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★ A NOTE FROM MARK AND LAURA ★

What an amazing summer we had

It is hard to believe how much time has already passed since the end of summer 2016!

This is the time of the year we make trips back and forth to camp on a regular basis, as we shut camp down and start to plan for summer 2017. Each time we go we are flooded with thoughts and memories of last summer – the experiences and moments are so vivid and that is what helps to carry us throughout the year ahead.

We start by thinking about how incredible it was to live together as a community for 42 amazing days which were filled with great accomplishments and triumphs – memories that will last forever in our hearts. Each summer we get a chance to build a community, truly another family, filled with amazing staff and the world's greatest campers. It is our amazing campers that help us remember, in the challenging world we live in, how much goodness exists, and how lucky we are to be immersed in that goodness for those 42 days, and experience the best in humanity.

No two summers are exactly the same, and this one was filled with warm embraces, kindness, risk-taking, confidence, and we hope you have seen this in your children when they came home to you this year.

which our staff wear on their staff t-shirts, felt like it took on new meaning this summer. Our staff was mature, engaged, committed and just fantastic. We cannot thank them enough for all they do each day and the amazing personal sacrifices they show on a daily basis. We have gotten such incredible feedback since the summer about our staff and we are so proud of each and every one of them.

We hope we sent you back your children a little wiser, more independent, more capable, and full of some of the greatest memories and stories to share with you – ones we hope will last throughout the year.

Once again, thank you for your support and belief in what Iroquois Springs is all about. As we look ahead toward summer #17, we could not be prouder to report that our enrollment is almost closed for next summer, with most age groups filled already. We thank you for all your feedback and sharing our story with so many others.

We are looking forward to seeing everyone on December 4th at our annual camp reunion, where we can all be together again as an Iroquois Springs family.

See you at the camp reunion in December.



We speak of the “gift of camp” and by sending your children to Iroquois Springs they received a gift of a lifetime, thank you for believing in us and all we do here.

Each year our staff seem to get better and better, and this year was no exception. Our credo “I am a difference maker”



With Love, Mark & Laura



BOYS SIDE STUFF WITH JOSH

This morning on my early morning drive to work I was daydreaming about camp as I noticed that the leaves were changing colors and falling to the ground. I don't like thinking about

summer ending, writing about summer ending or even talking about it. We all live for the summer so let's re-live some of those memories now. I wish my school day started with a round of Pterodactyl, Chevy-Pedia and Andrew's baseball facts but unfortunately it doesn't. The summer of 2016 was a special one. The sun shined on us all summer---I guess that is why Boys Side was on Fire.

I can still smell the exhaust from the Leprechaun buses as they were dropping everyone off on the driveway for the summer of 2016. You all had clean haircuts, huge smiles and were filled with months of pent up excitement. Boys Side had one of our best summers yet because you all connected with each other like only Iroquois Springs campers can do. The Boys Side GL's and your counselors asked that you treat each other with class and dignity and you all rose to the challenge. Iroquois Springs is the special place that it is because of all of you. It feels like it has been forever since camp has ended and I can't wait for it to start again.

I am so impressed by all of our new campers who made it successfully through their first summer at Iroquois Springs. You now get to come back to camp next summer as veteran campers who have the opportunity to show the new campers in your bunk around just like your bunkmates did for you. By this point most of your counselors are home from all of their travels and have told of their families and friends about their awesome experience at Iroquois Springs. Our counselors were top notch this summer and I want to take this opportunity, along with the GL's, to thank the male counselors for all of their hard work and efforts. Your campers are all better people because of all of your hard work and efforts. The time spent with your campers at activities or the conversations that you had while hanging out during rest hour are moments that they will never forget.

I always try to look at the silver lining of the dark cloud. Although the leaves are turning colors and falling signifying that summer is over, at least it means that we are one step closer to our summer at Iroquois Springs. I look forward to seeing everyone at the camp reunion in a few short weeks.

Josh

Burning of the Year

Each summer, the traditional burning of the year symbolizes the close of yet another summer gone by in Rock Hill and the start of the countdown to our next summer together. A few summers ago we started a new tradition of having our CIT's share a few words about their experiences as campers and the close of a chapter in their lives, which will hopefully live in their hearts forever.

Here is what Alexa Char had to say:

Not many people are fortunate enough to get to experience sleep-away camp. They aren't able to say that they have Rosie as a second mom, bunkmates who are more like sisters, or an escape from reality for 6 short weeks, where everyone is able to be a better version of themselves. 42 days later, we are still unable to admit to ourselves that in a few hours, we will all be parting ways. Looking around, I can tell that everyone is dreading the goodbyes that we will have to say tomorrow morning. But in our hearts, we know we will never truly have to say goodbye. Yes, we are leaving our home, but as we get on the buses to travel back to the real world, we know it's more of a "see you soon" or a "talk to you later". Saying "goodbye" will never feel right because our bonds and our memories will never leave us. No matter how



many miles apart or how many days until we can return to our summer home, the friendships that we have made will never die. Coming from a CIT who can't remember a summer without Iroquois Springs, cherish every moment. You never know what you have until it's gone, and now that I have to face the fact that today is my last day, I would do anything for one more. I am the person I am today because of camp. There is no possible way to express my gratitude towards every individual in this camp for impacting my life in the greatest way possible. Iroquois Springs will forever be the place where I learned to live life in the moment, be nice, and be grateful for everything that I have. Nothing will ever compare to the friendships and memories made here, so hold them close to your heart and never let them go. So, I will see you all soon. #CIThankYouForTheBestYearsOfMyLife.



Notes from BUBBA'S CLIPBOARD



I always wait until the last weekend of the season to write this article so I can truly reminisce on what was another outstanding summer at Iroquois Springs. It's hard to believe that I moved up to camp on May 11 this year and now it's almost mid-October and we are preparing to close the gates for the final time and wrap up our 16th camp season.

The fall at camp is so beautiful as the leaves are changing colors and the grass is greener than ever, but there is a chill in the air that reminds us that all good things must come to an end, and it's time to put camp to bed for the winter. As we move the Adirondack chairs to the porch of the office, put the picnic tables in the theater, clean and close all the bunks and take down all the nets for the long cold winter ahead, it always reminds me of how lucky I am to be able to spend my summer at camp, even as an adult! What's better than being surrounded by campers smiling, staff working with kids and watching relationships form each and every day...nothing! Camp truly does "give kids (and adults) a world of good!"

What I still find remarkable about camp each summer, is the discovery of the unknown and the ability to chase your dreams and desires. Campers and staff alike come to camp for so many different reasons. For some it's an escape from reality, for others it's a chance to reconnect with friends and still for others it's a time to discover skills and interests they may have never realized they had. Whatever reason you come to camp, Iroquois Springs provides an environment that we all feel safe to explore new horizons and chase dreams and desires in a way that we may not do at home. Knowing you will feel supported and being surrounded by "nice campers" who truly want to see you succeed is such a wonderful feeling for all of us who enter the gates of Iroquois Springs each summer. No matter why you come to camp, we only hope that when you leave, there is a smile on your face, maybe a tear in your eye (because you don't want to leave) and a spot in your heart that can only be filled by another summer together in Rock Hill.

Like so many of you, not a day goes by during the "off-season" that we don't mention camp...something always reminds us of what we did while in the 12775. So many of these moments are created by our wonderful and dynamic staff who work tirelessly each and every day to run great programs, take fantastic care of our campers and who genuinely gave everything they had to ensure the success of the kids they were responsible for. Often times, people ask "what separates Iroquois Springs from the rest of the pack?" I always say our staff, and I truly believe that! It never ceases to amaze me how people can continually give of themselves and put the needs of others before theirs...that is what separates us from the pack. Thank you again to the staff of 2016, you were truly outstanding!

Of course, when you mention staff, campers come right alongside them. What a great camper community Iroquois Springs has become. Where else can you find kids that understand the value of camp, respect the decisions and opinions of others and who genuinely care about one another and want to be part of something bigger than them, for that, I applaud you.

For now, you need to bunker down, concentrate on doing well in school, completing all of your assignments and remember that the summer months of blue & gold are not too far away, we all live 10 for 2!

Can't wait to see many of you at the winter reunion!

Miss you all! **BUBBA**

Don't forget to check us out on...



GIRLS SIDE GAB *With Rosie*

Hello Girls Side!- Hope everyone is great and having an awesome start to the school year - I know saying GOODBYE is so difficult - however, before we know it we will all be seeing each other at the camp reunion! I love the camp reunion because I get to see all of your smiley faces and hear all about all the great things you have been doing. I also love watching you reunite with all your camp friends. It makes me so proud to know that when you are planning your sleepovers or your 'meet ups' that you are including EVERYONE! -Because as you all know that is what we are all about and that is what makes GIRLS SIDE so strong - and if you haven't included everyone - now might be a perfect time to do so.

I had a few weeks to reflect on my summer and what made it so great - I can truly say that I LOVE MY SUMMER JOB and I LOVE MY SUMMER HOME and I LOVE MY GIRLS SIDE FAMILY. I am so proud of each and every one of you - I am so proud of our first time campers for doing an awesome job being away from home for the first time, I am so proud of our returners who continue to set the tone on girls side - YOU ALL LOVE camp and understand ME and what's important to me AND THAT'S WHAT MAKES MY JOB EASIER - Your love for camp is contagious and you help me spread the LOVE and you help me make sure that our theme of BEING NICE is forever engrained in our hearts! I am also proud of our first time counselors that took the challenge and left without regrets - and OF COURSE all of my returning counselors, YOU ROCKED IT and continue to be DIFFERENCE MAKERS - and WHAT WOULD I EVER DO WITHOUT MY AMAZING GROUP LEADERS - They make things happen! Without them none of us could do our jobs - DIANA, EMMA, ERIN, SHAWNA, NICOLE, KIM, SARAH, ROBYN AND DYLAN - THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

As I was reminiscing - I started to think about, line up and how much fun we had this summer - I think about Girls Side Sing and I find myself humming the words to your songs - I think about our nightly talks and wonder how all of you are doing now - I think about College Days and Color War and wish I was on the field twirling my baton - I think about the Girls Side Song and still have no clue what the real words are to the real song - I think about Mock Rock, Staff Talent Show and all our amazing evening activities and I just cannot wait to be back at camp again - I think about how proud I am of each and everyone one of my CIT's and I think about how much I will miss them next year - but how excited I am to have them back at camp as counselors on girls side - I think about the positions in college days and color war that the Seniors earned and I can't help but think "THEY GET IT" - They wanted something so bad that they worked really hard at it - These are all of the things I think about when I am not with you! I think about how proud I am to be your girls head counselor.

This weekend I got the chance to be a "camp parent". I took Olivia to Philadelphia to reunite with her camp friends - I got to be a mom of a kid that goes to camp and not just a mom that works at camp that happens to be the girls head counselor. I was able to see how the bond of camp friends is so special - even in G1. The girls saw each other for the first time since August, some even July and it was as if they saw each other yesterday. The smiles, the stories, the laughter - all of it - makes all the hard work worth it. I was able to witness what camp does for kids outside of Rock Hill and I felt so lucky. My little girl loves camp as much as I do - my little girl has now started her own camp story and I GET TO BE A CAMP MOM - I was able to share my daughters camp stories with other parents. I was able to laugh at their stories and I loved hearing how much they LOVE Iroquois Springs and how much it has changed their lives. One of the girls in G1 has an older sister who had to write an essay for school - her mom shared with me that "of course" it was about camp - It started like this:

"The day began at 7:30 a.m. when the reveille bell sounded throughout camp. The golden sun shining in the bunk woke us all up. I hid under my covers trying to get just five more minutes of sleep, when my counselor pulled back my sheets and said, "ten minutes until breakfast." As we walk to the dining hall we could smell the French toast sticks, that is my favorite breakfast. When our counselors brought the plate of food to the table we all went to grab one when we noticed on the plate it said BREAKOUT, go to the girls flag pole in syrup. We all started screaming and ran outside, I made sure to grab a couple sticks for the road. I knew it was going to be another great day!"

EVERYDAY AT CAMP IS ANOTHER GREAT DAY!
YOU SHOULD FEEL VERY LUCKY THAT YOU
HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO BE AT CAMP
- TAKE THIS MOMENT TO THANK YOUR
PARENTS.

Not only is camp life changing for our campers but for our counselors as well - I am so lucky that I get to build relationships and friendships with counselors from all over the world - I love hearing from them after the summer and knowing that not only did they touch the lives of their campers but camp changed them forever as well. One of the counselors this summer wrote me after camp and I just wanted to share bits and pieces of the letter with you - I know that one day many of you will be counselors and will be true Difference Makers to your campers -

"I am currently sitting in Newark airport about to set off on my first big girl flight on my own to Vegas. I'm writing to you now because it's been the first chance I've gotten since leaving camp where I've had time to sit by myself and reflect on my summer. I never thought that I could grow so much as a person over one summer. When I arrived on camp on the 14th of June, I had the mindset that this



summer could be a hit or miss and it could make or break me. I could never have imagined how crazy, intense, magical and emotional the next 7 and a half weeks would be: The support that Iroquois Springs gave me was overwhelming and I don't even know how to thank everybody for that. I now have the honour of keeping my most enjoyable memories, because of camp, with me forever. My memories of camp aren't memories that can or will ever fade, they're memories that I can enjoy with my friends who live all around the world, thousands of miles away from me, but close to my heart for many, many years to come. The opportunity camp gives to not only the campers, but the counselors too, is life changing and I couldn't be more appreciative that I was given this opportunity to show what I can do and become a better person. I am a difference maker and I now have the confidence to say that. Camp has taught me to be stronger, to persevere, to do great things and to be kind.

But Rosie, I can honestly say that I've never met anybody that has a kinder heart than you. I don't know where or how you get the time to do everything you do for girls side along with getting to know each counselor and camper on a personal level. You make people feel happy and safe when you're with them, a feeling that I only get when I'm with my own mother. I have found it difficult to even gather the words together that can thank you enough or that can show the amount of appreciation I have for all you've done. Your passion for camp and your positive outlook on life has encouraged me to live life to its fullest and to not sweat the small things. Girls side wouldn't be the same place without you and I'm honoured to have had the pleasure of meeting somebody as special as you. You are our mother on girls side, you are a sense of family, a friend, an inspiration and I can't wait to return home next year to see your beautiful smiling face every day, once again.

LETTERS LIKE THIS - make things all worth it for me - I BELIEVE THAT ONE DAY EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU WILL TAKE WHAT YOU LEARNED HERE AT CAMP AND MASTER THE ART OF BEING KIND, NICE AND BEING YOURSELF.

So continue to work hard in school, continue to BE NICE and continue to count the days until we see each other again!!!!

Love you and BE NICE

See you soon!!

Rosie :)

Remember - GIRLS SIDE DOES WHAT... GREAT THINGS!

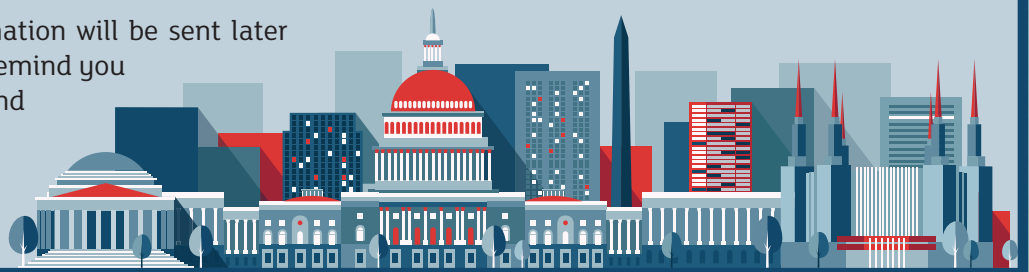
THE SENIOR'S ARE HEADING TO WASHINGTON DC

As many of you already know, one of the highlights of our senior program includes a 3-night / 4-day trip each summer. This coming season, our senior campers (entering grades 8 – 11) will have the opportunity to visit **The Nation's Capital, Washington D.C.** Highlights will include a trip to Baltimore's Inner Harbor, The National Mall (Smithsonian Museums), a Cruise on the Potomac, the thrills of King's Dominion and a few more surprises we are still working on!

Details and enrollment information will be sent later in the year, but we wanted to remind you about this great opportunity and can't wait to share all the highlights as we confirm the trip throughout the winter.

The Senior Trip will take place from July 23 – 26 during Session # 2.

Of course, should you have any questions about the trip prior to receiving the details, don't hesitate to let us know. This is an awesome experience and we don't want you to miss it!



Memories of 2016

Dorney Park & Wildwater Kingdom

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project morry
OUR YOUTH • OUR COMMUNITY • OUR FUTURE

Awesome July 4th
Fireworks



MOCK
Rock!

TARA FITNESS WORK-OUTS

CARNIVAL

ALMA MATERS

DUNKIN' DONUTS
S'MORES

Visiting Day

CANTEEN

SHREK
INTO THE WOODS

Holiday Mountain
SKI AND FUN PARK

Girls Side Song



Blue & Gold Forever

mountain creek
waterpark

The Castle
Fun Center

DLT
DYNAMIC LACROSSE TRAINING



BRAD HENDERSON

COASTAL
SOCCER

ROPE BURN
COLLEGE DAYS

TODDYAHNEY
music & entertainment

THE WINTER ARROW CLUE

As the days grow shorter and the leaves turn beautiful shades of red and gold before making their annual descent to the ground, soon to be covered by winters' snow... there is a hidden arrow waiting to be found...well, figuratively!

In each issue of the Iroquois Springs Times we will present a new clue to the "Winter Arrow's" location. Unlike in Color Week, the "Winter Arrow" can be ANYWHERE in Camp – indoors or outdoors, areas both in bounds and off limits. Use your creativity and imagination...you can even search without a counselor!!!

The first Girls Side and Boys Side campers to correctly name the exact location of the "Winter Arrow" will win a prize for their bunk next summer. Remember to give a detailed description of why you think the "Winter Arrow" is there when you respond.

Send your answers to: summers@iroquoissprings.com and make sure to include your first and last name in the email.

Here is Clue #1:

The season cycle marches ever onward, and it is a beautiful autumn day with Iroquois Springs all dressed up in red and gold. Look! The Lower Seniors are having a weekend reunion, and Bubba, Nicole and Kim are leading a band of merry campers on a hike around the lake. On the far side of the lake, one of the campers found a mysterious old circular sign. With faded colors

and full of dents, the sign had an engraving of an old fashioned looking truck. Bubba explained how the mysterious sign was probably left over from a big construction project in the early 1950s, when the lake was more than doubled in size....

Girls Side Song

*Tune - Can't Stop the Feeling by
Justin Timberlake*

I got this feeling
That I am home
Hop off the bus and see my friends
I'm not alone

All over girl's side
All summer long
Be nice, drink water
Don't forget the birdie song

I got that sunscreen in my pocket
got those sneakers on my feet
feel that sunshine all around me
Never stops
Woo

I can't wait to go to cooking, aqua playground, jewelry
Put my picture on the website, say cheese

Here on girl's side
Where everyone knows
We're nice wherever we go
Through our highs and all of our lows
Summer '16, Summer '16, Summer '16

I got all my best friends here it's camp, camp,
camp, camp
Coming back here every year at camp, camp,
camp, camp
All the things we love to do at camp, camp, camp
Ain't nobody stopping us so keep chanting

Can't stop the feeling
Got this feeling here on girl's side
Can't stop the feeling
The summers here and it's flying by
Can't stop the, can't stop the **GIRLS SIDE**

FAVORITE RECIPE FROM

Kitchen Stadium

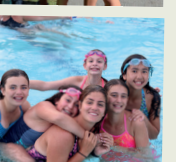
Creamy Orzo

Ingredients

- 1 Box of Cooked Orzo (16 oz.)
- 1 Large Shallot, Chopped
- 2 Cloves of Garlic, Chopped
- 1 Can of Tomato Sauce (8 oz.)
- ½ Cup Heavy Cream
- ¼ Cup Parmesan Cheese
- Parsley, Basil and Oregano, Chopped
- Salt & Pepper

Directions

- Sauté shallots and garlic in olive oil for 2 – 3 minutes.
- Add tomato sauce, salt and pepper and cook on low heat for 10-minutes.
- Add herbs and heavy cream, stir to combine, then add parmesan cheese and mix well.
- Mix in cooked pasta to ingredients, cover and heat on low for additional 5 minutes.



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WHAT'S HAPPENING IN ROCK HILL

Every year we evaluate our facility and program and dream up new ways to continue to make Iroquois Springs the premier 3 and 6-week camp in the northeast. This summer our campers enjoyed the addition of our new lighted football field, 4 renovated camper cabins and of course the new side by side basketball courts on the boy's campus. From the action taking place on the fields and courts this summer, we know these additions were truly well received!

While our maintenance staff is busy "putting camp to bed" for the winter, our new projects are well underway and boy do we have a surprise for you... The summer of 2017 is going to feature a brand new Fitness Center, located just behind the fieldhouse, overlooking the lake, this outstanding new facility is going to feature a spin room, weights and cardio room along with a large space to teach the many types of fitness programs we have to offer. This awesome new building is going to have breathtaking views of the lake, feature a huge deck that doubles the space we have inside and provide an additional location for programs such as Yoga, Pilates and more. With all new equipment and great space to teach, Fitness is going to be an even more popular activity next summer than it's been in the past, and that's not easy. As we continue to recognize the surge in youth participation in areas

of speed and agility training, cardio and weight training and more, we know the new Fitness Center is going to be a welcome new addition next summer.

Of course, there are also other changes that we will share as the winter progresses, such as what will become of the old fitness center and more, but for now, we will let your minds wonder for a bit. The building of the new Fitness Center is a huge undertaking and just another step towards the top, keeping Iroquois Springs as the premier camp it's reputation has come to be.

Make sure to continue to follow our social media feeds and newsletters to hear all about what's doing in 12775 throughout the winter and stay on top of new program ideas and other exciting improvements for next summer!



INTERS BOYS

GLOW LAUNCH

The scene was set yet again; Kenton assembled the Inter Boys for the 4th annual "late night glow launch." The Inter Boys campers and staff, launched rockets covered in glow sticks into the night sky, along with 47 helium balloons and an ID code on each to verify who launched each balloon.

The goal was to see if the rockets or balloons would be found, and if so, where, how far from camp and by whom. We are very excited to announce that some of the balloons have been found, below is the initial list:

So far, here is the list of the balloons that have been recovered and where:

- **BALLOON # 5** - Theo Berson, Clarence Fahnestock State Park, Putnam Valley, NY (64.6 Miles)
- **BALLOON # 38** - Scotty Irvine (Staff), Mahopac, NY (73 Miles)
- **BALLOON # N/A** - Golden's Bridge, NY (79.2 Miles)
- **BALLOON # 1** - From 2015, Henry Martin, Greenville, NY (110 Miles)

BALLOON # 1 '15 - Landing in Greenville, Putnam Valley, NY



BALLOON # 5 - Landing in Clarence Fahnestock State Park, Putnam Valley, NY



These results speak for themselves, a total of 326.80 miles traveled, WOW! And even more exciting, more than 1 year later, a balloon from summer 2015 was recovered, just remarkable! What an awesome job by our inter boys division and of course, a big thank you to Kenton Armbruster, group leader, who took the time to put this wonderful event together again this summer.

We know our rising juniors, soon to be inter division is already looking forward to the "Inter Boys Glow Launch" for 2017!

WELCOME

We are thrilled to welcome the following new campers to the
Iroquois Springs Family

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|----------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| • Alana Bardavid | Old Bethpage, NY | • Arielle Klewans | Potomac, MD |
| • Julia Beida | Mt. Kisco, NY | • Vivien Kokalas | Montclair, NJ |
| • Amanda Bialek | New City, NY | • Nate Kulish | Larchmont, NY |
| • Eliza Brabants | Croton on Hudson, NY | • Caroline Landesman | Pleasantville, NY |
| • Campbell Breen | Syosset, NY | • Emily Levy | Bedford, NY |
| • Emma Camps | Potomac, MD | • Joslyn Lewin | Cresskill, NJ |
| • Natalie Camps | Potomac, MD | • Annie Lewis | Armonk, NY |
| • Joanna Chertoff | Old Bethpage, NY | • Max Lippmann | Roslyn, NY |
| • Abigail Cohen | Dix Hills, NY | • Samantha Lipschitz | Summit, NJ |
| • Ryan Cohen | Greenwood Village, CO | • Olivia Loe | New York, NY |
| • Alexa Cohen | Sands Point, NY | • Charlie Martin | Wyckoff, NJ |
| • Skylar Cohen | Sands Point, NY | • Emery Matusow | Armonk, NY |
| • Zachary Cohen | Sands Point, NY | • Alexandra Music | Rye Brook, NY |
| • Alexa Dobstaff | Melville, NY | • Brody Panes | Livingston, NJ |
| • Keira Eckhardt | Pleasantville, NY | • Bella Plaut | Fort Lee, NJ |
| • Gracie Eisenberg | Armonk, NY | • Bella Roberts | Potomac, MD |
| • Josh Engel | Port Washington, NY | • Willa Rothschild | Plainview, NY |
| • Sadie Fink | North Stamford, CT | • Mateo Schachner | New York, NY |
| • Bennett Gorman | New York, NY | • Jayden Scherr | Livingston, NJ |
| • Davis Gorman | New York, NY | • Reese Schneider | Dix Hills, NY |
| • Jordan Greenberg | Brooklyn, NY | • Jared Schwartz | Paramus, NJ |
| • Skylar Greenberg | Livingston, NJ | • Emily Setton | Plainview, NY |
| • Alexis Handler | Montville, NJ | • Ava Shuster | Bedford, NY |
| • Dylan Hecht | Monroe, NY | • Jack Sisco | Rockville, MD |
| • Lexie Hecht | Monroe, NY | • Madison Slosberg | Livingston, NJ |
| • Noa Herman | Melville, NY | • Adam Stephan-Gewirtz | New York, NY |
| • Logan Hopkins | Scotch Plains, NJ | • Harper Taheri | Potomac, MD |
| • Jordan Horowitz | New York, NY | • Samantha Tollin | Bellmore, NY |
| • Sophia Iorii | Ridgewood, NJ | • Abbie Torrente | Woodcliff Lake, NJ |
| • Lucy Jacobowitz | Essex Falls, NJ | • Jonah Uris | Melville, NY |
| • Nora Jacobowitz | Essex Falls, NJ | • Beckett VanWyk | Chappaqua, NY |
| • Corey Jacobs | Commack, NY | • Ethan Weinberg | Los Altos Hills, CA |
| • Ethan Jalosky | Melville, NY | • Alexandra Zodda | Pleasantville, NY |
| • Eva Jalosky | Melville, NY | • Olivia Zodda | Pleasantville, NY |
| • Spenser Jasinovert | Short Hills, NJ | | |
| • Zachary Kiernan | Armonk, NY | | |



HAPPY Birthday

October

- 1 Michael Berman Annunziata
- 2 Samantha Bristow
- 2 Haley Popowitz
- 3 Veronica Kaplan
- 3 Alexandra Saypoff
- 4 Sophie Cohen
- 4 Olivia Lieberman
- 4 Aaron Warsaw
- 5 Sara Ettinger
- 5 Kaylie Farese
- 6 Hayley Lederman
- 6 Spencer Levy
- 6 Cosima Lindley
- 6 Madison Maher
- 6 Anna Nesser
- 7 Gabriela Snyder
- 10 Jorin Krupitsky
- 10 Ethan Lewis
- 11 Aya Hennig
- 12 Caroline Gerla
- 12 Rylie Levine
- 12 Zack Schteingart
- 13 Matthew Karger
- 13 Alexa Silverstein
- 14 Travis Nichols
- 14 Ruby Oriol
- 16 Sam Carus
- 18 Theo Berson
- 18 Ella Blank
- 18 David Loew
- 18 Matthew Loew
- 19 Agueda De Carvajal
- 20 Jake Blancher
- 21 Maya Kleinberg
- 22 Jordan Chafitz
- 23 Rayna Hirsch
- 23 Fallon Shapiro
- 23 Joseph Steinman
- 23 Cate Sundahl
- 24 Jessica Abelow
- 25 Danielle Klewans
- 25 Molly Weiss
- 26 Mitchell Tesser
- 27 Samantha Loube
- 27 Andie Mandel
- 28 Emily Bright
- 28 Evan Thomas
- 29 Brett Zornberg
- 29 Jordan Zornberg

November

- 1 Zachary Goldenberg
- 1 Rachel Kosofsky
- 1 Samantha Lever
- 2 Maria Kulakova
- 2 Jared Marcus
- 2 Justin Marks
- 2 Anna Segal
- 3 Benjamin Simon
- 3 James Taubman
- 6 Justin Miller
- 6 Rachel Polkowitz
- 8 Emma Cohen
- 8 Izabella Zegers
- 9 Jascha Weiss
- 10 Alex Shesh
- 11 Alexander Golombek
- 11 Bella Levin
- 11 Nicholas Manassis
- 12 Justin Wachen
- 12 Charlie Zirlin
- 13 Jack Borwick
- 13 Nate Borwick
- 14 Jonathan Dobstaff
- 15 Joshua Hook
- 15 Brandon Linchuck
- 17 Ava Salameh
- 18 Abigail Wechsler
- 19 Julia Glaser
- 20 Jake Levy
- 20 Henry Martin
- 21 Charlie Beach
- 21 Miles Theodoros
- 23 Ignacio Coronel de Palma Sierra
- 23 Sam Lavitt
- 24 Mollie Sysler
- 25 Eden Baer
- 25 Ava Lieberman
- 26 Emily Farese
- 27 Ben Sherman
- 28 Brayden Fischer
- 28 Alex Salameh
- 28 Samuel Winitch

December

- 1 Nicola Grimaldi
- 2 Sara Bright
- 4 Melanie Genzano
- 4 Chloe Goldman
- 4 Jane Krauss
- 4 Xanthe Thomas
- 5 Eva Spiegeland
- 6 Charlie Kaminsky
- 6 Marley Leslie
- 7 Alexandra Garcia
- 7 Eden Medalion Yaloz
- 7 Alexander Nichols
- 7 Michael Port
- 7 Rosie Potash
- 8 Mason Herman
- 9 Ryan Attman
- 9 Aidan Bourne
- 14 Elizabeth Cohn
- 14 Jason Prince
- 15 Amanda Kline
- 15 Alex Lewis
- 15 Cole Silber
- 17 Emily Edwards
- 18 Leo Blank
- 19 Julia Hirsch
- 19 Alexandra Wagman
- 20 Avery Conklin
- 20 Nicole Staub
- 21 Avery Cohen
- 21 Allison Lipschitz
- 21 Chase Zornberg
- 22 Max Bouchier
- 22 Mia Bouchier
- 22 Evan Hitsky
- 22 Lila Kokalas
- 22 Adam Levin
- 22 Gabe Sender
- 23 Noa Katz
- 24 Meg Wallach
- 26 Ilan Barnea
- 26 Laura Bialek
- 26 Aidan Silverman
- 27 Remy Alperstein
- 27 Hayden Levine
- 27 Mason Schimmel
- 28 Emily Char
- 28 Avery Lieberman
- 29 Gabrielle Krumper
- 29 Jason Krumper
- 29 Alexis Mogensen
- 30 Max Ciafardini
- 30 Levi Dayne
- 31 Matthew Greco
- 31 Emily Panciroli
- 31 Luis Servet



One of the values we continue to stress at Iroquois Springs is the importance of community service. This summer, as in summers past, our CIT's participated in community service projects both locally and within the larger camp community. Because we feel so strongly about this, once again, our CIT's spent time at Project Morry in conjunction with our annual Swim-a-Thon at camp. They had the chance to see this special program in action, get a better understanding of why we raise money to support Project Morry and most of all, put into perspective the unique opportunity that summer camp offers to campers from all social and economic backgrounds. In addition, we were fortunate to once again have a select number of Project Morry campers visit Iroquois Springs and participate with us for part of the day.....what a special day!

Our CIT's brought so much energy and excitement to our Swim-a-Thon this summer and facilitated another awesome camp event. We swam more laps and raised more money for this truly special organization than any other Swim-a-Thon in the past. We especially want to thank the Iroquois Springs family of campers, parents and staff as they always step up to the plate and helped to make a difference in the lives of so many less fortunate kids. Your continued contributions and dedication to this program will give the gift of summer camp to youth for years to come.

Listening to CIT's talk about their experience after they return from a day at Project Morry is truly heart-warming. It puts into perspective the opportunities that have been afforded to each of them and reminds them what it means to give back, what it means



to help others and what it means to help raise awareness for those not afforded the same opportunities we may enjoy.

If you have not had a chance to send in your donation for this year's Swim-a-Thon, it's not too late. Please send it to our camp office and we will make sure Project Morry receives it.

Project Morry has become part of the fabric of our camp community and we are so proud of the many campers who have chosen the path to help support Project Morry for their bar/bat-mitzvah service project or another community service fundraising event, truly the spirit of helping others!

We are thrilled to announce that once again our camp community raised over \$10,000 for Project Morry – thanks to everyone who donated and thanks for a job well done by our CIT's! Keep up the great work. To find out more about Project Morry, please check out their website at:

www.projectmorry.org

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REUNION - MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Can't wait to see your camp friends, spend the morning with them, maybe have a sleepover and just talk camp..... Well the time is coming soon!

Mark your Calendar - We are proud to announce the 16th Annual Iroquois Springs Camp Reunion on Sunday - December 4, 2016 to be held at FunFuzion in New Roc City (New Rochelle, NY).

This awesome venue has been the site of our past camp reunions and there is a reason we are coming back for more! Come with your family to reunite with camp friends from the summer and enjoy the games, rides and excitement FunFuzion has to offer.

One of the great traditions we have at the reunion is the unveiling of the summer video yearbook and slideshow. What a great way to relive the memories of camp just before your eyes. You will also receive, as a holiday gift, your framed copy of your bunk and individual camp picture as a keepsake of last summer.

(For those of you who cannot make it to the reunion, we will mail your photo to you shortly after the reunion).

Make sure to check your inbox for more details about the reunion and directions to New Roc City.

See you all there!



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Dates to Remember

- Camp Reunion - Sunday, December 4th
- Spring Mailing - Monday, February 1st
- Tri-State Camp Conference - Monday, March 13th to
(Office Closed) Thursday, March 16th
- New Family Orientation - Sunday, May 21st
- Camper Forms Due - Saturday, April 15th
- Area Pick-Up for IS Baggage Service - Sunday, June 18th
- Opening Day - Saturday, June 24th
- Visiting Day - Saturday, July 8th
- Rookie Day - Sunday July 9th
- Session #1 Ends - Friday, July 14th
- Session #2 Begins - Saturday, July 15th
- Explorers Camp - Saturday, July 22nd - Sunday, July 23rd
- Senior Trip to Washington DC - Sunday, July 23rd - Wednesday, July 26th
- Campers Return Home - Friday, August 4th