

## 2016 Camp Fair Schedule

We will be attending the following camp fairs this year and hope you will stop in to say hello. Bring a friend who is interested in camp and you will both receive a limited edition Falcon Camp T- shirt. We'll also be happy to meet with families personally or in small groups at a place of your own choosing and convenience.

### **Worthington SWEPP**

The Shops at Worthington Place  
February 21, 2016  
12:00pm – 3:00pm

### **Summer Camp Convention**

Solon Community Center  
February 27, 2016  
10:00am - 3:00pm

### **Lakota's 3rd Annual Summer Fun Fair**

Lakota West High School  
February 29, 2016  
600pm—8:00pm

### **Dublin Summer Camp Expo**

Sells Middle School  
Wednesday, March 2, 2016  
5:30pm-8:30pm

### **Pickerington Summer Camp and Activities Fair**

Heritage Elementary School  
March 8, 2016  
6:00pm — 8:00pm

### **2016 Westerville Parent Council Summer Camp**

Westerville North High School  
March 9, 2016  
5:30pm—7:30pm

### **New Albany Kidsfest**

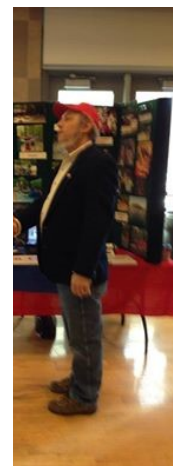
Philip Heit Center for Healthy New Albany  
March 10, 2015  
5:00pm — 8:00pm

### **2016 Summer Activities Expo**

Olentangy Orange Middle School  
March 24, 2016  
5:30pm - 8:00pm

Earlier this year, Falcon donated a two week camp session to the Shaker Hts. Historical Society "Shakers and Movers" fundraiser. We also donated a two week session to the United Cerebral Palsy of Greater Cleveland for their yearly fundraiser. We anticipate doing the same thing later this spring for The Lawrence School again this year. If you want to donate to a good educational cause and win a two week session at Falcon, bid high and bid often! We are pleased to be able to help contribute to worthy causes throughout our communities and would be happy to consider others.

Most of the camp fairs focus on the central Ohio area, not by our design but by parent groups who are interested in helping their communities learn more about summer opportunities for their families. If you know of any events in other places, please let us know. We would also be delighted to help you create one in your neighborhood or school if you have any interest.



## From the Director

We seem to be flying through the winter months. The warmer weather this fall allowed us to get more outside maintenance work finished and camp looks better right now than it has in many many years. Todd and Nici are well into staff interviews and hiring for 2016, early registration was excellent with an increasing number of new campers already deciding to join us this year, horses are all well and healthy at the farm, and I seem to literally spend hours on the phone and email every day with new potential camp families. We are gearing up for the camp fair season and you can see our current schedule in this newsletter.

I'll write about our other wonderful nurses in future newsletters. Nurse Tammy and Nurse Jan also have long histories at Falcon that help make a difference in the quality of care we give to our campers. Their roles at Falcon go far beyond just being a nurse and help create the atmosphere that separates Falcon from other camps and makes us one of the premier camps in the country.

See you this summer!

*Dave*

## Director Of Nursing

We are proud to announce that we have made Lynne Rodrigues officially our "Director of Nursing". Lynne has been in that role for several years overseeing the health center, organizing the nurse schedule and making sure we have everything we need in the health center to take good care of our campers.

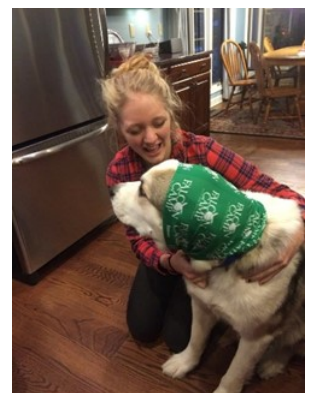
Lynne has been a nurse at Falcon for 5 years now and is the middle of three generations of family at Falcon. Her father (Dick Hackenburg) was an original Falcon camper in our first year of 1959 and went on to 6 years of staff. Uncle Bill Trethewey began as staff in 1960, met and married Dick's sister Sue (who worked at Firebird before her multiple staff years at Falcon). Many Tretheweys and Hackenburg family members have attended Falcon over the years – all the way through to Anna D'Alesandro. Lynne's 4 children have all attended Falcon with James and Thomas still a part of things. I think this is the largest family tree of anyone at Falcon!

Of course, Lynne also has a tremendous resume and experience as a nurse. She is school nurse during the year in the Seneca Valley School District just outside of Pittsburgh with responsibility for almost 1500 students. She has worked in pediatric and ICU at Children's Hospital and currently at Allegheny General in Pittsburgh. Lynne is a member of the Association of Camp Nurses and the National Association of School Nurses. She is also working on her Camp Nursing Certificate from Bemidji University. This is only offered to a small select group of camp nurses and is the highest certification available for camp nurses. We are all grateful for her skills but most important of all for her care and concern for our Falcon campers.

## Welcome Gift for Registered Campers



We hope all of our registered campers are enjoying their new Falcon Tubies and finding different ways to use them. Take a selfie with your method of wearing your Tubie and send it in to us. There will be new Seneca and Mohawk color Tubies in the camp store this summer.



## We welcome the following campers to Falcon for the summer of 2016!!

We are pleased to see how many of you took advantage of our early registration in November and December. Applications and inquiries are being received almost daily right now. We are looking forward to an excellent summer with a smiling camp full of returning campers joined by our new campers for their first experience of "coming home for the summer!" If you are not on this list we hope to see your name on here soon. The summer of 2016 is going to be great fun and you won't want to miss it!

Helena Abrams  
Kirk Albrecht Jr.  
Brenden Albrecht  
Justin Allan  
Ryan Allan  
Xavier Arnold  
Jake Balogas  
Helen Breen  
Rachel Broihier  
Camille Brommers  
William Browning  
Ethan Cairns  
Caroline Cannon  
Katherine Cassese\*  
Oscar Chapnick  
Calvin Chesler  
James Cofer  
Nikita Davidenko  
Alina Dean\*  
Reilly Dean  
Allie Fahey  
Luke Farrall  
Will Farrall  
Kate Faxon  
Sean Gardiner  
Riley Ghosh  
Chloe Gingrich  
Megan Goldberg  
Kendal Harris  
Sarah Hatem  
Mae Lee Held  
Joshua Hertz

Isabella Issa  
Catherine John  
Ricky John  
Rohit Kashyap  
Jacob Kenerson  
Casey Landers\*  
Drew Landers  
Paul Laspina\*  
Abigail Lauretig  
Jack Leonard  
Isabella Mahen  
Sophia Mahen  
Angelika Marsh  
Abby McCartney  
Lainey McCloskey  
Sam McGough\*  
Katie Grace McMahon  
Annie Melaragno  
Max Melaragno  
Megan Miller  
Emma Murphy  
Miles O'Brien  
Michael Otts  
Nathan Raymond  
Casey Roufs\*  
Kayte Rourke  
Abby Rutherford  
Marshall Schiele  
Kayla Schwartz  
Alex Sharkunov  
Nicholas Sharp  
Tatum Shepardson

Scott Siegel\*  
Genevieve Steffy  
Nadia Steffy  
Allie Taylor  
Jessie Taylor  
Graham Torok\*  
Simon Tropper  
Stephanie Tropper  
Agathe Tuffery\*  
Reece Turner  
Alexandria Waters  
Zoe Waters  
Elizabeth Watson  
Elise Webber  
James Webber  
William Webber  
Violet Webster  
Colin White  
Edwin White  
Harrison White  
Sydney White  
Daniel Williams  
Victoria Williams  
William Willoughby  
Helena Wilson\*  
Hunter Wilson\*  
Gustin Wingfield  
Jacob Wingfield  
Rose Zeldin

\*Denotes New Campers

## 2016 CITs

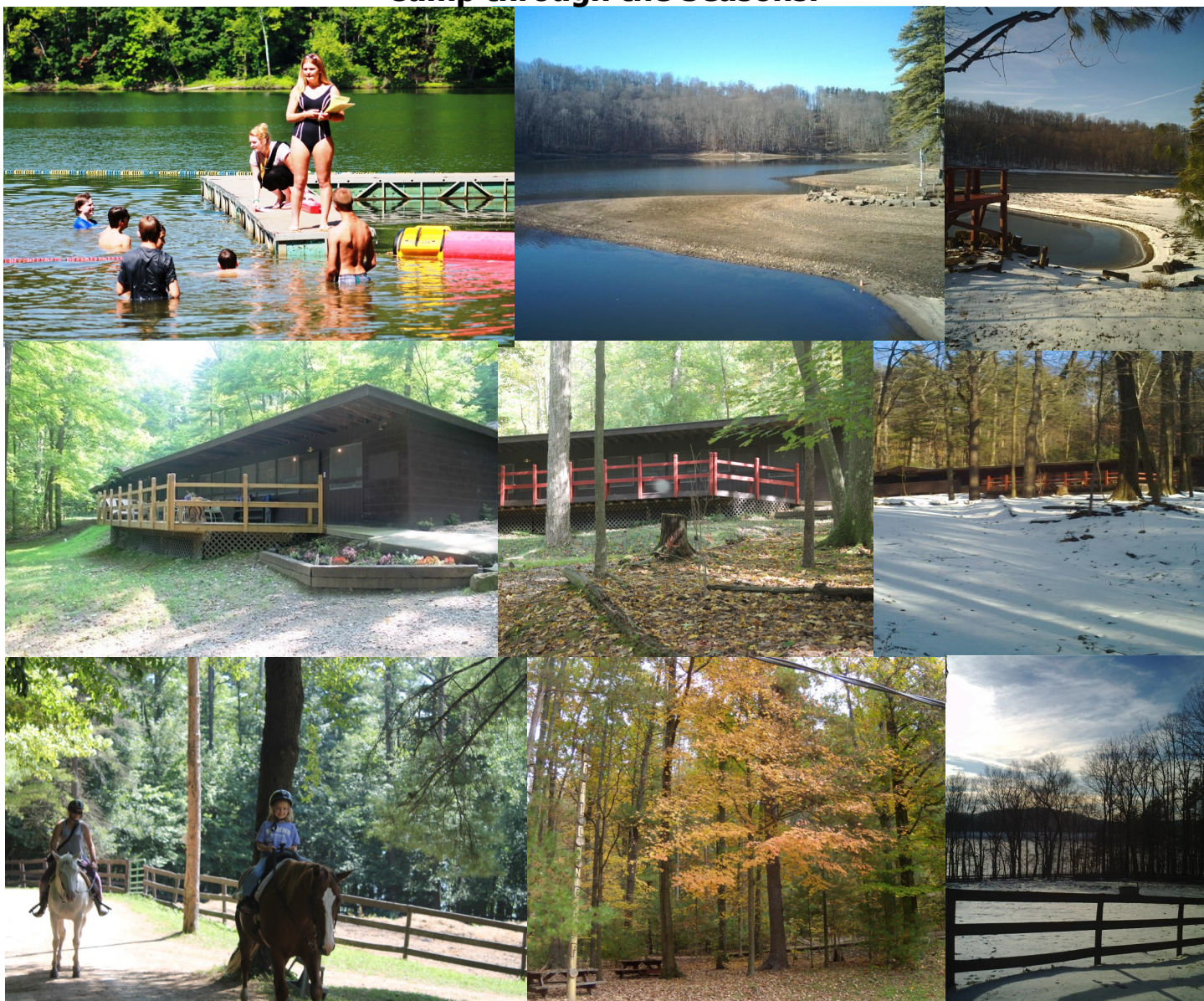
We are pleased to announce that the following outstanding young people have been selected to be Counselors In Training for the summer of 2016. This is their first big step in the process of learning how to be a Falcon Camp counselor.

**Samantha Harris** of Hilliard OH returns for her 4<sup>th</sup> year at Falcon  
**Tim Heckler** of Columbus OH returns for his 4<sup>th</sup> year at Falcon  
**Mike Rafi** of Mason OH returns for his 8<sup>th</sup> year at Falcon  
**Julia Shorey** of Cleveland Heights returns for her 7<sup>th</sup> year at Falcon  
**Thayer Sindelar** of Pepper Pike OH returns for his 5<sup>th</sup> year at Falcon

Congratulations to our 2016 Class of CITs!



## Camp through the Seasons.



### 2016 Falcon Camp Calendar

#### Two Week Sessions

June 19 – July 2

July 3 – July 16

July 17 – July 30

July 31 – August 13

#### Four Week Sessions

June 19 – July 16

July 17 – August 13

#### Six Week Sessions

June 19 – July 30

July 3 – August 13

#### Eight Week Session

June 19 – August 13



**Falcon Young Adventure Camps: Special One week intro camps for boys and girls ages 6-9.**  
**July 31 – August 6 and August 7 – August 13.**

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