



DREAM FACTORY

of Greater Kansas City

A Highlight of Heartfelt Happiness

I am pleased to share that with the support of the Kansas City Community, our volunteers recently granted 19 dreams for children throughout the Kansas City area who are battling chronic and critical illnesses! Turning dreams into reality requires a variety of resources including volunteers, funding, community support and partnerships... It truly takes "A Village"!

Saying that, we want to tell you about a very special "Village" and a significant life-long partner for Dream Factory, GIVE KIDS THE WORLD VILLAGE! This Village has been key to making thousands of dreams come true while creating millions of smiles for our dream children and families from the Kansas City area throughout the past 35 years! I encourage you to take a moment and read the special story below.

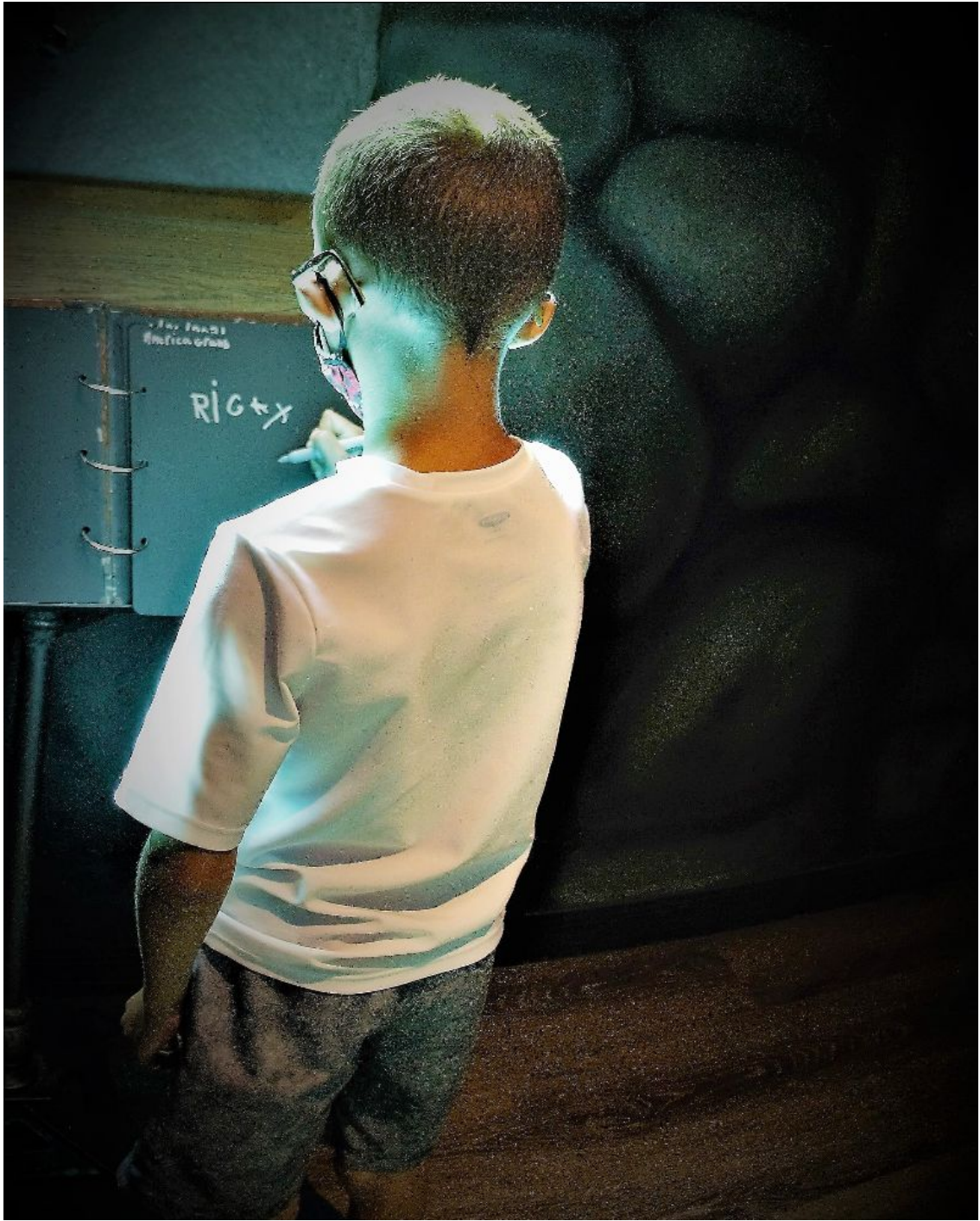
Lisa McIntire, President of Dream Factory of Greater Kansas City

Give Kids The World Dream Week













Give Kids the World Village (GKTW) is a resort located in Kissimmee, Florida that serves critically ill children and their families. When a child's dream is to visit Disney World or Universal Studios in Orlando, we arrange for the child and their family to stay at GKTW where they experience a magical week of creating priceless memories! The incredible staff of GKTW shares a heart of passion, love, energy and positivity with our children and families, while maintaining the spirit of their "YES!" environment.

Recently, for the first time ever and a silver lining resulting from the pandemic, GKTW arranged for Dream Factory Week at the Village when they limited guests to only Dream Factory children and their families from chapters across the Nation, allowing twenty-five dream children to participate! Our Chapter President, Lisa McIntire, and Vice-President, Bob Pennington, attended the week's events and experienced an unforgettable week of learning and seeing first-hand what our children encounter during

their stay at GKTW. Lisa and Bob reported a few key findings: Ice cream is offered from breakfast 'til bedtime, during a special private ceremony, a star is placed by EVERY dream child in either the Castle of Miracle or Star Tower; the playground design is the world's only life-sized version of Candy Land; horseback riding is offered at Keaton's Korral; the Enchanted Carousel ride runs 7 days a week; Park of Dreams features a wheelchair-accessible pool and is bordered by an 80-foot ship equipped with a movie screen for after-dark poolside entertainment and SO MUCH MORE

GKTW strives to offer dream children a variety of favorite activities for both children and teens. They organize weekly events including Art & Tea Parties, Archery for Teens, Fishing events, Teen Nights, Winter Wonderland Parades and Halloween, Christmas and Birthday Celebrations. The Village coordinates entry passes for Disney World, Universal Studio parks and other offerings throughout the Orlando area for the dream families.

You Can't Hackett Productions joined us for Dream Week and captured the week's events on video, which will be released very soon! We were so thrilled to have our very own dream children join us for this remarkable week: **Aiden, Gavin, America, Jennaka, Leah and Ricardo!**

A BIG Thank You to GIVE KIDS THE WORLD VILLAGE!

Our Dream children are cordially invited by our partners, City Kings:

**GHOSTS, GOBLINS, BOYS &
GHOULS-
YOU ARE INVITED TO**

“Bike-N-Treat”

**DATE: 10/30/2021
TIME: 1:00PM TO 3:00PM
LOCATION: ROE PARK -10400 ROE AVE. OVERLAND
PARK, KS 66207**

**EVENTS:
PUMPKIN PAINTING & A SPOOKY WALK TO FILL A
BAG OF CANDY! PLAYGROUND AVAILABLE**

**COSTUMES OR FACEMASKS ENCOURAGED
(NOT REQUIRED)**

FAMILY FUN FOR EVERYONE! PET FRIENDLY!



Upcoming Dream Factory Events

- 10/13/21: Trivia Night @ Chicken N' Pickle
- 10/14/21: Drew Six, Dreams Do Release Party
- 10/30/21: Bike N' Treat, hosted by City Kings @ Roe Park
- 10/30/21: Trunk or Treat, hosted by Soldiers for Jesus @ Rawhide Harley
- 4/1/22: Save The Date for Boulevard of Dreams Gala 2022



DREW SIX



DREAM
FACTORY
of Greater Kansas City

THU OCT 14 2021 7:00PM

**DRESS TO IMPRESS – PLEASE RSVP W/ NUMBER OF GUESTS AT:
RSVP@DREWSIX.COM**

**STREET PARKING OR GARAGE:
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KANSAS CITY, MO 64105**



**VENUE ADDRESS:
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KANSAS CITY, MO 64108**

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2022

JOIN US FOR NEON NIGHTS!

THE 13TH ANNUAL
BOULEVARD OF DREAMS GALA

BENEFITING THE DREAM FACTORY OF GREATER KC

FRIDAY

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STARLIGHT THEATRE

FOR EVENT INFORMATION & TICKETS:

WWW.KCDREAM.ORG/BOULEVARDOFDREAMS



Find Out More & Get Involved

Supporting Dream Factory Through Monthly Giving

Our Mission at the Dream Factory is to make dreams come true for children with life-altering illnesses. Monthly gifts to support this mission may be made to Dream Factory through the following methods:

1. One time donations
2. Recurring Giving; which is an easy way to participate in funding the dreams of children battling chronic and critical illnesses to bring them hope and courage as they fight to combat their disease.



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