

Taylor Field of Dreams Inclusive Playground in Southport, NC

A UNIVERSALLY ACCESSIBLE PLAYGROUND PROJECT



SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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Where **limitations** are forgotten,
and **differences** are celebrated



Why do playgrounds matter?

Play is a critical part of the social, emotional, cognitive and physical development of every child. Unfortunately, the vast majority of playgrounds deny children with disabilities and critical illnesses the opportunity for exercise, entertainment and social interactions which other children enjoy. In fact, only a small percentage of fully accessible playgrounds exist within our nation and these are insufficient to serve 43 million Americans with disabilities.

An **Inclusive Playground** is specifically designed to remove physical and social barriers so ALL children, with and without disabilities and/or critical illnesses, can play side by side with their peers and families.

To be located in Southport, NC, this playground will be an Unlimited Play inclusive playground — a place where limitations will be forgotten and differences are celebrated!

The Vision

We believe that recreation and recreational opportunities are every person's right. This playground will be a place where all the children and adults are accepted for who they are and not what they can and cannot do. This playground will break down barriers and bring people of all ages and abilities to come together to create a sense of community where everyone feels nurtured, valued, encouraged, and respected. We are healthier together when we are all inclusive.



Aaron is an 8-year-old with Spina Bifida. His physical limitations can make it hard for him to enjoy the standard playground. Most parks use sand or mulch. This can make it hard for a person in a wheelchair or one with physical limitations to access the playground. Steps are another obstacle. We need a playground where people of ALL abilities can enjoy the simple act of play.

- Kathryn Honeycutt

Cameron Harllee is 31 years old, born with down syndrome and autism and has difficulty playing with others. Because of Cameron's age and physical disabilities, it is difficult to find a place for him to enjoy outdoor space such as swings and play-sets. It would be wonderful to have a place that is all inclusive so close to home. It would provide a supportive environment where he can enjoy outdoor activities without facing physical barriers. Community support and involvement could help turn this idea into a reality.



- Elizabeth Harllee



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CUSTOM
DESIGN
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Products are shown as conceptual.

YOUR COMMUNITY'S UNLIMITED PLAY PLAYGROUND

- Safe, smooth, spongy surfacing
- Ramps from bottom to top
- Transfer stations throughout
- Specialized seating and handholds
- Slanted/graduated climbing elements
- High back swings
- Roller and molded slides
- Musical elements
- Parallel play
- Lots of shade
- Fun, educational play panels
- Imaginative Play

Join us in the efforts to build this universally accessible playground.

Your generous support will enable ALL children and caregivers of all abilities the opportunity to experience the joys and benefits of play. This destination playground will truly impact 10,000 people each year.



Pirate Ship
\$45,000



Rotating Deck with Net
\$30,000



Rail Rider
\$30,000



Shade 5-12 Section
\$18,000



Inclusive Pirate Ship
Glider
\$18,000



Double Slide
\$12,500



Quiet Grove
\$9,000



Chimes
\$5,000



Zylophone
\$5,000



Drums
\$2,500



Cabasa
\$2,500



Chimes
Panel
\$3,000



Swing Set
\$20,000



Parallel Play Tunnel
\$7,000



Surface Spinner
\$16,000



Treasure Chest
\$15,000



2-5 Double Slide
\$6,000



5-12 Curved Slide
\$8,000



Disco Ball Panel
\$3,500



Lilly Pad Steppers
\$2,500



Interactive Double Railing
\$10,000 each

“PLAYGROUNDS
MAKE ME FEEL
POWERFUL.”

Brendan, Age 10

From individuals making donations, businesses sponsoring playground equipment, corporations contributing grants and volunteers offering gifts of time, we welcome your involvement.

Here's How You Can Help

- Make a monetary donation using the form on the opposite page.
- Donate your time to a fundraising event or Community Build Day. Complete and mail the contact information on the opposite page to be contacted about upcoming volunteer opportunities.
- Donate goods/services such as concrete, fencing, shrubs, etc. Complete and mail the contact information on the back of this booklet, noting what goods/services you would like to donate.

**TOGETHER, WE
CAN CREATE YOUR
DESTINATION
PLAYGROUND.**





What is Unlimited Play?

Unlimited Play is an award winning nonprofit organization that builds universally inclusive playgrounds to promote health and wellness and change communities by providing freedom of play for ALL children. The transformational power of an inclusive playground brings kids and adults of all abilities together to play and learn from each other.

Unlimited Play is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization that helps to plan, design and build fully accessible playgrounds. Unlimited Play playgrounds allow all children – regardless of their abilities – to play together. A valuable resource in our community, Unlimited Play has unique expertise in this area and is available to assist in the development of inclusive playgrounds that promote dignity, understanding and respect among children. In 2016, Little Tikes Commercial and Unlimited Play announced a partnership to help provide the magic of outdoor play to children of all abilities.



New Partners in Inclusive Play



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Value



Encourage

Respect



Step 1: Complete Donor/Volunteer Information: (please print)

Name: _____

Company/Organization (if applies): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ E-mail: _____

If you are only wanting to be contacted about volunteer opportunities such as community work days, leave the next sections blank.

Step 2: Choose Your Donation

Donor Wall

Leave a legacy... Put your name on our playground! Donor Wall Sponsorships are \$1,000. The donor wall will be located at Taylor Field of Dreams Inclusive Playground.

Limited to 20 characters (spaces are considered a character)

Equipment Sponsorship

Please note that item quantities are limited and may no longer be available. Unlimited Play will confirm sponsorship upon receipt of both this application and the gift amount. Equipment may not be identical to photos in this catalog (color variance, etc.) Sign size and color may vary and be placed either on or near the piece of equipment in compliance with safety standards.

Unlimited Play is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization, which makes your donation tax deductible.

SELECT EQUIPMENT ITEM FROM THIS CATALOG:

Step 3: Payment

PAYMENT METHOD Credit Card Check Pay Online at www.unlimitedplay.org

Name on Credit Card: _____

Amount to Charge to Card: _____ Credit Card No.: _____

Security Code: _____ Credit Card Type: _____ Expiration Date: _____

Please make checks payable to:

Unlimited Play, 5988 Mid Rivers Mall Dr., St. Peters, MO 63304

Please write Taylor Field of Dreams in memo line

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