# THE GOLDEN EAGLE

Volume 13 Smiles Guaranteed Week 4







# **Special Events**

Week 4 was the best week yet! I can't believe we are half way through the summer. We started off the week with **UNDER THE SER DRY** where campers found pictures of sea creatures all around camp. They got to trade in their picture for a pirate keychain at the end of the day. TEAM TUESDAY was a great spirit day for campers and staff to represent the teams they love. Carnival was a blast on Wednesday. Campers got to enjoy rides and inflatables, as well as carnival booth games, face painting, balloon animals, and fun foods. Campers and staff look forward to Carnival all year long and it finally happened! Definitely one of the best days of the summer! White OUT DAY was very exciting with a new game called, "Bonkers" where campers got to throw socks filled with color powder at each other. If the sock hit them, they had to switch sides. The goal was to get everyone on your side. Everyone showed their camp spirit for Camp T-Shirt Day! There were so many different styles of ELDC camp shirts on display. We can't wait for what's in store during week 5!

#### Camp Weekly Recap: Carnival Fun, Team Spirit, and Colorful Memories!

This week at camp was an unforgettable splash of excitement, team spirit, and color—literally! We kicked things off with **Under the Sea Day**, where campers dove into fun games, and underwater adventures without ever leaving land. On **Team Tuesday**, everyone repped their favorite teams and worked together in fun team challenges that brought out their best camp energy.

**Carnival Day** was the highlight of the week—our entire camp transformed into a real-life carnival! From spinning rides to cotton candy, balloon animals to ring toss, it was a full day of thrills and laughter. Campers couldn't stop smiling!

Then came **White Out Day**, where everyone wore white and turned into walking rainbows during wild and wonderful color powder games. We wrapped things up on **Camp T-Shirt Day**, showing off our camp pride as one big, happy family.

This week also featured our Boys 3/4 and Girls 7/8 Stay Lates—an evening full of extra games, dinner, and more time to bond with friends after hours!

And of course, the Tribes were in full competition mode all week! Drumroll, please... this week's Tribe winner is the LADINGS!

Stay tuned for more fun, friendship, and adventure next week!

#### ~ Samantha, Newsletter Editor





#### **B1CHAMPS!**

Week 4 was an absolute blast for the boys of B1C! Gianluca Aliberti has an amazing time at Go Karts, zooming around and showing off how fast he could go. Theodore Carducci had a great time during Yoga, where he had fun playing a game of Cat & Mouse on the parachute. Shivaay Bhargava had lots of fun at Construction Zone, where he built an awesome battleship. Milo Medina-Preziosa and Luca Genovesi had lots of fun riding around on the Scooters and having some friendly competition against one another. Hasen Herrera has a great time at Foam Blocks, where he built multiple cool structures and played with his friends. We can't wait to have more fun and make more memories with our champions for the remaining half of camp at ELDC!

#### ~ Aiyanah & Daniel, Counselors





# The Amzing Boys of B7A!

B7A had a fantastic week! Drew Forlander loved making cookies and cream doughnuts in Baking! Travis Shafer and Logan Ricaurte had a great time racing each other at Go Karts! Owen Fama was great at passing and dashing around the field during Lacrosse. Lucas Balint had fun learning how to be a lifeguard at Jr. Lifeguarding during Instructional Swim. Jackson Zazzi had a great time scoring lots of runs at Tennis Baseball. Ian Cheromushnikov loved riding the trails at Mountain Biking! Antonio DaSilva loved splashing three point shots at basketball. To end off the perfect week, Alex Fama had a good time throwing hatchets at Hatchet Throwing. B7A had an amazing week 4 and we an not wait for the rest of the summer!

#### B7Blasting Through Week 4!

B7B had a fantastic time finding their favorite things at camp. Krish Patel's favorite thing was playing soccer, and he spent lots of time on the field. Josh Muchow went down the Zipline multiple times in one day! Ethan Roberts got the opportunity to rehearse for the Drama Show. Hudson Sandoval and Demi Khalil both enjoyed completing the High Ropes Course. Alex Katz was the king of the Ga Ga pit this week gaining multiple outs and wins. Brian Yepes had a blast during his Pool Games elective in Instructional Swim.

#### ~ Thomas & Marcus, Counselors







# **G4Buddies**

G4B had an amazing time during Week 4 of camp! Alexandria Lowe cooled off and had a blast at the Spray Park. Abigail Hardy had fun coding and solving cool challenges. Ariella Golani and Hannah Mellinger enjoyed playing some exciting games of Volleyball. Caroline Dowling and Julia Rivera got creative at Arts & Crafts making some awesome pieces out of sea salt dough. Amirah Khalig and Kanhi Patel showed off their skills in a few intense rounds of Ga Ga. Emily Crocco and Senya Krasting worked hard practicing their lines for the Drama Show. Willow Bagwandeen and Cece Jaques baked delicious vanilla donuts in Baking. Lexi Maltabes and Emily Zwillman had fun exploring the power of magnets during Science. We can't wait to see what Week 5 brings!

# Week 5 Schedule

July 28 - **80's Day** 

July 29- Camp Throwdown

(Boys 7/8 Stay Late)

July 30 - DISNEY DAY

(7/8 Trip to Somerset Patriots)

July 31 - **Riddle Me This** 

(5/6 Trip to Branchburg Sports) (LIT/CIT Stay Late)

Aug 1 - SUPER SCIENCE SPECTACULAR







## B3Best Week 4!

B3B had a fantastic 4th week of camp! Liam Brotschul had an awesome time rehearsing for the Drama Show and bringing his character to life. Jacob Pfefferkorn, Jack Barron, and Lucas Schwalb had a blast dodging and diving during Ga Ga. Chase Skolnick and Gavin Simon loved ging down the water slide at Carnival. Nicholas Lettich and Desmond Gingery enjoyed splashing around during Free Swim. JJ Schultz and Nivaan Jasdhaul had so much fun playing Newcomb during Volleyball. Micah Masuda-Levy had a great time taking apart gadgets and exploring cool tech during Tools 'n Tech. We can't wait to see what exciting adventures the next week of camp will bring!

~ Nico, Joey, & Elvin, Counselors, & Cara, Shadow



# Lunch Menu Week 5

- 7/28 Pizza Pizza!, Tossed Salad, Potato Chips, Chocolate Pudding, Apples
- 7/29 French Toast Sticks with Syrup, Tater Tots, Tossed Salad, Apples
- 7/30 Crispy Chicken Sandwich, Tossed Salad, Potato Sticks, Jello, Watermelon
- 7/31 Mac & Cheese or Buttered Noodles, Dinner Roll, Tossed Salad, Cookies, Apples
- 8/01 Make-Your-Own Burrito Bowl, Tossed Salad, Corn Chips, Cookies, Watermelon

Our salad bar includes fresh mixed greens, grape tomatoes, tofu, cucumbers, carrot sticks, hard boiled eggs, pasta salad, chickpeas, edamame, fresh fruit, applesauce, shredded cheese, hard boiled eggs, non-fat fruit yogurt, pasta salad, lo mein salad, black bean taco salad, corn, and assorted dressings

Tuna, Black Bean Wraps, Kosher 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, ices, pretzels or fresh fruit are served as a snack in the afternoon.

Special dietary concerns including Kosher, gluten free, vegetarian, Halal, 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 no trans fats.







#### **Dance**

Dance was an absolute hit this week at camp! Kiddie Kingdom stole the show with their adorable scarf dances! They worked on following directions through fun songs and playful movement setting the stage for great performances to come. Campers in 1st & 2nd grade took their first steps into the world of ballet, learning basic foot positions with poise and confidence. Then they switched it up with highenergy hip hop moves that had everyone smiling from ear to ear! Campers in 3rd & 4th grade dove into hip hop choreography, focusing on rhythm and musicality. They practiced matching their movements to the beat and really brought the groove! Campers in 5th & 6th grade were challenged with a mix of ballet technique and hip hop combos. Campers in 7th & 8th grade practiced their dances for their upcoming Drama Shows! We're so proud of our dancers can't wait to see how their moves shine in the final show!

#### **Dungeons & Dragons**

We've been going on epic adventures in Dungeons & Dragons elective this summer! In the Dungeons & Dragons tabletop role-playing game, every player controls a character with unique abilities and powers, including incredible strength and magical spells. So far this summer, our campers in 5th grade and up, have battled on the high seas and found treasures deep in the caves of dragons. This week, our campers explored an old haunted manor and got more than they bargained for when they stumbled upon a powerful and ancient vampire. We go on new and exciting adventures every week, and are always looking for new players! We hope to see you at the Dungeons & Dragons elective soon!

#### ∼ Matt, Dungeons & Dragons Coordinator

#### BOKA'S FARTASTIC WEEK 4

BGKA's week has been fantastic! Nevaeh Schultz dominated during Ninja, showing us her super fast climbing skills. Emiliano Lopez became a firefighter at Kiddie Village this week, he loves riding the fire truck. Angelo Ritchings enjoyed making cookies in Baking, they were so delicious. Riley Caffrey did not want the fun to end during the Carnival, she loved riding the train and playing carnival games. Gianna Lazviashvili showed us her swimming skills during Free Swim. Aiden Udeshi enjoyed Music, he loved singing the songs and dancing with his friends. Lewis Bodnar let his curiosity shine during gem mining, he found such interesting gems. BGKA had a fun-filled first half of the summer, we can't wait for the fun to continue next week!

#### ~ Oduwa & Gaby, Counselors



#### ~ Kaitlyn, Dance Instructor

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Muhammad Koleilat (B3C) Luca Gabel (B6A) Harper Dinicola (G6A) Joel Barkalow (B8A) Thomas Kelso (B4A)



Porter Recuay (B8A)
Sammy Kenavey (B8A)
Jacob Pfefferkorn (B3B)
Gregory Kipnis (B4B)
Giro Passero (B4A)

#### **B5Amazing Fun!**

Mason Jorgensen and Miles Jacobson had a blast flying down the Zipline at high speeds, smiling throughout. Josh Adler and Derek Zwillman were making it rain and running the court during Basketball. Rhett Falato and Anthony Sether could not be stopped and were filled with laughs while playing Ga Ga. Michael Cohen and Harrison Sandoval trekked through a magical world at Dungeons & Dragons. Damian Barreiro tapped into his coding skills while programming the robotic ball in Spheros. Ethan Herrera Diaz was working on his footwork and cutting through defenders in Soccer. Viaan Gupta had an amazing time engaging in computer games in Coding.

#### ~ Mali & Brady, Counselors









# **B3Champions**

B3C had a stellar 4th week at camp! Arun Dasgupta and Julian Oshidar showed great sportsmanship at Soccer. Ram Marimganti loved working hard over at Ping Pong. Sawyer Khutorskoy showed his skills while doing Minecraft Coding. Matt Spina and Daniel Garcia loved splashing around at Spray Park. Sammy Czech had a blast in the pool. JohnZane Clarke and Muhammad Koleilat showed their precision over at Archery. Ryan Seelinger had fun over at the Ropes Course. We can't wait for another exciting and thrilling week at camp!

#### ~ Michael & Alan, Counselors





**B3Awesome** 

B3A couldn't have had a better week 4! Omri Knee and Harry Bryansmith loved running around in the spray park on Wednesday to cool off. Gavin Beck and Frank Mato enjoyed all Carnival had to offer, eating yummy snacks and riding on the rides. Nash Becker and Holden Gaspari splashed around in the pool trying to stay cool. Gino Fama and Liam Bonura held off some hard fought battles while playing Ga Ga. Jackson Mellender and Aidan Howard had a blast during the stay late, especially when eating the french bread pizza. Jacob Press and Lucas Miller enjoyed their tasty food during Cooking, eating s'more quesadillas. Ethan Kalisky showed off his goal-keeping abilities shining during our game of soccer. The boys are having so much fun at Eagle's Landing, we can't believe the summer is already half way over!

~ JD & Brian, Counselors, Lily & Dominique, Shadows

#### It's a Blast in GKB

The GKB nuggets are having a blast at camp. Maya Rowe and Ellie Castoro loved the gravity experiments conducted in Science this week. Yara Bodnar and Levi Lewis are quite the climbers, and love swinging on the monkey bars and climbing the ropes at the Ninja Course. Juliet Rodriguez and Daphne Titen are definitely sculptors, and enjoyed making clay leaves with caterpillars on them in Ceramics. Bella Metcalf and Sarah Novik love to dance, and are having a great time preparing for the Kiddie Kingdom Show. Alice Moskowitz and Ella Jorgensen had so much fun painting a jellyfish in Arts & Crafts for Under the Sea day. We can't wait for all the fun to come in the next 4 weeks at camp!

#### ~ Timara & Leah, Counselors

# B1BIQSt Offi

B1B had an amazing week! Ben Katsnelson and Zachary Nissan had so much fun batting and catching at T-Ball! Raphi Schwartz was zipping and zooming at Go Karts! Isaac Becker and Gabriel Mandel loved building with the foam blocks by the Playground. Noah Khaliq and Joshua Kaufman loved showing off their creativity at Art Too! Niam Patel loved racing his friends on the obstacle course at Ninja. Grayson Friedman had so much fun at the Dance Party during Tribes. Leon Gurbuz loved Instructional Swim! B1B had an incredible week 4 and we can't wait for the rest of the summer.

#### ~ Tyler & Erika, Counselors

#### **B1A's Adventurous Week!**

B1A had an excellent 4th week. Joey Janiga had a blast making his own obstacle course at the Spray Park. Luca Passero and Artie Sexton had an amazing time at Carnival trying out all the rides! Parker Weinstein had a great time playing tag on the Playground with all of his friends. Joseph Uniman let his athletic side shine in a great game of Ga Ga. Calvin Gingery and Zayn Sarkar showed us their talents at T-Ball! Matthias Jenkins had a great time making a turtle in Ceramics. Artharv Eevani had a great time riding the X-Wave with his fellow campers. Kian Udeshi had a great time showing his creative side at Arts & Crafts. B1A had an adventurous week and we can't wait for more memories!

#### ~ Rishabh & Grace, Counselors





# SUMMER OF SMILE IN 5:6

This summer has been one of sports, sun, silliness, and sunshine for Jamie and Todd! Each week bring something new and something fun. We started the summer off with a trip to Urban Air where the kids were able to jump, climb, and play laser tag; fun for all, and especially our fifth graders on their very first camp trip. The next week we loved our friendly competition at Tribal Day and watched our kids be great sports. Our Stay Lates week 3 were a success! The boys competed at Ninja and Tennis Baseball and the girls loved Tie Dye and Swimming; and, of course, they all loved the pizza and ice cream! This week brought Carnival, which was a blast, and a trip back in time to Yestercades! We are having so much fun with our kids and think 5/6 is the best division around!

#### ~ Todd & Jamie, Division Leaders, & Morgan, Asst. Division Leader







Come Join Us for our 13th Annual Eagle's Landing

# Family Fun Night Mandau August 4

Monday, August 4

6pm-8pm
Special 2026 Rates
Bring your bathing suit and towel
for

swimming, games, and a yummy BBQ dinner!

**Admission is free!** 



#### GKC's TERRIFIC WEEK

GKC had a blast during week 4 of camp. Mackenzie Seelinger and Sophia Schwalb had tons of fun mixing up the cookie batter in Baking. Leah Press showed us her creative side in Ceramics class! Kayleigh Ritchings and Amelia Habib had so much fun during Science, where they had to balance sticks on top of each other. Charlotte Agosto had so much fun practicing her dance for the Kiddie Kingdom Show. Camila Frech and Reagan Robinson had so much fun during gem mining at Nature, where they found the most interesting shells. Lily Mirchandani had a blast going down the slide at the playground and creating towers with foam blocks. Layla Argente and Amelia Katcher did not want the fun to end at Lego Land. Lucy Burnett and Atara Strum had tons of fun at the Carnival. GKC had a terrific week 4, and this group is so excited to continue the fun together next week!

#### Makerspace

We've been busy building in Makerspace this week! Campers in 2nd grade created pompom launchers out of pool noodles and balloons. Campers in 4th grade created "hopping frogs" that really jump using paper cups and rubber bands. Both 3rd and 5th graders had a challenge to take on this week. Campers in 3rd grade had to create a structure to keep a tissue dry in a rainstorm and 5th graders had to figure out how to get a matchbox car from one side of the table to the other using a limited set of supplies. Campers at 6th grade spent their time in the Makerspace continuing the construction of their shoe box marble mazes, while 7th and 8th graders continued to work on their Ferris wheel models.

#### ~ Emma & Tom, Makerspace Instructors







G8Amazing Week 4!!

G8A has been having lots of fun at camp, Kylie Reynolds baked some delicious snickerdoodle cookies in Baking. River Russo and Sadie Gural enjoyed a nice breeze and thrill while ziplining at Ropes. Brina Ivy took joy in playing games at Ga Ga. Kenzie Haas prepared tasty quesadillas in Cooking. Art & Crafts too was a big hit in G8A with Dhriti Vyas and Julia Sassine making beautiful friendship bracelets. Aria Dhruv made delightful designs quilting with paper and Angeliese Lowe created a gorgeous butterfly out of a soda tab and beads. For those hot sunny days Riya Easwaran enjoyed the most cooling off in the Spray Park. Caitlyn Johnson made jewelry and flowers in Art Too. G8A is excited for countless new memories to come!

Celebrating 5 years at camp.....



Jamie Adler
Jeanine Calandruccio
Alex Chen
Morgan Jones III
Alex Master
Andrew Abramov
Sophie Abramov
Josh Adler
Nash Becker
Samaaya Bhargava
Hannah Brevetti
Ryan Brevetti
Ryan Calandruccio
Riely Ciszeski
Matthew Clarke

Antonio Da Silva Kelan Dhruv Caroline Dowling Drew Forlander Kacey Forlander Luca Gabel Aiden Howard Harvey Huang Cece Jaques Ethan Kalisky Thomas Kelso Jack Kenavey Sammy Kenavey Harper Kinnevy Maggie Kipnis

Easton Klein
Abby Lasko
Audrey Lemmon
Nicholas Lettich
Nate Mangels
Leila Marek
Ricky Mato
Hanah Mellinger
Emily Mercurio
Amelia Michaels
Mason Michaels
Sophie Muchow
Brooke Muscillo
Isabelle Ochipa
Braeden ODonnell

Avery Owens
Krish Patel
Adriane Patino
Cassie Pfefferkorn
Jacob Press
Porter Recuay
Rebecca Recuay
Sebby Samuels
Harrison Sandoval
Hudson Sandoval
Gavin Schocklin
Gavin Shafer
Travis Shafer
Gavin Simon
Anthony Snyder

Daniel Snyder Nickolas Snyder Nitzan Strum Claire Sundberg William Sundberg Kailey Thakker Derek Zwillman

Celebrating 6 years at camp.....



# Avery Kochanski Frankie Marrone

Jude Apostol
Lucy Apostol
Sadie Apostol
Gavin Bagwandeen
Willow Bagwandeen
Chloe Barkalow
Sophie Baskind
Liam Brotschul
Marley Burnett
Susie Burnett

Sofia Calefato
Nae Callahan
Emily Chan
Ian Cheromushnikov
Emily Crocco
Alex Fama
Ben Fama
Natalie Fama
Brianna Gialanella
Declan Gill
Dylan Gill

Kira Golani

Avery Haesloop
Eve Haesloop
Emersyn Hewitt
Zach Hirsch
Mila Katsnelson
Armin Kepple-Heinrich
Jacob Knapp
Jonathan Knapp
Wrenna Koching
Audrey Lericos
Joshua Muchow
Ollie Ordiales

Julian Oshidar
Colin Perez
Logan Perez
Kylie Reynolds
Landon Ricaurte
Logan Ricaurte
Leah Rivera
Ethan Roberts
Labella Ruperto
Kayan Sarkar
Jeremy Shmulewitz
Jackson Zazzi

\*Bolded Names indicate a Staff Member\*

### Celebrating 7 years at camp.....



# Sherry Vitanza Danny Addeo Sofia Bogolyubov Michael Casella Aria Dhruv Gemma Dinicola

Gemma Dinicola Harper Dinicola Ariella Golanni Nick Greiner Zach Howard Jordana Kahan Demi Khalil Violet Lasko Natalie Lederman Alina Mastruzzo Giana Morales Brandon Moran David Moran Ella Mulhern Joey Napoli Ara Oshidar Maya Patel Olivia Robinson Zachary Rogol Olivia Saintyl Anthony Sether Haddie Sher Itai Strum Yaron Strum Layla Vitanza Canzio Vitanza-Cromartie

# Celebrating 8 years at camp.....



#### Julie Acquavella Quinn Barkalow

Jimena Bautista
Cara Correa
Owen Fama
Ella Garfinkle

Stella Gural

Delaney Haas Hannah Kahan Rayna Katz Shawn Khutorskoy Rayna Katz Charlie Kienle Kayla Macan Robert Macan Ameera McDonald River Russo Julia Sassine

<sup>\*</sup>Bolded Names indicate a Staff Member\*

#### Celebrating 9 years at camp...



Rob Leto Ashley Salvesen Lucas Balint Olivia Crocco Kenzie Haas Christian Johnson Aria Katsnelson Madison Marx

Isaac Ordiales Avery Vriesendorp Jillian Watson Brian Yepes

### Celebrating 10 years at camp...



Joey Peters
David Salvesen
Abigail Alexio
Benny Hirsch
Caitlyn Johnson
Nathaniel Kahan
Sam Kaplan
Alex Katz
Gilli Kleinman

Ari Mastruzzo
Zach Schneeweis
Sophie Shmulewitz
Blake Smith
Matthew Zone
Max Zone

# Celebrating 11 years at camp...



Carson Altman
Alyssa Buckwald
Leo Leto
Adamari Lopez
Kyle Sampson
Will Altman
Allison Diamond

Sadie Gural Abby LeFurge Izzy Rubenstein Manny Salgado

<sup>\*</sup>Bolded Names indicate a Staff Member\*

#### Celebrating 12 years at camp...



Ben Krasnove Shari Rykus

Emma Marx Haley Rykus

### Celebrating 13 years at camp...



Rose Rykus Gavin Salgado JD Simon

**Ella Weber** Adriana Lopez







Celebrating 14 years at camp...

Jacob Buckwald Julia Calandruccio Sophia Demarest Sandra Hernandez-Quiterio Dora Mariche

# Celebrating 17 years at camp...

Sydney Eber Justin Hirsch Elyse Nadelman

# Celebrating 19 years at camp...

**Todd Gural** 

Josh Milbrod

Samara Stein

Sara Strum

### Celebrating 26 years at camp...

Hanna Wasserman

**Abby Salgado** 

### Celebrating 27 years at camp...

**Ruth Ann Weiss** 

Shira Wasserman

#### Celebrating 36 years at camp...

\*Bolded Names indicate a Staff Member\*



### **G4A Shining Stars**

G4A had a spectacular week at camp! Jordana Kahan and Sadie Apostol had a blast playing Newcomb. Arielle Rose and Leah Shamilov made awesome sea creatures out of sea salt dough during Arts & Crafts. Allie Pereira and Marni Gurbuz had a great time working towards a bullseye at Archery. Hannah Brevetti and Michayla Borsuk had a fun time playing Ga Ga and ruling the pit. Ariya Mehta loved splashing around in the spray park during her elective. Mila Katsnelson and Karissa Georges have been killing it in rehearsals for the Drama Show! Emerysn Hewitt and Brinley Bahun had an awesome time mining for gems in Nature. Rosie Patino had a blast running the bases and showing off her skills during kickball. We can't wait for another amazing week with our girls!

#### **B5Breaking Barriers!**

B5B had an awesome 4th week of camp! Eitan Kodman and CJ Peart really enjoyed making frosted doughnuts in their Baking elective. Brandon Moran went on mythical adventures in Dungeons & Dragons this week. Ryan Bitette really enjoyed Basketball and was racking up points for his team. Will Sundberg, Noah Goldenberg, and Vihaan Nadiminti loved the taco dip that they made during Cooking. Logan Holt stayed cool this week by enjoying his time in the pool during Free Swim. Kayan Sarkar loved getting drenched by the bucket in the Spray Park. Owen Rodriguez was filled with immense excitement going through the different activities and eating delicious treats at Carnival! B5B can't wait for more great memories to come in the upcoming weeks!

# **Taco Dip**

#### **INGREDIENTS:**

- 1 16 oz can of vegetarian refried beans
- 1 16 oz container of sour cream
- 1 1.25 oz package of taco seasoning
- 1/2 cup of salsa
- 1/2 head of lettuce
- 2 tomatoes, chopped
- 1 onion, chopped
- 8 oz shredded cheddar cheese

#### **DIRECTIONS**:

- 1. Place the beans in the bottom of a 9x13 clear glass dish.
- 2. In a medium bowl, combine sour cream with taco seasoning.
- 3. Spread sour cream mixture over beans.
- 4. Spread the salsa over the sour cream.
- 5. Top the salsa with the mixture of lettuce, tomatoes and onions.
- 6. Sprinkle cheese over the top and serve.

#### ~ Sarah, Cooking Instructor



# nature

This week in Nature we loved hanging out at Sammy the eagle's mining company and going gem mining! Gem mining is one of ELDC's favorite activities! Campers have the opportunity to feel like a real paleontologist when searching for fossils like ammonites and shark teeth. When mining for seashells we learned about the different types of shells and the creatures that once lived in them. After sifting away all the sand and finding all sorts of cool gemstones, our campers practiced being a geologist and identified all the different stones they found based on size, color, and texture! Our friends Franklyn, the bearded dragon; Melissa and Cleo, the leopard geckos; the baby goats; and our many chickens are so excited to continue a wonderful summer! Happy NATURE-ing!

# OREO CHUNK COOKIES

#### **INGREDIENTS:**

1 cup unsalted butter, softened
1 cup sugar
1/2 cup light brown sugar, packed
2 large eggs
1 tablespoon vanilla extract
2 cups flour
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
10 Oreos, processed to a very fine crumb
16 Oreos, crushed into



#### **DIRECTIONS:**

chunks

- 1. Preheat the oven to 350 degrees. Line baking sheets with parchment paper.
- 2. Sift together the flour, baking soda and salt; set aside. Add in the Oreo crumbs.
- 3. In a medium bowl, cream together the softened butter, brown sugar and white sugar until well blended.
- 4. Beat in the vanilla and eggs until light and creamy.
- 5. Mix in the sifted ingredients until just blended. Stir in the Oreo chunks by hand using a spoon or spatula.
- 6. Refrigerate dough for 1 hour.
- 7. Drop cookie dough 1 tablespoon at a time onto the prepared cookie sheets. Cookies should be about 3 inches apart.
- 8. Bake for 15-17 minutes in the preheated oven, or until the edges are lightly browned.
- 9. Cool on baking sheets for a few minutes before transferring to wire racks to cool completely.

#### ∼ Lizzie & Lisa Baking Instructors

# G2Amazing

Mia Castoro had fun acting like a brave knight on the Playground during Clubs. Charlie Allen-Page loved making bee hives in Ceramics. Harper Berezansky loved the oreo dip we made in Cooking. Ryenn Gerstman and Scarlet Rodriguez had fun playing Ga Ga with all their friends! Brooke Muscillo had a blast dancing during Tribes, showing us all her amazing moves! Claire Sundberg loved all the fun Carnival activities and snacks. Leia Paulus had a great time playing with the Tech Tables. We can't wait for next week with our awesome girls!

# These Are a Few of LITs' and CITs' Favorite Things!

At camp, the LITs planned a camp-wide fundraiser to donate items to the Animal Rescue Force to support animals in need. Thank you to everyone who donated paper towels, trash bags, toys, and litter. We know the animal shelter will greatly appreciate the items we have collected. In addition, the CITs have also started planning a camp-wide fundraiser for the flood victims of Camp Mystic in Hunt, Texas. More information about this fundraiser will be coming soon!

Emma Marx splashed around in the pool this week with BKC while Giana Morales enjoyed playing volleyball with other LITs during DL time. The boys in every division ruled the Ga Ga courts while Danny Addeo played with B2B, Michael Casella played with B3C, Mikey Malamud played with B2B, and Nate Mangels played with B2A. Will Altman showed off his Lacrosse skills on the field while Matt Zone chilled out in Yoga. Isaac Ordiales baked delicious doughnuts in Baking and Landon Ricaurte took apart a fax machine with 3rd and 4th graders in Tools 'n Tech. John Wallace played Shark Tag in the pool with Danny and Nate, while Zach Schneeweis practiced his painting skills in Arts & Crafts. Max Zone enjoyed meeting his new campers in B1B and played with them on the playground.

Cara Correa practiced her technology skills while playing Spheros with G3B. Ben Fama climbed around at Ropes with B3C while Sam Kaplan showed off his athletic skills progamming Tennis Baseball with B4A. Charlie Kienle all of his regularly scheduled activities. Abby LeFurge celebrated Under the Sea day with the most magical mermaid costume and Adriana Lopez practiced her baseball skills while playing T-Ball with B1A. Jake Mauro and Izzy Rubenstein enjoyed making Monster Dip in Cooking while Maya Patel spent time at the Pool swimming with G2B. Adriane Patino cooked up a special recipe with G3A during Cooking and Liam Ochipa tired out his campers so much that one fell asleep in his arms. Haley Rykus showed off her athleticism and played soccer with BKD.

~ Lili & Aaron, Counselors



#### THE ANGELS OF G8B!

The first half of Summer 2025 has been nothing short of amazing with G8B! Ameera McDonald and Kayla Macan had a blast playing sideline soccer during Division Leader time. Emilia Torra and Gemma Dinicola loved being able to meet new campers during the Working with Kids elective in the pool. Labella Ruperto had such a nice time creating a coil bowl in Ceramics. Laura Kosjek loved making a butterfly out of pearler beads in Art Too. Natalie Lederman really enjoyed making delicious donuts in the Baking elective. We can't believe we only have four weeks left of camp, but we're so excited to see what's in store for G8B!

#### ~ Rose & Adamari, G8 Counselors



# WE NEED YOUR OLD ELECTRONICS!!!

Tools 'n Tech allows campers to take apart old electronics (broken or otherwise) to learn about how they work! We are in need of items such as old printers, keyboards, radios, PC towers, gaming consoles, remotes, speakers, landline phones, routers, broken power tools, screwdrivers, pliers, etc.

\*Please nothing containing glass or batteries\*

You can send smaller items in with your child through their regular drop-off method and bring larger donations to the Front Office.

#### **G2Better Together**

G2B's week was filled with smiles and good vibes! Leila Kong and Miah Jenkins brought unstoppable energy to the Ga Ga pit during every game. Victoria Jemerson and Olivia Rodriguez swam like fish during Free Swim, making waves with their enthusiasm. Harper Kinnevy and Charlotte Addeo couldn't get enough of practicing their dance for the Lowe Camp Show - we're all excited to share our moves with you soon! Olivia Zwillman and Luna Tovar showed off their creativity by making an octopus in Ceramics. The whole G2B crew had a blast at the carnival, making so many memories! We can't wait to see what next week has in store for us!

#### ~ Daisy & Daysha, Counselors



**Sweet Success** 

Campers are Baking Up Smiles at Eagles Landing! The scent of freshly baked donuts and cookies wafted through the air this week as campers rolled up their sleeves and dove into baking. Everyone who visited the bake shop this week took part in hands-on baking activities where they measured, mixed, and molded their way to delicious creations. This week our younger campers learned to make multiple types of cookies; a camp favorite was the birthday cake cookies. While our older campers experimented with baking and decorating all flavors of donuts from the classic vanilla donut to key lime pie donuts. Coming to the bake shop isn't just about making treats — it's also an opportunity for campers to practice teamwork, patience, and creativity. With flour-dusted hands and big smiles, our ELDC bakers left with more than full bellies. They gained a new skill, memories with friends, and perhaps even a spark for future culinary adventures!

#### ~ Lizzie & Lisa, Baking Instructors

P.S. A Lot of our campers have been asking for all the recipes that they are making during camp, so we are working to create a recipe book! We will share it at the end of the summer!

#### **G6Best Group In Camp!**

This was such an amazing week at camp. Sophie Abramov loved the new spring rolls at lunch! Chloe Barkalow, Zoe Rubin, and Sydney DeStefano had a blast at Yestercades. Sarah Cada loved taking things apart in Tools 'n Tech. Sofia Calefato and Gwen Kolibas really enjoyed our Carnival fun! Sofia Dassaro loved the electives she picked this week! Maggie Kipnis and Cassie Pfefferkorn loved Drama Show and can't wait for opening night! Audrey Lemmon loved baking donuts this week. We are having the best time at the best camp and can't wait to see what the rest of the summer brings!

#### ~ Sarah & Ashley, Counselors



# GGALL ABOUT SUMMER!

We had a great week with G6A this week. Sofia Abaskharoun, Lucy Apostle, and Aria Katsnelson had the greatest time at carnival. Madeline Ceretti showed her artistic side in ceramics. Elia Clarke dominated at kickball. Harper Dinicola loved being back at archery. Ella Garfinkle and Delaney Haas dodged and jumped at Ga Ga! Ella Mulhern rehearsed her role at the drama show. Violet Lasko rocked the video games at Yestercades. Olivia Robinson loved gem mining, Milania Wilder was a volleyball star, and Sarah Strangreciak was a master at Woodshop. Madison Marx and Rebecca Recuay, as always, loved making memories with their friends. We can't believe the summer is halfway done, and can't wait for an amazing second half!

#### ~ Bella & Taliyah, Counselors

# WELLNESS

The sun is shining, skies so blue, Laughter echoes, all day through.

Band-aids and smiles, quick fixes we find, Healing hearts and clearing minds.

With every scrape and tiny tear, I'm here to help, to show I care.

A summer of fun, friendship, and cheer, At camp, there's love in every year!

∼ Nurse Dee & Nurse Dalia

#### LOST TOOTH CLUB

Kemy Virgone, Delaney Haas, Christian Johnson (x2!), Bryan Yepes, Scarlet Rodriguez (x2!), Susie Burnett, Cooper Blair, and Jackson Lemmon











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