



# Camp News

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## TEHAMA COUNTY 4-H STYLE

A newsletter designed to "Make the Best Better"



Let us know what YOU think! Please scan the "Pigeon Express" QR code below to give your input.

## MENU

1) Cooks love to fill requests for food! What would you like to see on the menu at camp?

2) Share a camp story! We would love to "publish" your story in the January Issue of Camp News!



3) What are your thoughts on a Camp theme? See the next page for how the theme can relate to everything at Camp.

Pigeon Express





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2024

CAMP

PREP

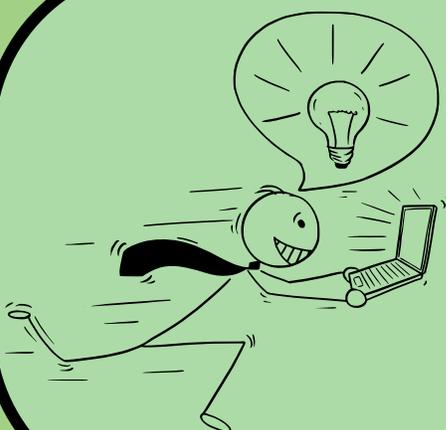
Learn the  
"Baby  
Bumble  
Bee" Song



Learn the  
"Cupid  
Shuffle":



## LET THE BRAINSTORMING BEGIN!



CAMP THEME-  
Will it work for:  
-Cabin Decoration  
-Area Activities  
-Food Menu  
-Dress Up Days  
-In-Depth Sessions

How about dress  
up days? What are  
some fun dress  
up days that  
you have  
thought of?



# 2023 Camp Photos



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## TEEN STAFF RECRUITMENT!

Every teen staff member is needed to make camp fun, safe & successful. The teen staff in **Leadership Positions** stay up later, get up earlier & carry more responsibilities. The teen staff seeking **Area Director** positions need to be creative, organized, & responsible leaders for their area team & campers. The remaining staff, our **Cabin Counselors**, are also a major part of the foundation of our camp by being positive role models for our campers.



**Survivor**



**Recreation**



**Fishing**



**Campfire**



**Nature**



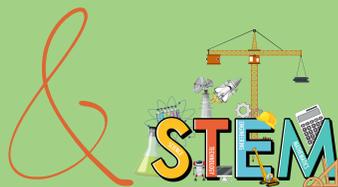
**Archery**

Every teen staff applicant needs to let us know which **Activity Area** they would like to be assigned to. Even if you are applying to a leadership position, not every applicant gets their first choice. We want every member of the teen staff to find joy with their position at camp, so make sure you let us know everything you are interested in doing.

**& NEW FOR  
CAMP 2024:**



**arts &  
crafts**



**IN THE  
CRAFTS BARN**



## CAMP ORGANIZATION

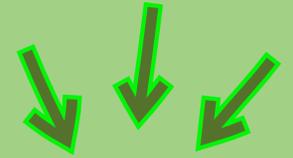


 Camp Director

 Adult Staff

 Youth Directors 

Teen Staff Application



Cabin Coordinators 



Engineers 

Leadership Team

Campfire Director 

 Kitchen Assistant(s)

 Area Directors

 Nurse Assistant

 Cabin Counselors

Teen Applications due Nov. 17th - Interviews in early December



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## TEEN STAFF RECRUITMENT!

### Area Director Qualifications:

- Prior leadership experience (preferred)
- Share responsibilities with the rest of your team & lead them in being organized & on task
- Role model good behavior to your team & campers by maintaining your self-esteem & self-control
- Supervise campers responsibly with patience & a sense of humor
- Participate in the Area Activity alongside campers with a passionate & positive attitude

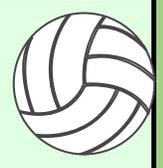


### Archery:

Or some kind of "shooting" sport. Balloons and darts were used one year along with tomahawks. Incorporating some kind of shooting sport line safety is definitely a goal in this area!

### Recreation:

The volleyball court is your domain! "Laser" light (yarn) obstacle course was pretty popular a few years ago-be creative!



### Campfire:



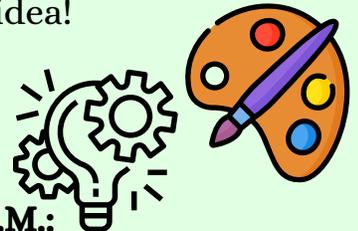
If entertaining people is your thing-campfire is the place for you. Music, games, skits, games, mail, games, lost & found, games, jar of doom, games, songs! Find creative ways to keep your entire audience involved!



### 1 Barn, 2 Areas:

#### Arts & Crafts:

The nurse has requested that hot glue guns not be involved! Something they can take home is always a nice idea!



#### S.T.E.M.:

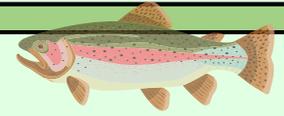
Science, Tech, Engineering or Math! So many possibilities! Research fun experiments. Build something. Be creative!

### Nature:



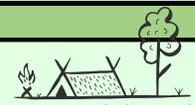
The nature trail has been maintained the last couple of years. It is a 1/2 mile loop. Tree and/or bug identification? Nature craft? Plan nature activities you are excited about!

### Fishing:



Bait a hook. Clean a fish. Be OPTOMISTIC for those kiddos trying to catch a fish!

### Survivor:



Build a shelter? Make paracord things? Teach basic survival protocols? Develop some creative survivor activities!



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### Leadership Positions:



#### Campfire Director:

The Campfire Director is responsible for:

- Nightly entertainment schedule
- Stage decorations
- In-depth session activities

The Campfire Director should seek input from and share responsibilities with the campfire area **team**.

#### Kitchen Assistants/Engineers:

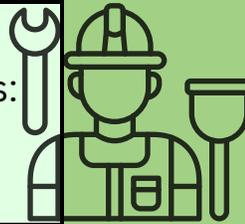
New for 2024 we are seeking 2 candidates to share the following responsibilities:

- Food Preparation
- Oversee Dining Hall clean-up at each meal
- Oversee dishwashing at every meal
- Help adult staff with cooking/food prep dishes.
- Kitchen/Dining Hall trash duty

#### Camp Engineers: (1 Male & 1 Female)

Camp engineers share the following responsibilities:

- Random engineer-type duties
- Supervise bathroom chores
- Dust suppression
- Trash Duty



DUE DATE  
IS  
NOV. 17th!

#### Cabin Coordinators: (1 Male & 1 Female)

Cabin coordinators share the following responsibilities:

- Cabin assignments
- Chore schedule
- Cabin Counselor Support
- Conflict Management



#### Youth Directors: (Typically 1 Male & 1 Female)

Youth Directors share the following responsibilities:

- Lead camp planning sessions.
- Support all members of your teen staff team.
- Administer camp schedule, perform role call, and perform conflict management as necessary.
- Lead the teen staff and campers with a positive attitude and role model the behavior you expect from the teen staff and campers.





# Spam News



## Hey Adult Types!

There are many ways for you to help with camp!



### 1) Donation

#### Getter:

Money

Food

Supplies

Scan the Pigeon QR Code to volunteer!

### 2) In-Depth Sessions:

Come share your hobby with the campers. There are 2(two) 1-hour sessions in the afternoon and 2(two) 1-hour sessions the following morning. Come up for all four, two or just one! Scan the Pigeon QR Code to volunteer!

### 3) Adult CAMP Volunteer

Camp is a ton of fun. I promise you will laugh hard and sleep good. Scan the app link to the right!



In every Newsletter:  
Find the hidden  
Viking Helment,  
Spam Can,  
and Resident Goat