Privacy Policy

Birthday Dreams is strongly committed to protecting your privacy. This privacy policy explains what types of information are collected by Birthday Dreams on the website www.birthdaydreams.org, and how this information is used. This demonstrates Birthday Dreams' commitment to the privacy of our volunteers, donors and website users.

What Personally Identifiable Information is Collected?

People who register on Birthday Dreams website, www.birthdaydreams.org, and individuals that sign up to receive newsletters and e-communications voluntarily provide us with contact information, areas of interest in becoming involved in Birthday Dreams, birth date, legal name and the number of years living in Washington state. We use this information for specific, limited purposes. People can always "opt out" at any time if our messages are no longer desired. Your personal information is encrypted when sent to and from the server.

IP addresses

Birthday Dreams may use your IP address to help diagnose problems with our server, to administer www.birthdaydreams.org and for statistical metrics used to track website visitor traffic.

Cookies

www.birthdaydreams.org uses "cookie" information to provide better services, such as allowing you to stay logged in. Cookies remind us who you are and potentially what your preferences for our website are based on what you've done and told us before. The "cookie" is placed in your computer and is read when you come back to our website. Cookies let us take you to the information and features you're particularly interested in. They also let us track your usage of www.birthdaydreams.org, so we know which parts of our sites are most popular. You can reject cookies or cancel them by updating your Web browser settings.

How Your Information May Be Used

Birthday Dreams uses your personal information to provide you with customized service; to send e-mail alerts to you; to answer your requests; to aid you in volunteering; etc. You may choose to opt out at any time, which will cease all communications from us. We may also use your information to track visitors of our website. This lets us see which of our features are the most popular so we can better serve our users' needs. It also lets us provide aggregate web traffic data (not identifying you personally, but showing how many visitors used which features, for example) for internal use. Birth date, legal name and number of years living in

Washington state are used for performing background checks. Ethnicity information is used when applying for grants.

Email Privacy

Birthday Dreams does not provide, sell, or rent email addresses to anyone outside our organization.

External Links

www.birthdaydreams.org includes links to external websites. These links do not fall under the www.birthdaydreams.org domain, and Birthday Dreams is not responsible for the privacy practices or the content of external websites. Your use of any linked website is solely at your own risk.

Modifications

Birthday Dreams may amend this privacy policy from time to time; please review it periodically. We maintain the option to modify this privacy at any time by electronic notice posted on our website. Your continued use of our website after the date that such notices are posted will be deemed to be your agreement to the changed terms.

For additional questions on this policy, please email info@birthdaydreams.org.