidence, learn and have fun! Below are weekly activities with AIM. For more info send us an email!

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Camps & Special Events
Camps and events are places for a community to come together and a chance to experience a sense of normalcy. The Camps & Special Events team is here to host these opportunities all year long! All camps and events are open to patients, siblings, and parents/caregivers, and are completely free!

Child Life
A hospital can be a scary and confusing experience, but the Child Life team is here to help! Child Life Specialists and Assistants understand the impact of cancer, procedures and hospital stays. Their job is to help reduce this impact and improve coping skills through various types of programming. Below are weekly activities with Child Life or email the team with any questions. You can even request Child Life services through your primary team!

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School
Education is a major part of childhood, and it’s common for school activity to be interrupted throughout the cancer journey. Our certified, master-level teachers are here to help keep your educational needs a priority! Whether it’s enrolling in our accredited on-site private school, keeping up with homework from your school or needing support returning to your class, the School team is here for you!
**Camp AOK**

**Monday**
- 31 August

**Tuesday**
- **1 September**
  - 1:00 | Bingo

**Wednesday**
- **2 September**
  - 1:00 | Secondary Specials

**Thursday**
- **3 September**
- **4 September**

**Friday**
- **7 September**
  - 1:00 | Bingo

**8 September**
- **9 September**
  - International Day of the World’s Indigenous People

**10 September**
- **11 September**
  - 1:00 | Music Time

**14 September**
- **15 September**
- **16 September**

**17 September**
- **18 September**

**19 September**
- **20 September**

**21 September**
- **22 September**
  - Meet the Teachers & School Supply Drive
  - 1:00 | Bingo

**23 September**
- **24 September**
  - 1:00 | Open Studio

**25 September**
- **26 September**
- **27 September**

**28 September**
- **29 September**
- **30 September**

**31 September**
- **1 October**
  - 1:00 | Open Studio

**Camp Family Fun Day Tomorrow!**

**International Day of the World's Indigenous People**

**Meet the Teachers & School Supply Drive**

**Childhood Cancer Awareness Month**