



# Your Other Family

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## A New Season

CCH is entering into a new season full of changes and fresh starts. **We have welcomed Chuck Tuttle as our new Chief Executive Officer.** Under Chuck's leadership we will continue to find innovative ways to bring help to our most vulnerable population.

Chuck brings with him an infectious burst of energy. We're looking forward to the future of Cleveland Christian Home with confidence and inspiration.



**In October, we said goodbye to former CEO, Jim McCafferty.** Jim has worked diligently throughout his career to bring positive change and better quality to the lives of children and families. His priorities to give the children a safe and solid structure to live in wasn't always an easy decision because taking care of a 100 year old building is relentless, but it was always the right one.

The Cleveland Christian Home 'Home Improvement Fund' has been set up for just that purpose. To provide true shelter to children in need. We thank Jim for his commitment and dedication and wish him the best of luck in this new chapter of his life. *(Pictured left: A handmade Thank You card created by the boys in residence)*



*To give a gift to the CCH Home Improvement Fund in honor of Jim McCafferty's work to make a difference in the lives of children, visit [cchome.org](http://cchome.org).*

**We would like to extend a warm welcome to Jane Moore, LISW-S** who will take over the supervision of our Community-Based Programs. Jane is already establishing relationships with Cleveland Public Schools, Department of Children and Families, and the Defending Childhood Initiative. CCH partners with these organizations to support children and families who are dealing major life stresses, have mental health needs or children who are at-risk of being removed from the home for their protection.

When asked about her goals for the programs Moore stated "I want our Community-Based Services program to continue to grow and be known for offering the very best services to children, youth, and families struggling with mental illness, behavior difficulties, abuse, and neglect." We're happy to have Jane on board and look forward to working with her.

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# Summertime Memories

Our kids in residence work hard to deal with and overcome some of life's most extreme circumstances. When not in school, their day is filled mostly with counseling and treatment regimens. As important as this is for them, we also believe in the significance of balance, and strive to give them time to just be a kid. Because of our generous donors we were able to give the kids some special summertime outings and let them experience a few things they will likely remember for years to come.

Chances are, without CCH they wouldn't have had the chance to: be a part of an extraordinary Cavs Playoff Watch Party; go to the ballparks to see the Indians and Browns games; enjoy a fun night in a Quicken Loans Arena Suite to see an exciting MMA Match; cool off on hot days in our on-grounds swimming pool or experience a weekend camping trip (*pictured right*) where they let go of their fears, learned to work as a team to overcome some challenging rope exercises and came away with feelings of true accomplishment.



**Your generosity helps us provide all of these extra touches that round out their healing process.**



**Pictured: Cleveland Christian Home residential staff helping the kids get into the Halloween Spirit.**

## Fall Festivities

Before we know it, the snow will fly into Northeast Ohio and the giving season will be upon us. We're already well in to planning and preparing for Thanksgiving and Christmas.

Holiday decorations will soon grace the halls, Thanksgiving dinner with all the trimmings will be served family style at our Residential Treatment Center and the boys will wake on Christmas morning with presents to open.

Our kids will be reminded that they are worthy of good things and second chances. You help make this possible. Thank you for keeping our children in mind and in your hearts. We appreciate your continued support.

**To help us fulfill every child's Christmas Wishes, see our list of the items most requested, visit [cchome.org](http://cchome.org).**