

Dedicated to Promoting Resilience in Children

Registration Information

Registration is required.

Please call:

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781-413-5141 or visit

www.joannasplace.org/contact-us/

What Parents are Saying

“Circle-G allowed my daughter to see that she is not alone, as her thinking led her to believe. She was able to see how other children are dealing with the death of their loved one and she realized it is ok to try new things, make new memories and to have a good time. It benefited me by allowing me to see how other parents that are thrown into this situation are coping and that I am not alone in my thoughts”

–Kim M. (Mom/Circle G participant, Spring 2019)

*Circle-G is facilitated by
Lauren Bartolotti Busa
& developed by
Maria Trozzi, Program
Director of Joanna's Place
& co-founder of the
Good Grief Program.*



What is Circle-G?

Circle-G is a unique and comprehensive grief support program for children (ages 6-18), who have experienced the death of a parent or sibling. Along with their accompanying caregiver(s), children are able to process their emotions, communicate their questions, and learn helpful coping skills, all in a safe and fun environment.

Families begin the night enjoying a pizza dinner. Children are then broken up into same age peer groups for creative and engaging icebreakers, arts and crafts, and games.

Simultaneously, caregivers meet to discuss their own grief journey, share advice and strategies, and explore how to best support their child.

This 10 week group allows families the opportunity to make lifelong connections with others that “just get it”.

When: Mondays 6pm-8pm, 10 weeks
October 21st -January 13th

Where: Collicot School Library
80 Edge Hill Rd, Milton

Special note: Teens ages 14-18 are welcome to attend without a caregiver present. Please let the facilitator know during registration if your child will be participating on their own.