

2017 IS LOTS OF FUN.....ARROWHEAD FOR EVERYONE!!!!

Welcome to the **ARROWHEADLINES**

62 YEARS OF SERVICE TO CHILDREN

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Upcoming Events

Monday, June 19 th	<i>Camp Opens.....Hooray!!!!</i>
Tuesday, June 20 th	School Spirit T-shirt Day
Wednesday, June 21 st	Geography Shirt Day- show us where you have been!
Thursday, June 22 nd	Silly Socks Day!
Friday, June 23 rd	CAMP SHOW- Jumpin" Jamie
Monday, June 26 th	Mismatched Day! 1 st day for Last 7 weekers (L7)
Tuesday, June 27 th	PICTURE DAY!- wear your ARROWHEAD smile!
Wednesday, June 28 th	Pajama Day- show us where you have been! GYMKIDZ workout clinic for our Jr & Int campers
Thursday, June 29 th	CAMPER COUNSELOR DAY!
Friday, June 30 th	CAMP SHOW- Improv
Fri. 6/30-Sun. 7/2	OVERNIGHT WEEKEND #1

CAMP STORE

Attention all **Arrowhead** Shoppers! **Arrowhead's** on-line **CAMP STORE** is officially open for business, and ready to accept orders 24/7.

We are pleased to offer a wide variety of apparel, outerwear and accessories showcasing our camp logo. All items to purchase are available in both children and adult sizes for campers, staff, and even alumni.

Purchases made on-line will be directly shipped to your home.

To place an order.....please visit our website home page & click on the **CAMP STORE** under the Parents Resources Tab.

OVERNIGHT WEEKENDS!

We are overwhelmed with the excitement that we have received from our Intermediate & Senior campers for our upcoming **OVERNIGHT WEEKENDS**. Spots have been filling quickly and we will soon be closing certain age & gender groups, especially for Weekend #2 (July 28th- July 30th).

If you and your child are still interested, and are at least 7 years of age as of July 1st, we strongly recommend getting your application and payment in ASAP so you do not miss out in securing a spot.

Sign up is quick & easy! All forms have been mailed out and can also be found on our website under Parent Resources

WELCOME BACK TO OUR STUPENDOUS STAFF

DIRECTORS

Carrie Chaitt - Junior Camp
Kristen Cheney - Intermediate Camp
Randy Straff - Senior Camp
Julie Gilbert - Mess Hall & Transportation
Dave Shuster - Lower Pool Carrie Hemler - Upper Pool

BUNK COUNSELORS

Mor Aharoni, John Blaisse, Amanda Ficca, Adriana Huff, Chris Gutowski, David Kutch, Scott Miller, Anthony Petril, Emily Seigel, Kyle Webber, Jamie Weingartner

SPECIALISTS

In addition to many bunk counselors returning, we have some very dedicated specialists including:

ART I- Our very own Picasso, Jamie Rostin

ART II- creative & fun, Robin Allen

ARCHERY- Joel Kutner, Arrowhead's own Robinhood

COMPUTERS- Our very own techy- Rebecca Zieff & Stephanie Katz

CULINARY ARTS- our very own Rachel Ray, Ruth Henninger

LAKEFRONT- Our deep-sea fishermen & expert rowmen: Richard Eckel

MARKSMANSHIP- Harry Tyldsley- where safety is our top priority

MUSIC & DANCE- Our very own Arrowhead Idol- Lacey Kurz & Jackie Law

NURSE- Kim Onderdonk- our very own Florence Nightingale

PIONEERING- continuously zipping along our "zip line"- Heather Bachman, Trudie Bennett, Chris Onderdonk

POOL- Phil Grau, Peyton Herbst, Matt Kramkowski, Amanda Waldenberger - top notch lifeguards & aquatic instructors

TENNIS - swinging like a pro, Adam Pearlstein

OFFICE- the highly efficient Cheryl Sakel

BUS DRIVERS- CDL trained Adeline Everett, David Cassell, Robert Pirraine, Joe Kulp, Rosemary Kanatous, Marianne Gorman, Ray Haffelfinger, Robert Uff & Jack Waterloo

BUS COUNSELORS- Rachel Hunn, Rebecca Jalboot, Robert Silver

VAN DRIVERS- John Blaisse, Joel Kutner, Kyle Webber, Ruth Henninger, Mary Miller

KITCHEN- Jacqueline Shaffer, Jason Fliegelman & Jacob Keates,

MAINTENANCE- our very own Mr. Fix-it, Will Chalker

A BIG warm welcome back to our RETURNING JUNIOR COUNSELORS.....ARROWHEAD wouldn't be the same without your dedication, hard work and love of camp!

Henry Bailey, Casey Brown, Angela & Isabella Buonanno, Rachel Eiseman, Morgan Ferry, Jason Fliegelman, Lucas Gribben, Megan Hill, Ethan Holcombe, Rachel Hunn, Melissa Hunn, Rebecca Jalboot, Jacob Keiths, Eleanor Kennedy-Lange, Cristina Morton, Alexa Mullen, Katie Olafson, Rachel Rafferty, Alea Reilly, Brett Richards, Julia Rinaudo, Briana Shaffer, Cheyenne Shaffer, Corey Siegel, Robert Silver, Jake Starr, Colleen Tressel, Jeffrey VanSciver, Zachary Waterman & Alex Waxman,

Important Dates to Remember

Monday, June 19	CAMP OPENS - HOORAY!!!! ☺
Tuesday, July 4	CAMP CLOSED - INDEPENDENCE DAY
Fri. June 30- Sun. July 2	Overnight Weekend #1
*Tuesday, July 11	VISITING DAY ---GIRLS & FIRST 4 WEEK CAMPERS
Friday, July 14	FIRST 4 WEEK SESSION OVER
Monday, July 17	LAST 4 WEEK SESSION BEGINS
*Thursday, July 20	VISITING DAY ---BOYS & LAST 4 WEEK CAMPERS
Fri., July 28- Sun., July 30	Overnight Weekend #2
Friday, August 11	LAST DAY OF CAMP -----BOO!!!! ☹

- **VISITING DAY IS FROM 10:00 A.M. UNTIL CAMPERS' LUNCH PERIOD ***
Lunch will be served for all visiting parents!

ADVICE FROM OUR CAMP NURSE WHEN SENDING MEDICATION TO CAMP FOR YOUR CHILD:

1. Label the medication with your child's name, bunk, & transportation vehicle.
2. Include the name of the medication, the reason they are taking it, the time it is to be given, and whether or not it is to be sent home each day.
3. If your child is to transport the medication, please be sure that they know to bring it directly to the nurse upon arrival to camp.
4. **All medications must be in their original container.**
5. Helpful Hint: Have your pharmacy split your child's medication (i.e. for camp & home) and put in separate containers. Put exact amount in container (39 day season). We will send all left over medications & container home on your child's last day of camp.

CLUB DAY @ ARROWHEAD

CLUB DAY at **ARROWHEAD** is a chance for our Intermediate and Senior campers to choose whatever they want to experience among our great activities at camp. This process can be done at home with parents on the internet. Senior Camp will be able to choose twice a day and Intermediate camp will get to choose once a day.

Along with our regular amazing activities, we will also have outside vendors such as scuba diving, jewelry making, magic, aviation, hands on science, pottery, nerf wars, stuff a bear and much more.

CLUB DAY Sign up begins at 7:00 p.m. on the Tuesday prior to the week chosen and ends at 5:00 pm on the Sunday prior to the week chosen.

Detailed sign up procedures will be e-mailed to everyone on June 13th. Please make sure the camp has the appropriate applicable e-mail address.

Watch this space for more details to see for yourselves why **ARROWHEAD** is the leader in area day camps!

Transportation Procedures

In our never ending effort to provide all our campers with the safest and most efficient transportation to and from camp we ask all of our parents to fully cooperate by:

1. Having all campers dressed, packed, fed, and ready to go before the approximate pick-up time given to you by your transportation counselor. Having your child ready will avoid delays for all campers and insure everyone a full day at camp.
2. Due to tight scheduling, crowded vehicles, insurance requirements, seat belt allotments and a whole host of other reasons: **ARROWHEAD DOES NOT ALLOW VEHICLE SWITCHING AT ANYTIME FOR ANY REASON!!!!** Please understand this is for your child's and all of our camper's safety and protection. Please do not request such a service as unfortunately it cannot be honored. Camper's can only travel on the vehicle they are assigned for the entire season. Thank you for your understanding.
3. If you will be dropping your child off at camp do not bring them before 9:30! Camp begins at 9:30.
4. If you will be picking up your child, please do so by 3:00. Please send in an official **ARROWHEAD** transportation request form and give to your child's driver for immediate transmittal to the office. This form can be obtained by downloading from our website under "[Parent Resources- Forms & Applications](#)", or by printing from one of our 4 editions of the **ARROWHEADLINES**, requesting one from your driver, or contacting the office. We will have the camper waiting for you when you arrive. Should you not be present by 3:00, your child will be placed on normal transportation to go home. **Camp dismisses at 3:15 SHARP!** Camp will not release any child to any person (other than parents or guardian) at any time for any reason. This is for your child's protection.
5. For those campers using **EXTENDED DAY** in lieu of transportation- please be advised that drop off times are between 7:30 AM and 9:15 AM at rear entrance of camp (Manley Rd.). Children using **EXTENDED DAY** can be picked up at the same location beginning 3:30 PM and no later than 5:30 PM. This will be strictly enforced!
6. Should your child not be coming to camp for any reason (illness, vacation), please inform your transportation counselor. Please do not call the camp on this. Telling your driver is sufficient!

WE SINCERELY THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION IN THESE ENDEAVORS!

A NOTE TO ARROWHEAD DAY CAMP

Transportation Change Request

FAX (610) 695-8118

E-MAIL chiefarrowhead@comcast.net

Date _____

Camper's Name(s) _____ / _____

Bunk(s) _____ / _____

Vehicle _____

REQUEST FOR TRANSPORTATION CHANGE

My child(ren) will be picked up at _____ on _____ at the camp office.*
Time
Date

****PICK UP MUST BE NO LATER THAN 3:00!!!***

Please allow my child to be dropped off at the home of _____ who also rides on the same vehicle as my child.

My child(ren) will be dropped off at camp at _____ on _____.
Time
Date

****DROP OFF MUST BE NO EARLIER THAN 9:30!!!***

Parent's Signature _____

* Please indicate name of individual if not parent or guardian

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

CLOTHING LIST

For those parents who misplaced or lost the clothing list previously sent to you- Here it is again!!!! This is also on our website under "Parents Resources"

The following items will be needed on the first day of camp:

2 bathing suits	1 extra set of underwear
2 towels	1 comb or brush
1 extra pair of shorts	1 extra pair of socks
1 sweatshirt/ light jacket	1 pair of pool shoes/Water shoes
1 extra t-shirt	sun block
1 pair of jeans	water bottle

All clothing should be sent to camp in the **ARROWHEAD** laundry bag to be given to you by your child's driver before camp begins.

BE SURE TO PRINT THE CAMPERS NAME ON THE BAG!!!!!!

The clothing will remain in your child's individual locker at camp. All dirty clothes (including bathing suits and towels) will be sent home each Friday. Clean replacements are to be sent back to camp on the following Monday.

PLEASE HAVE ALL ITEMS COMING TO CAMP PROPERLY **LABELED** WITH NAME TAPES OR OTHER PERMANENT MARKINGS OF IDENTIFICATION. UNLABELED ITEMS ARE MOST DIFFICULT TO IDENTIFY AND ARE EASILY MISPLACED. **FULL NAMES PLEASE- NO INITIALS!!!!**

HELPFUL HINTS OF ADVICE TO OUR NEW & RETURNING CAMPERS

- 1. We recommend not bringing anything of value to camp (backpacks, jewelry, money, cell phones, iPods, etc.) as they are easily misplaced, lost, broken or unfortunately stolen.**
- 2. Please do not bring your own equipment to camp (bats, tennis rackets, etc.) as these too are easily lost. Baseball gloves are permitted- just make sure the camper's name is clearly printed on it.**
- 3. Make sure all items that are brought to camp are clearly **LABELED!****

HEALTH FORMS

The camp must receive all health forms previously sent to you before camp begins. This is most important! Should you need an additional medical form, please call us or download one from our website under Parent Resources - "Forms & Applications." This is for your child's protection.

Something Serious- Something Sweet!

Many campers at **ARROWHEAD** have severe food and bee sting allergies. Due to the increasing amount of campers who enjoy celebrating their birthdays at camp we have to be extra cautious. We are asking that treats be sent in for special occasions only. A popular suggestion is Munchkins from Dunkin Donuts. We are also insisting that all food of any kind be eaten inside the air-conditioned Mess Hall. This will enable us to monitor the bees, allergies and clean-up more safely. Thank you.

PROPER FOOTWEAR AT CAMP

We are informing all of our parents that **sneakers** and **sneakers only** are the appropriate footwear for your children to wear during our camp day. Any types of sandals, flip-flops, pool shoes etc. are not only inappropriate but also dangerous. Our campers are engaged in various activities including running, jumping, climbing etc. and sneakers are for these endeavors. Parents we ask you to use common sense and please follow our advice for the safety of your children. Thank you.

Camper Cell Phone Policy

As you may or may not have known, we sent out a survey in September, and one of the questions referenced **cell phones and electronics** at camp. Over 90% of our parents who responded wanted a tougher cell phone policy. Because of this we have made an official electronic policy that will be carried out this summer.

One of the best, if not the best part, of summer camp is being able to enjoy the great outdoors. Add to this that our children have spent so much time sitting in rows with pencil & paper and taking standardized tests, they really need to be participating in all that **ARROWHEAD** has to offer.

With respect to this, cell phones and tablets are **not** permitted, or to be used on camp grounds. Campers that are seen with any electronics will politely be asked to put them back in their bunkroom. If it becomes a bigger problem, counselors or directors will take them away to be given back at the end of the day. The exception to this policy would be if the camper chooses to use their electronic on their camp assigned vehicle. Please remember, however, that camp is not responsible for any lost or damaged electronics and there is nowhere for them to be locked up for the day.

We really hope that all parents help us in enforcing this policy and would agree that electronics should not be used at **ARROWHEAD** as this is the time and place to get "unplugged" and back to enjoying being outside with friends!

If you have any questions or comments with this policy, please feel free to call the office at 610-353-5437 or email us at chiefarrowhead@comcast.net.

Camp Communication

We are available by phone to answer any and all your concerns:

(610) 353-KIDS {5437}

7:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M. - Monday thru Friday

By FAX: (610) 695-8118

24 hours- 7 days a week

E-MAIL: chiefarrowhead@comcast.net

24 hours- 7 days a week

***Please allow 24 hours for a response if e-mailing on a weekend**

E-MAIL UPDATES

We will be communicating with our parents by sending out individual bunk news e-mails & photos. These weekly e-mails will contain specific information for the campers bunk (upcoming special events, what to wear, and bring in, etc.) along with newsy notes and tidbits of information of the prior week. We also will be uploading weekly photos & videos of our campers in action to their individual **bunk page** on our camp website. Easy access links will also be included in your weekly email. Our commitment to keeping parents informed of all things **ARROWHEAD** along with our high-tech connectivity keeps **ARROWHEAD** the leader among area day camps. If you are unsure whether or not you supplied us with your family e-mail address, please call us to confirm. We are capable of sending our e-mails to multiple addresses- just let us know and we will add as many e-mail addresses as you request. We will also be utilizing this method to communicate to our **ARROWHEAD** families in the rare event that should an emergency arise along with any other vital information that we deem necessary throughout the summer and the off-season. We thank you for your cooperation.

MENU

MONDAY 6/19

Breakfast of Champions
ASST. CEREALS & MILK
Mini Muffins
Fresh Fruit

MONDAY 6/26

Rockin' **RAVIOLI**
Cool Cucumber slices
Creamy Vanilla Pudding

TUESDAY 6/20

Build Your Own **BURGER**
Lettuce, Tomato, Pickles & Cheese
Jersey Corn Niblets
Chilled Peaches

TUESDAY 6/27

TURKEY TACO Tuesday
Salsa, Lettuce, Hard Shells & Cheese
Juicy Orange Wedges

WEDNESDAY 6/21

RIGATONI a la ARROWHEAD
Whole Wheat Pasta w/ marinara
sauce
Caesar Salad
Refreshing Fruit Cocktail

WEDNESDAY 6/28

Marvelous **MAC & CHEESE**
Caesar Salad
Jiggly Jell-O

THURSDAY 6/22

Gooley **GRILLED CHEESE**
Crunchy Carrots Sticks
Tropical Pineapple

THURSDAY 6/29

Fabulous French Bread **PIZZA**
Crispy Potato Chips
Apple Slices

FRIDAY 6/23

DELI DAY!
Salami, Turkey
Tomato, Lettuce & American &
Provolone Cheese
Whole Wheat Bread
Crispy Potato Chips
Twin Pops

FRIDAY 6/30

Fancy **FRENCH TOAST STICKS**
Yogurt
Frosty Freeze Pops

All food is served "family style" by our Jr. Counselors & is available in our delightfully air conditioned Mess Hall. For those campers who do not care for the main meal of the day we always have available daily – soy peanut butter & jelly & marshmallow fluff (in any combination) on fresh whole wheat bread, hard boiled eggs, salad bar, baked potatoes, fresh sliced NY bagels with cream cheese, grilled hotdogs with all the fixins' and ocean fresh tuna fish salad.

LIQUID REFRESHMENT- All campers will have a variety of flavors of Arrowhead's world famous ice-cold bug juice served during lunchtime in unlimited quantities- (Monday thru Thursday). Lemonade is served to all campers every Friday.

SNACK- All campers (JR, INT & SR) receive their daily snack in the afternoon which includes special treats (cookies, pretzels, fresh fruit) along with a choice of white or chocolate milk- all low-fat!!!!