

# THE GOLDEN EAGLE

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## From the Directors:

The weather is getting cooler and we've been busy planning our calendar of fall and winter events!

**This month, our Pumpkin Palooza Open House is scheduled for October 19 from 11 am - 3 pm!**

Look out for the next event soon! Follow us on social media to find our contests, see pictures, and search for upcoming events. You can find us on Facebook, Instagram, and Tik Tok as @EaglesLandignDayCamp. Mark your calendars so that you and your family don't miss out!

We want to thank everyone who joined us for our "Camp for a Day" fundraiser to benefit **The Eagle Foundation** last month! Sponsors donated goods and



services, bought a ticket and came to the event, or made a monetary donation. The day was a great success with

over 170 people having fun and raising over \$20,000 for under-privileged children in central NJ! We will continue the fund raiser as an annual event, so if you didn't make it this year, that's okay and hopefully we will see you next fall.

### Project planning for 2026 is underway!

We've already reached out to our electrician to increase the electric service for the Performing Arts Center (seems like a forever project when PSE&G is involved). The PAC will be enclosed over the next couple of years so that we can provide more air conditioned space for our campers. Barry is also adding another Misting Fan to help us cool off down by the sports fields.

We are also looking at programmatic changes for 2026. We asked and have requests from our staff and campers! First, our **Fine Arts Program** is going to the next level by combining Arts & Crafts, Ceramics, and Jewelry Making. The projects are being overhauled to challenge the campers who take the Art/Ceramics



electives. Our **Sports Program, Makerspace,** and **Science** also have many new ideas! As always, if your camper would like something added to our camp activities, we want to hear about it! We get some of our best ideas from our campers. Please send them our way so we can add their ideas during our winter planning.

We've had a busy fall season and thank you to all of our returning families who sent new campers our way! We are already reaching capacity due to a heavy enrollment. As a reminder to our families who have not yet enrolled for next year, tuition **rates increase on November 1st.** As always, our 100% refund is available until June 1, 2026. We're also continuing our popular **Friends and Family Referral Program** for 2026. If you refer 5 new campers who enroll, you'll receive one free week of camp! Our Kiddie Kingdom and 1st and 2nd grade groups are filling quickly and we want to make everyone is aware so you don't get closed out

Thank you for your continued support. If you have questions about camp, referrals, or payment plans, please reach out to us at 732-821-9155. Remember you can register and change weeks for any reason until June 1st.

- Barry, Ruth Ann, Hanna, and Katia



**EAGLE'S  
LANDING  
DAY CAMP**



**2026  
Camp  
Calendar**

Week 1 .. June 29 - July 3  
Week 2 .. July 6 - July 10  
Week 3 .. July 13 - July 17  
Week 4 .. July 20 - July 24

Week 5 .. July 27 - July 31  
Week 6 .. Aug 3 - Aug 7  
Week 7 .. Aug 10 - Aug 14  
Week 8 .. Aug 17 - Aug 21

Camp will be closed Friday, July 3

# STAFF SPOTLIGHT

We are excited to announce that we have 2 new Division Leaders this upcoming summer! One is for our littlest campers and one for the oldest campers.

**Julia is our new Division Leader for Kiddie Kingdom Girls!** Julia is a teacher and has been with us for 7 summers, including her last 2 as the Assistant Division Leader for Kiddie Kingdom. Julia started as a



Counselor in Kiddie Kingdom and has never left. Julia has been amazing every year and she is always looking for ways to help staff and campers problem solve. Julia is a great balance with Sara, who oversees Kiddie Kingdom Boys. If you stop by any of our open houses or events (including Pumpkin Palooza), you'll have a chance to meet her and say hi!

**Morgan is the new Division Leader for our Leader-in-Training (rising 9th graders) and Counselor-in-Training (rising 10th graders) (LIT/CIT) Programs.**

Morgan is in the perfect spot, since he was born a true leader. The campers all know him and he is a man of his word. Morgan has been working with our 7/8 Boys Division Leader Mike to create a pipeline for kids in upper camp to get more out of the leadership program. We are working with Morgan to revamp the LIT/CIT program for this upcoming summer. Morgan will be working with the LITs and CITs to talk about what it means to have a job, financial literacy, volunteering, and giving back. In addition, we're hoping to kick off the summer with a special retreat (more details to follow...). Morgan was in college to be a physician, but realized that his true love is working with kids. He is currently working in the South Brunswick school district.



## CAMP XTOBER

We think the month of October should have a name change to **CAMPTOBER!** We're hoping to see you at our Pumpkin Palooza on October 19. You do not have to be registered for 2026 to attend. Bring your kids to camp and have fun, free of charge! There will be a pick-your-own pumpkin patch, pumpkin chucking & decorating, camp tours, and projects to bring home! Come see your camp friends, make a s'more on the campfire, and have fun on our obstacle course.

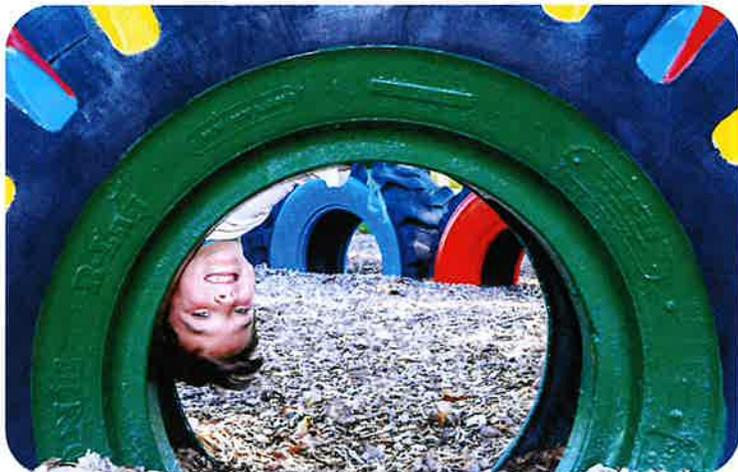
We will be collecting donations for our 501c3 non-profit charity, The Eagle Foundation. The Eagle Foundation is dedicated to raising funds to provide underprivileged children with the social and emotional benefits of summer camp. Donations can be accepted via cash, credit card, or venmo.

This year we have a new "limited edition" Eagle's Landing shirt **ONLY** for enrolled campers who attend the event, while they last. If you are an enrolled family and you bring a new family, we have some additional swag for you! Remember, you can earn a free week of camp if you refer 5 new campers who enroll! Rates increase November 1st so sign up TODAY. We hope to see you there!

## NOW HIRING FOR NEXT SUMMER

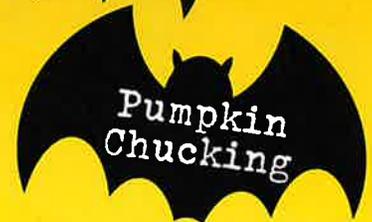
We need your help! As our camp continues to grow, we are always looking for great staff. Who better to ask than our camp families! Do you know a mom, dad, or grandparent who would like a job for only 39 days? A job where you have fun without working evenings or weekends? You'll get paid for the summer and get free or reduced tuition for your kids or grandkids. Working at camp may be for you or for someone you know.

We are currently hiring for Nurses, Aquatics, Sports, Ropes, Science, Makerspace, Maintenance, and Kitchen Staff. If you know of anyone who may be interested please have them contact Ruth Ann at [RuthAnn@EaglesLandingDayCamp.com](mailto:RuthAnn@EaglesLandingDayCamp.com) or call 732-821-9155.



# HALLOWEEN PUMPKIN PALOOZA

Sunday, October 19, 11-3pm



## THE CAMP STORE

Did you know we have a camp store? We have a large variety of ELDC swag for our campers and staff. You can order direct and get shipments right to your door.

As always, we will provide a free camp t-shirt for every camper on picture day. However, we get inquiries for additional items such as sweatshirts, pajama pants, hats, and long sleeve t-shirts. The store is online at [EaglesLandingDayCamp.com](http://EaglesLandingDayCamp.com) so you can get ELDC swag in time for the holidays.

## Have your next outdoor event at Eagle's Landing!

If you haven't heard, our weekend outdoor picnic business is BOOMING! A corporate picnic, school picnic, or family reunion at Eagle's Landing is the perfect opportunity for you and your guests to relax, refresh, and have fun! Our professional staff will take care of all the details and organize your day whether you invite 100 or 1,000 guests. Book now for 2026! Email Katia at [Katia@EaglesLandingDayCamp.com](mailto:Katia@EaglesLandingDayCamp.com) for more info.





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