THE GOLDEN EAGLE

Volume 14 Building Lifelong Friends Week 1

WE WERE ALL SMILES DURING WEEK 1!

What an amazing week! Camp is truly our happy place! Eagle's Landing is buzzing with excitement as campers arrive ready to kick off another great summer of amazing activities. It's magical to watch campers join their groups and reunite with their friends. There is so much for our campers to do and see, it truly makes for a great start to our summer!

On Tuesday, we all wore awesome Tattoos for **Tattoo Day!** On Wednesday it was **Royalty Day** and Kings, Queens, Princes and Princesses were seen all around camp. On Thursday, we celebrated **sdrawkcaB Day!** On Friday, **Fun Fitness Friday** was so much fun.

We began our Tribal Competitions this week and campers found out what tribe they are on for the summer! All four tribes, the **Blue** Eldings, the **YELLOW** Ladings, the **Green** Delcans, and the **Red** Camdels showed off their tribal pride! This week, Kiddie Kingdom got to test their color knowledge as they went on a color walk throughout camp to find items in their tribal color. Second, third, and fourth graders played Coke and Pepsi. fifth through eigth graders competed in the Pool Noodle Ring Toss to see who has the best ring tossing skills. Each week there will be a new tribal winner. This week, the **LADINGS** were victorious! Congratulations to all in the Ladings tribe! Campers will continue to compete each week in tribal competitions.

The first week of camp went by fast! We had so much fun this week and are looking forward to seeing campers again next week!



- Melissa, Newsletter Editor





Special Days

We had the best time on our Special Days this week! We showed off our tattoos on Tattoo Tuesday and welcomed plenty of Princes and Princesses on Royalty Wednesday. Thursday was a little different on sdrawkacB Day and we got into shape on Fun Fitness Friday! We can't wait to see everyone get wacky with next

week's Wacky Water Day!

~ Jen, Special Events Coordinator











The Awesome Girls of 63A

Camp is off to a great start and we are all having so much fun! Sadie Apostol and Rosie Patino enjoyed playing Gaga with the group. Brinley Bahun and Daphne Ferrier had so much fun swimming in the pools. Michayla Borsuk and Jordana Kahan loved playing with the bows and arrows at Archery. Hannah Brevetti made some awesome pieces in Ceramics. Karissa Georges enjoyed all the yummy ice pops during snack. Ariella Golani and Mila Katsnelson enjoyed rehearsing for the Drama Show. Marni Gurbuz and Emersyn Hewitt zipped down the Zip line and had the best time at Ropes. Abigail Hardy showed her creative side while making and decorating her own plate in Arts and Crafts. Alexsia Maltables had a blast making yummy treats in Baking! We cannot wait to see what's in store for next week and the rest of the summer!

~ Samara, Counselor & Jordan, Jr. Counselor



ART TOO

Art Too had a fabulous first week. First grade boy made dinosaur visors while Kindergarten started celebrating Independence Day early with patriotic necklaces. 7th, 8th, and 9th graders designed and made their own pearler bead jewelry and 5th and 6th graders turned safety pins into dazzling bracelets & rings.

Matilda, Arts & Crafts Coordinator



B8A's Electric Week 1

B8A had an amazing first week of camp! Matt Zone and Max Zone both hit jaw-dropping home runs in Tennis Baseball. Zach Schneeweis demonstrated his acting skills in Drama Games like Zip-Zap-Zop and Taxi. Robbie Gialanella and Michael Casella channeled their inner Messi in Soccer. Nate Marx and Landon Ricaurte whipped up some delicious cinnamon roll muffins in baking. Ari Mastruzzo and Conor Polgar got their game on playing spikeball. Owen Quinn looked like Robin Hood over at Archery. Mason Grego and Evan Trusler cooled off from the summer heat in the pool. Mason Michaels ran up and down the entire camp to help us win the scavenger hunt at DL Time.

~ Jacob & Nikhil, Counselors, & Matt, Shadow



B4B LOVES ELDC!

B4B had an amazing first week of camp! Rhett Falato had a blast playing GaGa, while Noah Goldenberg enjoyed his time at Spheros with his friends. Brandon Moran loved practicing his putting skills at Mini Golf and Logan Raber had a great time at Flag Football where he scored a bunch of touchdowns for his team. Derek Rubin enjoyed shooting arrows at Archery while Kayan Sarkar and Jayan Shah cooled off in the pool during Free Swim. We cannot wait for what the rest of the summer holds and we are ready for week 2!

~ Josh & Jacob, Counselors

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EVERYTHING WITH YOUR
CHILD'S FIRST
AND LAST NAME!

GTA SLAYS

Started the summer off strong for group G7A Slays. Abigail Aleixo had an amazing time playing Gaga with her friends and winning the first game of the group. Sophia Beck did great learning new abilities during Volleyball. Natalia Gibson scored some great points in Archery. Sadie Gural had a great time rehearsing for the drama show "Honk". Natalie Lederman had an extraordinary time hanging out with her friends throughout the days. Cali Molis and Labella Ruperto had the time of their lives singing Karaoke in the PAC. Avani Pamnani and River Russo had a great time zipping through the Zip Line. Sophie Shmulewitz had an aweseome week of swimming through the heat. We can't wait for another week of camp.

~ Rose & Leesandra, Counselors







B4Cooooool

The B4Cool kids had a fabulous first week of camp! Josh Adler used his blazing speed during Flag Football and caught 4 touchdowns while Miles Jacobson had some awesome hits during his Tennis Baseball elective. Daniel Snyder had a blast flying down the Zipline at Ropes and Nate Callahan dominated the pit during GaGa and won a game! Ethan Herrera Diaz enjoyed his elective board games. We cannot wait to see what the rest of the summer has in store for us!

~ AJ & Ethan, Counselors & Sydney, Buddy

Lunch Menu Week 2

- 7/1 Cheese Quesadilla with Rice and Beans, Tossed Salad, Chocolate Pudding, Apples
- 7/2 Barry's Grilled Cheese, Mashed potatoes, Cookies, Apples
- 7/3 Chicken Nuggets, Tossed Salad, Tater Tots, Jello, Watermelon
- 7/4 No Camp
- 7/5 Sweet and Sour Meatballs with Rice, Tossed Salad, Cookies, Watermelon

Our salad bar includes fresh mixed greens, broccoli, tomatoes, cucumbers, carrot sticks, hard boiled eggs, sliced beets, chunk tuna, hummus, fresh fruit, applesauce, black bean taco salad, shredded cheddar cheese, pasta salad, farro salad, chick peas, edamame, tofu, low-fat fruit yogurt, and corn.

Tuna, turkey or SunButter and jelly sandwiches on whole wheat bread or whole wheat bagels with cream cheese or margarine (dairy free) are always available.

A healthy, whole grain snack is available every morning. Ice cream or ices and fresh fruit are served as a snack in the afternoon.

Special dietary concerns including kosher, gluten free, vegetarian and food allergies can be accommodated.

Eagle's Landing is "Peanut Aware." All of our food is free of nut derivatives, including peanuts. All of our food is baked or grilled. Nothing is fried or contains trans fats.









CITs and LITs are Full of SMILEs

Welcome, CITs and LITs to Eagles Landing Day Camp! As we kick off Week 1, it's clear that they are already filled with valuable lessons in flexibility and patience. They've embraced these challenges with enthusiasm, diving into their roles within their groups, and making a positive impact from the start.

This week, they're not only engaged with their groups, fostering smiles and teamwork all around, but they also explored the importance of giving back to our community. Their commitment to making a difference is inspiring, and we're excited to see how their efforts will continue to shape everyone's camp experience.

Let's keep the momentum going as we embark on this adventure together. Here's to many more memorable moments and meaningful contributions ahead. Welcome once again, and we will make this summer one to remember!

~ Shannon, LIT/CIT Division Leader





Sports

Sports have been up and rolling in the first week of camp. Our ninja warriors are back and parkouring all over the course. The arrows and hatchets are flying towards their targets with a few Bulls-eye club members already this week! The fields are filled with campers scoring goals in Soccer and touchdowns in Flag Football. Our basketball courts are bustling with slam dunks and raining threes. GaGa is off to a great start with campers competing all throughout the day.

~ Vicki, Sports & Ropes Coordinator

BULLSEYE CLUB

Congrats to Ethan B!







B4Allstars

B4A had an AMAZING first week of camp! To kick off an amazing summer, William Sundberg had a blast during Construction Zone! Damian Barreiro and Owen Rodriguez scored some touchdowns during Flag Football! Viaan Gupta and Evan Loy enjoyed getting some cool Tattoos for tattoo Tuesday! Leon Silverii was pumped to get his part for the Drama Show! Vihaan Nadminti and Zachary Doll enjoyed some fun pool time this week! We are so excited to spend this spectacular summer as a group!

~ Ben & David, Counselors & Tracey, Shadow















B2Bounced Around the Camp

B2B had a great first week of camp! Chase Skolnick had a great time splashing around at the Spray Park. Anthony Snyder and Lucas Miller loved climbing and zipping around at the Ninja Course. Jackson Schultz really liked driving around and racing the Go Karts! Jackson Mellender and Gino Fama had so much going n the pool and showing off their swimming skills. Gavin Simon and Sammy Czech made some beautiful sea creatures in Arts & Crafts. Lucas Schwalb loved seeing his friends from last year and made some delicious muffins in Baking. We all had a great first week and are looking forward to many more!

~ Caden & Matthew, Counselors & Lizzie, Shadow









Week 2 Schedule

7/1 - MYSTERY MONDAY

7/2 - RED. WINTE & BLUE DAY

7/3 - WACKY WATER DAY

(7/8 Trip to Fireball Mountain)

7/4 - **4th of July**

7/5 - SPace Day

(5/6 Trip to oasis VRX)

G5Cool Girls

G5C is off to a spectacular start! All the girls have quickly become friends and are excited for the summer. Emma Satterwaite, is always helping others and smiling. She loves to dance and always enjoys a game of GaGa. Sarah-Elizabeth Cada loves to crack jokes and play with her friends. She looks forward to taking more art electives. Meryl Schmeidler brings a positive atmosphere to the group, and also loves to draw. Violet Lasko is the first to cheer up her fellow campers, she enjoys Hatchet Throwing and looks forward to trying more activities throughout the summer. Delaney Haas is a a GaGa super star. She also enjoys Woodshop and looks forward to completing her project. Zoe Rubin always has a smile on her face and introduces new games to the group. Audrey Morgenroth is bubbly and energetic. She enjoys Arts and Crafts, and even made a cartoon cat drawing this week! A number of our girls are a part of this year's drama production for grades 5/6: Frozen Kids. The girls are focused and determined to make the play the best it can be. We look forward to watching them perform and cheering them on! This summer is shaping up to be one for the books!

~ Emily & Ananya, Counselors



Cast List

3rd and 4th Graders in....



Make a Splash!

Splash	Mila Katsnelson
Finley	
Bubbles	
Marina	Julia Rivera
Sunny	
Shelly	Macii Postel-Garcia
Aqua	Jordana Kahan
Pearl	
Bass	Alina Mastruzzo
Miss Melody	Arianna Oshidar
Cadence	Senya Krasting
Harmony	Elizabeth Lyudin
Lyric	Kiki O'Donnell
Treble	Senya Krasting
Clyde	
Chuckle	
Clown Fish	Julia Rivera
	Senya Krasting
	Caroline Dowling
	Alina Mastruzzo
Sharky	•
Toothy	
Blue	-
Tide	,
Abyss	
Jaws	
Donny	
Dizzy	
Dotty	Jordana Kahan

The Lights of **Broadway**

7th/8th/9th Grade Show 2024

Starring:

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Avani Pamnani **David Moran** Natalia Gibson River Russo Riya Easwaren Sadie Gural Samantha Galuskin Sophia Beck

5th and 6th Graders in....



Storytellers	Sophie Baskind Sara Shaalan Olivia Robinson	
	Ella Mulhern	
King Agnarr		
Queen Iduna		
Young Anna	Maggie Kipnis	
Pabbie	Emma Satterthwaite	
Bulda		
Middle Anna		
Middle Elsa		
Bishop		
Anna	Maddie Marx	
Elsa		
Weselton		
Hans	Ethan Roberts	
Kristoff	Yaron Strum	
Sven		
Olaf	Meryl Schmeidler	
Ensemble:		

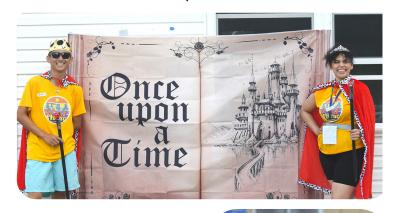
Scarlett Sherief Zoe Rubin Ricky Mato Cassie Pfefferkorn Aria Katsnelson

Haddie Sher Benjamin Hirsch Sophia Calefato Maggie Kipnis Chloe Xu Jack Kenavey Emma Satterthwaite Meryl Schmeidler

G7Bs Bright First Week of Camp!

G7B had a spectacular first week here at ELDC! Riya Easwaran showed her amazing acting skills in Drama Shows rehearsal. Kenzie Haas had so much fun making donuts with pastels in Arts & Crafts. Riley Malvin also had a blast in Arts & Crafts making bead art. Laura Kosjek had a great time going down the zipline in Ropes. Angeliese Lowe showed off her incredible dance moves in Dance. Julia Sassine loved making infinity bracelets in Art Too. Caitlyn Johnson also enjoyed making bead art in Art Too. Dhriti Vyas made delicious Oreo cupcakes in Baking. We are so excited to see what the rest of camp has in store for G7B!

~ Tarsha, Counselor & Azhanay, Jr. Counselor







B2A-The energized cheetahs!

B2A had an amazing and fun-filled first week at camp! Daniel Garcia had a great time as a cashier in the Kiddie Village grocery store. Siddarth Sambyal and Cooper Satran had a fun time playing with magnet tiles in the Construction Zone. Arun Dasgupta had fun playing tag with his Counselors and fellow campers at the Playground. Holden Gaspari had a good time making cool sea creatures in Arts and Crafts. Aiden Howard greatly enjoyed playing GaGa with fellow campers from second grade during Clubs. Oliver Bergmann Sengupta had a fun time meeting all the animals in Nature. We had an amazing first week with B2A and cannot wait for more fun next week!

B2DANCED AROUND CAMP!!

B2D had a spectacular week at camp!! Jack Barron did an amazing job in arts and crafts with his project that he created! Aden Aigbogun always has a smile on his face when he is swimming in the pool! Nash Becker enjoyed running through the Spray Park with his friends! Nivaan Jasdhaul loved helping to find Tribal colors in a scavenger hunt throughout camp! Ethan Kalisky enjoyed riding the Go-Karts and racing his friends! Omri Knee loved competing with his Spheros! Nicholas Lettich loved playing on the playground with his friends! Bishop Mayfield loved creating his piece in ceramics and cannot wait to paint it next week! Jacob Press loved choosing clubs this week and participating in his chosen activity: Ga Ga! We are excited for the rest of our beautiful summer!

~ Sof & Jahn, Counselors, & Maia, Buddy





The G3Buddies Adventures

This first week of camp was amazing for the G3Buddies!! The girls had a lot of fun in their electives: Julia Rivera had a great time shooting arrows during Archery; Madelyn Aetia and Alexandria Lowe enjoyed hitting holes in one during Mini Golf and Caroline Dowling had an amazing time during her Drama Show rehearsals. Hannah Melinger had a rocking and rolling time racing on the Go Kart tracks. As the day progressed, so did the heat. The girls found ways to beat the scorching sun. Ava Zazzi practiced the back float during Instructional Swim. Josie Dahling and Alexa Rogol both enjoyed playing with their friends in the pool while Emily Crocco enjoyed cooling down and relaxing in the pool. Avery Golub also found a way to cool down and had a lot of fun during Spray Park as well!! These girls can't wait for another amazing week here at Eagle's Landing.



Science

We've been having a blast creating chemical reactions in Science this week. We have made every type of slime you can imagine: fluffy, color changing, tie dye, Icee, and butter slime! During Electives, we made dancing wire men and learned about magnets. We look forward to so many fun experiments in the coming weeks!

~ Rachel & Irene, Mad Science Instructors





G1Best Week Ever!

Here at Eagles Landing we have a lot of fun! Ryenn Gerstman had so much fun at scooters where she went super fast. Miah is such an amazing swimmer who loved showing off her skills. Remi also loved using her imagination with what was underwater and playing games. Victoria Jemerson had so much fun at Ceramics where we made pinch pots and she was a great helper! Remy Satran also loved Ceramics, she added a lot of stamps to her creation. Isabella Mascolo and Clara Schiff had so much fun at Instructional Swim! They both did so great showing off her swim skills and are becoming better swimmers every day. Olivia Rodriguez had so much fun at tribes when we had a scavenger hunt. She was collecting everything she could find to help her team. Elaine Snow and Olivia Zwillman enjoyed the Spray Park! Elaine got her Counselors soaked under the bucket. Olivia played with the fish sprinkler and had so much fun! As you can see we all had so much fun at camp this week and we will have more fun as summer goes on!







G5Angels

G5A had an amazing first week of camp!! Mary Anestis had a blast zipping down the Zipline! Delaney Regler and Sarah Ternyila were able to pass the Deep Water Test! Sofia Calefato enjoyed the Cinnamon Toast Crunch Cupcakes she made in Baking. Mia Farkas loved partying it up in Dance! Ella Garfinkle had so much fun taking apart electronics in Tools N' Tech. Anaya Pamnani loved racing on the GoKarts! Haddie Sher loved splashing around with her friends during Free Swim. Cassie Pfefferkorn had so much fun playing the arcade games at Dave & Buster's. Week 1 had been full of nothing but laughs and games, and we are so excited to see what next week brings!

~ Syna, Counselor & Alyssa Jr. Counselor







We are off to a great start moving and shaking in dance classes! This week 3/4, 5/6, and 7/8/9 started rehearsing for their drama shows! 3/4 is learning "Under the Sea" for their show: Make a Splash. 5/6 learning "Let the Sun Shine On" from Frozen Kids. 7/8/9 started learning "A Poultry Tale" from Honk Jr.! Kiddie Kingdom learned the Hello dance and played lots of Floor is Lava. Dance Elective embraced their creative side as both the 3/4 and 5/6 electives worked together with their friends to make up their own dances! We cannot wait to continue busting a move at camp!

~ Karaline, Dance Instructor



THE BKD KINGS RULE WEEK 1

The Kings of BKD had so much fun during the first week of camp. Putting on his lab coat and goggles, Paul Sielski made slime during Science! BAM! Fireworks flew into the sky after Matthias Jenkins made a rocket in Arts and Crafts. Professional soccer player Joshua Kaufman scored so many goals! Benjamin Katnelson had an amazing time being a chef and making caramel popcorn in Cooking. Grayson Friedman became a zoologist when looking at the animals during Nature. Joseph Uniman ran so fast through the whole Ninja course! Woosh! Captain Leon Gurbuz looked for buried treasure during Beach Time. During T-Ball, Raphi Schwartz ran all four bases! Zachary Nissan was an artist when he made an awesome pinch pot during Ceramics. Zayn Sarkar showed off his singing skills during Music! With shiny crowns on their heads, BKD had an amazing first week!

~ Alicia & Mia, Counselors





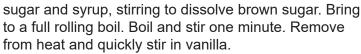
Caramel Popcorn

INGREDIENTS:

- 2 cups butter cubed
- 2 1/2 cups light brown sugar
- 1 cup golden syrup
- 1 tsp vanilla extract
- 10 cups popped popcorn

DIRECTIONS:

1. Line two 15×10 inch pans with parchment. In a large saucepan, melt butter over medium heat. Add brown



2. Pour caramel mixture over popcorn and stir lightly to coat. Using a rubber spatula, press popcorn into prepared pans. Cool. Pull apart into pieces. Enjoy!

~ Erin & Mary, Cooking Instructors



BKB Brings the Amazing!

BKB had an amazing week 1! Isaac Becker made a gorgeous pinch pot in Ceramics. We can't wait to see what other works of art he makes this summer. Hunter Berman had a great time being firefighters on Wooden Trucks. He really showcased his helpful side, coming to everyone's rescue. Aiden Kaufmann was a fish in the swimming pool. He loved chasing after the pool toys and blowing bubbles. Luke Caffrey turned into a true scientist during Science. He mixed and mixed his slime to perfection. Nate Weiss passed the ball like a pro to his friends in Soccer. Watch out Messi! Angelo DiTaranto really enjoyed making a sand castle during Beach Time. Maybe he'll enter a sand sculpting competition. Jack DeAlmeida turned into a true chef when we made puppy chow in Cooking. We can picture him owning his own restaurant one day. Carter George had great balance as he navigated the Ninja course. He's really working on his strong muscles. We're having so much fun and cannot wait for a summer full of memories!

~ Brittany & Nevaeh, Counselors

CUPCAKES

INGREDIENTS:

- 1 1/2 cups all-purpose flour, measured correctly
- 1 cup granulated sugar
- -1/3 cup natural unsweetened cocoa
- 1 tsp baking soda
- 1/2 tsp salt
- 1 cup warm coffee, or 8 fluid oz
- 1 Tbsp white distilled vinegar
- 1/3 cup light olive oil or vegetable oil
- 1 large egg, room temperature
- 2 tsp vanilla extract

DIRECTIONS:

- 1. Preheat oven to 350°F with the rack in the center of the oven. Fill a 12-count muffin tin with cupcake liners.
- 2. In a large mixing bowl, thoroughly whisk together dry ingredients, breaking up most of the cocoa clumps.
- 3. In a second mixing bowl, whisk together wet ingredients.
- 4. Pour wet ingredients over dry ingredients and whisk just until the ingredients come together and no dry streaks remain. Batter will be a little loose and lumpy.
- 5. Use an ice cream scoop to portion batter, filling each cup 2/3 full (do not over-fill). Bake 18-22 min (20 minutes was perfect), until a toothpick inserted in the center, comes out clean.
- 6. Cool 5 minutes in the pan then transfer to a rack to cool completely to room temperature before frosting.

~ Aggie & Mary, Baking Instructors

B2C BUDDIES

B2C had an amazing first week at camp! Graham Astel enjoyed running around the Wooden Trucks and playing tag with his new friends! Liam Brotschul did an excellent job in ceramics making his pinch cup! Sawyer Khutorsky was fascinated with the spinning wheel he made in Makerspace. Frankie Mato had the time of his life playing in the Splash Park! Julian Oshidar and Ryan Roberts enjoyed dancing to the Backstreet Boys during Show Practice! Jacob Pfefferkorn was locked in when he was driving his Spheros around the room. Ryan Seelinger enjoyed building blocks during Legoland time. Matthew Spina had a blast climbing and racing at the Ninja course. Jeremy Schmulewitz was so animated during the game of Ga Ga, he made the game so exciting! We look forward to having more fun next week!



G5B had a great first week at camp! Audrey Lemmon and Maggie Kipnis had a blast splashing around in the in the pool. Madison Marx and Olivia Robinson showed off their skills while rehearsing for the Drama Show. Aria Katsnelson and Rebecca Recuay had such a fun time taking apart technology during Tools and Tech. Sara Shaalan had a good time playing newcomb during volleyball. Ella Mulhern loved learning new skills during Instructional Swim. We can't wait for another amazing week!

~ Elyse, Counselor & Kiera, Jr. Counselor



Coding

Coding is off to a great start. Campers are using Code.org to learn new techniques and scratch to create unique programs. Campers have designed games, musical compositions and more. We can't wait to see the creativity in the weeks to come.

~ Andy, Computers Instructor

Cruisin' into Summer with BKC

BKC had an outstanding week 1! They started out strong at Cooking, where they made a delicious chocolate treat, Puppy Chow. During Beach Time, they all worked together to build an amazing sandcastle. Hasen Herrera ran the bases so fast during T-ball almost nobody could keep up! During Scooters, Henry Samuels and Theodore Carducci had a blast racing each other around. During Ninja, Luca Passero stayed determined as he got over a big obstacle at the Obstacle Course. Grayson Lee had a great time at Dance, as he showed off his awesome dance moves. During Ceramics, Parker Weinstein molded an amazing pot with clay and he used stamps to decorate it all over. BKC's week was so much fun! We can't wait to see what next week brings us.



TRIBAL HISTORY

Eldings (Water)

Thousands of years ago, the oceans all around the world became restless. The skies became dark, and the waves grew to untold heights! All living things ran for cover, crying out for help. And then, just when all might have been lost, a flash of blue light stopped the storm. From the light came water-drop shaped creatures that glowed. They introduced themselves as the Eldings, a "liquid sunshine" people from the clouds. They explained that their one job was to stop big storms from hurting anyone, and that they just needed a place to stay on Earth. Everyone across the globe united in a search for a home for the Eldings. They settled, finally, in the perfect spot. An eagle named Sammy pointed the way, and from then on the Eldings found their home in the waters just north of Sammy's landing spot. So, whenever today's campers see the water from the sky, they can know that the Eldings are nearby to make sure the day is a winner!

Ladings (Wind)

Generations ago, on a beautiful day, the Eldings were splashing and sharing stories about their arrival at the Eagle's Landing place. Suddenly, Sammy flew towards them, warning of a great wind heading this way! The Eldings took cover to plan for how to protect their home. The animals and humans alike began to work together to build shelters. The wind picked up, howling loudly. The skies turned gray. Dirt and sand flew through the air in angry gusts. Confused, Sammy and General Elding bravely stepped out into the open field. They called out for the wind to calm down. In response, the dirt turned a yellow color in the growing tornado, and Chief Lading appeared. He explained that the storm was meant to remove all of the garbage from the world, but he saw that the violent winds were only making things worse. Instead, he agreed to a more friendly battle to clean the world, under two conditions. The first was for a space in this perfect land that Sammy found for his Ladings to live. The second was a promise that the Eldings and Ladings would forever challenge each other to make this place the cleanest around. And so, the Tribal Games were born...Whenever today's campers feel a gust of wind, they know the Ladings are nearby, getting ready to

Delcans (Earth)

A millennia after the beginning of the blue vs. yellow tribal games began, Sammy and his friends noticed that all of the watery and fast games were hurting the perfect green grass and super tall trees they had come to love. He then asked General Elding and Chief Lading to take a break from tribal games because the land was clean but not beautiful. They agreed to take the following winter off. One day, after a huge blizzard, the earth began to shake. Scared, the Eldings and Ladings united once again to find shelter from the growing hole in the middle of Sammy's favorite gathering spot. Peeking out to see what was happening, the snow and earth retreated to reveal little green people climbing out to look around. They were led by Commander Delcan, a superstrong hero of the people. Commander Delcan explained that part of loving a place is protecting it, so it is the job of the Delcans to make sure that all land is loved. With a sly look at their new friend, the Eldings and Ladings invited the Delcans to stay as long as they joined in on the yearly tribal games. They agreed, and when today's campers run around in the grass and woodchips, and when they are biking through the nature trails, they know it is safe to fall because the Delcans are there to catch them and make them winners!

Camdels (Fire)

In the year 2453, there was a small community living on Mars. Earth had long been destroyed, and Mars was the next planet in danger. The people on Mars were known as the Camdels, and they had a plan. They knew they could stay safe, and maybe even help others, if they could take magic from the fiery sun. Captain Camdel, the great leader, took a team on a long journey to the sun and back, successfully returning with the magic fire. But that wasn't all they did! On the journey, they came across a flying yellow ship made of wind carrying blue people made of water. Captain Camdel and his team brought the rescued Eldings and Ladings to Mars and heard their story. Captain Camdel agreed to save these new friends and the Delcans, who were buried under the destroyed Earth. The Camdels split the fire, ensuring enough to save every planet. Then, they followed the Eldings and Ladings back to Earth, bringing the magic fire. In just days, the ball of magic sunfire restored life to Earth, as it was back in the year 2013!! The Delcans came out to thank them all, and everyone agreed that the Camdels should also stay in this perfect landing spot of the eagle. On those hottest days of the summer, when the sun is strong, and the other elements seem to be hiding, today's campers know that the Camdels are ready to

The four groups, each different in their own way, expanded the Tribal Games!! Now, to this day, the Eldings, the Ladings, the Delcans, and the Camdels unite every winter to make sure that Eagle's Landing Day Camp is perfectly perfect for the summer visitors to enjoy. While they are friends, when the Tribes compete for points, they are secretly here helping their own teams. The Eldings with the power of water, the Ladings with the power of wind, the Delcans with the power of earth, and the Camdels with the power of fire - who will win this year?

G1Allstars

G1A had the best first week ever! Mia Castoro loved playing on the playground with her friends! Helen Goldstone and Leila Kong loved running and climbing on the ninja course. Leia Paulus had a blast jumping around on the tires. Brooke Muscillo and Claire Sundberg had so much fun racing in Go Karts! Luna Tovar had the best time swimming like a mermaid in the pool! We can't wait for the rest of the summer.

~ Taylor, Counselor & Jamestina, Jr. Counselor



Kiddie Kingdom is Falling into Camp!

Another summer full of fun, laughter, and friendships is underway and we are so excited to be back! All of our returning campers and new campers were excited to meet their groups. Our theme for this summer is Seasons of Fun! During DL time, and sprinkled throughout the summer, we will be celebrating each of the 4 seasons. To kick it off, this week, we celebrated fall adventures by creating a keychain with their initials to decorate their camp backpacks. Patterns and favorite colors were everywhere! What a blast we had at free swim! We are all on our way to becoming mermaids and dolphins in instructional swim. Our favorite new activity on the schedules is "Beach Time" where we get to build sandcastles and dig in the sand. All of the Kiddie Kingdom kids knocked it out of the park this week in all of their sports activities. We've been very impressed with everyone's dance moves and singing voices during Music, Dance, and Show. We were royally impressed to see everyone dressing up for all of the special days this week. And that's only some of the fun we had during week 1! We know we're going to have an amazing summer here in Kiddie Kingdom!

B6B'S BRILLIANT FIRST WEEK

B6B started this week off with a blast! During Tennis Baseball, Alex Fama showed off his batting abilities when hitting a home run and scoring for his team, while Antonio Da Silva showed his abilities in the field by stopping the other team from hitting the bases! Professional athlete Lucas Balint had so many great catches during Flag Football! Tyler Bergmann and Owen Fama displayed their Gaga skills, gaining many victories during the matches! Joey Napoli gained his deep water band during Free Swim, he looked like an Olympic swimmer! Spence Satran was unstoppable while playing "All Star Basketball" and making many hoops for his team! Elliott Smith and Brain Yepes were looking like future architects during Construction Zone. Jackson Zazzi and Nickolas Snyder, during Tribal knockout, did amazing when bringing in Tribal points for their Tribe! And to top the week off, during DL Time, B6B won the scavenger hunt for Boys 5/6! What an amazing first week!

~ Mekhai & Jonah, Counselors, & Mitch, Buddy



B6A's Adventurous Week!

With the first week of camp beginning, B6A's curiosity and enthusiasm have yet to reach its limit. On Monday, Lucas Rubin began his flight through the sky on the Zipline while Travis Shafer flew alongside him during Rocketry. As they soared through the air, Krish Patel would compete in the ring during Gaga to win it all for B6A. Outside of the ring and onto the field, Thomas Habecker would show his athletic abilities during Tennis Baseball by keeping his team on the winning side. During Tuesday's electives, Ethan Roberts would show his skills in acting and artistry as Drama Show rehearsals begins along with Zachary Rogol performing behind the scenes as an outstanding stage crew member. Leaving the stage, Demi Khalil and Logan Ricaurte revealed their skill and precision on the range during Archery. Returning to the indoors, Humza Imam's handwork and incredible proficiency was being tested in Tools N'Tech. Under the white tent, Ian Cheromushnikov showed his excellent skills and experience in Ping Pong through his superb handling and outstanding serves. As camp just begun, B6A will remain on top of its game in electives and activities for the weeks to come.

~ Luca, Counselor & Jayden, Jr. Counselor





















Week 1 was GREAT! Can't wait for WEEK 2! #SmilesGuaranteed





