



SOLEBURY SCHOOL DAY CAMP

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Week 3

Director's Notes

This is the moment when I start to be amazed at how fast the summer is going - the halfway point of camp. It's just unbelievable to me as it is every year. A couple of reminders for you. 1) Please check the lost and found in the dining hall. It's actually pretty light at this point, but there are a bunch of towels there looking for a home and some other items. 2) Remember that next Friday is our annual Talent Show. It will be Friday afternoon at 2pm. This week was Wet and Wacky Week which had all kinds of fun activities. For me, as much as anything, this symbolizes what I love about camp in general, and what I believe about the world. The big events this week - the fire truck, the water balloons being thrown at me, the water fights, aren't flashy "big deal" kind of things. They're simple fun, and the campers love them! In a world of devices and tech and all these avenues of entertainment that occupy our kids, it's a reminder to me that old time fun still very much has a place in the world. That no matter how much the news and studies tell us our kids are completely different than we were when we were young, that the truth is, kids are kids. They have always, and will always, have the ability to be captured and engaged by pure play. Thank you as always for all you do to help the camp work great and for sharing the summer with us!

IT'S NEVER TOO EARLY!!!

If you enjoy spending your summers with us, it's never too early to start thinking about attending school here. If you would like some information, please talk to Scott.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

July 19 - Talent Show!

July 26 - Overnight (Groups 4-7)

Week of July 29 - Spirit week, Olympics, and end of camp festivities!

GROUP OF THE WEEK

Congratulations Group 2!!!!

Edward Bernard Juliet Brown Kendall Cianni

Mae Vivien Jen- Lucas Kerins Finn Metzger
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Georgia Crooks Dylan DeAlmo Matt Hoffman

Kat Patterson- Teagan Skeuse
Gillespie

Group 1

Group 1 had so much fun on wet and wacky week! In disco we're completing our boats so we can sail them! In sports and flex we played basketball, soccer, and "drip, drip, drop" where we get to pour water on each other's heads! In swim, some of us are learning in the deep end! We finished off the week by getting sprayed by a big fire truck!!!

Written By: Gabriel and Sam



Group 2

Group 2 had so much fun on wet and wacky week. We played water trivia in sports! If you a question wrong you get a huge bucket of water dumped on you! In disco we're completing our boats so we can set sail in the pool! In art we're playing with sand art and using a picture of ourselves to make a collage. In science we made Rice Krispy treats!

Written By: Georgia and EJ

Group 3

Group 3 had a very wet and wacky week. We played marco polo in pool, as well as 4square and charades in flex. In sports we played human tic-tac-toe. We got messy making shaving cream prints in art, they came out really good! We had tons of fun racing our boats in the pool and playing in the firehose. We can't wait for next week!

Written By: Parker and Arabella

Camp Candidals!



Group 4

Group 4 had a blast this week! In art we made bows and arrows out of sticks, in sports we played dodgeball against group 5 and human tic-tac-toe (the x's won). We also got to test our marble runs and make cardboard boats in disco. In swim we're learning flip turns and treading! In science we made slime. Our favorite part of the week was playing capture the flag in flex and getting sprayed by a firetruck!

Written By: Julia, Juliet, Thelma, and Garrett

Babysitting!!!

Many of our counselors and CIT's love to babysit campers on weekends and evenings. If you have any questions feel free to talk to Scott about this.

Group 5

Group 5 had a very wet and wacky week. We played water trivia and got soaked! In swim some of us are learning flip turns! In art we made popsicle stick boxes and in Science we made Rice Krispy treats. In flex we played one of our favorite games, gaga. In disco we got to make cardboard boats that kinda worked! Wet and wacky week was super fun!

Written By: Yuly, Chloe

Group 6

Group 6 had a good week. In disco we're finishing our cardboard boats and setting sail in them on Friday! In flex we played dodgeball and 4square. In sports we played a super fun water gun game called assassin and also played a tense game of dodgeball. In swim we played underwater baseball! In art we made lizards and other animals with fairy beads. The highlight of the week was Friday when a firetruck came and sprayed us all with water!

Written By: Alex and Declan



Group 7

Group 7 had so much fun this week, we played tons of wet and wacky games. In art we made cool collages with our faces! In disco we're building boats out of recycled materials that will (hopefully) float! In flex we played the couch game and 4square. In sports we played blob tag, basketball, and even assassin with water guns! In swim we played a new game called "brittaball" which is basically baseball in a pool. Our favorite part of this wet and wacky week was our visit to Dutch Springs, a huge manmade lake with tons of fun to have! This week was definitely wet and wacky.

Written By: Miles, Nicole, and Ava

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