



The Centerland Chronicle

WILD WEEK 7



Captian Caffery of the Sheriff's Aviation Division gives Centerland an inside look at the helicopter.

With only two weeks left at Camp Centerland this summer, we are letting out wild side show! From learning about some wild inhabitants in the woods, to expressing ourselves through paint, to diving on the soapy slip-n-slide, Camp Centerland is wild in more ways than one!

Another exciting part of our week has been the visitors at Camp this week. The Sheriff's Group has been staying in our

Sharon Shelters, and it has been a great experience to share in some of their activities. We've had helicopters landing near the baseball diamond, horses parading through camp, the K-9 unit demonstrating their incredibly well-trained police dogs, just to name a few of the awesome demonstrations.

The final week of summer at Camp Centerland is going to be

just as action-packed! We are having a second visit from our friends at the Heritage Center, a huge Family Stay Late Picnic, and the counselors are planning to squeeze as much fun as possible into only five days. Stay tuned next week for the final issue of the 2010 Centerland Chronicle.

LETTER FROM THE DIRECTORS

As you can read above, Week 7 has been a special week at camp. As the summer winds to a close I wanted to remind parents to send back any article or item that you know does not belong to your camper so we can find the correct

owner. We also want to know about any important articles or items that your child is missing from this long summer. I am happy to say that we have the least amount of Lost & Found than any other year. We also REALLY hope

you RSVP to join us for our Family Picnic on Wednesday, August 18th. **Your child does not have to be a camper Week 8...**just at some point during this summer. We want to gather together one last time to celebrate the friendships, memories, and success of Summer 2010. Call asap...652-4250.

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Special points of interest:

- ☺ Apply sunscreen to your child every morning.
- ☺ Label EVERYTHING!
- ☺ Campers must wear sneakers to camp.
- ☺ Please bring goggles.
- ☺ Please refrain from sending in snacks with traces of peanuts or nuts.

Nurse Amy's Tip of the Week

Weather-appropriate clothing is an important part of keeping healthy in WNY. Be sure to dress for the weather outside, not the calendar. Some mornings in August can be on the chilly side, so a Centerland sweatshirt will keep you cozy & warm! And don't forget your Centerland hat to keep the sun off your face on hot and sunny August days!

COUNSELOR ENCOUNTERS WITH ALCIA

Meet Brett

Hometown: Cheektowaga, NY
 Position: Atid Boys Counselor-3rd year at Camp Centerland (He was a camper!!)
 Favorite Food: Seafood
 Favorite Movie: 12 Angry Men
 Hobbies: Writing, boating and fishing
 Talents: Story telling
 Best Feature: Eyes
 Goal: "To become a doctor some-day."

Meet Caroline

Hometown: Buffalo, NY
 Position: Sharon Counselor-1st year Rookie
 Favorite Food: Pizza
 Favorite Movie: Superbad
 Hobbies: Doing makeovers
 Talent: Good at imitating others (voices)
 Best Feature: My eyes
 Goal: "to have the best summer EVER!"



Above: Caroline from Sharon

Below: Brett with Atid campers



THE PICTURE PLACE From left: Yehuda camper Fiona with Counselor Jackie; Sharon performs Noah's Ark at Shabbat; The Sheriff's Mounted Reserve Unit visited Centerland on Wednesday



WEEKLY POLL RESULTS: THIS WEEK'S POLL: WHAT'S YOUR FAVORITE FLAVOR OF ICE CREAM?

Renee (JRD): Chocolate
 Ben (JRD Counselor): Peanut Butter
 Laura (Sharon): Cookie Dough
 Julie (Sharon): Cherry
 Veronica (Sharon): Cookies-n-Cream
 Ryan (Y4B): Vanilla
 Kayla (JRD): Mint



Eliza (Y3): Chocolate
 Geoff (Sports): Panda Paws
 Jarrett (Y4B): Strawberry
 David (Negev): Blue Cotton Candy
 Fox (Y3): Mint Chip
 Samantha (JRD): Twist
 Joelle (Sharon): Cookie Dough
 Caroline (JRD): Cookie Dough

Emmy (Sharon): Chocolate
 Will (Y4B): Cookie Dough
 Daniel (Y3): Lime
 Romee (JRD): Butter Pecan
 Josh (Sharon): Blueberry
 Elizabeth (Y3): Chocolate
 Brandon (Y4B): Vanilla
 Finnegan (Sharon): Mint
 Jack (Sharon): Blueberry

The Week 7 Winner is:
A TIE between Chocolate and Cookie Dough!!

AQUATICS DIRECTOR ERIC PRESENTS: THE SWIMMING CORNER

The pools were the place to be during another hot week at Centerland. From cannon ball contests to wacky races, there was plenty of fun for everyone. The pools were not the only place to get wet. All the campers had a blast on the slip and slide and during water balloon wars.



Junior Discovery jumps into the deep end at the Goldman Pool!

ATTENTION PARENTS: Bring your bathing suits to the Family Picnic Wednesday evening. Don't miss the parent-child cannon ball contest and all the fun games you can make with the pool toys. If you haven't seen your chil-

dren swim this summer, you are going to be amazed at what they can do! And don't worry, the pools are heated, so the water will be a comfortable temperature no matter what the temperature outside will be. The Aquatics staff are looking forward to seeing all of the families and friends of our Centerland swimmers! Hope to see you pool-side next Wednesday evening!

OVERNIGHT EXCITEMENT

Camp Centerland overnights are the place to be! Each week our counselors come up with fun (and even a little wacky) themes for their groups.

Week 7 is the overnight for the Atid groups, and they will be going "medieval" this week! Travel back in time this Thursday to experience authentic Renaissance

language, create your own family crest and royal headgear, or take on the role of a knight in the jousting challenge.

Next week is the final week of camp, and the final overnight of the summer for the Discovery and Jr. Discovery groups. Also, don't forget to join us for the Family Picnic next week Wednesday!



Campers love to swim at the overnights!

Overnight Schedule 2010

Week 7: Atid

Week 8: Discovery

Week 8: Family Picnic

DID YOU KNOW... FAMILY PICNIC TIME!

We hope by now everyone has received their official invitation to our spectacular Family Celebration Picnic. The stay late will be held on Wednesday, August 18 at Camp Centerland from 5:00-7:30 pm. All are invited!

The Picnic promises to be a very exciting evening, since we will be hosting not only the staff and fami-

lies of Centerland campers, but families of all other JCC Summer Day Camps, and all JCC staff are invited to attend as well.

The entertainment for the evening will include typical Camp Centerland projects and games, swimming, zipline, mini golf, creek walks, a tour of the maze, bounce house, and much more! The dining hall will feature mu-

sic by Saxman Slim during meals.

All families and friends are welcome to join us for an evening of fun and relaxation! We hope to see you there!

RSVP by phone 652-4250 or email lcohen@jccbuffalo.org no later than August 13th!

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LOST AND FOUND

Come claim your lost and found in the office at the Main House!

We will also be putting all of our remaining lost and found on display at the Family Picnic, so that families can take one last look to claim possessions!

Lost

(Items our campers are missing... have you seen it?)

White Water Bottle

Yankees Hat

Speedo Goggles

Blue & Green Striped Towel

Gold Cross Necklace

Orange/Pink Striped Girl's Bathing Suit

2 Towels labeled "Perri"

MP3 Player in Sweatshirt

Silver/Red Mongoose Sunglasses

Blue PGA Hat

Black Lunchbox

Blue Flower Print Water

Bottle w Red Cap

Clear Goggles

We don't like "Lost". Please label EVERYTHING with your child's name, so all missing items can be considered "Found"!

Found

Small Peach Towel

Pink Bath Towel

Pale Peach Towel

White Towel

Blue/White Striped Towel

Blue/White Lighthouse Towel

Brown Hat/Pink Flowers (10-14)

Black NY Hat

Red Sox Hat w/ SSgA logo

Small Crystal Stud Earring

Black Skateboarding T (M)

Ransom Black/Pink Sparkle T (M)

Hanes Grey T (M)

White Beaded Flip Flops (W 7)

Centerland Blue Zip Hoodie (Adult S)

LLBean White Zip Hoodie w/ flower print in hood (14-16)

Tuff Guys Black Cargo Pants (L)

Carter's Blue/Orange Dog Print Shorts (8)

Speedo Black Swim Trunks (M)

Orange Sonoma Swim Trunks (L)

Pink Rhinestone Sunglasses

Pink Nike Goggles

A TON of Socks!

UNDERWEAR EVERYWHERE:

2 pairs Old Navy Boxers (M)

Black Hanes Briefs (M)

Hanes Blue Plaid Boxers (L)

Hanes White Briefs (S)

Hanes Grey Boxer Briefs (M)

Disney Girls Briefs (6)

Transformers Briefs (6)

FotL Brown Boxer Briefs (M)

FotL Blue Plaid Boxers (XL)

Greendog Blue Bikini Briefs

Hanes Blue Boxer Briefs (S)

Hanes Blue Boxer Briefs (M)

THE SPECIALIST SPOT

This week's specialist report come from Jackie, our JCA Specialist.

Last week during Chugims, Jackie had campers make their own Silly Bandz! Since the Chugim was limited to just a few campers, we wanted to give everyone at Centerland a chance to make their own Silly Bandz at home.

Make Custom Silly Bandz!

Materials:

1. Wax paper
2. Plastic Zip-style freezer bags
3. Clear "Silicone-II" 2x Stretch caulk
4. Caulk gun
5. Cake Decorating Coupler set
6. Cake decorating tips, size #5
7. Toothpicks

Optional Materials:

1. Oil Paint
2. Scented Oil
3. Glitter
4. Glow in the dark paint

Steps:

1. Draw your Custom Bandz shape on a piece of wax paper.
2. Set up caulk into the caulk gun following all directions.
3. Attach the coupler set to the corner of a zip bag and attach the decorating tip.
4. Squeeze caulk and small amount of optional materials into the bag. Don't add too much of any optional material as your Custom

Bandz might break.

5. Mix the caulk & optional materials together with a toothpick.
6. Use your fingers to push the caulk toward the decorating tip & twist the bag behind the caulk.
7. Squeeze the caulk onto the wax paper & trace your design. Keep Custom Bandz thick so they do not break. Overlap the ends so they don't come apart.
8. Let dry for 24 hours and then peel off the wax paper. Peeling off too early may cause Bandz to break or not hold their shape.
9. Clean coupler & tip with toothpicks & paper towel.