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Dear _____

I wanted to write this letter to you because you have been an important part of my life and I wanted to thank you for that. I also want to let you know about an exciting fundraising opportunity I am participating in for Camp Arrah Wanna (CAW), in Welches, Oregon. CAW serves a wide variety of groups at their amazing location: youth camps, faith-based and community-based, school groups, family camps, various special needs groups, company retreats, and much more. I became involved at Camp Arrah Wanna ______

Because Camp Arrah Wanna is a true non-profit and relies mostly on gifts from its generous donors, you can imagine that the programs and budget there have been impacted by the recent COVID-19 pandemic shutdowns. CAW is in the middle of a "Generations of Promise" fundraising campaign in which they are investing a lot into the facilities, updating decades-old buildings and making critically important repairs and improvements. They have received grants to help with some of these projects but there are always unexpected details and a need for plenty of cushion.

This June 19 CAW is hosting a Fun Run & Walk fundraiser and I'm excited to be a part of it! The goal is to raise \$144,000 - which will all go toward the remodel of Stearns Cottage, the next project that is just about to begin. People participating in the Fun Run & Walk have the option to walk/run <u>AT</u> Camp in person or do it remotely from home. The registration fee for me to participate is \$25- but my goal is to raise \$______ total.

<u>Would you consider sponsoring me so that I can reach my personal goal?</u> You can do so by giving a one-time gift in any amount, or you can make a pledge by committing to give a certain amount based on how many laps/miles/minutes I walk or run - the choice is yours!

You can give your donation in multiple ways: hand it to me in the form of cash or check, mail your check directly to CAW, or give via credit/debit card on their website: <u>www.camparrahwanna.org</u> Just be sure to make a note about giving in my honor so that we can track participation and fundraising amounts!

Send checks to: Camp Arrah Wanna, Inc. | 24075 E. Arrah Wanna Blvd. | Welches, OR 97067 Please write in memo line: "Fun Run – In Honor Of ______

Your encouragement and support of my participation in this fundraiser is so appreciated! You are not only coming alongside me but you are also investing in a really special place and non-profit that has impacted so many lives for over 80 years! Thank you for helping to ensure that Camp Arrah Wanna can continue to serve for generations to come!

Sincerely,