



Winter 2023-2024

In December we held the Winter Reunion for Summer 2023 Kampers and Staff out at Camp Horizon. We had over 80 Kampers attend over the 2 days. We enjoyed all the fun in the mild weather including activities such as arts and crafts, snow sculpture, games, campfire, winter walks and more! Thank you so much to all of the staff and volunteers who made this such a memorable weekend. Thank you so much to our donors who supported this weekend. We raised \$7,633 specifically through our CanadaHelps Send a Kid to Winter Reunion campaign.

In late January, our membership committee hosted a Winter Party at Bowness Park for members, staff alumni and their family and friends. We enjoyed hot chocolate, s'mores and great conversation around the campfire. Some guests even participated in crokicurl and skating. Many thanks to our membership committee for organizing a fun afternoon and an opportunity to gather together in the off-season. If you are interested in becoming a member and supporting Kamp Kiwanis through volunteer initiatives, please contact membership.committee@kampkiwanis.ca

Issue Highlights:

- Winter 2023-2024
- New Assistant Director
- Send a Kid to Kamp
- Kamp Kiwanis is on YouTube
- Make It Monthly
- Upcoming Dates

The Peanut Gallery



New Assistant Director

In late 2023 Coire (pronounced COR-ee) “Fox” Sneddon accepted the position of Assistant Director. In January Fox worked part time to help recruit our Spring and Summer Staff and started officially on February 12th, 2024.

Fox first began his adventures at Kamp in 2017 as a “gapper” from Australia. You might know him from one of his previously held roles at Kamp as Counsellor, Outdoor Program Leader or Leadership Coordinator.

When Fox was back in Australia he studied Animation and Game Design, Conservation and Land Management. Another interesting fact about Fox is he can't burp!

Fox is most excited about meeting all of the new staff and reuniting with the returning staff. Fox loves Kamp for its ability to bring people together and to foster a sense of community. To him it has always felt like a welcoming space and he hopes to continue nurturing this feeling.

You can check out Fox's full bio on our website.



Send a Kid to Camp

Send a Kid to Kamp

Your donation of \$117 will provide a day of camp for 1 child



Help empower youth to explore, think critically, connect with their communities, and to make the most of life for themselves and others.



Any donation amount welcomed ❤️



To Donate:

← Scan the QR code or go to <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/charities/kamp-kiwanis/campaign/send-a-kid-to-kamp/>

Kamp Kiwanis YouTube



Did you know that Kamp Kiwanis has a YouTube Channel?

We've got videos of your favourite Kamp Songs, episodes of Kampers Korner with songs, stories, crafts, fun challenges and more!

Go to www.youtube.com/@kampkiwanis8473 and subscribe today!

Make it Monthly

Make it a Kamper's Dozen and Donate Monthly

From March 1-31st, 2024, make a new monthly gift of \$20 or more through CanadaHelps, and CanadaHelps will make a one-time extra \$20 donation or an additional \$10 for existing monthly donations increased by \$10*



*Terms and Conditions Apply



For the Month of March, make a new monthly gift of \$20 or more through CanadaHelps and CanadaHelps will make a one-time extra \$20 donation or an additional \$10 for existing monthly donations increased by \$10.*

Make your monthly gift to Kamp Kiwanis at <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/dn/8819> or visit your CanadaHelps account to increase your monthly gift to Kamp Kiwanis by \$10.

Suggested Monthly Gifts:

- \$59/month** = A summer camp experience
- \$32/month** = Fun camp programming
- \$28/month** = An outdoor school experience
- \$22/month** = Nutritious meals

*Visit <https://www.canadahelps.org/en/make-it-monthly-terms-and-conditions> for Terms and Conditions

St. Patrick's Day **NATURE ACTIVITY IDEAS**



- Go on an "All Things Green" Scavenger Hunt
- Wear something green & play camouflage
- Find and sketch as many "evergreens" as you can
- Make a Celtic maze using sticks 
- Go on a hike searching for leprechauns, rainbows and maybe even gold! 

EARTH HOUR

"lights off" & "give an hour for Earth"



March 23
8:30-9:30pm

Upcoming Dates

- March 11 - Outdoor School Programs Begin**
- April - Summer Camp Nomination Forms Available**
- July 3 - Summer Camps Begin**

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