

THE HAPPY CAMPER



Camp Newsletter - Week 5, 7/24/23 - 7/28/23



SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

MONDAY
TUESDAY
WEDNESDAY
THURSDAY
FRIDAY

**First Day of Session 3
Welcome Campers!**



**Touch-A-Truck with
Croton Falls Fire for
Tadpoles, Blue Jays,
Chipmunks & Frogs**



**Ice Cream Truck visits
(optional activity)
form on our website.**



**Touch-A-Truck with City
Carting for Foxes & Wolves**

Duck Day!



Jersey Day!



WELCOME TO SESSION 3!

Welcome to our new campers and welcome back to our session 1 & 2 campers! We've had a great summer so far and are excited to end the summer with just as much fun.

This past week all the little lords and ladies had a smashing good time on Medieval Day! Our campers and staff dressed in all of their finest Medieval apparel and had a grand time making crowns and catapults.

We also hosted our annual field day! A huge thanks to our CITS, Games, and Sports coordinators for setting up and running the activities. Campers competed in relay races, obstacle courses, and other fun races.

The A La Mode ice cream truck will make it's last appearance on Wednesday. This is an optional activity. If your camper would like to purchase an ice cream or candy from the truck, please use the price list & order form on [our website](#). All money should be sent to camp in a labelled bag or envelope.

Planning Alert for Week 6: The last week of camp will be COLOR WARS WEEK! The camp will be divided into four teams, each with a different color. We will be choosing the teams early this week. Stay tuned for your camper's color. We don't want anyone to buy anything new but we would love for campers to accessorize or come dressed in their team's color during Color Wars - using what they already have at home. More info to come.



NSDC's got Talent

On Friday, July 21st, campers got to see their counselors hidden talents. Counselors have been working all summer to impress their campers and fellow staff members with their special skills! All of NSDC came to the mess hall to cheer on their counselors and favorite staff members!



Our show opened with our very own band, Simon and the Garfunkel's made up of Simon (Bears), Matt (Music), Julia (Tadpoles) & Arielle (Bobcats). They were followed by card tricks {Ryan (Hawks) & Stephen (Eagles)}. We also had some blossoming comedians {Molly (Blue Jays), Michael, Zach and Alex (Foxes)}. We had some talented singers and skits {Chloe (Hawks) Peter, Alex and Adam (Falcons/Hawks) Will & Tim (CITs) Hope and the Morgan's (Chipmunks)}. A HUGE shout-out to our staff involved in the show!

THE DIRECTORS CABIN

**A note from our Director,
Lauren Rosasco**



It's hard to believe that the final session of the 2023 summer camp season is here! We've had our share of both rainy and hot days this summer, as well as air quality alerts and flooding. Our camp counselors have worked hard to make sure that these weather conditions have had limited impact on the camper's fun!

We have a great group of counselors this summer and we saw that on display during our NSDC's Got Talent show on Friday! It was fun seeing our staff up on stage doing anything possible to impress the campers and get a few laughs. I can't thank them enough for doing their best each day to make camp memorable for every camper.

One of my favorite moments in session 2 was watching our campers support and cheer on their counselors at the talent show. Camp has a lasting effect on everyone involved, from the campers to the staff, and seeing the campers cheer for the staff shows the important bonds that are formed at summer camp. Here's to a great third session!

Lauren

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