

# Alex's Story



In 2016, at the age of 21, Alex was diagnosed with Grade 4 Glioblastoma Brain Cancer. While going through surgery, endless chemotherapy, and radiation treatments, he would always stay positive and focused on what made him happy. Even with all the challenges, Alex was able to graduate from UW-Whitewater with a double major in Accounting and Business Management.

Growing up, Alex loved going "up north" to his grandparent's lakeside cabin in northern Wisconsin. It was a place for the whole family to relax and have fun together. Alex believed that having a free retreat for people with a life-threatening illness would offer a wonderful gift: rest and relaxation away from the stresses experienced by patients and their families.



*Before Alex's passing, he stated, "The foundation is a way for me to connect with others going through tough times, letting them know they can make it through and that they have plenty of support."*

## JOIN US BY VOLUNTEERING

There are many ways to be involved with Dove's Nest through volunteering. Check our website or contact us for information.

## JOIN US BY DONATING

The Alex C. Dove Foundation is a 501c3 charitable organization. Your donations are tax deductible as the law allows.

We accept donations by check or Venmo. Make checks payable to: Alex C. Dove Foundation. Mail this form and check to:



Alex C. Dove Foundation  
928 Sussex Court  
Nekoosa, WI 54457

### ENCLOSED IS MY DONATION OF:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

In honor/memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you for your support of the  
Alex C. Dove Foundation!

For additional information contact:  
715.570.2283 or 715.459.1406  
Email: alexcdovefoundation@gmail.com



# DOVE'S NEST



Offering those struggling  
with a life-threatening illness  
a free place to rest and relax

www.AlexCDoveFoundation.org  
Email: alexcdovefoundation@gmail.com  
Facebook: Alex C. Dove Foundation



## Rest & Respite

Dove's Nest is an expression of love and support from the Alex C. Dove Foundation, which was formed in 2019 in honor of Alex C. Dove who passed away in 2019.

The 2,832 square-foot cabin on Lake Camelot is located in the town of Rome, just 20 minutes south of Wisconsin Rapids. Dove's Nest is used solely as a respite for those struggling with a life-threatening illness, and allows them to experience up to a week of rest and respite with their loved ones and caregivers.

Dove's Nest is a gift of quality time for families to enjoy each other, have fun, and make some memories. It is the first respite retreat of its kind in the Midwest.

## Welcome to the Cabin!

The cabin has three bedrooms and three full baths, one of which is wheelchair accessible. It sleeps eight. There is a great room with a large stone fireplace and huge windows to bring in the beauty of the surroundings. It also features a large kitchen, laundry room, and a family room with games. Outdoors you will find a fire pit, children's play set, and a dock with kayaks, a paddleboat, and a large pontoon boat.



## Making Memories

*"There are no words to properly express our gratitude for this wonderful gift you have provided us—the amazing gift of time together as a family—with no stress or worries or distractions—just time."*

*"We enjoyed every square inch, both inside and out. Thank you so much for giving us some amazing memories during our battle."*



## How to Apply

The qualified applicant (child or adult) must be undergoing treatment, or have been in treatment for a life-threatening illness within the last year. Those under hospice care for a terminal illness also qualify.

Please download and fill out the housing application and property rental agreement on our website and send to:

Alex C. Dove Foundation  
928 Sussex Court  
Nekoosa, WI 54457