

Official Newsletter of Camp Duffield

THE OUTPOST

March 2021

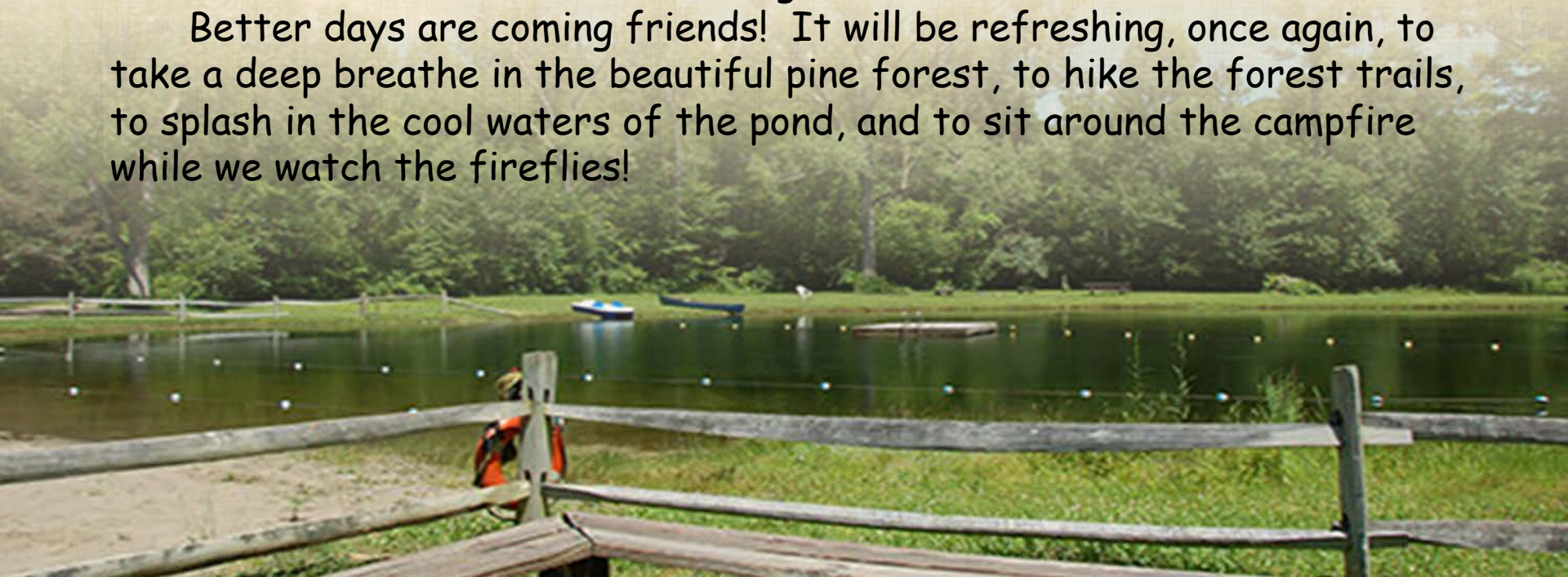


Welcome To Camp Duffield!

Hi Duffield Friends! We hope you are all surviving these extraordinarily challenging times and are beginning to see some return to life as we love it. This newsletter is a new endeavor to keep us all connected, to celebrate in each other's accomplishments, and to keep you up to date on changes as they happen at Camp Duffield. We'd love to get your feedback and ideas so we can best serve you.

Many of you have been asking if there are plans for summer camp this year. We ask for your patience as we decide how best to serve your needs while trying to keep everyone safe. We will send out a survey in a few days to all those involved in summer camp. Your responses will assist the board of directors in determining Summer 2021.

Better days are coming friends! It will be refreshing, once again, to take a deep breathe in the beautiful pine forest, to hike the forest trails, to splash in the cool waters of the pond, and to sit around the campfire while we watch the fireflies!



Duffield Grads!

This year has been a uniquely challenging year for those who started college. Kudos to our Duffield Grads who are riding the roller coaster of college life!

Lauren Roth



Lauren Roth, a Challenge Camp Counselor, graduated from University of Buffalo and has begun her master's degree in special education! Wow! We need more good teachers to join the ranks!

Julia Olson



Julia Olson, a Night Owl Alumni, is currently attending Nazareth College in Rochester and studying music education. Nice choice Julia!

Allie Hubert



Allie Hubert, an all-summer staffer at Camp Duffield, graduated from University of Buffalo and started Paramedic School!! Congrats Allie!

Tim Moorhouse



Tim Moorhouse, a Challenge Camp Counselor, graduated from high school and started college at Oswego where he is studying chemistry with a minor in forensics. Keep up the great work Tim!



Savannah Steger

Savannah, a Challenge Camp Counselor and Night Owl, graduated high school and is studying Chemical Engineering at Widener University. Congratulations Savannah!!

Celebrate Our 2020 Accomplishments!



Theresa and Mike (Cookfair) Emminger's daughter, Maddie, started kindergarten this year! Maddie is, our youngest participant in the Challenge Camp. Crazy year to start school but Maddie is full of adventure so she's rockin' it!



Amy Cherry reports that her daughter, Madison St. Louis, a Duffield Camper, went bald for bucks for her second time and raised over \$1000. Thank you, Madison! So proud of you- our future is secure with great young people like you!!



Ben Larson-Wolbrink took a new call (after serving a church for ten years in the Hudson Valley) on Sept 1, 2020 as pastor of Northbrook Presbyterian Church in Beverly Hills, Michigan (in the Metro Detroit area). They are blessed to have him!



Jill (Szydlowski) Snyder, a Challenge Camp Counselor, her husband, Patrick, and their son, Grayson, bought a new house!! Exciting News, for sure!



Matt Isenberg and his sister, Amy, were both campers in the early 90's. Proud Uncle Matt reports that this year was special for the whole family when Amy and her husband welcomed Ryder into the family on March 17, 2020!



Samantha and Mike, Challenge Camp Counselors, welcomed Susannah on January 12, 2020. Can't wait for her to join the ranks at camp!!

2019 Remember When's...

Alumni Weekend



Challenge Camp



Children's Camps



Family Camp



Night Owls

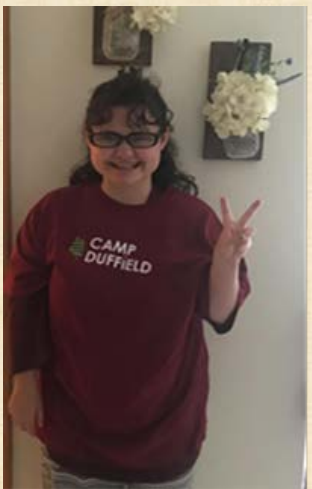


Summer 2020



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Camp Duffield has served young people for eighty-two years. In 1943, summer camp was cancelled due to WWII. Last year, there were no summer programs on the campsite because of the Covid pandemic; however, a team of dedicated volunteers decided to organize a virtual camp to keep all our campers connected. Packages containing crafts (including Duffield's clay), songbooks, activities were delivered to all our campers. T-shirts were printed with the message "Connected With Love" and sent to all our summer ministry people-campers and staff alike. Virtual Zoom meetings were held. Staff sent video clips speaking to our campers. Some great videos were made for our campers, in hopes of putting a smile on their face and letting them know that, even though for everyone's safety we could not meet, that we were thinking of them. (www.campduffield.net) A special thanks goes to Heather Casseri who did the filming and editing- a monumental task done with love!



Need to Get Away?



Stay a few days in Keeler Lodge. Walk the trails, enjoy nature, breathe the fresh air!

Contact us at

rental@campduffield.net to confirm available dates.

Take advantage of our reduced rates during covid! \$300 for family or couples weekend!

Keep Us Informed

Have a memory or news you'd like to share? Please help us keep our records up to date by sending us your address , email, and phone changes. Email: contactus@campduffield.net

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Help Us Keep Our History Alive!

We are archiving our Duffield past! Send us your photos with dates, names, and camp session to contactus@campduffield.net

Your Duffield Board

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Thank You to Our 2020 Donors!

So tremendously grateful for the many donations we have received this past year. With your gifts, we can provide camperships, programming, property improvements and much more. Many thanks to:

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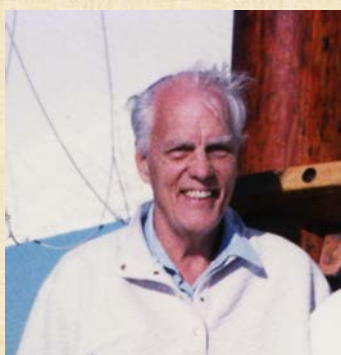
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Friends We Have Lost

This year has been difficult for everyone. With sadness, we share that we have lost some of our cherished camp folks. They will be greatly missed by all of us. As we sit around the campfire, we will share their stories, keep their memories alive, and be grateful that they shared their time with us at Duffield...until we meet again...

Arthur Cookfair



Sarah Olivieri



Vince Luckoski



Dylan Oakley



Craig Roth



S'More News

Annual Camp Duffield Meeting will be held virtually on Tuesday, March 9, 2021 at 7:00. If you'd like to attend, please let us know by sending an email to contactus@campduffield.net and we will send you the zoom information.

Camp Duffield's Virtual Meat Raffle. All proceeds will benefit Camp Duffield. Tickets are on sale until March 16th.

CAMP DUFFIELD'S FACEBOOK LIVE EVENT:

Meat Raffle

March 20, 2021

**SIGN ON 7pm
FIRST SPIN 7:15pm**

Package 1: \$45
15 rounds & finale (3 chances per round)

Package 2: \$85
15 rounds & finale + 3 tickets 50/50 + chance at lotto board + chance at "Easter Box"

Package 3:
1 50/50 - \$10
3 50/50 - \$20

Numbers posted day of event

All packages purchased by 3/16

Winners Pick Up at Pellicanos 3/28 9-11

All Proceeds Benefit Camp Duffield



To purchase tickets:
Venmo- @campduffield or Paypal -treasurer@campduffield.net (please include phone #, email, & indicate what package)
Send a check to Camp Duffield, PO Box 55, Kenmore NY 14217
Contact Pat 440-9833 for any questions
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