

Make-A-Wish® is the largest wish-granting charity in the world, with 58 chapters throughout the United States and its territories, and 40 international affiliates on 6 continents. Make-A-Wish South Carolina was incorporated in 1984, and with community support has granted more than 4,000 wishes to children with critical illnesses throughout all 46 counties of the state.

Critical illnesses make kids feel vulnerable and isolated. Their health battles are often traumatic, stealing their childhood, increasing fears, and stripping away their sense of normalcy. A wish come true helps children feel stronger, more resilient and better able to fight hard against their illness. For many of them, a wish marks a turning point in their fight against their illness.

Did You Know



255 Wishes Granted

Together with donors and volunteers, we granted **255 wishes** in fiscal year 2023 (Sep. 2022-Aug. 2023).



Heartfelt Wishes

Wishes are as unique as the child making the request but typically fall within one of five categories: **to have, to be, to go, to meet or to give.**



Average Cost

We consider a wish fully-funded at \$7,500 in S.C.

Ways To Help

Donate - needed funds are the only thing preventing us from granting more wishes.

Volunteer - every volunteer plays a vital role in helping us achieve our mission.

Participate - attending or participating in one of our signature events is a fun and rewarding way to help Make-A-Wish.



Our Mission

Together, we create life-changing wishes for children with critical illnesses.



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