

O&A ADVENTURES!

This summer O & A is excited to welcome campers back to challenge themselves in the great outdoors! You will never be short on water with Buster and Tracy Waters and the rest of

the O & A crew!
Get ready to fly like a squirrel, climb like a monkey and zip away!



Keep your eyes open for the newest Gem Car!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

June 27: Chrystian Tamayo, Monika Tomkova
June 28: Cayla Kusnierz, Adam Lanel, Jenna Yasgur, Eszter Gal
June 29: Hallie Abish, Cassidy Kurzer
June 30: Jillian Weintraub, Marni Denenberg
July 1: Harrison Kusnierz, Canada!
July 2: Jonathan 'NY' Heller
July 3: Ross Devore, Jeffrey Needleman
July 4: Daniel Ledner, Matt Tancer, Vito Zuccarelli, USA!
July 5: Jack Grossman, Matt Gutkin, David Ostern,
July 6: Hannah Plotnek, Karen Feuerstein
July 7: Chandler Bolog, Bethany Hecht, Michael Tesser
July 8: Carly Lapidus, Chelsea Shemesh, Cole Eshbach, Alicia Florin
July 9: Zoe Denenberg

THIS YEAR'S S-D-C-L CONCERT IS ...



DON'T FORGET TO CHECK OUT THE
NEW ALLEY!

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OUR 87th YEAR!

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You will be at camp today. 2009!!!

Today is the first day of camp! We are very excited that you are on your way to your summer home! Yippeee, let's hear it for beautiful, sunny (it better be!) and fun Honesdale, Pennsylvania!



Open, Banana Splits, Brad the Hypnotist, Talent Show, Campapalooza, July 4th fireworks, and The ultimate Guinness Record breaking event, the first Friday Nite Flix of the summer and s'more!!!

Sit back, relax and enjoy the ride.... Eat your lunch slowly, use the bathroom in the back of the bus if you need it and then enjoy the scenic drive.

We are going to have an awesome and exciting summer! We can't wait till the busses pull into camp!!!!

First, Welcome to all first year campers!!! You will only feel new for about 5 minutes and then everything will be okay! Your bunkmates and counselors will be friendly and helpful.

When you arrive at camp, we will bring you to your bunk and get things started. In fact, tonight after dinner we have a very entertaining Staff Welcome and Introduction Show as well as a campfire!!!

Tomorrow starts our first full day of activities, and a week of great fun. Besides our usual great activities and team practices, we have some incredible special events, including some UNIQUE entertainment, The Towanda

Don't worry if you are not sure where to go or what to do when you get here; your counselors will answer all of your questions and also help you every step of the way, all summer long!

All Big Brothers and Sisters, don't forget to visit your "Little" at their bunk this afternoon (and tomorrow after lunch at the "far side" of the Mess Hall, too).

We're looking forward to giving you all a big hello, we'll see you when you step off the bus and then at evening flagpole.

Don't worry, everything will be great!!!! It's summer! The sun will shine in 2009! See you soon!!

Mitch & Stephanie

Got a good joke!? Let the Media team hear it and maybe it'll be featured in the next issue!



WELCOME TO CAMP!



Hello! This is Bob, the Boys Head Counselor, along with Michael Pelton, my assistant. We are anxiously awaiting your arrival! While you ride the bus, take a moment to think about all the homework and school assignments you don't have to do this summer! Relax and enjoy the ride! You will be at camp before you know it! We have been very busy this spring getting everything ready for you. We've cleaned up, built new things (check out the Alley!), and spruced up everything else. All we are missing is you! Camp is the best experience in the world. Whether you are a first year camper or returning for your third summer, the experiences you'll have here cannot be beat. Your counselors and all of us at camp will be there to help you along the way. You'll soon pass the Wayne County Fair grounds which means camp is just around the corner! All of us will be waiting for you as your bus pulls in. We can't wait!



Hello! I'm Linda Lowell and I'm your Girls Head Counselor for the summer. My assistant is Marni Denenberg. We have been planning many exciting things to make summer 2009 the best. Marni and I look forward to watching you participate in the camp shows, play basketball, tennis, swimming, archery, the ropes course and so much more. There's so much to do and we can't wait to see you have the best time at Towanda. See you around The HC Shack; that's the place where Marni and I can always be found. It is also closest to the milk and cookies, which are my favorite but I'm always willing to share! I can't wait to see you!

SHOW TIME!

Check out all the great shows to look forward to this summer! Never a dull moment on Towanda's stage!



Seniors-Club-Dorm: Pippin'
Middies-Tweens-Juniors: Music Man Junior
Debs-Dillies-Jets-Cadets: Jungle Book Kids
Inters-Nats: Lil' Abner
Staff: Broadway Camp Review

HELP WANTED!

The Media Team needs YOU!!! Ever wanted to be published in the Towanda Times? Interview interesting people? Get the backstage scoop on all sorts of activities? or just share your great jokes and ideas? Listen for announcements and come join our team!



WHAT TO DO AT CAMP!!

Here are just a few of the great activities to look forward to at camp!

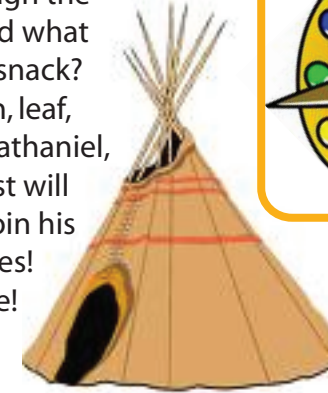


MEDIA!

ACTION! If you see a camera give a smile and wave! The Media Team is always looking for happy faces and great ideas for Friday Nite Flix and the Towanda Times! Did you miss our ad on the previous page? CHECK IT OUT!

NATURALLY NATHANIEL

Ever wandered through the woods and wondered what would make a good snack? Maybe a twig, branch, leaf, root, bug or plant? Nathaniel, our resident naturalist will tell you! Be sure to join his incredible nature hikes! See you at the TeePee!



TENNIS

A warm welcome to all the new and returning campers! Myself (Robert) and all the tennis staff will do our best to help you improve your skills and of course have fun playing tennis!



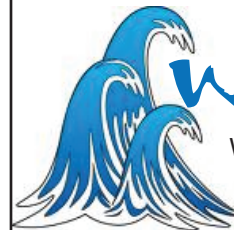
Arts and Crafts!

Arts and Crafts is a place for inspiration, imagination and getting your hands dirty! From painting to wood-working and ceramics, there is always an outlet to let the creative juices flow!



SPORTS

Whatever sport you are looking for Towanda's got it! Soccer, hockey, baseball, cricket, lacrosse, basketball, and even more! The opportunities are endless so get your laces tied and pick up a bat, or ball, or glove, or ...



WATERFRONT

Waterfront is THE place to cool off this summer! Whether you like boating, swimming(both for fun and competition) or waterskiing the waterfront's got it and so much more!

TODAY'S SCHEDULE
BUS RIDE (NO KIDDIN!)
FIND OUT YOUR BUNK WHEN YOU ARRIVE
GET YOUR BED AND CUBBIE
MEET YOUR BIG SISTER OR BROTHER (If this is your first year)
GROUP HAIR CHECK AND HEALTH SCREENING AT THE INFIRMARY
GENERAL SWIM (If it is warm)
WASH UP FOR DINNER
CAMPUS LINE-UP
FLAGPOLE
DINNER (Spaghetti!)
FREE PLAY (Join the Garden Club - Meet at the White Rock)
BACK TO THE BUNK
STAFF WELCOME SHOW
CAMPFIRE
BACK TO THE BUNKS!!!
GET SOME REST FOR THE FIRST FULL DAY
TOMORROW! (Reveille at 7:15 AM!)

