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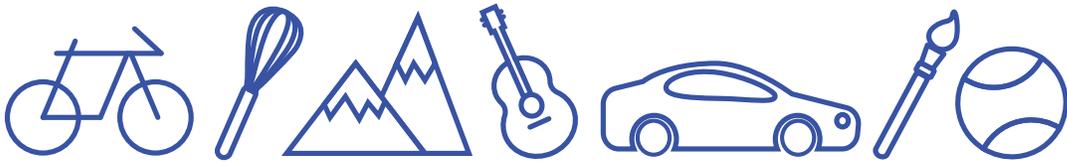
Projects of Passion



RMHC

Pittsburgh and Morgantown

Keeping families close®



What is P.O.P.?

Help Ronald McDonald House Charities (RMHC) of Pittsburgh and Morgantown in your own unique way, on your timetable through the P.O.P. program!

P.O.P. stands for **Projects of Passion** and challenges everyone to turn something they enjoy doing into a way to help the families who are served by RMHC Pittsburgh and Morgantown. Each year, local businesses, organizations, schools, and groups volunteer their time hosting fundraisers to benefit RMHC Pittsburgh and Morgantown. Hosting your own Project of Passion is a wonderful way to support our mission, be creative, work as a team, and make a difference for our families. Whether your passion is running, crafting, or cooking, you can help support the families who stay at RMHC Pittsburgh and Morgantown!

Three Easy Steps:

1. Pick your passion!

Are you an avid biker, photographer, musician or baker? Pick whatever it is you like to do for fun!

2. Coordinate a group to help with the project.

Gather your friends and family to help you plan or support your event.

3. Have fun!

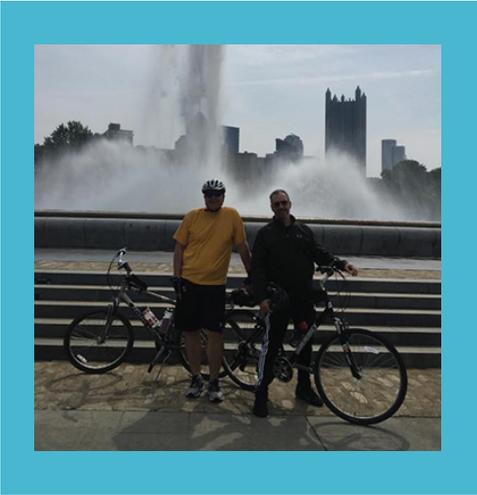
Start raising money to help keep families with sick children together at RMHC Pittsburgh and Morgantown.

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Examples

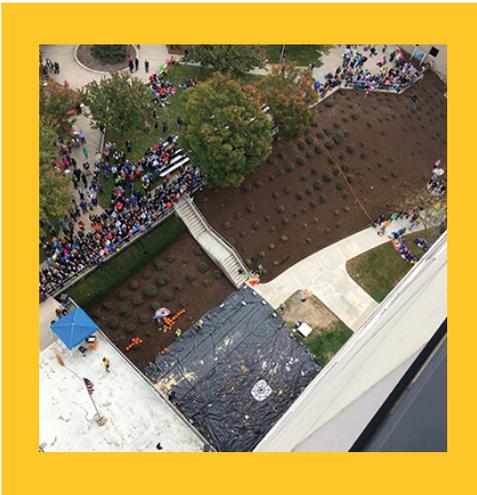
D.C. to Pittsburgh

Eric & Jeff, cycling enthusiasts, planned their 350 mile journey from Washington, D.C., to Pittsburgh, lasting just one week! Wanting to cross this adventure off of their bucket list, the McDonald's Corporate employees knew they could turn their trip into a successful fundraiser. Together, Eric & Jeff defeated the weather, cycled over 350 miles and raised money to support Ronald McDonald House Charities of Pittsburgh and Morgantown's mission of helping families stay together and near the medical care they need!



Pumpkin Drop

One of our longest-running P.O.P. projects is WVU ASME's Pumpkin Drop event, held since 1987. This event invites elementary and middle-school children from all over West Virginia to build a contraption that will hold a pumpkin from an 11-story drop off the top of the Engineering Sciences Building. ASME turned their love of mechanical engineering into a fun event for children and Ronald McDonald House Charities of Pittsburgh and Morgantown.



Skating Around the World

The Western PA High School Figure Skating team has hosted an ice skating show for 3 consecutive years. Traveling from all over the world, families staying at Ronald McDonald House Charities of Pittsburgh and Morgantown have inspired performances within the show, "Skating Around the World". Participants of all ages use their talent and creativity to dazzle the crowd while supporting Ronald McDonald House Pittsburgh and Morgantown!

