## SUMMER CAMP IMPACT REPORT



TOTAL DAY CAMPERS SERVED:

3,294

TOTAL ACADEMIC CAMPERS SERVED:

293

TOTAL OVERNIGHT CAMPERS SERVED AT IMMOKALEE:

1,313

**4,900 TOTAL CAMPERS** 



Received free dental check ups with TeamSmile

## **THINGAMAJIG**



- **☼** 1,500 PARTICIPANTS
- **☆ 22 SITES**
- ACROSS 5 COUNTIES

3,258
CHARACTER BRAG TAGS

80,740
HEALTHY
LUNCHBOX ITEMS

2,054,110
TOTAL READING MINUTES

## **SAFETY AROUND WATER**

1932 CHILDREN

15456 SAW LESSONS

392 ADVANCED TO GREEN

389 IMPROVED FROM RED

## PARENT TESTIMONIAL

Good morning! My son is attending the Heritage Landing summer camp this summer, and I cannot tell you how happy we are!! (He) has autism, ADHD, and ODD, and can be difficult to manage sometimes. He is very high energy, lacks focus, and has a tendency to have really big emotions. From the first day of camp, Ms. Tabitha took him under her wing, and helped him to be comfortable at camp (he doesn't cry at drop offs any more). She redirects him when he is upset or sad, supports him and helps him to manage his many fears, and encourages him to keep trying all the art and other projects that are really tough for him.

We changed our minds at the last minute, and I honestly cannot express how much it means to me that he is right down the road from our house, right down the road from my parents, and safe and well cared-for. As a mom of a special child, it's not easy to see him struggle to be accepted and understood. And the camp leaders at the HL camp – and Ms. Tabitha in particular – have been truly amazing!

When I picked him up yesterday, he literally could hardly contain his excitement, exclaiming that he had been named camper of the day – he said he couldn't believe it, and was jumping up and down!! So, thank you. Thank you so much for being inclusive, and for hiring amazing, patient, kind staff members like Ms. Tabitha. She has honestly made a huge difference in our lives this summer.

-Heritage Landing Parent











