

Hello Campers & Families

A Week 6 wrap up of Camp Coolio!

Yet another awesome week here at Camp Coolio!

We kicked off our Wild West week by splitting into our new teams and coming up with team names. This week’s teams were The Wild West Wackos, The Cactus Tickle Trees, Horse, and The Tumbleweed Bandits. Activity choices for Monday were dodgeball up in the tennis court, a sketching activity in the gazebo, and a fun craft of decorating cowboy and cowgirl hats! Our whole camp game was called steal the bacon, where campers were competing against other teams to earn points for their teams. What a great start to the week!

On Tuesday we visited Chuckster’s as our field trip for this week. Here, campers had the opportunity to play mini golf, climb a rock wall, and engage in several other fun activities outside with friends and counselors. We started our day Wednesday with a whole group game of Birdie on a Perch, a Camp Coolio favorite. After that, campers had the choice of kickball, a clay magnet craft inside, or a nature walk/scavenger hunt activity. In the afternoon, some campers visited Mill Pond to cool off, and we had our annual “Coolio Casino” inside where campers played some fun card games with friends.

On Thursday, we had a bubble party as a special in house activity. Campers had so much fun popping bubbles, dancing, and playing in the foam outside! We also played some basketball up at the school playground, made cactus picture frame crafts, and made cool nature frame crafts later in the day.

As always, we started our morning on Friday by awarding our Camper of the Week, and announcing the week’s winning team. We did some awesome camp relay races as a whole group that were based on our Wild West theme. Our activities for the rest of the day were handball, a sheriff star badge craft inside. And of course, campers had the opportunity to visit Dodge’s store after lunch for a treat.

This weeks camper of the week is Ramsey

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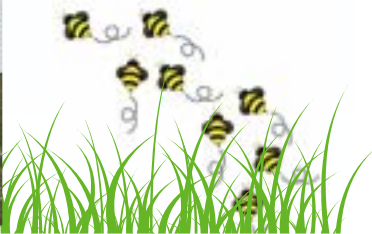


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Important Dates

8/12	Field Trip to Canobie Lake Park
8/19	Concert on the Common, Endless Skies Band, 6pm



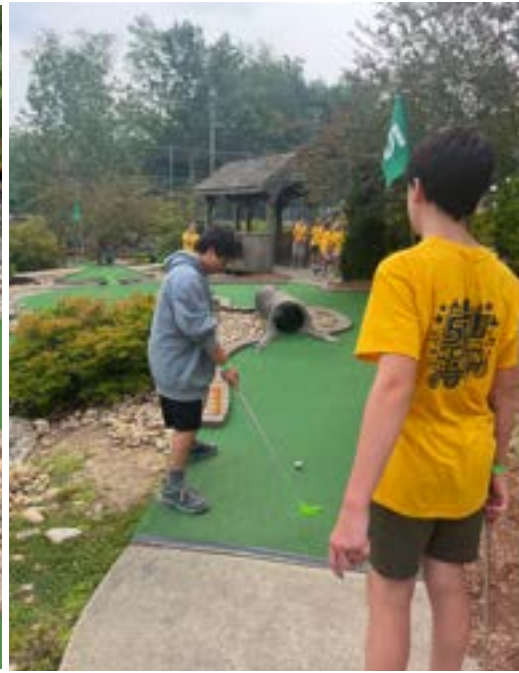
Camp Quotes!

“LOOK—It’s a
mammoth tusk!”
~ Ian



Camp Coolio

**Where Campers
Turn into Family!**





Tigris says: Goodbye Campers

Hi Campers, It's me, Tigris—the friendly old pup who loved sniffing your sneakers, getting sneak belly rubs, and keeping an eye on all your silly games. I wanted to let you know that I've passed away and crossed the Rainbow Bridge. That's a special place where all dogs go to chase butterflies, nap in the sun, and dream about all the wonderful people we've met.

I want you to know how much I loved being part of your camp days. You made me feel like the luckiest dog in the world! Whether I was running around the softball field with you, helping choose Camper of the Week, or just hearing you say "Hi, Tigris!" as you walked by, my tail was wagging every single time.

I may not be at camp anymore, but I'll always be part of it. Every time you're kind, make a new friend, or cheer someone on, I'll be there in spirit, tail wagging.

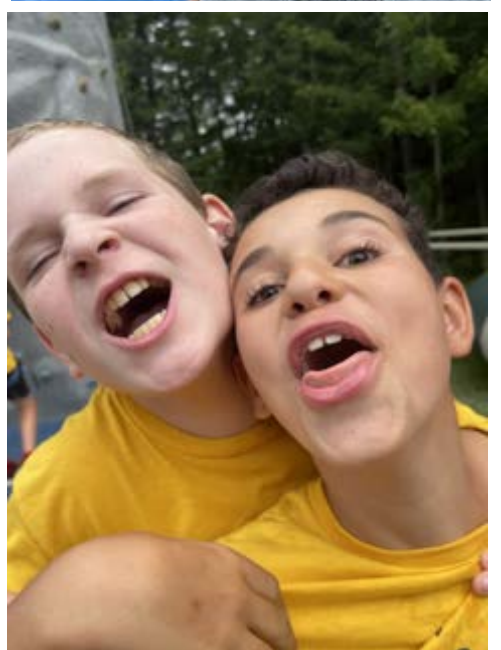
Thank you for loving me. I sure loved you.

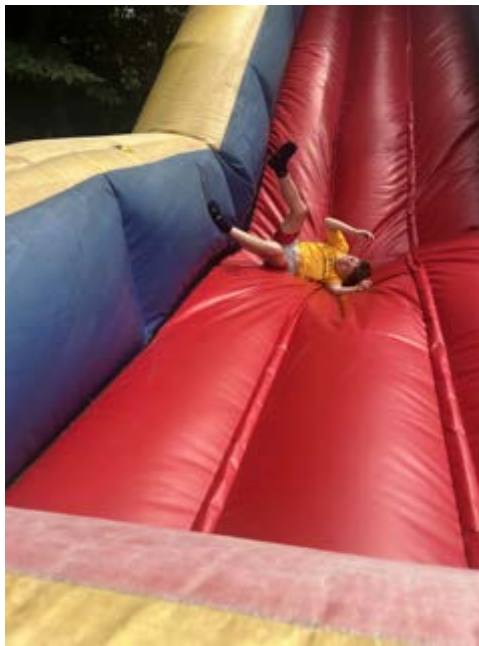
Keep wagging, keep smiling, and keep being awesome.

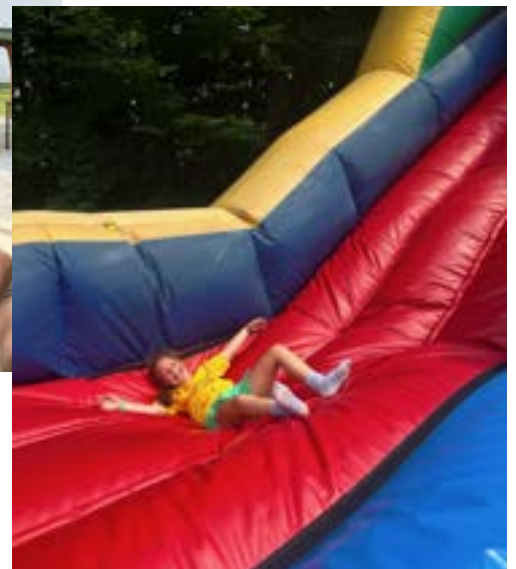
Love,

Tigris













Week 7 Important Info

Theme: Coolio Carnival

Field Trip: Canobie Lake Park

Tuesday, August 12: Our field trip will be to Canobie Lake Park. Please arrive at camp by 9:15 as our bus departs at 9:30. We plan to return to camp around 5:00pm. Canobie groups will be organized by campers' interest of attractions available at the park. Campers may bring up to \$25 each to buy food items and treats during this trip, however spending money is totally optional! Campers should pack snacks and water, and may either buy a lunch there or pack lunch with them. Please make sure to wear sneakers, bring sunscreen, and to wear your camp shirt!

Wednesday, August 13: To celebrate our final week of camp and its theme Coolio Carnival, we will have our own camp carnival out in the field on Wednesday. We will have a bouncy house, a face painting artist, and other fun carnival games for campers to enjoy!

Friday, August 15: We will have a BBQ lunch with Mike and Sheri on Friday as something special for our last day. Campers will be provided a hot dog, bag of chips, juice box, and frozen treat. **If your camper would prefer something other than a hot dog, please pack an alternate lunch.** We still plan to visit Dodge's store after lunch (\$2-5)! a change of clothes, and a towel for Mill Pond.

Keepin' it cool at Camp Coolio,
Jackie, Aurora, Layla, Kathryn, Kaiden,
Gavin, Bella & Maggie.

Week 6 COW!

Ramsey!



When deciding on the Camper of the Week our staff looks for a camper that is: Helpful, shows good sportsmanship, is kind and respectful to other campers and staff, respects camp/town property and equipment.

This week, counselors selected Ramsey as our camper of the week! Ramsey has shown exceptional camp behavior though being kinds towards everyone, caring for our space and materials, and having an amazing camp attitude.

Three cheers for Ramsey — thank you for helping make Camp Coolio the best place to be!"



The Foam Invasion
was a HIT!