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### **Glenn County 4-H'ers Went To Camp Tehama**

#### **“Camp Got Game – It’s Your Turn, Go!”**

Approximately 60 people attended Glenn County 4-H Camp, held at Camp Tehama from June 22-25, 2023. The attendees were comprised of Campers, Teen Camp Counselors, Youth Camp Directors, and Adult Volunteers from Glenn County 4-H, reports UCCE Glenn County 4-H Community Education Specialist, Christine Kampmann. This year’s camp was under the direction of Camp Director, Maddie Coleman. The theme of the camp was “Camp Got Game – It’s Your Turn, Go!” with each cabin representing a different board game. There were many activities offered, including archery, crafts, dancing, fishing, fort building, ice cream making, recreational games, tie-dying, a hike at Mt. Lassen National Park, and much more. Campers had hands-on opportunities to learn new skills, build relationships and experience the outdoors. The youth thrived in this group setting and supported each other as they learned the value of participation.

4-H members from ages 6-13 years old participated as campers, while 14–18-year-old 4-H members served as youth counselors. Youth Teen Counselors this year were: Gracie Cloyd, Aubree Eddy, Abby Johnson, Savannah Kampmann, Bailey Lerstang, Delaney Lewis, Mason Massa, Kaylin Silva, and Luke Spooner. Youth Camp Directors were: Riley Bittle and Jordan Thomas. Adult Volunteers that helped and provided support were McKenna Barker, Kendra Beams, Jeff Beams, Tyler Coleman, Raquel Costa-Tavares, Megan Johnson, Jamie Marron, Melinda Matteucci, David Nadeau, Curt Pierce,

Lea Eddy, Kyle Eddy, Loren Chapman, and Beverly Seale.

Along with Adult volunteers, Jeff Beams and Tyler Coleman, the Teen Camp Counselors started their camp set up with a community service project repairing the flagpole and the sign welcoming people to Camp Tehama.

Youth members learn different dances at Camp and on the last night, there is an annual dance contest. The award recipients, for the line dance competition were: 1<sup>st</sup> place- Riley Gilcrease, 2<sup>nd</sup> place- Morgan Feeney, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place- Gus Coleman. The swing dance competition award recipients were: 1<sup>st</sup> place- Baylee Morris and Mason Machado, 2<sup>nd</sup> place- Morgan Feeney and Gus Coleman, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place- Riley Gilcrease and Rory Reed-Gilman.

Fishing is always a favorite at camp and a long tradition of having a competitive, but friendly fishing competition. This year the Biggest Fish Award went to Morgan Tucker and the Smallest Fish Award went to Annaleigh DeGroat. The Best Sportsmanship Award for fishing went to Izzy Morris, Rylie Dobbs, and Camryn Henning.

Special Youth Director Outstanding Camper Awards were given to: Gus Coleman, Madison Johnson, Jaylen Lovell, Mason Machado, Charlie Padilla, Nehemiah Pasero, Bailey Morris, Morgan Tucker, and Rory Reed-Gilman. The Camp Director awarded the following Camper with the Most Helpful Award to Addisyn Beams, Madileine Lefor, Grady Beams, Reese Martin, Jameson Nadeau, and Alyse Strieby.

Other awards earned were Clean Cabin Award, Best Cabin Décor, and Best Overall Cabin. The Cleanest Cabin went to Cabin 7: Scrabble- Counselor, Luke Spooner, and Campers: Nehemiah Pasero, Chance Feeney, and Mason Machado. The Best Cabin Décor went to Dorm A: Hungry Hippo- Counselor, Gracie Cloyd, and Campers: Teagan Chandler, Rachel Farley, Kate Goss, Madison Johnson, and Alyse Strieby. The Best Overall Cabin Award was awarded based on a cumulative score on all the activities at Camp and was presented to Cabin 6: Barrel of Monkeys- Counselor, Aubree Eddy and

Campers: Hannah Henning, Paisley Martin, Natalia Espinoza, and Dominique Scarpete.

Campers who attended camp were: Seldon Baugher, Addisyn Beams, Grady Beams, Teagan Chandler, Gus Coleman, Starr Covert, Annaleigh DeGroat, Rylee Dobbs, Natalia Espinoza, Rachel Farley, Chance Feeney, Morgan Feeney, Riley Gilcrease, Kate Goss, Camryn Henning, Hannah Henning, Madison Johnson, Madiline Lefor, Jaylen Lovell, Mason Machado, Reese Martin, Paisley Martin, Chloe Moore, Baylee Morris, Izzy Morris, James Nadeau, Charlie Padilla, Kaylee Parker, Nehemiah Pasero, Rory Reed-Gilman, Dominique Scarpete, Ainsley Shimizu, Alyse Strieby, and Morgan Tucker.

We want to thank the following for their generous food and supply donations: Dollar General, Johnny on the Spot, Bless your Heart Mercantile, Sierra Nevada Cheese Company, Creative Apple, Grocery Outlet, S & L Foods, Orland Ace Hardware, and Heather Gorman. Thank you to all those for your continuous support.

Glenn County 4-H would like to thank Camp Director, Maddie Coleman and the entire camp adult volunteers for stepping in as camp cooks. Also, thank you to Terri Curry and Summer Nadeau for their generous contributions for kitchen and food prep. We also would like to thank our Camp Nurse, Michelle Dobbs, and office staff, Lea Eddy, Jamie Marron, and Gail Harris for their time and support to Glenn County 4-H Camp.



*Figure: Glenn County 4-H campers showing their camper spirit by dressing up for cabin theme day!*



*Figure 2: Glenn County 4-H Teen Camp Counselors with repaired Camp Tehama sign.*

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