

Summer 2021 - The Most Phenomenal Summers of Our Lives!

We celebrated our 70th summer at
Kamp Kiwanis!

We welcomed over 420 kampers and
leadership participants to Kamp
Kiwanis between July 12 and Aug 20.

We were so grateful to have brought
the joys of Kamp to this many children
and youth in Calgary and Area after
many experienced challenging times
over the course of the pandemic.

Activities included arts and crafts,
canoeing, campfires, outtrips, river
crossing and wide games. Themes
included Hotel Transylvania,
Spongebob, The Princess Bride, Scooby
Doo, Napoleon Dynamite and
Nickelodeon

We're sure it's a summer we'll
remember for years to come!

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The Peanut Gallery



2021 Summer Staff



Kamp Kitty Luci



A "Fun Guy?"



Cochrane Labour Day Parade

Hike A Kid To Kamp



This Spring we launched Hike A Kid to Kamp encouraging people to get out hiking while encouraging others to support Kamp Kiwanis by donating through Shaw Birdies for Kids presented by AltaLink (BFK).

While we envisioned the program to raise funds for kids to attend summer Kamp and to encourage people to be active outdoors, we did not anticipate the impact it would have on those who were hiking kids to Kamp. We are so grateful to Rebecca, a.k.a. Ptarmigan, for sharing your hiking journey with us:

Participation in Kamp Kiwanis' Hike a Kid to Kamp was a no brainer for me! As a young city kid the mountains were something way out there on the horizon and hiking them was never on my radar; until I went to camp. Through my camp experiences I not only learned the hard skills it takes to adventure safely in the wilderness but also the soft skills it takes to get along in life. Now as an adult I stand on the tops of mountains and conquer the physical and mental challenges that it brings. My 100km goal seemed unattainable but as the donations came in, I felt called to choose harder, longer, and more advanced hikes. I am now going places I never thought I could and with that comes confidence and a strong connection and relationship with the mountains. Every city kid deserves a chance to feel this free, to overcome fears, to challenge their perceptions of themselves and to be inspired by their experiences at Kamp Kiwanis.



Great Canadian Giving Challenge

The Great Canadian Giving Challenge ran for the month of June. During this time, Kamp Kiwanis received over \$3,100 in donations through Canada Helps. We are grateful for all our awesome donors who help us empower youth to explore, think critically, connect with their communities and to make the most of life for themselves and others.



Kiwanis Apple Festival

The 7th Annual Kiwanis Apple Festival will be held on September 25 & 26, 2021 at Kamp Kiwanis. This year the free, pre-registered event will feature apple juice pressing, archery, crafts, canoeing, cultural presentations, live entertainment, a market and online silent auction in support of Kamp Kiwanis. Registration link at [kiwanisapplefestival.org](https://www.kiwanisapplefestival.org). To volunteer, please email info@kiwanisapplefestival.org



Upcoming Dates

- **Sept 7 - Fall 2021 Staff Begin**
- **September 2021 - Fall Outdoor School Begins**
- **September 25-26 - Kiwanis Apple Festival**

You are welcome to send us your feedback or potential contributions to our newsletter at community@kampkiwanis.ca



THE 7TH ANNUAL

Kiwaniis Apple Festival

www.kiwanisapplefestival.org

APPLE
ACTIVITIES

LIVE
MUSIC

FOOD
TRUCKS



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PRESSING

CULTURAL
ACTIVITIES

MARKET
PLACE

SEPTEMBER 25 & 26, 2021

9am-4pm Daily  Free Admission

PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED AT
KIWANISAPPLEFESTIVAL.ORG

RAIN, SHINE OR SNOW, IT'S A GO!

AT KAMP KIWANIS

241001 RANGE ROAD 42 CALGARY, AB T3Z 2X5

AT HWY 8 & 22 (WEST SIDE OF TRAFFIC CIRCLE)

Part Of

Alberta Culture Days
September 2021

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All net revenue in support of
Kamp Kiwanis to give
underprivileged children
a summer camp experience.

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