

October 29, 2009

Dear Tina and Rocco:

On behalf of the Camp Ockanickon Board of Directors I wanted to thank you, your volunteers and the Little Rock Foundation for the wonderful work done on the Camp boardwalk this past weekend. I understand from Keith and Al that the work is truly wonderful and will be a benefit to our campers and guests.

I have had the pleasure of being associated with the camp, originally as a summer camp staff member and now as a volunteer for the past 27 years. I have come to find that the heart of our YMCA Camp program rests with our volunteers and their commitment to children and youth. We are grateful for our relationship with you and the Foundation, and appreciate the vision, dedication and commitment to our children and Camp that you have brought to the table. We feel blessed to have the opportunity to work with you.

Again, thank you so very much for your generosity of time and support. I look forward to meeting you soon and to our ongoing work together. There is no doubt that we will continue to build strong kids, strong families and strong communities.

Best wishes,

Joe Bertolino
Board President & CVO

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