

Kamp Kiwanis Newsletter
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Winter Reunion 2019

On December 14, 2019 we hosted our Winter Reunion for 2019 summer camp participants and staff. We had 160 participants and staff attend the day which included activities such as arts and crafts, games court games, sledding, snowshoeing, campfire, a festive lunch and visit from Santa. It was great day and everyone went home with more fun memories of Kamp!

THE WOOD KOOKIE

Many thanks to all of our Kiwanis volunteers who helped serve the lunch, staff and leadership participants who volunteered to help lead the day, the Kamp Kitchen Staff for providing a delicious lunch, Moose Mountain General Store in Bragg Creek for sponsoring gifts and, of course, Santa for making time during his busy schedule.

Spring 2020

Spring 2020 Programs have started! We are excited to welcome 3 new Lattitude Global Volunteers aka "Gappers" to our team from New Zealand. The SEEDS Connections Program runs Mar 9-13 and Outdoor School begins March 16.

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The Peanut Gallery



Summer Kamp 2020 What's New?

We are looking forward to Summer Kamp 2020, our 69th year. This year we will run six sessions of 6-day overnight summer camps for students in grade 4-6 beginning on July 5, 2020. We will also be running 5 different leadership programs this summer for students in grades 7-12. All grade 4-6 camps are fully subsidized and there is subsidy available for leadership programs.

New this year is the SITES Program (future Staff In Training for Excellence) for students in grades 11 and 12. Participants in the SITES program will experience more in depth skill sessions in working with children (using KITES as the foundation), where they will learn about activity development and execution. Participants will experience placements with cabins, as well as, placements with senior staff members in various program areas at Kamp and contribute to behind-the-scenes work. They will further develop their campfire program skills and be involved in a variety of personal and group development sessions. Participants will be expected to organize and lead(under supervision) various activities around Kamp with individual cabins, as well as, larger groups.

Nomination forms for all summer programs will be available in April, with a submission deadline in May.

For more information on our Summer Camps and Leadership Programs please visit our website at kampkiwanis.ca

Please also visit our blog at https://www.kampkiwanis.ca/blog for ongoing articles. You are welcome to send us your feedback or potential contributions to our newsletter at community@kampkiwanis.ca

Shaw Birdies for Kids Presented by AltaLink



Kamp Kiwanis is proud to be a participating charity in Shaw Birdies for Kids presented by AltaLink (BFK) in 2020.

BFK is a non-profit program run under the Shaw Charity Classic Foundation. 100% of donations made through BFK on behalf of Kamp Kiwanis will go directly to Kamp Kiwanis. Donations will be matched up to 50%, with funds going directly to Kamp Kiwanis, making your donation go even further!

The program donation period runs from February 1 - August 30, 2020. To donate: to https://shawcharityclassic.com/donatenow

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON THE SHAW CHARITY CLASSIC AND BIRDIES FOR KIDS: https://shawcharityclassic.com/

Upcoming Dates Mar 9-13 - SEEDS Connections Mar 16 - Spring Outdoor School Begins April - Kamp Nomination Forms Available