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**To Whom It May Concern:**

**Memo on Behalf of the Richmond Shag Club**

This letter is to affirm and acknowledge the efforts of the Richmond Shag Club (RSC) to raise funds for Special Love and our hallmark program, Camp Fantastic, at their annual charity golf tournament in the Richmond area. The RSC, our largest source of financial support from the Richmond area, has contributed over \$270,000 over the last 26 years. Your sponsorship of their golf tournament in 2017 will help the RSC achieve its fund-raising goal of \$20,000 and enable us to reach even more Richmond area children with the life-affirming benefits of being at camp with other kids who can truly empathize and not just offer sympathy.

Camp Fantastic serves children with cancer by giving them a chance to smile and enjoy normal childhood activities that other kids take for granted, such as hiking, swimming, arts and crafts, and music. Our campers come from all over Virginia, but primarily from the Richmond metro area, Tidewater and Northern Virginia.

Among the treatment centers from which our campers come are Children's Hospital at MCV in Richmond and King's Daughters Hospital in Norfolk. The Richmond area alone has over 50 children undergoing cancer treatment that could, with financial assistance, participate in Camp Fantastic. Our campers are transported by bus to the Northern Virginia 4-H Center in Front Royal, VA. They have medical supervision from the moment they step on the bus and receive world-class care at camp, thanks to a medical team coordinated by the National Cancer Institute.

Special Love, Inc. is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization which provides an array of services to children with cancer and their families and caregivers. We host over 1,000 people annually through 14 different programs and we also provide scholarships and emergency financial assistance to families.

Please feel free to contact me at 1-888-930-2707 for more information or with any questions. I offer my wholehearted endorsement of the Richmond Shag Club's efforts and assure you that your investment will reap huge benefits for local kids with cancer. Your contribution to the RSC tournament will be acknowledged by letter from Special Love, Inc. for tax-reporting purposes.

Thank you, in advance, for your support of the RSC's tournament and, ultimately, Camp Fantastic!

With Special Love,

David A. Smith  
CEO