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ASTHMA CAMP HELPS CHILDREN 'BREATHE EZZZZE'

TUPELO, Miss.—Children with asthma are invited to participate in Camp Breathe Ezzzze, May 31-June 3, at Tishomingo State Park.

Open to children ages 6-12, Camp Breathe Ezzzze will feature fun activities, as well as educational sessions on asthma and its treatment. The camp is designed to boost self-esteem and nurture friendships among children with asthma. This year's camp has a "Survivor: The Reality of Fun" theme.

Camp Breathe Ezzzze is sponsored by North Mississippi Medical Center with assistance from the American Lung Association of Mississippi, Project Hope and United Way. Around-the-clock care is provided by registered nurses and respiratory therapists. Camp participation is limited, and registration is due by April 1. The fee is \$100 per camper, with a \$25 nonrefundable deposit. Scholarships are available.

Each parent and child are required to attend an educational session prior to camp. A schedule of available sessions will be provided upon acceptance.

For more information, call (662) 377-4706 or 1-800-THE DESK (1-800-843-3375). Applications can also be downloaded from the Camp Breathe Ezzzze Web site at www.nmhs.net/camp_breathe_ezzzze.php