

To our Special Days Family,

For the first time since 1979, and with the saddest of hearts, we are postponing Special Days for 2020. We have spoken with the leaders of our participating groups, and they share our concern for our participants' health and safety. With the restrictions in place in our county and the importance for social distancing, we feel it would not be in the best interest for our guests, volunteers, and staff to hold Special Days this summer. I spoke with my doctor yesterday, who is also my friend and is very familiar with Special Days. She is working amid the pandemic, and it was her advice that we postpone as well.

I cannot imagine my 28th year without all the love and fellowship we experience each summer. I will miss the smiles, the hugs, and the laughter, as well as the pure joy that is nonstop from the moment the participants enter our doors. What I CAN imagine is the celebration we will have when we meet next year! We'll be in touch with the details soon.

We will keep our theme "Somewhere Over the Rainbow" for next year. Maya Angelou said, "Be the rainbow in someone else's cloud". It is the most accurate description I could use to express what you mean to me.

With Love and prayers,

Martha

