



THE FALCONER

October 2005

Summer Review

What a wonderful summer! Falcon had a record number of campers and was absolutely full the first six weeks. It is great to see so many campers return and still have some room for new faces from such a variety of different places. The weather cooperated beautifully this year with one notable exception of an area power outage. We were very pleased with how campers and staff responded to several days without electricity. Senehawk games were outstanding, especially during second session and in the spirit of our "friendly competition". A look on the back page gives tribute to our High Flyers but a special note of accomplishment should go to Dan Strassfeld for receiving his Falconer award in both sailing and woodlore in the same summer. We may need to create new athletic awards for John, Annabelle and Iris Rayburn as they keep moving to higher levels. Our new addition to the dining hall gave everyone a little more space to eat in comfort, made camp store easier and allowed the health center to function much smoother. Woodlore was an excellent activity as Jenn Mizen continues to add interesting programs. Sam Weinberg reports more campers received archery awards than ever before, with Ben Cook and Sam Davis both earning their American Archer. The waterfront was strong in every aspect and the list goes on and on. It's been an excellent summer all the way around.

CIT'S

Our Counselor in Training program is an integral part of becoming a Falcon staff member. Each year we accept a limited number of young people whom we believe have the potential to make an outstanding Falcon counselor. Invitations to eligible campers will be mailed by the end of October.



Carson & Garrett Rentz – Third Generation Falconers

Early Registration 2006 Newsflash

All of you should receive early registration information with this newsletter. As is our pattern, 2005 camp families will have a window of opportunity to register before anyone else. **Please take advantage of this to make sure you get registered in the sessions of your choice.** You will be able to go to the website and get this information also. Camp will open on June 18th in 2006 so mark your calendars.

Fall/Winter Work

There are always many projects this time of year as we improve the facility and get things closed for winter. Girls can expect to see wooden bunk beds in all cabins next summer, the pavilion is being reorganized to better suit our crafts and drama programs, the kitchen will be revamped with a walk-in freezer, and lots of little "fix its" everywhere around camp. We have a plan awaiting Conservation District approval to improve the far side of our boat harbor. We've made some very cool new benches to put throughout camp. Much of our efforts this fall have been at the farm. We've replanted two of our three horse pastures and built a new fence line for better field management. Most important is the remaking of our road to

the lake so we can best use our woods for overnights, horse and hiking trails. It has been years since we have been able to drive a tractor through this part of our property. We have some interesting long term plans at the farm which we hope to announce in the next newsletter. On the program/office end of things, we are getting ready to launch a bigger and better website with lots of help from Todd Lennig.



Senior Girls Relax on an overnight

From The Director

Each summer we always receive some nice notes and letters from camp families. This year we have received more than usual. I believe we run a great camp and we certainly work hard at it, but it is good to hear that belief reinforced by our camper families. With their permission, we will be reprinting some of them on our website.

As we head into a new season for 2006, we always spend time analyzing what worked well, what we could do differently, what can we do that is new, how can we be better. It is important for us to hear from campers and parents. Please feel free to call or email anytime you would like to share your thoughts and ideas with us.

Have a good school year!

Dave & Emily



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1st Session	Junior Boys	Senior Boys	Junior Girls	Senior Girls
Archery	Kyle Johnson Spencer Atkins	Sam Davis Nik Roccas Jake Wiedemann	Jennifer Blumer Molly Elson Emily Weinberg	Jessica Fisher Ali Foti Tessa LaRue
Athletics	Evan Cooper Sami Hawwa John Rayburn	Alex Harrison Seth Kluk-Barany Walter Stamm	Gaby Graham-Glicksman Nikki Mercer Sienna Zeilinger	MJ Eckhouse Laura Hoffman Melissa Rex
Canoeing	Ryan Mauro Ethan Sprunger	Ben Cook Andy Knecht Nick Lux	Zoe Berns Gaby Graham-Glicksman	Laura Hoffman Iris Rayburn Hannah Rex
Crafts	Graham Fine John Rayburn	Seth Kluk-Barany Andy Knecht	Annabelle Rayburn	Alexa Lorick
Drama	Graham Fine Austin Steinlage	Andy Knecht Travis Reilly	Jenna Bird Jenna Foti Jamie Foti	Morgan Curtiss Ali Foti
Riding	Jordan Bird	Nik Roccas	Jamie Bird	Zoe Graham Taylor Hood Catherine Longhini
Riflery	John Rayburn Julian Weinberg	Dylan Ford	Rachel Elson	Anne Sawyer
Sailing	John Rayburn	Seth Kluk-Barany Brad Medinger		
Swimming	Evan Cooper Mitchel Kocian		Jamie Foti Annabelle Rayburn Sienna Zeilinger	Sarah LaCroix Paige Schiller
Tennis	Adam Blasinsky Evan Kinney	Alex Harrison Phil Sereda Sam Ubersax		Lisa Miller
Woodlore	John Braswell	Donny Petarra Nick Lux	Nikki Mercer	MJ Eckhouse Isabel Hammer Anne Sawyer

2nd Session	Junior Boys	Senior Boys	Junior Girls	Senior Girls
Archery	Javier Aviles James Dunn John Rayburn	Ben Cook Ben Jacobs	Jennifer Blumer Anna LaRue Annabelle Rayburn	Stephanie Blumer Tessa LaRue Iris Rayburn
Athletics	Tommy Adgate Santiago Aviles Jordan Bird	Brandon Fields Dylan Ford Carlos Tellet	Jennifer Blumer Sydney Katz Annabelle Rayburn	Alejandra Casaubon Laura Nice Iris Rayburn
Canoeing	Santiago Aviles Bernardo Gonzalez John Rayburn	Dylan Ford Daniel Glick-Unterman Nic Tippit	Jennifer Blumer Ingrid Zippe	Jenna Stahl
Crafts	Jake Stern	Ben Cook Dylan Ford	Emma Ford	Paige Schiller
Drama		Chris Huerta		Alexa Lorick Samantha Zabell
Riding	Jordan Bird			Liv Dedon
Riflery	John Rayburn	Frank Adgate Cas Devey Lucas Himmelman	Jenna Bird Emma Ford	
Sailing	Collin Marvin	David Hutchinson Dan Strassfeld	Katie Demsey Catie Lally	Elizabeth Smith
Swimming	Tommy Adgate Jake Stern Robbie Tichinel	Noah Collin	Jamie Bird Annabelle Rayburn	Hailey Nowacek
Tennis	Tommy Adgate Jordan Bird	Josh Ericson Jacob Huerta	Annabelle Rayburn	Kirsten Bladh Gillian Fishman Diane Zettl
Woodlore	Chris Davey James Dunn	David Stahl Dan Strassfeld	Gabi Thibodeau Emma Vance Eden Saltzman	Liv Dedon Cassie Hammerschmidt

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