

## Katie's Wonderland

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Hi! My name is Katie Waboka and I live in Italy I am also 9 years old & my brother is 11 his name is Edward Waboka. I go to soccer today so I need to do these 6 things.

- Shower
- Put my jearsy on
- Brush teeth
- Fix hair
- prepare soccer bag
- get ball

And I'm ready to go I ride my bike to soccer it's pretty close by. I have a HUGE DREAM to be a soccer athleat. Im always end up being advance in soccer. I also get alot of MVP trophes but I have no friends because im behind at school specialy at math. My only friends are my brother my mom & my dad but also my donkey Philip. He keeps me happy when I'm sad samething he does with Edward my older brother. One day I rode Philip down a close by meadow and Philip accidentally got on the rocky side and I fell down and landed on my right arm, it really hurt.

The Next Day Later...

I had to go to the ER or emergency room to take x-rays. The doctor/Mr. Fairwel said it may be fractured and I may have to stay away from rough soccer and from rough golie or just golie and thats my favorite position! So I spent about 5 weeks to see if it's fractured and it is! That means I have to take a long rest from soccer and I have to ware a cast soon.

A Month Later...

I ended up getting a cast that had soccer balls in all differnt colors with a pink background Docter. Fairwel said it matches my personality. He told me I have to stay in the cast for 6 months that's half of the year!

Febuary ...

School is great if you only include science, I have a science partner named Ella & she is like my twin. Ms. Lawrence calls us twins b/c we look the same & act the same. Ella has a blue baseball cast on her left arm just like me. Now ever since Mom bumped into Ella's mom she had been bringing her grandma's cookies to share. I've also been going to Ella's house. One day Ella got her cast off, she got it off 2 weeks earlier than me so she went back to doing baseball so of course I came to cheer for her. At the enf of Ella's game they WON! I got sorta sad b/c her successful game reminds me of soccer. Ella walked over to me like she was reading my minds she said she would guid me through soccer. so she did and my team won the champieonship so I'm telling you now or never, you're not alone & follow your dreams.