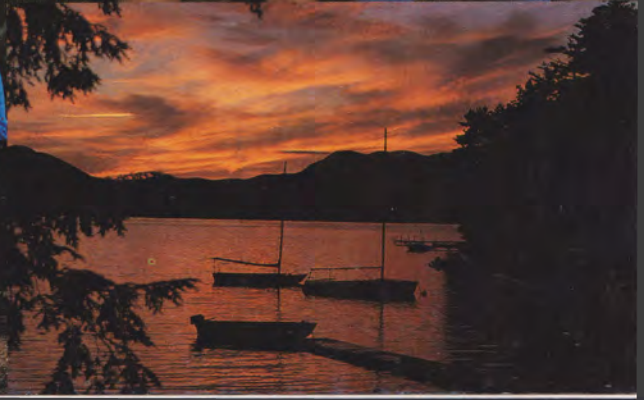




CAMP KAWANHEE

for Boys
2003



The George and Raymond Frank Foundation was created in 1998 to perpetuate Camp Kawanhee. The Foundation now owns and operates Camp Kawanhee as a 501(c)(3) corporation. At the 2002 annual meeting, the Frank Foundation Board of Directors adopted the following mission and values statements:

Our Mission

The Frank Foundation's mission is to provide boys and young men with experiential educational opportunities designed to encourage self-sufficiency and teamwork and an appreciation of the natural world. Our program consists of a summer session of seven weeks that promotes cooperative living in a safe and nurturing environment. We offer a rustic camp setting on the shores of a pristine lake surrounded by mountains, together with a staff sensitive to the needs of boys and a liberal arts philosophy that has stood the test of time, and yet continues to evolve. It is our hope that members of the Kawanhee community will return to their everyday lives as better, more productive citizens of the world.

Our Values

A Caring Community

A network of supportive interpersonal relationships is the foundation for all we do. We show the value we place on succeeding generations by establishing for them an environment of acceptance and belonging and by mentoring in the values of fellowship, mutual respect, and service to others.

Integrity

We accept personal responsibility for our words and actions. When we give our word, we honor it. We finish what we start. We treat each other directly and fairly. And we build trust in the community of those we serve by delivering on our promise to provide quality in everything we do.

Freedom Within a Framework

Personal safety is our priority. Within this framework we provide a flexible, open environment rich in self-challenge and self-discovery where all are encouraged to seek, find and gain acceptance for their own personal best. The lessons learned are for life, and we recognize that some of life's best insights and memories come from so-called idle hours spent in ideal settings in the company of close friends.

Character Development

We do not preach leadership; we practice it. We consciously strive to enhance the self-awareness and self-esteem of all whom we serve. We provide opportunities for the kind of personal growth, leadership development and personal enrichment that come from prudent risk-taking, good sportsmanship and perseverance toward the achievement of a worthy goal.

Environmental Consciousness

Our programs reflect our belief that to appreciate the natural world one must experience it, directly, personally and authentically. We are committed to fostering a sense of personal responsibility toward the natural world and to taking a hand in preserving our surroundings.

Financial Stability

Financial stability is our way of securing our traditions in perpetuity. Our financial health provides the freedom and the resources to focus on quality programming, share our offerings with those less fortunate, and protect our pristine setting from possible threat.

Share the Experience!

If you would like to support the mission and values of the Frank Foundation with a tax-deductible contribution, please make your check payable to and send to:

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A Message To Parents

George ("G.R.") Frank and his brother Raymond ("R.C.") Frank founded Camp Kawanhee in 1920 as a character building force for boys. Their basic philosophies remain alive as a vital part of Kawanhee's spirit. The Kawanhee mottos "Fun With A Purpose", "Learn To Do By Doing", and "Finish What You Start" still serve today as motivating forces in the lives of Kawanhee campers and counselors.

The Directors of Camp Kawanhee believe that when a youngster starts for camp, three people from his home go to that camp, for just as surely as the boy is there in person, his mother and father are with him in spirit.

At Kawanhee your boy will be comfortably housed with boys his own age in a dry, sanitary cabin.

He will be fed the finest of nourishing foods and in quantities to satisfy the ravenous appetites of growing boys.

At the slightest sign of sickness, he will be under the care of a registered nurse who is in attendance through the season. Hospitals are within thirty minutes drive of the camp.

Swimming, boating, canoeing, sailing, kayaking, and skiing are all carefully supervised by qualified personnel. No boy is permitted to take out a boat by himself until he has passed the necessary swimming and boating tests, and a beach guard is on duty to supervise boat sign-outs and check-ins.

He will be under the guidance of experienced men. There is one man for every four boys enrolled. A senior and junior counselor are assigned to each lodge. Boys are never left alone at night. One man is always on duty.

He will live for seven weeks in a climate famous for its invigorating air and sunshine, and will return to his home in the fall, healthy, rugged and brown.

Through encouragement to progress in various activities, he will grow in self-reliance, initiative, and perseverance.

If he is timid and shy, or a poor mixer, he will be encouraged in developing a higher degree of confidence as he reaches out to capture new goals of accomplishment.

Hundreds of cases can be cited where a boy's whole attitude and outlook were changed when he found something in which he could excel and in which he won recognition. Such experiences, day after day, build backbone and dependability during the early formative period of boyhood.

With new vision and understanding, he will return to his home in the fall, a boy of courage and bigger powers.



Chief Kawanhee challenges the campers to live up to their potential throughout their summer experiences. As shadows lengthen and the stars appear, we gather for our camp fires at Council Point. It is here that the heart of camp life glows as boys and men sit before the blazing fire, enjoying their games and stunts, the presentation of awards, and the reading of the Grey and Maroon Camp Score for the week.

An Ideal Location

Safe, Healthy, and Thrilling for Growing Boys

Camp Kawanhee is located on the east shore of Webb Lake, at Weld, Maine—eighty-five miles north of Portland,—and thirty miles south of the Rangeley Lakes. It has a shore line of woods and sandy beaches. Early legend tells us that Chief Kawanhee and his braves lived here for many generations.

Weld was practically unknown until 1772 when hunters from the southern part of the state explored this section of the country. In passing through this valley, they discovered a pond about six miles long near which they found an old gun and several traps, and on a tree was cut the name of Thomas Webb. This name they gave to the lake. Around 1797, Webb Settlement came into existence. A few years later, the name of the settlement was changed to Weld in honor of Benjamin Weld, one of the first settlers.

The exceptional location of the camp has been pronounced by men qualified to judge camp sites, as one of the finest

natural settings for a boys' camp in the country. There is a protected cove and sandy beach for safe swimming, miles of pines and pointed firs, invigorating air, cool nights, and refreshing sleep. Neither word nor picture can do full justice to its delightful, well-adapted location.

Lake Webb is six miles long and two miles wide, and is completely surrounded by mountains. The water is clear and pure and never too cold for the early morning plunge. It averages between 72 and 78 degrees at the late morning swim period.

The surrounding country is wild and rugged and appeals to the adventurous spirit of growing boys. Just to run, to swim, to follow trails over lofty peaks, to spy on deer and moose as they come to the lake to drink, to investigate beaver dams, to sit by glowing camp fires at night, or lie in a sleeping bag under the stars and listen to strange noises of the deep woods—What a life! Such thrilling experiences make every boy become a bigger, better, and more self-reliant man.



CAMP MANAGEMENT

Mark Nelson, Managing Director of Camp Kawanhee, is entering his fourth year in this position and eighteenth overall with Kawanhee, previously serving as Director of Campcraft, Director of Water Skiing, and as a Director of Activities. A graduate of Ohio State University, Mark also has completed a semester program with the National Outdoor Leadership School, and received his Wilderness EMT credentials from Wilderness Medicine Institute. A strong supporter of organized camping and experiential education, Mark and his wife, Elizabeth, Assistant Director of Art, make their home in Winston-Salem, North Carolina.

Walter Estabrook, Associate Director, was previously the Managing Director of Camp Kawanhee for 30 years, and is a former camper and counselor at Kawanhee. A graduate of



**Mark &
Elizabeth
Nelson**

Wesleyan University, Middletown, Connecticut, he served in World War II as overseas Athletic Director of a U.S. Naval Air Base. He has extensive experience in Sales and Purchasing, and following 26 years of service with the Brown Steel Co., Columbus, Ohio, Mr. Estabrook is now retired to devote full time to Camp Kawanhee. His vast knowledge of "good camping" has contributed to Kawanhee's enviable reputation as one of the best camps in the New England area.

Jane Estabrook, Associate Director, is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, Stout College, with a major in Home Economics. She has advance work in Hospitality Management and Food Service. She served several summers as Food Production Supervisor at Kawanhee, and for over thirty years as Kawanhee's bookkeeper.

Activities Directors for 2002 were Russ Jessen and Mark



Walter Estabrook & Jane Estabrook

Gibson. Russ has been a camper or counselor at Kawanhee for 14 years, and is currently pursuing his Master's Degree at the University of North Carolina. Previously serving as Assistant Athletic Director for 4 summers, Russ will be entering his sixth season as Activities Director in 2003. Mark, a highly experienced professional at-risk youth counselor, is currently finishing his studies at Unity College, and has been a camper or counselor for 17 years. Previously serving as the Director of Kayaking, Director of Boating, and Co-Director of our Junior Counselor and Counselor-In-Training programs, Mark too will be returning in 2003 for his second season as an Activities Director.



**Co-Director of Activities
Mark Gibson**



**Co-Director of Activities
Russ Jessen**

Camp Staff 2002

LODGE COUNSELORS—2002

Will Alexander , Trout Lodge Assistant Director of Water Skiing Student, Wittenberg University, Springfield, OH	Sean Duncan , Falcon Lodge Assistant Director of Ropes Student, Whitman College, Walla Walla, WA	Carlos Morales , Beaver Lodge Director of Volleyball Graduate, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL
Adam Bowman , Deer Lodge Director of Basketball Student, Miami University, Oxford, OH	Brad Fichter , Trout Lodge Assistant Director of Baseball Student, Suffolk University, Boston, MA	Adam Muther , Birch Lodge Assistant Director of Swimming Student, Boston University, Boston, MA
Andrew Bowman , Pine Tree Lodge Assistant Director of Basketball Student, Miami University, Oxford, OH	Todd Fichter , Bear Lodge Co-Director of Water Skiing and Fort Director Student, Westminster College, Salt Lake City, UT	Dan Osar , Falcon Lodge Assistant Director of Tennis Student, Colby College, Waterville, ME
Conor Branch , Coyote Lodge Assistant Director of Ropes Student, Colorado College, Colorado Springs, CO	Pete Gilbert , Pine Tree Lodge Co-Director of Soccer Student, University of Maine, Orono, ME	Richard Pinkham , Crow Lodge Director of Kayaking Student, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH
Dustin Broughton , Hawk Lodge Assistant Director of Range Student, Husson College, Bangor, ME	Chris Huntington , Loon Lodge Co-Director of Nature Graduate, St. Lawrence University, Canton, NY and Depaw University College of Law, Chicago, IL	Chris Proctor , Eagle Lodge Assistant Director of Art Student, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, ME
Andy Burbine , Lynx Lodge Assistant Director of Tripping Student, University of Montana, Missoula, MT	Russ Jessen , Loon Lodge Co-Program Director Graduate, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC	Eduardo Saldaña , Lynx Lodge Assistant Director of Boating Student, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA
Jon Casto , Badger Lodge Assistant Director of Kayaking Student, Columbus Academy, Columbus, OH	Daniel Jones , Deer Lodge Co-Director of Soccer Graduate, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC	Jamie Strawbridge , Birch Lodge Assistant Director of Campcraft Student, Williams College, Williamstown, MA
C. J. Clarke , Bear Lodge Assistant Director of Wrestling Student, University of Iowa, Iowa City, IA	Michael Kunze , Badger Lodge Assistant Director of Sailing Student, University, Vienna, Austria	Ed Watson , Eagle Lodge Assistant Director of Kayaking Student, Ohio Northern University, Ada, OH
Joey Clarke , Moose Lodge Assistant Director of Wrestling Student, University of Georgia, Athens, GA	Torrey Liddell , Crow Lodge Director of Sailing Graduate, Bowdoin College, Brunswick, ME	Nathan Webb , Lynx Lodge Assistant Director of Range, Fishing Instructor Student, Unity College, Unity, ME
Chris Colahan , Wildcat Lodge Assistant Director of Archery Graduate, Villanova University, Philadelphia, PA	Scott Luken , Beaver Lodge Assistant Director of Volleyball Student, Bridgeton Academy, North Bridgeton, ME	Scott Zurcher , Moose Lodge Co-Director of Soccer Teacher, Lumberton Schools, Lumberton, NC
Adam Cook , Hawk Lodge Assistant Director of Swimming, Co-Director of Polar Bear	Doug Mitchell , Coyote Lodge Co-Director of Tennis Graduate, Quinnipiac University, Handen, CT	
Nate Duncan , Loon Lodge Assistant Director of Campcraft Student, University of North Texas, Denton, TX		

ADDITIONAL CAMP STAFF—2002

Patty Alexander Camp Secretary Powell, OH	Joe Demers Book Keeper Computer Consultant, Weld, ME	Heather Pratt Kitchen Staff Student, Auburn, ME
Michael Altmaier Assistant Director of Nature Educator and Historian, Weld, ME	Skip Erickson Assistant Director of Shop Retired School Administrator, Brooksville, FL	Jessie Pratt Kitchen Staff Graduate, Mt. Blue High School, Farmington, ME
Robert (B.A.) Altmaier Camp Score Keeper, Coordinator of Keys, Kawanhee's Winter Guardian Angel Bass Shoe Co., Wilton, ME	James Estabrook Wigwam Editor, Webmaster Interactive Media Developer, Compuserve, Columbus, OH	Lucy Ramsay Camp Nurse Registered Nurse, Naples, FL
Scott Barnes Director of Kayaking Sales Representative for Riot Kayak Whitewater slalom athlete, Falls Village, CT	Dorothy Jones-Estabrook Co-Director of Nature & Head Camp Tutor Teacher and Job Training Coordinator, Columbus, OH	Dr. Nancy Rini Camp Nurse Director of Nurses, Columbus Public Schools, Columbus, OH
John Bell Director of Fishing Special Education Teacher, Rumford, ME Fishing Specialist, LL Bean, Freeport, ME	Linda Fairbanks Assistant Director of Shop Enjoying semi-retirement in St. Petersburg, FL	Rachel Roberts Kitchen Staff Student, University of Maine, Orono, ME
Angela Belskis Kitchen Staff Student, Ashland High School, Ashland, ME	David Gallagher Co-Director of Volleyball Graduate Student, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI	Joanna Sewall Assistant Director of Swimming Graduate Student, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT
Nan Belskis Manager of Camp Store, Boys' Accounts, & Lodge Inspector Manager of School Cafeterias, Ashland, ME	Mark Gibson Co-Program Director Student, Unity College, Unity, ME	Betty Simanek Director of Range Teacher, Weld ME
Pete Belskis Director of Athletics, Co-Fire Chief Teacher and Coach, Ashland, ME	Chad Hutchinson Kitchen Staff Student, Mt. Blue High School, Farmington, ME	Kara Simanek Co-Director of Nature Graduate, Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO
Brian Birch Director of Shop Retired Industrial Arts Teacher, St. Petersburg, FL	Allyn Irving Camp Secretary Teacher, Colorado Springs, CO	Kris Simanek Director of Ropes Teacher, Mountain Valley High School, Rumford, ME
Stephanie Birch Assistant Director of Shop Student, Countryside High School, Clearwater, FL	Scott Irving Co-Director of Tennis Instructor and Coach, U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado Springs, CO	Ted Simanek Director of Arts Teacher and Craftsman, Weld, ME
Kate Branch Camp Nurse School Nurse, Chappaqua School District, Chappaqua, NY	Dan Keating Co-Director JC and CIT Programs Teacher, Utica, NY	Alan Spencer Co-Director of Tripping Teacher, Worthington Schools, Worthington, OH
Debra Brown Camp Mother Teacher, Rumford Elementary School, Rumford, ME	Megan Kesson Assistant Director of Sailing Student, Franklin Pierce College, Rindge, NH	Amy Spencer Director of Boating Faculty of Pontifical College Josephinum, Delaware, OH
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Ryanne Brown Kitchen Staff Student, Dirigo High School, Dixfield, ME	Erin Lisk Kitchen Staff Student, Bentley College, Waltham, MA	Kathy Turner Director of Laundry Carthage, ME
Amy Buckingham Co-Director of Boating Graduate Student, Michigan State University, E. Lansing, MI	Lincoln MacIsaac Assistant Director of Tripping Teacher, Mt. Valley High School, Rumford, ME	Leo Turner Supervisor of Fort and Grounds Carthage, ME
Barbara Compher Head Camp Secretary Teacher, Fort Worth, TX	Kyle Minear Head Baker Student, University of Maine, Farmington, ME	Nancy van den Honert Co-Director of Archery Teacher, Edinboro, PA
Chuck Compher, Sr. Co-Director of Archery Director of Bands, Diocese of Fort Worth, Professional Musician and Band Leader, Fort Worth, TX	Sean Minear Head Chef Teacher of Culinary Arts, Farmington, ME	Dr. Peter van den Honert Director of Waterfront Chair, Department of Music and Director of Choral Activities, Edinboro University of Pennsylvania, Edinboro, PA
	Kim Paling Kitchen Staff Graduate, Mt. Blue High School, Farmington, ME	Dan Webster Co-Director of Tripping Head Naturalist, Foothill Horizons Outdoor School, Sonora, CA
		Tom Wojcik Director of Maintenance Contractor, Hills Pond Builders, Wilton, ME

JUNIOR COUNSELORS—2002

Rees Alexander , Coyote Lodge, Powell, OH Basketball	Sam Hoffman , Deer Lodge, Marblehead, MA Campcraft
Andrew Altmaier , Pine Tree Lodge, Wilton, ME Basketball	Brandon Jaconia , Beaver Lodge, Gaithersburg, MD Nature
Randy Barba , Loon Lodge Kenilworth, IL Volleyball	John Kelly , Bear Lodge, Brooklyn, NY Baseball
James Chagaris , Deer Lodge, Tenafly, NJ Campcraft	Mike Lenard , Bear Lodge, Washington, D.C. Tripping
Robert Connelly , Hawk Lodge, Brookside, NJ Kayaking	Christian McCoy , Badger Lodge, Columbus, OH Wrestling
Frank Cook , Birch Lodge, Gahanna, OH Boating	Ryan Nuanes , Lynx Lodge, Washington, D.C. Baseball
Tony Cottone , Falcon Lodge, Boca Raton, FL Soccer	Jon Ostwalt , Trout Lodge, Tallahassee, FL Tennis
Ramin Farhangi , Birch Lodge, Paris, France Volleyball	Jed Standen , Moose Lodge, South Freeport, ME Sailing
Slade Fay , Wildcat Lodge, Preston, CT Ropes	Justin Whealen , Crow Lodge, Boca Raton, FL Baseball
Matt Gering , Eagle Lodge, Indianapolis, IN Sailing	

Staff Members

*who have been campers and/or counselors
designated by the following number of years.*

Five to Ten Years

Will Alexander
Adam Bowman
Conor Branch
Kate Branch
Debi Brown
Andy Burbine
Joey Clarke
Chris Colahan
Joe Demers
Todd Fichter
David Gallagher
Michael Kunze
Scott Luken
George Moore
Adam Muther
Dan Osar
Richard Pinkham
Chris Proctor
Rachel Roberts
Eduardo Saldaña
Joanna Sewall
Betty Simanek
Kara Simanek
Ted Simanek
Pete St. John
Jamie Strawbridge
Adam Studebaker

Ten to Twenty Years

Patty Alexander
John Bell
Jon Casto
Barbara Compher
Adam Cook
C. J. Clarke
Nate Duncan
Sean Duncan
Dotty Jones-Estabrook
Jim Estabrook
Brad Fichter
Mark Gibson
Chris Huntington
Russ Jessen
Dan Keating
Bill Koplitz
Torrey Liddell
Carlos Morales
Mark Nelson
Lucy Ramsay
Kris Simanek
Al Spencer
Amy Spencer
Ed Watson
Dan Webster
Tom Wojcik

Twenty to Thirty Years

Scott Barnes
Nan Belskis
Chuck Compher
Nancy van den Honert
Peter van den Honert

Thirty to Forty Years

B. A. Altmaier
Mike Altmaier
Pete Belskis
Jane Estabrook
Walter Estabrook

Forty-Six Years

Brian Birch

Congratulations and thanks!

Food and Facilities

We want the cook! We want the cook!" This familiar phrase is a frequent cheer in our dining hall, and is our campers way of expressing appreciation for the delicious meals. Our basic philosophy is to plan well balanced menus which are both appetizing and nourishing for healthy, hungry campers. Boys who are fortunate to celebrate a birthday while in camp receive a delicious cake for their table. Sean Minear, our chef, is the Director of Culinary Arts Department at Mt. Blue High School, Farmington, Maine. Everyone in camp thanks Sean and his talented staff for the delicious meals.

Conveniently located near the sleeping lodges are the dining hall, recreation building, wrestling building, nature building, archery supply cabin, a shop large enough to accommodate up to thirty-six boys and four instructors at one time, a scout and campcraft building, rifle and archery ranges, the camp hospi-



Kitchen Staff

Front: Ryanne Brown, Rachel Roberts, Kyle Minear (Head Baker), Erin Lisk, Chad Hutchinson. Back: Angie Belskis, Sean Minear (Chef), Heather Pratt, Jessie Pratt, Kim Paling.



tal, boat houses, the toilet building with showers and our camp laundry.

Most of Kawanhee's buildings are of heavy log construction, roomy, rustic, and built to suit our specific needs. The sleeping lodges are nestled among the pines along the shores of the lake. They are safe, comfortable, and free from dampness in rainy weather. Each is equipped with comfortable cots and mattresses, and accommodates from seven to ten boys and two counselors.



Abbott Lodge

Abbott Lodge was built in the spring of 1990 and ready for occupancy when camp opened. We are very grateful to the Abbott family for their generous gift towards the total cost. The building provides living quarters for married staff members with young children, and is in memory of a very happy and spirited former camper, Charles Abbott, who lost his life in an auto accident in California in February of 1989.

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for making it possible for Tim to spend six wonderful weeks at Camp Kawanhee. He is still talking about all that he did this summer and how great his new experience away from home was. The growth we have seen in him, both physically and mentally, is immeasurable. We cannot thank you and your staff enough for all you have given him.

Rich and Priscilla Walsh
Bedford, New Hampshire

Age Distribution and Level System



Jr. C—7, 8, 9 years, Jr. B—10 and 11 years, Jr. A—12 and 13 years, Senior 14 and 15 years, C.I.T. (Counselor-in-Training)—15 and 16 years.

Physical development and camping experience, along with age, are important factors in determining the proper group for a boy.

Kawanhee's program consists of some 20 activities, and all campers are required to report daily, Monday through Friday, to their four one-hour assigned activity periods. Attendance is compulsory, although participation is not demanded if a boy and his parents request exemption from a certain activity.

During the first three weeks at camp, boys are scheduled to attend all activities to become better acquainted with the entire program, and to develop new interests. Following the three-week introductory period, campers may sign-out from an assigned activity, and resign back into another activity of their choice with the approval of the Program Director.

The Achievement Level is the common unit for evaluating accomplishment at Kawanhee. Progress in each activity is divided into three levels with the first level purposely designed

to be quite easy to allow a boy to discover if a particular activity interests him. Levels two and three are progressively more difficult. Each of the several age classifications has a different set of 1-2-3 level requirements, so that a boy's level challenges will match his age group.

The stimulus to complete levels is enhanced through the honors which are presented at the Saturday night campfires. Every boy needs recognition for his achievements, and it is a prized moment in a camper's life when he is asked to rise and stand before the campfire as his name is read for each level completed during the previous week. At this impressive ceremony, lodge groups form a huge circle around the big council fire. There is singing, games, and stunts, the presentation of awards, and the reading of the weekly camp log. Since each camper is a member of either the Maroon or Grey team, there is a tense silence the moment before the weekly team scores are announced—then mighty cheers led by the team captains.

As the embers glow and the stars appear we rise, face the west, and in the stillness of the woods, sing our good night song to the tune of taps.

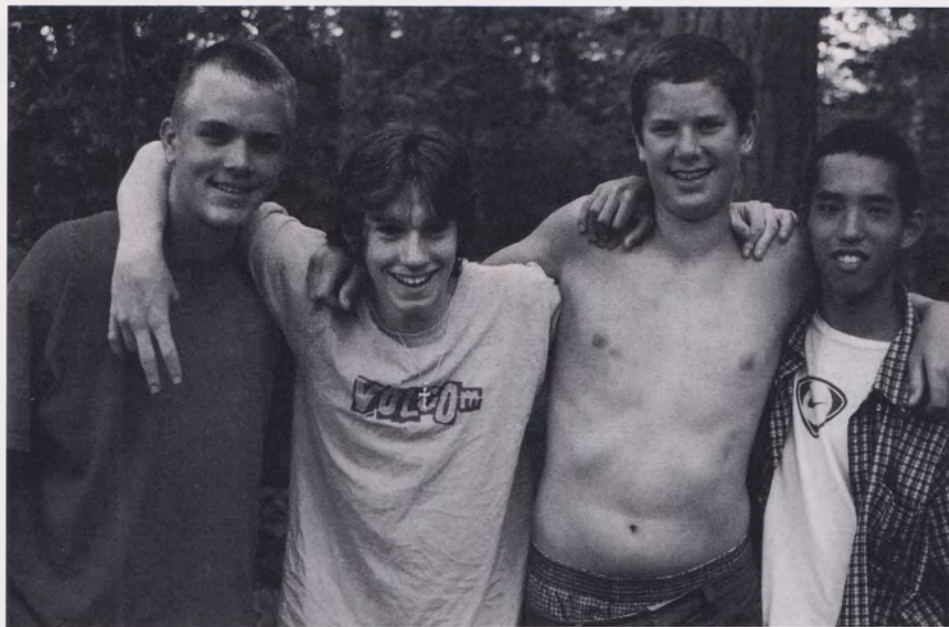
“Day is gone—gone from the sun—from the lake,
From the hills, from the sky,
All is well, safely rest—
God is nigh”

A Day at Kawanhee

A typical day (Monday through Friday) at Kawanhee starts with reveille at 7:00 a.m., and then a delicious breakfast following the flag-raising ceremony. Next, all campers share in the clean-up for lodge inspection, for which there is eager competition, as lodges winning seven inspections receive a special treat. Morning activities then follow in two periods—9:00 to 10:00 and 10:00 to 11:00, after which comes morning swim. The noon meal is followed by an hour's rest period—time enough to write a letter home, read, or take a nap. Afternoon activity periods are scheduled for 2:00 to 3:00 and 3:00 to 4:00. Free time 'til supper finds boys having fun with tetherball, fishing, or going to the library to read or play a game of checkers. Supper is at 5:30, and after our meal, boys may go sailing, canoeing, fishing, water skiing, take part in a baseball or softball game, play "capture the flag", or another challenging game. At 7:30 all lodges gather in the Recreation Hall for movies, singing, stories, or camp shows.

On Saturdays special events are scheduled, such as water meets, track meets, mountain climbs, Little League games,

soccer, or tennis matches. Certain activities, such as Shop, are scheduled to permit boys to work on projects. In the evening extra events, such as a talk by a Forest Ranger or a Senior Maine Guide, prove to be educational and fascinating for all hands.



Sundays at Kawanhee are spent quietly. Our religious life is non-sectarian. Lodge groups walk to Council Point, where we assemble on the side of the hill facing beautiful Lake Webb, sing hymns, and listen to an inspirational talk by one of our chaplains or by one of our counselors. Catholic boys are taken to Mass at Dixfield, twelve miles from camp. In the afternoon it is traditional for boys to hike into the town of Weld—they walk in lodge groups with their respective counselors in charge. Also, short mountain trips, sailing, tennis, canoeing, soccer, skiing, and other activities are supervised and open for selection. Six days a week, as well as on Sundays, there is an unobtrusive yet very positive religious influence felt throughout the whole program at Kawanhee.

Jacob is so proud of his sailboat, it sits in his bedroom above his bookcase. Actually, his bedroom is a sight to behold; shop projects from all of his four summers are displayed. Last summer's CD crate is on a shelf and fully utilized. The bird house is mounted on his wall, and the bird feeder, his first shop project, is suspended from his ceiling; Jacob never allowed birds to enjoy these accomplishments.

Janet Jones, Dover, Delaware

Sailing

Sailing has long been a major activity at Kawanhee. Many boys who return year after year consider it the most interesting activity in Camp. "Sign-ups" for Sailing are always filled.

The Beginning Sailing Program—the **Novice** and **Crew** ratings—introduces the new sailor to basic safety requirements, common sailing terms and knots and the practical procedures which acquaint him with the thrills of sailing yet to come.

The Intermediate Program—**Bosun** and **Second Mate**—teaches the emergency procedures and responsibilities of the skipper; Sailing Theory and Rules of the Road; and practical procedures including getting under weigh, setting sails, tacking, landing, furling sails, shipshape condition, and basic Racing Procedures.

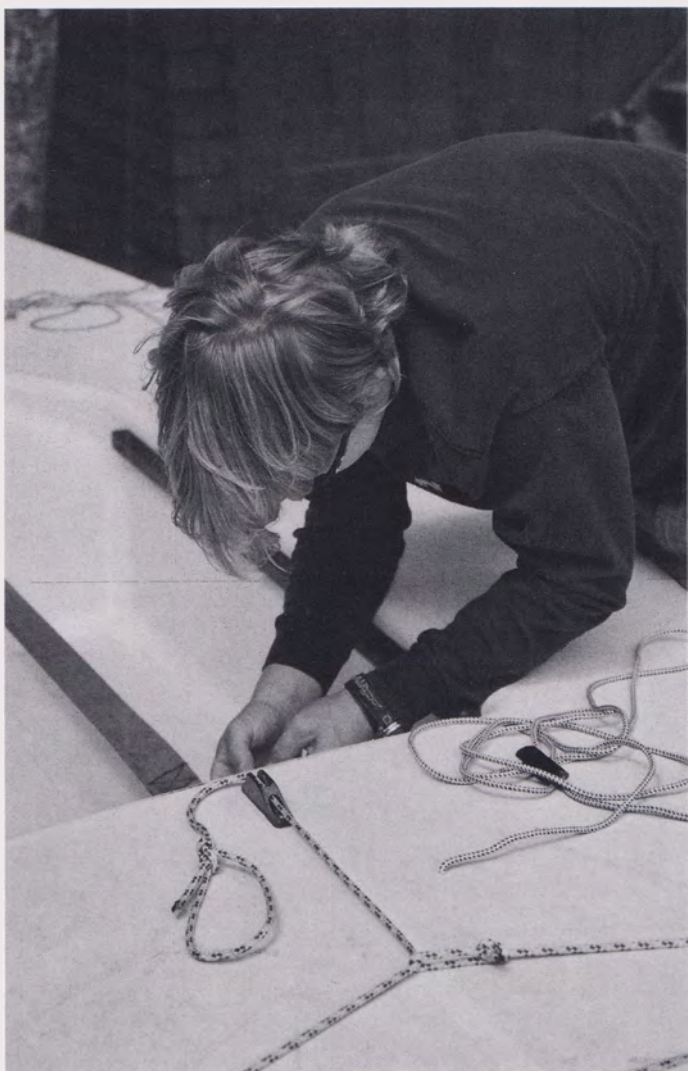
The Advanced Program—**First Mate** and **Skipper**—challenges a boy with advanced sailing terms, theory, navigation, yacht design, boat maintenance, splicing, sailing traditions, the proper handling of sloops, and an in-depth study of Racing Rules and Tactics. The coveted **Racing Skipper** award is presented to persons who have demonstrated outstanding skill, service, and performance.

Following several informal practice races, sailors may sign up for the racing program which encourages boys to compete



in two types of regattas—Part One, **Team Racing**—Grey and Maroon—Part Two, **Individual Racing**—the final regatta. Any boy earning Second Mate, receives credit for Part One in Basic Sailing. Those earning First Mate, receive credit for Part Two.

Due to popular demand, wind surfers, Sun Fish, and Sail Fish were added to the Kawanhee fleet. An exciting development after camp in 1997 was the complete renovation of the Sea Hawk and the Sea Gull, the two Cape Cod Knockabouts. Under the enthusiastic and talented leadership of sailing directors Torrey Liddell and Michael Kunze, and their able assistants Megan Kesson, Matt Gering and Jed Standen sailing popularity reached new highs in 2002.



Sailing Staff

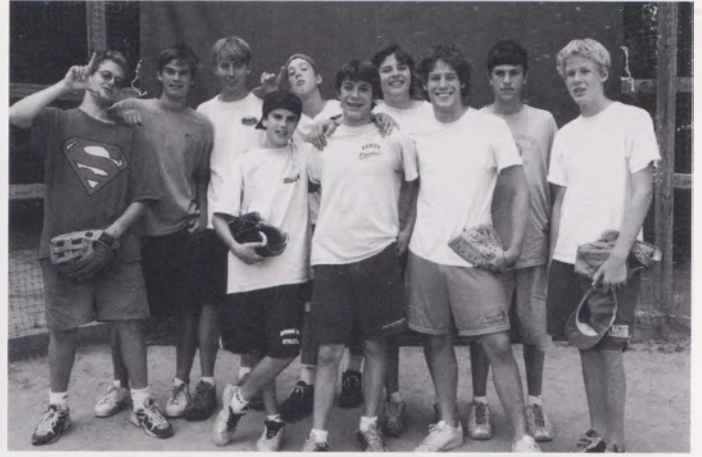
L-R: Torrey Liddell, Megan Kesson, Jed Standen, Matt Gering, Michael Kunze.

Baseball & Softball

Coaches are Pete Belskis, 27 years as Athletic Director at Camp Kawanee, and his assistants Brad Fichter, John Kelly, Ryan Nuanes and Justin Whaelen.



**Kawanee Little League Champions
Marlene's Blue Dolphin**



**Hank Aaron Softball Champions
Loose Baggage**



**Kawanee Little League Runner-up
Purple Reign**



**Hank Aaron League Softball Runner-up
Big Units**



**Baseball Staff
Front: John Kelly, Justin Whaelen, Ryan Nuanes,
Back: Pete Belskis, Brad Fichter**

Basketball



**Senior League Champions
The Ghostbusters**



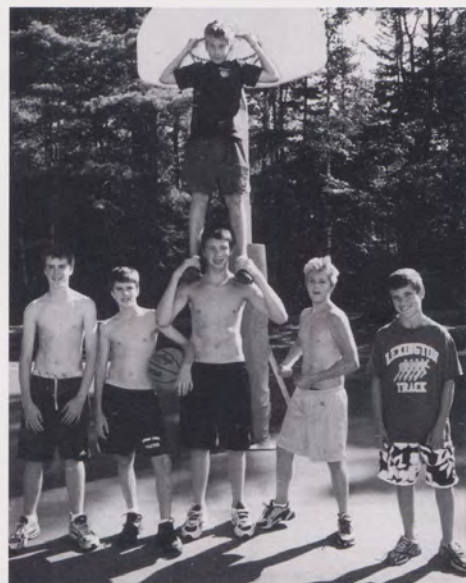
**Senior League Runner-up
School Bus Drivers**



**Basketball Staff
L-R: Rees Alexander, Andrew Bowman,
Adam Bowman, Andrew Altmaier.**



Basketball boosters enjoyed another great season on the hard surface, all weather outdoor court. The enthusiasm of Coaches Adam Bowman, Andrew Bowman, Andrew Altmaier and Rees Alexander rubbed off on all ages to make for another successful and spirited summer.



**Junior League
Champions
Walla Walla
Community College**



**Junior League Runner-up
Brown Mackie Community College**



**Basketball Meritorious Awards
L-R: Tommy Costanza, Rees Alexander,
Alex Dunn, Jed Standen.**

Tennis

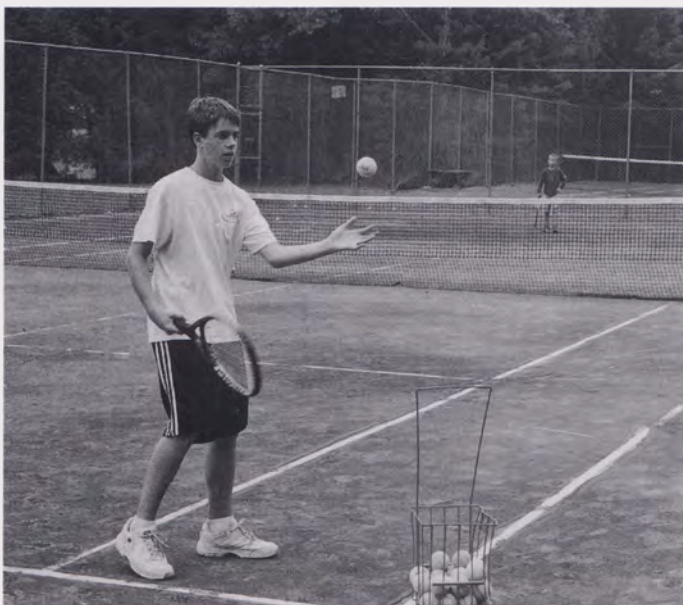
Kawanhee is fortunate to have four clay courts in excellent condition, and according to the New England Tennis Court Company which refurbished these courts in 2002, the courts are among the finest in the entire state of Maine. Because of our top quality courts, and because of the excellent instruction from our coaches, Scott Irving, Doug Mitchell, Dan Osar, and Jon Ostwalt, tennis popularity reached new highs in 2002.



2002 Tennis Staff
L-R: Jonathan Ostwalt, Dan Osar, Doug Mitchell, Scott Irving.



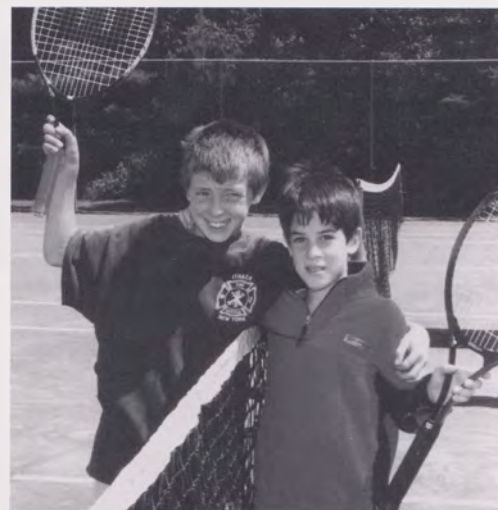
Senior
L-R: Champion Andrew MacMannis, Runner-up Robin Curtis.



Junior A
L-R: Runner-up Gavin Cadwallader, Champion Fernando Alvarez-Sala



Junior B
L-R: Champion Johnny Sugar, Runner-up Juan Pablo Perez-Teuffer



Junior C
L-R: Runner-up Tyler St. Denis, Champion Nico Servitje

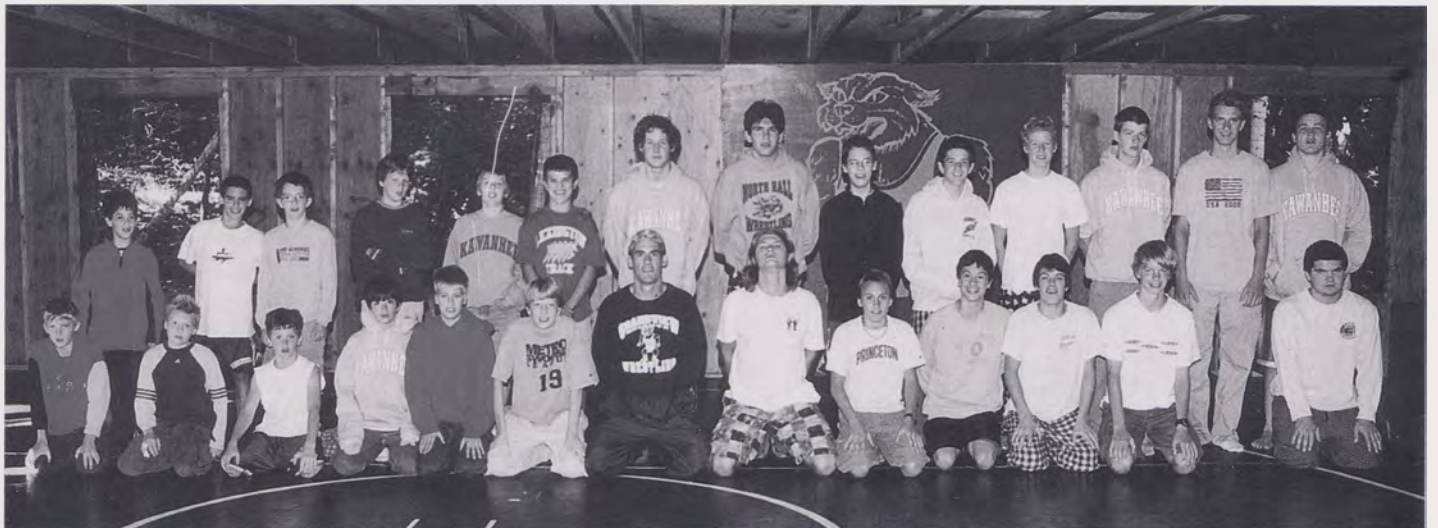
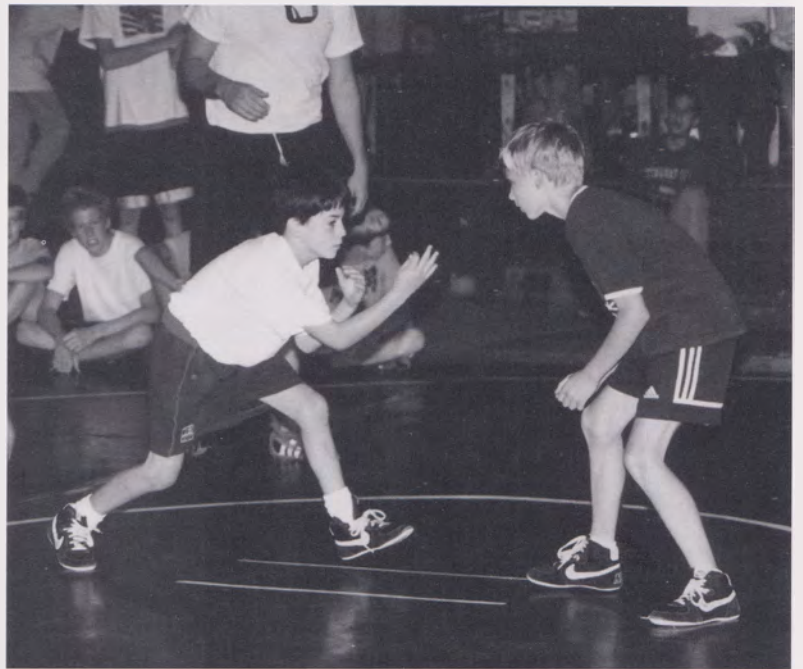
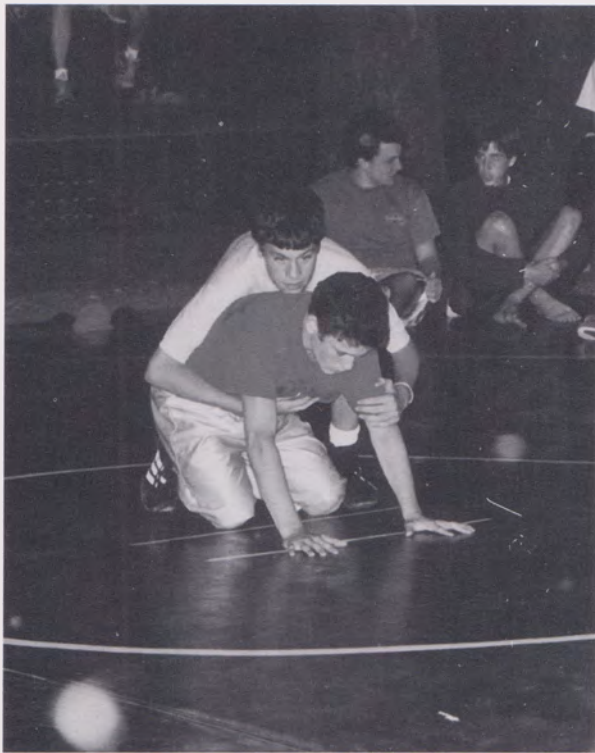
You run a magnificent program—keep up the good work!

Mary K. Bowman, Ph.D.
Clinical Psychologist, Tipp City, Ohio

Wrestling

Many boys select wrestling as a part of their daily program. They are trained in small groups. Those who are interested are matched, by weight, in the annual tournament, which is one of the highlights in the athletic program. Our wrestling building is one of the finest in the state with a mat area of 30 by 30 feet. See page 39 for Ribbon Awards.

Coaches George Moore, C. J. Clarke, Joey Clarke and Christian McCoy interjected plenty of skill, interest, and enthusiasm into the wrestling program for 2002.



Wrestling Tournament Champions and Runners-up

Volleyball

Volleyball is popular with everyone—campers and staff. Leaders Carlos Morales, Scott Luken, Ramin Farhangi and Randy Barba developed a contagious spirit into the 2002 program.



**Beach Boys II Men's League
Volleyball Champion
The Dirty Sanchez**



**Beach Boys II Men's League
Volleyball Runner-up
Shriveled Arrangements**



**Sons of Beaches League Volleyball Champion
Ham That Landed On A Van**



**Sons of Beaches
League Volleyball
Runner-up
Graham Crackers**



Volleyball Staff

L to R: Ramin Farhangi, Randy Barba, Carlos Morales, Scott Luken



**Bunch of
Beaches
League
Volleyball
Champion
Wolf Guys**



**Bunch of
Beaches League
Volleyball
Runner-up
The Slums**



**Nuke-Um
Volleyball
Champion
Turtles**



**Nuke-Um
Volleyball
Runner-up
The Mafia**

Soccer

Interest in Soccer has risen with rapid acceleration over the past few summers. The expertise and enthusiasm of Spanish campers has contributed greatly to this sport. See page 37 for 2002 Soccer awards.

Coaches Daniel Jones, Pete Gilbert, Scott Zurcher, and Tony Cottone inspired keen competition and sharpened skills for all participating campers.



**Junior League Tri-Champions
Bailey's Irish Team**



**Junior League Tri-Champions
Roscito's Buncha Crackas**



**Soccer Meritorious Awards
L to R: Gavin Cadwallader, Juan Pablo Perez-Teuffer,
Michael Hibberd.**



**Senior League Champions
World Team 1**



**Junior League Tri-Champions
Rod's Slobber**



**Soccer Staff
L to R: Scott Zurcher, Daniel Jones,
Tony Cottone, Pete Gilbert.**

I enjoyed so much meeting you both this summer, at long last! Kawanhee was just as I pictured it! Now I understand fully why Marc longed to return year after year!

Barbara and Claude van den Broeck
France

Swimming

The Kawanhee cove, with its fine sandy beach and clear sparkling water, is unsurpassed as a safe and ideal setting for every conceivable type of fresh water sport.

During the first day of camp each boy takes a swimming test. Some will do the Lake Swim, a distance of 1/4 mile. Some may swim across the cove, a distance of 100 yards, and some will swim between the docks, a distance of 100 feet. Boys who cannot comfortably swim 100 feet are given daily instruction until they can.

During swim periods, all boys receive instruction geared to their individual swimming ability. The camp uses the American Red Cross Swimming Levels in its swimming program. The morning free swim is at 11:00, and the afternoon swim is at 4:00. If the day has been hot, an evening free swim will be enjoyed by all.

Fully accredited lifeguards are stationed on the docks any time boys are in the water. The buddy system is followed, and no boy is allowed into the water until he has a buddy. Each boy must pass both swimming and boating tests before he is allowed the privilege of using the boats. A Beach Guard is on duty to monitor all boating activities, and to emphasize safety.

Other swimming activities include the popular Ten Mile Swim, where boys swim laps in order to complete ten miles by the end of the summer, and the special Bass Rock Swim, a distance of 3/4 of a mile. The big Aquatic Meet is held on a Saturday afternoon, and is a time when Greys and Maroons compete for honors. There are swimming and boating events, and the competition is keen and exciting.

Kawanhee also conducts Red Cross classes in Basic Rescue and Water Safety (BLS) for boys 11 years and older, and Lifeguard Training (LGT) for boys 15 years and older. Graduates of the LGT class become certified lifeguards, a difficult but worthwhile achievement!

Waterfront Director Peter van den Honert and his excellent staff, Adam Cook, Joanna Sewall and Adam Muther are to be commended for operating a superior waterfront program!

Kawanhee has been a lot of fun for Rodrigo, but it has also given him an appreciation of nature, it has motivated him to read, and it has been very interesting for him to meet boys from other places and learn from them. I think Kawanhee has enriched his formative years and made adolescence easier on us, the parents. Thank you again, and my best wishes to all of you!

Mitzi W. Valderrabano
San Juan, Puerto Rico



Red Cross Lifeguard Training



Basic Lifesaving



Ten Mile Swim



Webb Lake - Five Mile Swim and 50 miles in one summer
L to R: Jon Denby, Jeff Ruhle



Bass Rock Swimmers



Swimming Staff
L to R: Adam Cook, Peter van den Honert,
Adam Muther, Joanna Sewall.



Boating & Canoeing

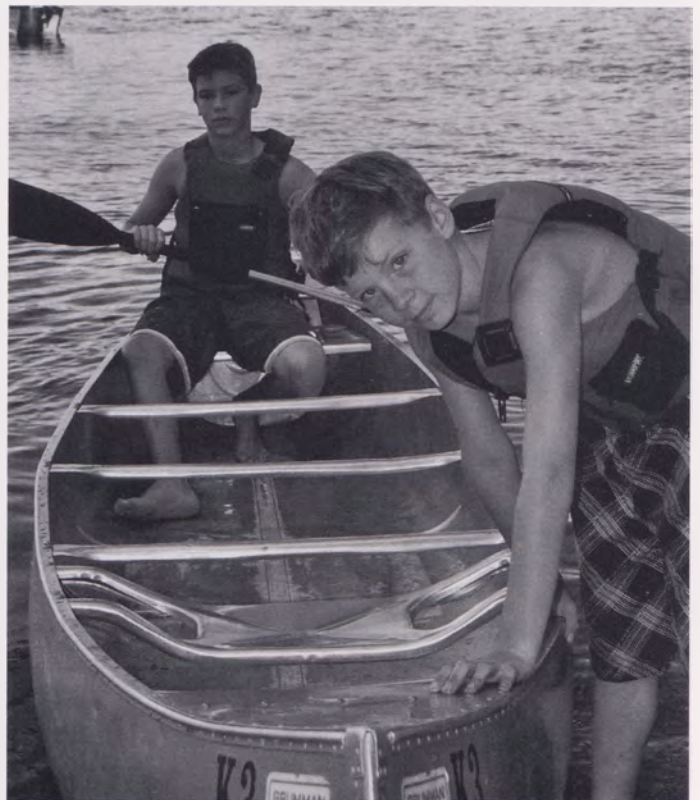


Boating Staff

**L to R: Eduardo Saldaña, Amy Buckingham, Frank Cook.
Not present: Amy Spencer.**



**Boater of the Year
in 2002,
Andrew Prior.**



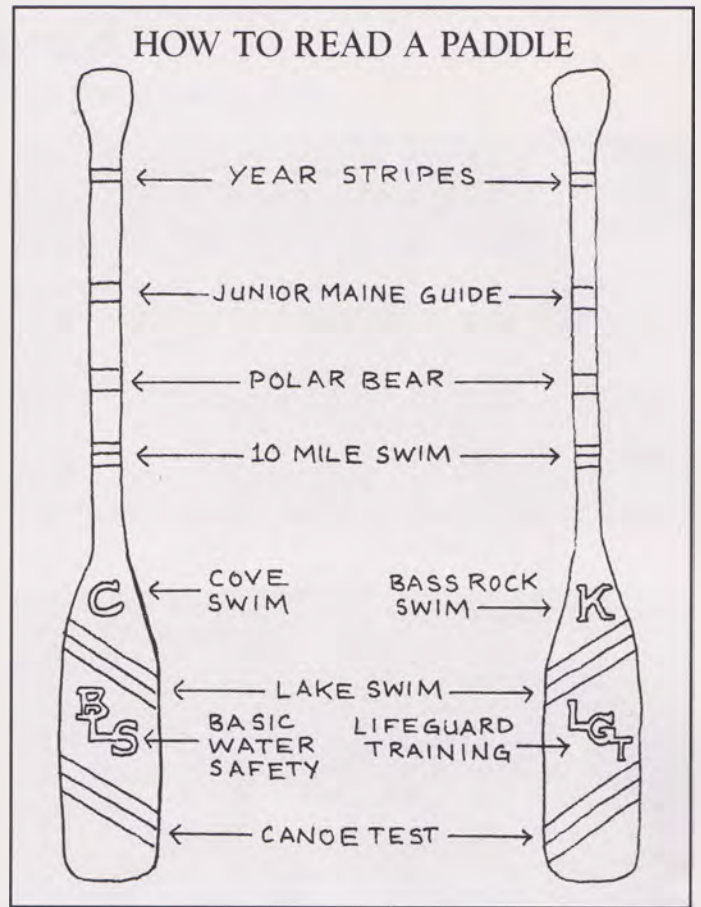
The summers that Scott spent at Camp Kawanee as a young camper were not only the happiest part of his youth, but they provided him with a great sense of accomplishment and competency. We could see him gaining confidence and self-assurance even as he had a great deal of just plain fun. You both added a significant dimension to Scott's growth when you invited him to be a counselor during college. He found this to be challenge and one that he met with your support and guidance. We saw a wonderful new maturity in Scott as a result of this experience. You are providing a wonderful, positive experience for so many boys which will help ground them all their lives.

Elaine H. Hairston
Pataskala, Ohio



War Canoes on Lake Webb

The grand finale of every Water Meet at Kawanhee is the exciting Maroon-Grey War Canoe Race!



I just want to tell you how grateful I am for your help in making Kawanhee happen for Matt this year, and for your watchful eyes over him this summer. He had, without a doubt, the most wonderful summer of his life. Kawanhee was everything you told us it would be, and more.

Susan Wilson
Westerville, Ohio



Kayaking

KAYAKING CAPTURES KAWANHEE'S IMAGINATION

For over ten years, Kawanhee kayakers have graced our cove with their powerful forward strokes, elegant sweep strokes, and amazing Eskimo rolls. We are constantly updating the equipment in the kayak department, so the boys can experience many different types of whitewater kayaks. We have several models from top North American manufacturers like Perception, Dagger, and even the cutting edge designs of Riot Kayaks!

For 2002, our Kayak Department was headed by Richard Pinkham, who was ably assisted by Ed Watson, Jon Casto and Rob Connelly. Basic instruction includes preparation of the boat for use, forwards stroke, sweep strokes, and the impor-

tant wet exit (safely exiting a capsized boat). Intermediate skills consist of Eskimo rescue, sculling, slap braces, and proper boat lean. More advanced paddlers are able to learn the Eskimo roll (righting one's boat after it has capsized).

The Kayak Department plans voluntary excursions to class II and III rivers to boys who are qualified. They teach such basic river skills as ferrying, eddy turns, playing in mild to moderate rapids, and basic safety.



2002 Kayaking Staff

L to R: Ed Watson, Richard Pinkham, Jon Casto, Rob Connelly.

Water Skiing

ALITTLE ROUGH-BUT THRILLING

Kawanhee's 16 ft. ski boat with its 88 h.p. motor makes for thrilling experiences for all age skiers. Our instructors have had several summers experience, and patiently encourage the new learners. All skiers must wear life belts. The campers themselves voted skiing one of the most popular activities in camp. Thanks to leaders Todd Fichter, Adam Studebaker and Will Alexander for a great season.



2002 Water Skiing Staff

L to R: Will Alexander, Todd Fichter, Adam Studebaker.



Archery

Many a boy has at one time or another dreamed of shooting a bow. At Kawanhee, those dreams become reality at the Archery Range, where boys receive expert instruction in the use of recurve bows. There is a bow for every age level and degree of strength, and each bow is equipped with a sight to help the camper achieve a high degree of success.

At Kawanhee boys are given the opportunity to earn Camp Archery Association medals, and National Archery Association patches, in addition to the prestigious Kawanhee Robin Hood awards. Campers are also given the opportunity to shoot competitively in tournaments both at Kawanhee and with other camps. Kawanhee has achieved impressive results in tournaments, and has placed second in the state of Maine for the past two years. As a result, Archery continues to be one of the most popular activities in camp.

Under the regulations of the National Camp Archery Association, the following medals are awarded at the Saturday night Camp Fires.

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| 1. Jr. Yeoman Pin | 9. Archer Pin |
| 2. Jr. Yeoman Arrow | 10. Archer 1st Rank |
| 3. Yeoman Pin | 11. Archer Sharpshooter |
| 4. Jr. Bowman Pin | 12. Silver Bow Pin |
| 5. Jr. Bowman Arrow | 13. Silver Bow 1st Rank |
| 6. Bowman Pin | 14. Silver Bow Sharpshooter |
| 7. Bowman 1st Rank "Robin-Hood" | 15. American Archer And "Robin-Hood" - Special Camp Trophy |
| 8. Bowman Sharpshooter | |



Archery Staff
L to R: Nancy van den Honert, Chuck Compher.
Not present: Chris Colahan.



Junior A Robin Hood Winners
L to R: Cory Keny, Reid Greimann, Spencer Davis, Will Stafford, Evan Jones.



Junior B Robin Hood Winners
Kneeling: Ben Standen, Matt St. John, Chase Horine, Michael Hibberd. Standing: Juan Pablo Perez-Teuffer, Graham Marvin, J. P. Rullan, Ben Altmaier.



Junior C Robin Hood Winners
L to R: Arturo Langdon, Ben Zambito, Nico Servitje.



Olympic Robin Hood Award
Frank Cook



Senior Robin Hood
L to R: David Wirth, Tony Cottone, Max Smith-Marder.

Riflery

Range Directors Betty Simanek, Nathan Webb, and Dustin Broughton put in many extra hours at our rifle range to accommodate all of the eager marksmen. During the 2002 Season, over thirty thousand rounds of ammunition were shot. Every boy learns the correct and safe way to handle a gun. The camp furnishes guns although several boys prefer to bring their own to camp. Under the auspices of the National Rifle Association, boys shoot for the following medals, and the awards are presented at the Saturday night Camp Fires:

1. Pro Marksman
2. Marksman
3. Marksman 1st Class
4. Sharpshooter
5. BARS 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9
6. Expert Rifleman
7. Distinguished Rifleman



High Bar Winners



Biathlon Participants



Range Staff

L-R: Dusty Broughton, Nate Webb, Betty Simanek.



Marksman Awards

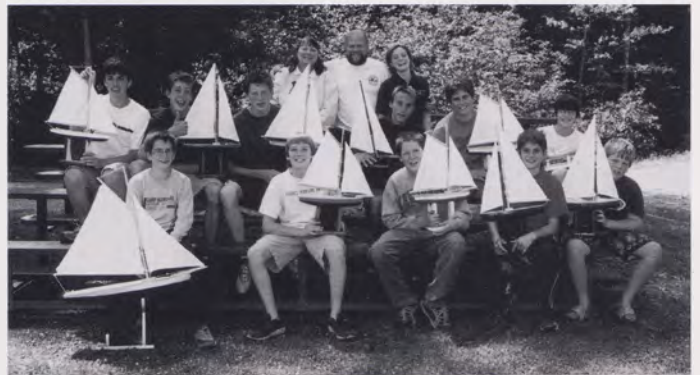


Youngest campers to win medals.

Kawanhee Shop

Craftsmen of 2002

Our shop is one of the busiest activities in camp with at least two Industrial Arts teachers and two assistants working full time with the campers. Between fifty and seventy-five project choices are on display from which campers may make a selection. Some of the more popular projects include: 15 and 27 inch sailboats, small replica paddles, airplanes, boats, cars, trucks, inlaid and slab tables, wood carvings, bird houses and feeders; also choices in metal working and plaster. There's never a dull moment in the shop where our philosophy is "learn by doing" and "finish what you start," which encourages RESPONSIBILITY, known in the shop as "THE BIG R". Director of Shop Brian Birch was very ably assisted by Stephanie Birch, Skip Erickson and Linda Fairbanks.



Sailboat Regatta
Winner
Juan Lastra
with
Shop Director
Brian Birch



Shop Staff
L to R: Skip Erickson, Linda Fairbanks,
Stephanie Birch, Brian Birch.

Ropes Course



Ropes Staff
L to R: Sean Duncan, Conor Branch, Kris Simanek, Slade Fay.

Kawanee's Challenge Course, which encompasses a 40 foot climbing tower and multiple high and low elements, was constructed by Project Adventure before the 2000 camp season. The course is a model of experiential learning that involves participants in a variety of group and individual activities aimed at developing group trust, problem-solving skills, and cooperation within a team.

In addition, it provides individuals with opportunities that focus on personal challenge and constructive risk taking as ways to build a healthy self-concept. An integral component of the program is the "Challenge By Choice" concept which empowers participants to make decisions that are correct for them while utilizing this completely safe environment with trained professional leaders.

Director Kris Simanek and her talented staff of Conor Branch, Sean Duncan, and Slade Fay brought tremendous instruction and contagious enthusiasm for this third season out at Ropes!



Ropes Course



"Ropes Rock Star" Awards
L to R: Alex Aldrich, Sam Carson, James Rohn, Adam Aldrich,
Sam McCoy, Paul Bonasera, Graham Marvin. Not present: Will Dargusch.







Learning From Nature

Kawanhee is unusually rich in natural beauty, with plant and animal life in abundance. "Learning by doing" is the Kawanhee way and nowhere in camp is this more observed than in the Nature department. Acquaintance with wild life is gained by caring for pets in the camp, pursuing birds on trips afield, and observation of the beaver colony a short distance from the camp.

Overnight trips are made occasions for study of the stars, simplified by the "stellarium" in the Nature Museum which flashes familiar constellations later to be identified under the open sky.

Microscopic observations, study of ferns and fungi, moth and butterfly propagation, nature photography and other fields of original research voluntarily chosen, are open to boys who wish to become "Naturalists," the highest honor the department confers. Such activities aim to quicken appreciation, awaken interests and develop resources which will in many cases continue throughout the boy's life.

MINERAL MINING TRIPS—A splendid collection of minerals was mined at Newry, where the boys go to add to their rock collections. Each specimen was identified, carefully labeled and placed in a mineral box. Every boy has the thrill of finding beautiful green tourmalines and clear quartz crystals. The more fortunate may emerge with pieces of beryl, rose and smoky quartz, green, black, and pink tourmaline, or even amethyst.

THE LAPIDARY SHOP—The strange fascination that rocks and minerals possess for many boys is given added stimulus by the lapidary equipment which is a part of the Nature Department's expanding interest in geology and mineralogy. The equipment consists of diamond saws for slicing or cutting, horizontal metal disks for rough grinding, and a series of wood and metal wheels for polishing. Special thanks to Nature Directors Dotty Jones Estabrook, Chris Huntington, Kara Simanek, Mike Altmaier and Brandon Jaconia for conducting such a popular program in 2002!

Nature has a new dimension now with the addition of two pottery wheels and boys of all ages have shown great interest in making things using clay. Lots of artistic talent has been displayed!



Nature Staff

Seated: Brandon Jaconia. Standing, L to R: Kara Simanek, Chris Huntington, Dotty Jones-Estabrook, Mike Altmaier.



Arts



Art Staff

L to R: Chris Proctor, Ted Simanek, Elizabeth Nelson.



Outstanding Artists



I want to express my gratitude again for allowing Robbie to have such an incredible experience this summer. He was able to learn so many new things and had such a great time doing it. He really came home a different person. All of the lesson he was taught at Kawanee have stuck with him and he is definitely a more mature and responsible young man! He constantly talks about Kawanee and his many experiences there. He cannot wait to go back and he has already decided he will one day be a counselor at Kawanee.

Michelle Savacool
Chatham, New Jersey

The Junior C Program

For Boys 7, 8 and 9 Years of Age

Many parents who appreciate the value of mature leadership for their younger boys are enrolling them at Kawanhee. Perhaps at no other age does camp offer more glamour and appeal. The days are never quite long enough. They learn to live and play happily with boys their own age, develop self-confidence, resourcefulness, and a spirit of comradeship.

For the coming season there will be hours to play on the sandy beach and grow strong in the mountain air and sunshine; time to sail small boats and fly toy airplanes; to explore fields and woods under trained leaders and learn many of Nature's wonders. In the shop, they will enjoy boat building, metal and leather work.

Each boy will learn to fish, swim and row. Some will even swim the one-eighth mile across the cove, and the one-quarter mile across the lake, and receive the coveted paddle and use of canoes in the cove. Best fun of all will be trips to the nearby mountains, or rowing across the lake to sleep in an Adirondack



lean-to and cooking over an open fire. Baseball, tennis, archery, range and skiing will be carefully taught under supervision.

Throughout the entire program the importance of adequate rest is emphasized. A quiet hour from 1:00 to 2:00 precedes the afternoon activities. Taps is at 9:00.

Message to Campers

Dear Campers,

Happy Birthday! It's your day! Birthdays are filled with presents, friends, games, fun, cake and great food. What could be better? How about 49 straight days of birthdays? Hard to believe? Spending the summer at Camp Kawanhee is like having your birthday for 49 days in a row. It's true!

Every day there are big presents and little presents for you to open. Greeting old buddies and making new friends is just the first day. There are mountains to climb, campfires to build, sunsets to photograph, home runs to hit, baskets to shoot, quivers to fill, rifles to load, and brownies to gulp. You just need to imagine the wrapping paper, bows, and ribbons on friends, the mountains, campfires, sunsets, home runs, baskets, quivers, rifles, and brownies! Just like your own birthday party, you get to do these exciting events with friends!

Your party can begin at 7:00 A.M. in the morning with Polar Bear swim and song and go all the way until 9:00 P.M. at night when you settle down in your lodge, or on the beach or on a mountain. But don't forget to unwrap your little presents. You'll be treated to hearing loons call to one another on the lake, seeing the humming birds flit by the feeders at the kitchen bakery, splashing from the high dive, smelling the pine trees, and drinking ice cold mountain water. Be sure to listen to the camp score given on the Saturday night campfire. Be sure to cheer loudly for the cook after a great meal. Be sure to pack a party hat because Camp Kawanhee will provide everything else for your 49 day birthday party! Call or write soon to R.S.V.P. so you won't miss the fun. See you there!

Love,
Your Camp Mother

P.S. If your own birthday is during camp season you will have a big birthday cake and be tossed in the lake!

Camp Kawanhee was everything we dreamed of for Andrew and he loved it! Thank you for your September report on Andrew's summer. When we met his counselor, we immediately appreciated the special qualities that make him a great counselor. Hopefully he will return to camp also next summer. When we read his comments about Andrew, James and I could see that he really understood both Andrew's strengths and those things that Andrew must improve upon.

Thank you again,
Leslie Spencer
Cornwall, New York

Campcraft—Junior Maine Guide

THE CAMPCRAFT program appeals to boys who enjoy the fun of camping out. Preparation for trips is an important part of the program—learning the safety rules in cooking over an open fire—how to make rainproof shelters and comfortable bough beds—how to make and follow trails through the deep woods—how to fish, and the best bait to use. For the 2002 season, Campcraft was very ably guided by Directors Pete St. John, Jamie Strawbridge, Nate Duncan, Jamie Chagaris and Sam Hoffman.

THE JUNIOR MAINE GUIDE program is of special interest to boys 14 yrs. and older. Under the coaching Counselors in the Campcraft Dept., they train in July before leaving for the testing area at Swan Island—about 70 miles from camp. They must select and develop their own campsite in virgin wilderness, where they remain for the four-day testing period.

BOYS FROM 12 to 15 camps compete each year. Candidates must pass the requirements in twenty separate tests, including use of the axe—canoeing and canoe repairing—wet-dry fire building—topographical mapping—personal shelters—reading

and following the compass, first aid, and cooking. Winning this coveted award is an accomplishment of which any boy may well be proud. Usually, two summers of preparation for J.M.G. are needed. Congratulations to the eight young men who successfully completed the very difficult J.M.G. course, and special thanks to their coach, Pete St. John and his staff.



Campcraft Staff
L to R: Jamie Strawbridge, Nate Duncan, Pete St. John, Sam Hoffman, James Chagaris.



2002 Junior Maine Guides
Front: David Wirth, Alex Standen, Chris Duncan.
Middle: Alex Sanchez, Ben Morgan, Sam Morris.
Back: Pete Senglemann, Matt Duncan.



TRIP PROGRAM



Mt. Katahdin

From the days of Henry Thoreau, Maine has been one of the most favored regions for camping in the country. With its great stretches of unspoiled forests, its thousands of clear, sparkling lakes, its fine fishing and lofty mountains, it's the perfect answer to a boy who yearns for the opportunity to explore, to hike in the woods, to spy on God's creatures in the great out-of-doors. Every boy is invited to participate in Kawanhee's Tripping Program, and practically all campers are eager to accept the exciting challenges.

The following pages will acquaint you with our program of SURVIVAL TRIPS, CANOE TRIPS, MOUNTAIN TRIPS, and SHORE TRIPS.

Survival Trips

Mountain Man Program

This club was started in '93. 13 boys demonstrated great interest in trips and completed a number of requirements ranging from knots to outdoor knowledge, making them the



Tripping Staff

L toR: Mike Lenard, Andy Burbine, Al Spencer.
Not present: Dan Webster, Linc MacIsaac.

first "Kawanhee Mountain Men". 150 team points are also awarded to each Mountain Man.

In 1994 a second level was added, Mountain Man II. Available only to those who are already Mountain Men, this rigorous achievement, worth 250 team points, was reached by only 3 boys.

In 1995 there was a 3rd and final level added to the Kawanhee Mountain Man Club.

Wilderness Trips

In the summer of 2002 about 30 boys participated in one of the several "Wilderness Survival" classes taught by Trip Director Dan Webster. During these 1/2 day classes, boys learned how to help ensure their own survival in an emergency situation by learning to: always alert people of their whereabouts and return time, to S.T.O.P. when unsure of their surroundings (ask your boy if he knows what S.T.O.P. stands for), how to purify water, the international distress signal, and how to build a survival shelter. Upon his return home from Kawanhee your boy may begin putting together his own "survival kit" to keep handy at all times.



Mountain Men

Bottom: Robin Curtis, Jay Morris, Cory Keny.
Middle: Forrest Mas, Juan Lastra.
Top: Al Spencer, Graham Marvin, Mike Lenard.



Shore Trips

Monhegan Island Trip

The three-day trip to Monhegan, for boys 10 years of age and older, has been so popular it has been necessary to schedule two trips each summer.

Monhegan is twelve miles out from the mainland at Port Clyde, and abounds in history, romance and new adventure. Captain John Smith landed here in 1610.

We plan to visit Cathedral Woods, the Boars Head, the sea-going tug that went aground in '42, and also enjoy deep-sea fishing.

The "Laura B"

We leave Port Clyde on the "Laura B". She's a trim little craft, and seaworthy in every respect. She is 60 feet in length, has two 225 H.P. diesel engines, automatic steerer, radio compass, depth recorder, radar, and radio telephone. Captain James Barstow, a skillful skipper with many years experience is in charge. He likes boys and boys like him. When it's not too rough, he lets them stand by him at the wheel.

Deep-Sea Fishing

There's fun, thrills and good fishing at Monhegan. You never know what the catch will be—cod, pollock, haddock, mackerel, or maybe a tuna. All equipment is furnished by the skipper, including necessary bait.



Tripper of the Year
Graham Marvin

For those boys who prefer to remain on the island and work with some of the local artists, arrangements have been made for the 2003 Monhegan trip to offer this alternative if boys wish to do water colors and receive art instruction instead of joining the deep-sea fishermen.

Whitewater Rafting Trip

In 2002 for the twentieth time, Camp Kawanee offered boys who are excellent swimmers and 12 or over in age the opportunity to participate in a whitewater rafting trip down the Kennebec River. Tripping Counselors Dan Webster, Alan Spencer, Andy Burbine and Mike Lenard headed up a group of 40 older campers. They reported spectacular scenery, a hearty steak lunch, and tons of whitewater. They all got a taste of big water and tremendous waves. Professional whitewater personnel accompanied and guided the group. This trip will be scheduled again in 2003 only with special permission from parents. It is an extra charge one-day trip.



Mountain Trips

Good Training For Football

Tumbledown Mountain

Across from camp, at the end of the lake, rise the peaks of Tumbledown, the Jacksons, West, and white-topped Blueberry. There's always a thrill on Tumbledown, from a crawl through "Fat Man's Misery", and the "Lemon Squeeze", to curling up in a sleeping bag near the summit on a moonlight night.

Mt. Katahdin Trip

There is no trip in New England that surpasses the one to Mt. Katahdin, Maine's highest mountain, and declared by experienced mountain climbers *the most spectacular and beautiful elevation east of the Rockies*. Thrusting its spruce-clad slopes and rocky summit a mile into the clouds, this giant of the East is the first spot in the United States to greet the morning sun. Katahdin is a four-day trip.

Mt. Blue

A short distance from camp—and easily climbed over a trail one and one-half miles in length.

Bald Mountain

This is a favorite trip for many of the younger boys in camp—especially those who wish to "train" for the more difficult climbs later in the season.

Kawanhee's Flyfishing School

The state of Maine is a fisherman's paradise, and Camp Kawanhee enjoys the good fortune of being situated within striking distance of some of the best of Maine's flyfishing waters. The Kennebec, Androscoggin and Kennebago Rivers, Upper and Middle Dams are among the fabled flowages where Kawanheens have cast a fly. The mystique of the Rangeley region, and the challenges and aesthetics of flyfishing have held an appeal for many Kawanhee boys over the years; in fact, interest of flyfishing has been on the rise.

We have been offering since the 1998 season our own flyfishing school, where novice and intermediate flyfishers can develop and refine the many skills involved in this challenging pursuit. The school is a structured, comprehensive curriculum, with small groups meeting at regular intervals throughout the season. Boys who choose to participate will receive approximately 15 hours of instruction in groups no larger than six, with the program culminating in a trip to one of the region's better trout and salmon rivers. Topics covered will include: flycasting, tackle and accessories, knots, wading, river ecology, stream entomology, flytying and angling ethics. Campers will be able to hone their skills in pursuit of the bass, perch, and pickerel that thrive in Webb Lake, enticing the fish with flies they have tied themselves. A dozen boys completed the school in 2002.

Involvement in Kawanhee's flyfishing school entails a commitment of time and the diligent practice of a variety of skills; a camper who attains even the most basic proficiency has accomplished much. In recognition of this, a boy who completes the school will have a "Black Ghost" streamer fly painted on his paddle. The addition of this famous Rangeley fly signifies commitment, learning, and a demonstrated proficiency in a number of skill areas.

John Bell, a Kawanhee veteran of 24 seasons, will be conducting the school. John has been a sales associate with the L. L. Bean Flyfishing Department in Freeport for the past 12 years, and models his school closely after Bean's highly effective curriculum.

Note to Parents: Camp furnishes all equipment for school instruction and for the fishing trip to Rangeley. John would be happy to advise any camper before or during the camp season regarding the purchase of his own fly outfit. L.L. Bean has an excellent value in an introductory level outfit at around \$100.00. Other reputable companies, such as Orvis, Martin, or South Bend, also have beginner outfits at a similar or more modest price level.



A group of flyfishermen at Upper Dam in Rangeley.



A proud flyfisher at Upper Dam (Ben Altmaier).



Ben Standen is successful at Upper Dam.



"There are still some big ones left in Rangeley." This large male landlocked salmon posed for John Bell at Upper Dam.

FREE TIME

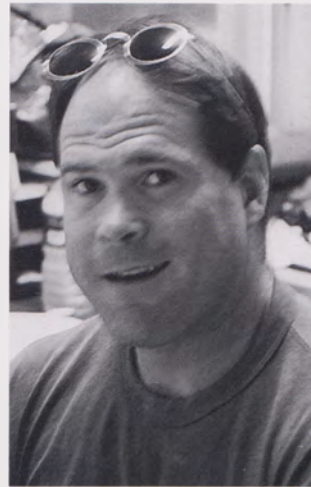
Relaxation and change of pace from our busy Kawanhee schedule is a part of our program for all campers. There are many options for a boy to choose. He may decide upon fishing some evening and pull in a couple dozen white perch for his efforts and assure himself and friends of an extra delicious breakfast. Our Fishing Counselor is ready to offer help to any boy wanting to learn angler secrets.

Perhaps a boy may elect to check the library & take out a book, or challenge a buddy to a game of pingpong, chess or checkers. If he's ready for more physical activity, he'll enter into one of the frisbee, tetherball, or volleyball games invariably in progress. Get-up games of softball also are popular. Maybe just a stroll through camp with a friend will do the trick.



The J.C. Program

Dan Keating, an experienced teacher and coach with a Master's Degree in counseling, was the Director of the J.C. (Junior Counselor) Program. Each Junior Counselor was



Dan Keating

assigned to assist in an activity for which he had previously revealed special talents in both performing and teaching that activity. A second responsibility for each J.C. was to assist the Senior Counselor while living in a lodge group for the entire 7-week period. Dan met weekly with the J.C. young men to answer any questions they might have, and to present guidelines to help them achieve maximum success in their assignment as Junior Counselors.

The C.I.T. Program

Kawanhee is fortunate to have many former campers who have elected to become counselors, and each season we promote several young men to Senior Counselor status after they have successfully completed both the C.I.T. (Counselor-In-Training) program, and the additional challenge of serving as a J.C. (Junior Counselor). In 2002 the primary emphasis of the C.I.T. training was to focus on learning how to teach others, and how to improve communication skills. These valuable experiences provide each participant with the necessary tools to apply not only in a camp environment, but in situations throughout life. Dan Keating closely monitored the progress of the C.I.T. group to provide the needed guidance and direction.



Tutoring is available at Camp Kawanhee.

“A Traditional Maroon and Grey Tug of War”

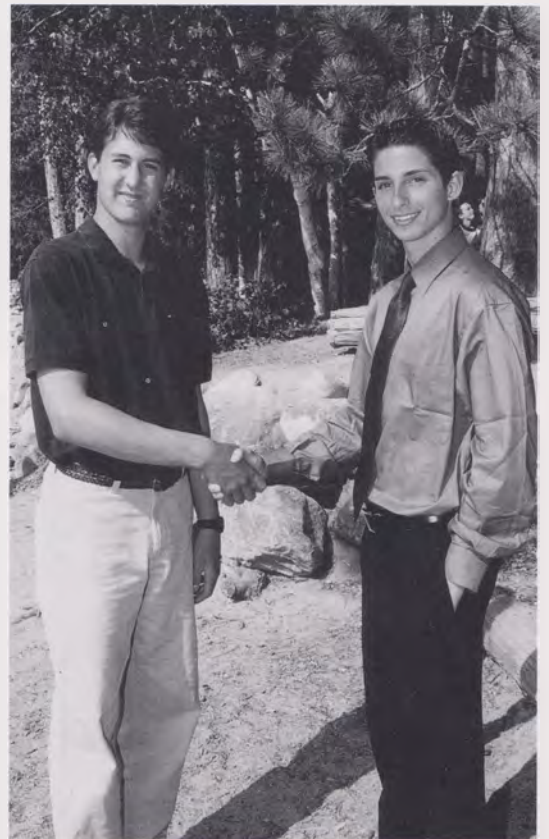


The Greys and Maroons

Much of the fun and enthusiasm at Kawanee revolves around the Greys and Maroons—the two competing teams in camp. Every boy enrolled is included on one of the teams and endeavors to win as many points as possible for his team.

The interest and excitement increases as both groups gather for the Saturday night camp fires. The names of those who have won special medals and passed achievement levels during the week are read. Then the big moment arrives. The score is announced.

In 2002 the race was very close until the final week of camp when the Greys jumped ahead. No one really knew the outcome until Scorekeeper “B.A.” Altmaier announced the final tally of 72,075 for the Greys and 70,339 for the Maroons. The most important factor was not the final official score, but it was the spirit, the fun, and how much both teams learned throughout the season.



Left to Right: Rob Connelly, Captain of the Maroons, and Tony Cottone, Captain of the Greys.

Ribbon Awards - 2002

Activity	Group	Champion	Runner-up	Most Improved
ARCHERY	Junior C	Tommy Bolon Matt St. John	Matt St. John	Arturo Langdon Ben Zambito
	Junior B	Chase Horine J. P. Rullan	Spencer Davis	Juan Pablo Perez-Teuffer
	Junior A Senior	Max Smith-Marder David Wirth	Chris Engel Chris Vandivort	Reid Greimann Fernando Alvarez-Sala
BASEBALL	Junior C	Tommy Bolon Duncan Constable	Matt St. John	Robbie Savacool
	Junior B	Ned Carson James Gavin	Carlos Pla Roberto Garcia	Ben Standen Ben Altmaier
	Junior A Senior	Harper Pack Ryan Davis	Forrest Mas Sam Carson	Reid Greimann Sam McCoy Storm Horine
BASKETBALL	Junior C	J. P. Rullan	Chris Gavin	Dillon Costanza
	Junior B	Dan Alexander	Gabe Casellas	Spencer Branch
	Junior A	Forrest Mas	Will Stafford	Danny Popiel Charles Oussedik
	Senior	John Kelly	Andres del Castillo	Luke Morris Matt Fortunato Rees Alexander
BOATING & CANOEING	Junior C	Duncan Constable	John Rullan	Matt Blanchard
	Junior B	Kevin Irving	Taylor VanLandingham	Ben Standen
	Junior A Senior	Trevor Branch Chris Bradicich	Carl Barnard Adam Aldrich	Fernando Alvarez-Sala Ben Connelly
CAMPCRAFT	Junior C	Tash Doughty Dillon Costanza	Dean Ellis	Ben Zambito
	Junior B	J. P. Rullan Gabriel Casellas	Chris Smith	Jose Cruz Tyler VanLandingham
	Junior A	Harper Pack	Trevor Branch Luke Morris	Carl Barnard Cory Connor
	Senior	Juan Lastra	Paul Bonasera	Zack Mueller
KAYAKING	Junior C	Will Gering	Andrew Prior	Matt Blanchard
	Junior B	John Sengelmann	Carlos Pla	J. P. Rullan
	Junior A	Reid Greimann	John Denby	Luke Morris
	Senior	Ben Connelly	Andrew MacMannis	Ben Morgan
RANGE	Junior C	John Rullan	Robbie Savacool	Nico Servitje
	Junior B	Spencer Davis	Evan Jones	Mark Anderson
	Junior A	Chris Engel	Will Stafford	Fernando Alvarez-Sala
	Senior	Jorge Sobejano David Wirth Jeff Cavanagh	Reid Greimann Juan Bravo-Ferrer Chris Bradicich	Leo Rose
SAILING	Junior C	Ben Zambito	Whit Montross	Will Gering
	Junior B	Luis Pla	Gordon Weihe Michael Hibbard	J. P. Rullan
	Junior A Senior	Jon Denby Bill Schwartz	Corey Connor Adam Aldrich	Reid Greimann Karl Kremling
SKIING	Junior C	Nicolas Servitje	Ben Zambito	John F. Rullan Robbie Savacool
	Junior B	John Sengelmann	Andrew Barrie	Spencer Branch Foster Baker Luke Morris
	Junior A	Jon Denby	Austin Randall Chris Engel	
	Senior	Peter Sengelmann	Zach Mueller	Dan Luken
SOCCER	Junior C	Ben Zambito	Nico Servitje Duncan Constable	Dean Ellis
	Junior B	Mark Anderson Taylor VanLandingham	Ned Carson Win Fox	Steve Harvell Kyle Tulloss
	Junior A	Fernando Alvarez-Sala	Gordon Weihe Alex Dunn	Chris Smith Corey Connor
	Senior	Drew Stafford J. C. Krahl	Gonzalo Cañas Mario Alvarez-Sala	Sam Carson
SWIMMING	Junior C	Robbie Savacool	John Fritz Rullan	Will Gering
	Junior B	J. P. Rullan	Foster Baker	Ned Carson
	Junior A Senior	Gonzalo Cañas Adam Aldrich	Fernando Alvarez-Sala Sam Carson	Harper Pack Chris Bradicich
TENNIS	Junior C	Nicolas Servitje	Tyler St. Denis	Dillon Costanza
	Junior B	John Sugar	Juan Pablo Perez-Teuffer	Dan Alexander
	Junior A	Fernando Alvarez-Sala	Gavin Cadwallader	Gonzalo Cañas
	Senior	Andrew McMannis	Robin Curtis	Dan Luken
VOLLEYBALL	Junior C	Tommy Bolon	Matt St. John Tyler St. Denis	Tash Doughty
	Junior B	Gordon Weihe	Ned Carson	Foster Baker
	Junior A	Charles Oussedik Gregor Hoffman	Mark Anderson Fernando Alvarez-Sala	Forest Mas
	Senior	Chris Bradicich	Storm Horine	Dan Luken
WRESTLING	Junior C	Nico Servitje	Tyler St. Denis	Will Gering
	Junior B	Spencer Branch	Tommy Costanza	Quinn Kielbasa
	Junior A	Cory Connor	Carl Barnard Luke Morris	Trevor Branch
	Senior	Ben Morgan	Robin Curtis	J. C. Krahl Ted Aldrich

MERITORIOUS AWARDS

CAMPCRAFT AWARDS

Junior Maine Guide: Matt Duncan, Peter Sengelmann, Chris Duncan, Ben Morgan, David Wirth, Sam Morris, Alex Standen, Alex Sanchez-Navarro

SHOP AWARDS

HONORABLE MENTIONS:

Jr. C Division: Walker Tice, Will Gering, Ben Zambito, Andrew Prior

Jr. B Division: Tom Costanza, Spencer Davis, Leonardo Portela, Kevin Irving, J. P. Rullan, Ned Carson, Chase Horine, Spencer Branch, Alex Rohn, Luis Soltero, Roberto Garcia, Dan Alexander, Mark Anderson, Luis Pla, Jamie Gavin, Carlos Pla, Tyler Slayman

Jr. A Division: Trevor Branch, Luke Morris, Jose Cruz-Serralles, Carl Barnard, Jon Denby, Gonzalo Cañas, David Ruhle

Senior: Andres del Castillo, Strom Horine, Miguel Mayol

NATURE AWARDS

Campbell Scarlett Award: Corey Keny, for Special Interest in Nature.

LAPIDARY AWARDS

Best Project: Graham Marvin

Special Mention: Sam Marriott, Chris Smith, Michael Hibbard

ART AWARDS

Conor Morris, Austin Randall, Dan Luken, Jeff Ruhle, Ned Carson, Alex Aldrich, Karl Kremling

MOUNTAIN MEN

Mountain Man I: Cory Keny, Juan Lastra, Trevor Branch, Jay Morris, Forrest Mas

Mountain Man II: Robin Curtis, Graham Marvin

TRIPPER OF THE YEAR

Graham Marvin

ONE YEAR POLAR BEAR AWARD

Gonzalo Cañas, Will Gering, James Chagaris

Special Recognition - 2002



Gardner Lattimer Award - Greatest Physical Improvement - Dan Luken



Benua Athletic Improvement Award - Harper Pack



C.A. Crane Award Most Helpful Camper - Sam Morris and Alex Nering



Campbell Scarlett Award - Special Interest in Nature - Cory Keny

Russell A. Bennett Award For Greatest Improvement In Junior C Swimming - Will Gering

Shepard Trophy Greatest Improvement in Swimming - Dan Alexander

Herb Birch Award Most Spirited Lodge(s) - Beaver Lodge, Bear Lodge

William Brutscher Award High Point Winner - David Wirth

Clarence Bateman Award Tripper of the Year - Graham Marvin
One Year Polar Bear Award for Perfect Attendance - Gonzalo Cañas, James Chagaris and Will Gering
Walter and Jane Estabrook Award Staff Excellence - Kris Simanek

PLAQUE ACHIEVEMENTS

Finishing a Kawanhee Plaque means completing the three levels in each of the fifteen activities in a camper's age bracket. These divisions are Junior C, Junior B, Junior A, and Senior. Junior C includes Eagle, Falcon, and Pine Tree Lodges. Junior B includes Hawk, Deer, Birch, Beaver, and Moose Lodges. Junior A includes Lynx,

Wildcat and Trout Lodges. Senior includes Coyote, Bear, Loon, Badger and Crow Lodges. Usually, a Kawanhee camper takes several summers to complete a plaque. Seventeen boys finished their plaques this summer. J. P. Rullan finished his B Plaque in one year after finishing his C Plaque in one year in 2001.

COMPLETED PLAQUES

C Division

Ted Aldrich
 Chase Horine
 Quinn Kielbasa
 Graham Marvin
 Carlos Pla
 Max Smith-Marder
 Ben Standen
 Ben Zambito

B Division

Trevor Branch
 Ned Carson
 Sam Carson
 Corey Connor
 Luke Morris
 Antonio (J.P.) Rullan *
 John Sengelmann
 Alex Standen
 Mason Tice

*Finished plaque in one year

BASEBALL SPECIAL AWARDS

HANK AARON LEAGUE

Batting Champ Season - Reid Greimann
Batting Champ Playoffs - John Kelly
MVP Season - Ryan Davis
MVP Play-Offs - Jed Standen

KAWANHEE LITTLE LEAGUE

Batting Champ Season - Harper Pack
Batting Champ Playoffs - Duncan Constable
MVP Season - James Gavin
MVP Play-Offs - Henry Richter

Best Sportsmanship - Gordon Weihe
Golden Glove Award - Mark Anderson
Hall of Fame Award - Todd Fichter, Brad Fichter

Special Recognition - 2002



BASEBALL MERITORIOUS AWARDS 2002

Front: Ryan Davis, Gordon Weihe, Henry Richter, Mark Anderson, Duncan Constable, Harper Pack, Pete Belskis.
Back: Jed Standen, Tripp Strawbridge, Matt Duncan, Torrey Liddell, C. J. Clarke, Todd Fichter, Reid Greimann, Brad Fichter, Justin Whealon, John Kelly, Ryan Nuanes.

HIGH POINT WINNERS - 2002



High Point Winner - David Wirth

David Wirth	2,475	Andrew MacMannis	1,095
Fernando Alvarez-Sala	2,450	Mason Tice	1,070
Christopher Bradicich	2,150	William Gering	1,060
Antonio (J.P.) Rullan	2,055	Ten Aldrich	1,050
Chase Horine	1,990	John Sugar	1,040
Gonzalo Cañas	1,915	Spencer Branch	1,035
Reid Greimann	1,895	Michael Hibberd	1,020
Luis Soltero	1,855	Trevor Branch	1,020
Ben Morgan	1,770	Quinn Kielbasa	1,015
Carlos Pla	1,770	Robin Curtis	1,005
Jon Denby	1,720	Stephen Harvell	1,005
Graham Marvin	1,710	Robert Savacool	1,005
Ben Standen	1,705	John VanLandingham	1,000
Alex Standen	1,700	Foster Baker	995
Jorge Sobejano	1,650	Chris Vandivort	980
Sam Morris	1,590	Sam Carson	970
Peter Sengelmann	1,590	Thomas Costanza	945
Ben Zambito	1,580	Gordon Weihe	945
Tony Cottone	1,500	Jon Ostwalt	940
Matt Duncan	1,485	Storm Horine	940
Carl Barnard	1,470	Christopher Smith	935
Harper Pack	1,415	Duncan Constable	930
Corey Connor	1,405	Win Fox	925
James Gavin	1,350	Tommy Bolon	920
Chris Duncan	1,330	Gavin Cadwallader	920
Ned Carson	1,320	Alex Dunn	920
Jeff Ruhle	1,305	Daniel Luken	895
Juan Perez-Teuffer	1,300	Tash Doughty	890
Juan Bravo-Ferrer	1,285	Kevin Irving	885
Evan Jones	1,280	John Rullan	880
Adam Aldrich	1,270	Ryan Albert	880
Alex Sanchez	1,245	Max Smith-Marder	875
Mark Anderson	1,210	Gabriel Herrera	865
Cory Keny	1,195	Jose Cruz-Serralles	860
Tyler St. Denis	1,175	Bill Schwartz	845
Samuel McCoy	1,140	Dan Alexander	840
Gabriel Casellas	1,130	Frank Cook	840
Spencer Davis	1,120	Arturo Langdon	835
Henry Richter	1,115	Ben Altmaier	830
Will Stafford	1,105	Nicholas Servitje	815
Austin Randall	1,100	Leo Rose	810

LODGES 2002



EAGLE LODGE

Front: Walker Tice, Cam Tice. Middle: Pedro Rullan, Conor Morris, Tyler St. Denis, Dean Ellis, Robbie Savacool, Dillon Costanza. Back: Christopher Gavin, Matt Gering, J.C., Ed Watson, S.C., Chris Proctor, S.C.

A million thank yous to you for a most wonderful experience this summer. We talk about Kawanhee constantly!

Allyn and Scott Irving
Colorado Springs, Colorado



PINE TREE LODGE

Front: Nico Servitje, Cas Devey, Duncan Constable. Middle: Matt Blanchard, Arturo Langdon, Jake Wade, Whit Montross, Andrew Prior. Back: Pete Gilbert, S.C., Andrew Altmaier, J.C., Andrew Bowman, S.C.



FALCON LODGE

Front: Will Gering, Sam Friedlander, John Rullan, Matt St. John. Middle: Will Ryan, Ben Zambito, Tommy Bolon, Tash Doughy, Luke Fortunato. Back: Sean Duncan, S.C., Tony Cottone, J.C., Dan Osar, S. C.

Just a note to thank you first and foremost for the wonderful experience you and your staff at Kawanhee provided our son, Gabriel. He grew not only physically but also emotionally. He is today a much more mature boy than the one I left in Maine in July. Thank you again for such an enriching experience and for all your patience and kind words for us "first-timers".

Viola and Tony Casellas
Guaynabo, Puerto Rico



HAWK LODGE

Front: Juan Pablo Perez-Teuffer, Nicholas Gill, Wynn Jeffery. Middle: Foster Baker, Ben Standen, Thomas Costanza. Back: Dusty Broughton, S.C., Ben Altmaier, Adam Cook, S.C., Kyle Tulloss, Rob Connelly, J.C., Spencer Davis.

LODGES 2002

I want to thank you again for allowing my son, Spencer, the privilege of being a Kawanhee camper this summer. He had a fabulous time!! I know he'll never forget it. Bless you!

Peggy Davis
Savannah, Georgia



DEER LODGE

Front: Adam Bowman, S.C., Leonardo Portela, James Chagaris, J.C., Amos Doughty, Daniel Jones, S.C., Back: Kevin Irving, Luis Pla, Miguel Pascual, J. P. Rullan, Ned Carson, Chase Horine, Steve Harvell.



BIRCH LODGE

Front: Alex Rohn, Luis Soltero, Roberto Garcia, Gabriel Casellas, Mike Hibberd. Middle: Ramin Farhangi, J.C., Henry Myers, Evan Jones, Chris Smith, Graham Marvin. Back: Adam Muther, S.C., Jamie Strawbridge, S.C., Frank Cook, J.C.



BEAVER LODGE

Front: Carlos Morales, S.C., Lane Adams, Johnny Sengelmann, Carlos Pla, Spencer Branch, Brandon Jiaconia, J.C., Mark Anderson, Jamie Gavin, Tyler Slayman, Andres Figueroa, Dan Alexander, Scott Luken, S.C.



MOOSE LODGE

Front: Andrew Barrie, Gordon Weihe, Taylor VanLandingham, Win Fox. Back: Jed Standen, J.C., Jose Cruz, Scott Zurcher, S.C., Gaby Herrera, Quinn Kielbasa, Henry Richter, Johnny Sugar, Joey Clarke, S.C.

Graham again had a spectacular time at camp. Thank you for the wonderful environment you add to the beautiful surroundings. We are very happy for him that he feels it is such a special and "magic" place. We will see you next year.

Jameson and Polly Marvin
Lexington, Massachusetts

LODGES 2002



LYNX LODGE

L to R: Ryan Nuanes, J.C., Eduardo Saldaña, S.C., Nate Webb, S.C., Andy Burbine, S.C., Cory Keny, Alex Dunn, Ted Stotzer, Gregor Hoffman, Gavin Cadwallader, Harper Pack, Mason Tice, Jorge Sobejano.

Thank you and all your staff for another even better summer for Justin than the year before! We just got the newsletter and it appears that he enrolled himself again.

Byron Whealen
Deerfield Beach, Florida



TROUT LODGE

Left Column, Top to Bottom: Fernando Alvarez-Sala, Reid Greimann, Jon Denby, Corey Connor, Gonzalo Cañas. Middle Column: Jon Ostwalt, J.C., Brad Fichter, S.C., Will Alexander, S.C., Rod. Right Column: Charles Oussedik, Carl Barnard, Luke Marriott, Ben Friedlander, David Ruhle.



WILDCAT LODGE

Front: Sam Marriott, Chris Engle, Chris Colahan, S.C., Trevor Branch, Al Spencer, S.C., Middle: Will Stafford, George Moore, S.C., Max Smith-Marder, Austin Randall, Luke Morris, Slade Fay, J.C. Back: Jay Morris, Forrest Mas.



COYOTE LODGE

Front: Chris Bradicich, Andres del Castillo, Hunter Hollinger, Conor Branch, S.C., Rees Alexander, J.C. Back: Doug Mitchell, S.C., Mario Alvarez-Sala, Miguel Mayol, Juan Lastra, David Wirth, Leo Rose, Chris Vandivort, Storm Horine.

LODGES 2002

Thanks for making this summer a very special one for José Enrique and us as well. We are looking forward for 2003. You exceeded our expectations, for our son this has been a very rewarding experience.

Kike and Ligia Cruz
Guaynabo, Puerto Rico



BEAR LODGE

Front: Ben Morgan, Matt Fortunato, Paul Bonasera, Andrew MacMannis, Sam Carson, Alex Aldrich, Ryan Albert, C. J. Clarke, S.C., John Kelly, J.C. Back: Todd Fichter, S.C., Will Dargusch, Adam Aldrich, Sam McCoy, Mike Lenard, J.C.



LOON LODGE

Front: Jeff Cavanagh, Troy Friedlander, Alex Standen. Back: Alex Sanchez-Navarro, Randy Barba, J.C., Ted Aldrich, Dan Luken, Chris Duncan, David Crane, Robin Curtis, Scott Jaffee. Not present: Russ Jessen, S.C., Nate Duncan, S.C., Chris Huntington, S.C.



BADGER LODGE

L to R: Michael Kunze, S.C., Jon Casto, S.C., Ryan Davis, Zach Mueller, J. C. Krahl, Christian McCoy, J.C., David Suh, Bill Schwartz, Sam Morris, Alex Nering, Tim Walsh, Ben Connelly, Not present: Karl Kremling.



CROW LODGE

Front: Scott Irving, Richard Pinkham, S.C., Rusty, Pete Sengelmann, Justin Whealen, J.C., Matt Duncan, Tripp Strawbridge, Jeff Ruhle, James Rohn. Back: Torrey Liddell, S.C., Juan Bravo-Ferrer, Mike Fink, Drew Stafford, Ben Estabrook, Adam Studebaker.

2002 Season Highlights



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Flag Rush



Lobster Club



2002 Season Highlights

Karaoke Night

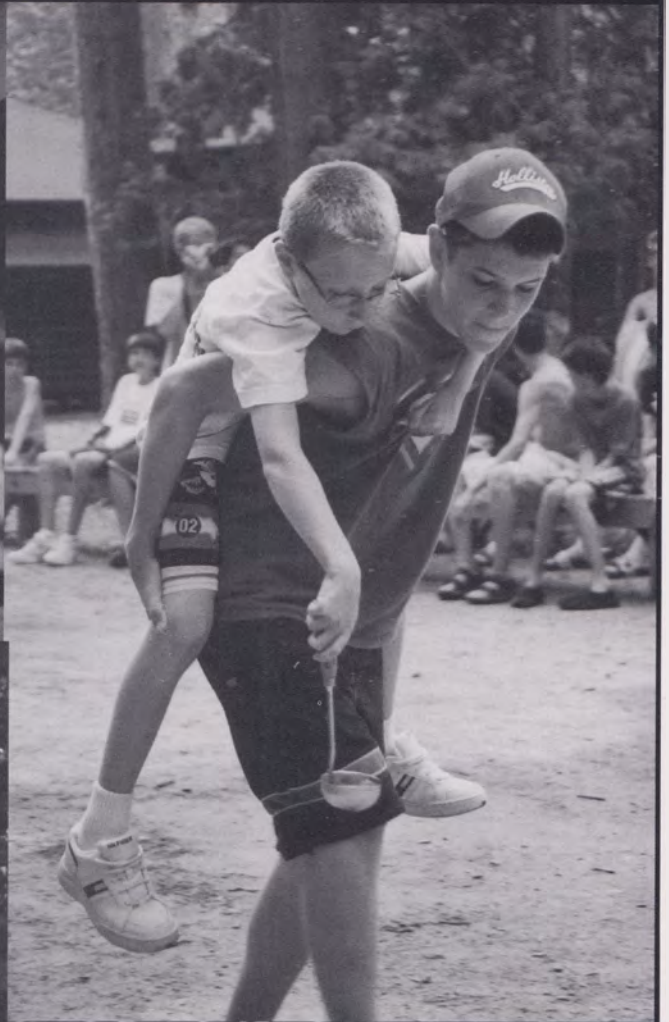
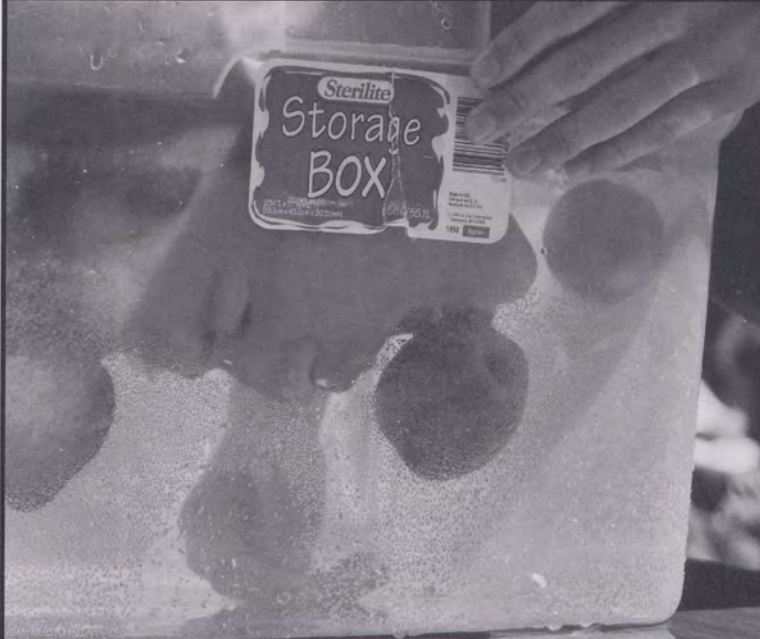


Mr. Kawanhee Night



2002 Season Highlights

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2002 Season Highlights

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2002 Season Highlights

2002 Sachems



Triathlon Participants



Rates

For Scheduled Camp Activities

Full Tuition—Boys 7 to 15 years \$4,975.00

Two or More Members of the Same Family—Deduct \$100.00 each boy

C.I.T. (Counselor-in-Training)—15 and 16 years \$4,675.00

With previous camp training

Junior Counselors—16 and 17 years

First year with previous camp training \$4,275.00

For 2003, 25 boys will be accepted on a 4-week basis with an option to remain for the full 7-week program. Tuition for the 4-week period is \$3,975.00 plus the Incidental charges.

The tuition is payable \$350.00 with the application and the balance in two equal payments on March 1st and May 15th. Special arrangements may be made on request.

Incidentals and Spending Money—\$175.00 is deposited with the camp for each boy's weekly allowance and provides for such incidentals as stationery, stamps, fishing equipment, candy, camera and flashlight supplies, haircuts, toilet articles, canoe and ping-pong paddles, the Wigwam, range and shop supplies, tennis balls, etc. At the end of the season, any remaining cash balance will be mailed to parents, or a charge made if the deposit is exceeded.

Tutoring—We are able to handle all grade and high school subjects. The rate is \$18.00 per hour. Please notify the Directors before camp opens if tutoring is desired. Boys should bring books and recommendations from their teachers.

Special Information

Camp Program—The complete program as outlined in this booklet, will be followed insofar as it is physically possible. However, emergencies arising beyond our control may necessitate minor changes.

Visiting Days for Parents—After the first week, parents are invited to visit camp at any time with the exception of the daily rest period, from 1:00 to 2:00 o'clock. Those vacationing at the Inn may attend the Water Sports program, Athletic Meets, Camp Shows, Camp Fires, Camp Movies and the Sunday Church Services.

The Mail—Telephone and Telegraph Address—Camp Kawanhee, 58 Kawanhee Lane, Weld, Maine 04285-9722—Phone 207-585-2210, FAX 207-585-2620, Infirmary Phone 207-585-2585.

Trip Schedule to Camp—Sunday, June 22nd—Boys from the Columbus area will fly to Portland, Maine, and then bus to camp. Boys from the New York City - New Jersey area will also fly to Portland, Maine, June 24th and meet with the Ohio and other groups for the drive by bus into camp. All travel groups will meet for supper in camp.

Letters Home—Each boy must write a letter home each Sun-

day. No letter, no supper, is understood by every boy in camp.

Girls' Camps—Over the past few years, many Camp Kawanhee families have been well pleased with the camp experiences of their daughters at Camp Arcadia, Casco, Maine. If interested for your daughter, please write directly to Mrs. Ann Fritts, Pleasantville Road, New Vernon, N.J. 07976 (973-538-5409), and mention that your son is enrolled at Camp Kawanhee. We also recommend Camp Runoia at Belgrade Lakes, ME 04918. Contact Pam Cobb at 207-495-2228.

Kawanhee Inn for Parents

One-half Mile From Boys' Camp

Excellent accommodations are provided at **Kawanhee Inn** for parents who wish to visit their boys in camp. Many parents drive their boys to camp and remain to enjoy the cool refreshing air of early July weather. Others arrive by the middle of July, or a week early in August, and drive their boys home at the close of camp August 13th.

INFORMAL, FRIENDLY AND INVITING—The atmosphere is relaxed and casual dress is appropriate for a restful vacation.

RECREATION—There's good fishing, a sandy beach for safe swimming, tennis, boating, canoeing, sailing, mountain climbing, antiquing and a fine golf course only 20 minutes drive from the Inn.

THE INN OPENS Mid-June and closes Labor Day. Some cabins are available with rates that include board and lodging, maid and cabin boy services. Efficiency cabins are also available at a weekly rate. Boats and outboard motors may be rented by the day, week, or season. Those desiring detailed information should contact Marti Strunk in Farmington, Maine, phone 207-585-2000 from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. weekdays.

One mile from camp, the **LAKE WEBB HOUSE** Bed & Breakfast offers comfortable "country-casual" accommodations and full country breakfasts. For more information and reservations call Fred and Cheryl England at 207-585-2479 or write The Lake Webb House B & B, P.O. Box 127, Rt. 142, Weld, ME 04285.

Also available are Cottages on Webb Lake. Sandy beach, canoeing, hiking, sleeps up to 6 people. Come rest and relax with us! Openings June, August, September. Call Starr and Loney Jones, November through April at 941-294-9921 and May through October at 207-585-2581.



2002 Campers

Lane Adams Greenwich, CT	Duncan Constable Allendale, NJ	Troy A. Friedlander Columbus, OH	Miguel D. Mayol San Juan, PR	Alex Sanchez Tucson, AZ
Ryan Albert Painesville, OH	Frank H. Cook III Gahanna, OH	Roberto Garcia Guaynabo, PR	Christian R. McCoy Columbus, OH	Robert M. (Robbie) Savacool Chatham, NJ
Adam Aldrich Columbus, OH	Dillon Costanza Monroe, NJ	James R. Gavin Guaynabo, PR	Samuel A. McCoy Columbus, OH	Bill K. Schwartz Columbus, OH
Alexander Aldrich Columbus, OH	Thomas Costanza Monroe, NJ	Matthew T. Gering Indianapolis, IN	Whit S. Montross Bedford Hills, NY	John Sengelmann Portland, ME
Ted Aldrich Bexley, OH	Anthony J. Cottone Boca Raton, FL	William C. Gering Indianapolis, IN	Benjamin S. (Ben) Morgan Darien, CT	Peter Sengelmann Portland, ME
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Camp Kawanhee 2002



CAMP KAWANHEE

Travel, Clothing and Equipment Information

GENERAL DIRECTIONS

Personal Outfit—No expensive special uniform is required. Clothing which a boy would customarily wear at home during the summer proves quite satisfactory. **For general daily wear, each boy should be equipped with the following:**

- 7 Cotton "T" Shirts
- 5 Pairs Shorts—(gym or athletic shorts)
- 3 Pairs Bluejeans or Khaki Pants

Mark all clothes, including shoes, with woven name tapes or with a good grade of indelible ink. (Unclaimed clothing is given to local charity at end of summer.)

Shipping Baggage—Information will be mailed the last of May relative to shipping trunks and duffel bags to camp via U.P.S. (United Parcel Service).

Trunks, or Foot Lockers not over 14 inches high are preferred. They are kept near or under cots. List the contents and post on inside of lid.

Two Trunk Keys should be provided—one to be retained by the boy and the other tagged with his name and mailed to the camp or handed to the directors at the airport on the day of departure.

ABSOLUTELY NO STEREOS ALLOWED. (Walkman is permitted.)

NECESSARY ARTICLES

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| 1 Pillow | 2 Sweatshirts, fleece, or sweater |
| 3 Pillow cases | 3 Woolen or flannel shirts, or
long-sleeve "T" shirts |
| 4 Sheets, single | 1 warm jacket |
| 2 Heavy single blankets or | 2 Swimming Trunks |
| 1 Heavy double blanket | 2 Pens and stationery including
stamped & addressed envelopes
(Boys write home every Sunday) |
| 1 Sleeping bag (summer weight is
adequate) | 1 Laundry bag |
| 2 Pairs pajamas | Canteen or water bottle |
| 2 or 3 Pairs sneakers | 6 Bath towels |
| 1 Pair hiking boots | Toilet articles |
| 1 Pair Texas or aqua socks | Baseball glove |
| 8 Underwear shorts | Tennis racquet |
| 10 Pairs socks | Flashlight |
| 3 Pairs woolen or synthetic socks for hiking | Clean, neat slacks and shirt
suitable for Sunday services |
| 1 Poncho or raincoat | |
| 1 Nylon wind pant | |
| 1 Sweat pant | |

SUGGESTED ARTICLES

Campers may add to or subtract from the list as the individual case may require.

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| Books | Compass |
| Bathrobe | Back Pack for Mt. trips |
| 1 Box kleenex | Fishing tackle, pole, line, reel & lures
(available in camp store) |
| Rain hat | |
| Film (available in camp store) | |

The camp furnishes baseballs, bats, rifles and bows and arrows for archery. Some boys bring their own rifles to camp—22 caliber, single shot. (To be kept at the Rifle Range.)

Camp Kawanhee - 2003

Full Season - June 22, 2003 to August 10, 2003
Application Fee - \$350.00

I wish to enter my son in CAMP KAWANHEE for the season of 2003. Enclosed find the application fee of \$350.00 to be applied to the tuition.

In case of dismissal when deemed necessary in the interest of the camp, or departure, on account of voluntary withdrawal, there will be no refund of camp fees for the time reserved. If, however, unforeseen circumstances, such as sickness or accident, make it necessary for a camper to withdraw entirely from camp before the expiration of the term for which he is enrolled, one half of the unused camp tuition will be refunded. There will be no reduction for slight delays in entrance or slightly early departure.

ADVANCE APPLICATION:

Applications received by **November 30, 2002** will have a \$100.00 Advance Application Credit added to the \$350.00 APPLICATION FEE to make a total credit of \$450.00 to be applied on your initial billing. Tuition is payable in two equal installments due on March 1st and May 15th.

(Please type or print.)

Camper Data

First Name	Initial	Middle Name	Last Name
Street Address			
City	State	Zip Code	Country
Date of Birth (mm/dd/yy)	Age as of July 1st	School grade just completed	Home Phone
Home Fax	Camper's E-Mail Address		
First Contact: <input type="checkbox"/> Father <input type="checkbox"/> Mother <input type="checkbox"/> Other			
Dr. Mr. Mrs. Ms. etc.	First Name	Last Name	
Street Address			
City	State	Zip Code	Country
Phone	Fax	E-Mail Address	
Home			
Work			

Please detach application from catalog in order to sign and complete other side.



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