

BELLY FLOP WINNER CROWNED!

JUNIOR CAMP MUSICAL SHOWCASES THE SEVENTIES!



Remember platform shoes, bell bottoms, lava lamps, pet rocks and pong (also known as prehistoric Nintendo)? A lot of our camp parents were either not born yet (!) or were too young to even remember the crazy fads of the 1970s. You'll probably remember the music, however, and it's time to revisit those funky hip days of the 1970's as Nabby's junior campers present their 2018 musical, "Sounds of the Seventies".

The show starts at 10AM and we ask all parents to stay till the very end as the show will only last an hour. The finale will bring EVERYONE waaay back to the 70's both in song and dance. Our music director, Lee, will lead a "Sweet Caroline" sing-a-long and the LIT's will demonstrate the "Hustle" and encourage all the parents to join in! Certainly worth the price of admission!

THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF PARKING ON OUR UPPER FIELD. GATES WILL OPEN AT 9:30AM TO ALLOW TIME TO PARK AND GET TO YOUR SEATS AT THE NABBY STAGE.

SR. CAMP COUNSELORS VICTORIOUS!

The Sr. Camp counselors retained the trophy in the Frank Bertino Memorial softball game this week. Despite the sliding catch with an over the shoulder ball flip by Julia from Bates for the Jr. Camp, the Sr. Camp counselors had too many big hitters and defensive standouts and overpowered their junior counterparts by a 37-24 score. The only injury during the game happened when Mike from Penn hit a hard line drive off of Director Joe's calf, which he promptly fielded, threw to first and called Mike out! Lesson to be learned...if you want to reach first safely, DO NOT hit the camp director in the leg.



UPCOMING EVENTS!

Week of August 13th - 16th

Monday and Tuesday, Aug 13th & 14th SR. CAMP COLOR WAR FINALS

> Wednesday, Aug 15th JR. CAMP MUSICAL 10AM

SPACE INVADERS (SR. CAMP)

Thursday, Aug 16th COUNSELOR TALENT SHOW

Friday, Aug 17th NO CAMP...Sleep in!

CAMP DATES FOR 2019 Thursday, June 27th - Thursday, August 22nd No camp on July 4th and 5th

Information for 2019 registration will be sent out in the next few weeks. Early bird discount for registering before November 1st!

STEVE MAX HERE FOR THE 23rd YEAR!

Despite the thunder, lightning and monsoon-like storm last Friday afternoon, Steve Max stood on the Nabby stage and entertained the campers and staff with his fun filled Simon Sez show. Always a crowd favorite, Steve emphasised the importance of listening with his fast paced Simon Sez voice commands that rarely matched his actual actions. Counselors and campers alike were constantly fooled but yet had a great time laughing while the rain just kept coming down!



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BELLY FLOP COMPETITION WOWS CAMPERS!

One of Nabby's most anticipated events was held this week...the annual Counselor Belly Flop competition! With campers sitting around the pool, chanting "belly flop, belly flop,", 32 brave counselors took to the diving board and attempted their best belly flop. Our distinguished panel of judges determined the top five (Chris from tennis, Kayla from Wells, Mike from Penn, Matt from swim and Jamie from swim). Good news, bad news for these five...they moved into the second round of flops but they had to flop AGAIN! The semis produced a tie for the top spot between Matt and Chris. They both then went to the final round, flopped AGAIN(!), and the campers, by their applause, selected Matt as their 2018 Belly Flop Champion!





Matt from swim with the winning flop!



Chris from tennis with his second place flop!



The only female in the semi finals...Kayla!

As a side note to the Belly Flop contest, it's also a Nabby tradition that Assistant Director Matt wear a different hat for every contestant he introduces! Here's just a few of Matt's collection









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Nabby's annual carnival provided games, prizes, laughter and even physical fitness to the Nabby campers! The senior camp groups, LITs, CITs, Art Shack, Aerial Adventure and tennis all had booths or games for the entire camp to enjoy. Awards were handed out to the following groups for outstanding booths:

Most Original - Williams for their Fortnight booth

Best Decorated - Jackson for their Photo booth

Most Popular - Duke for their Physical Fitness booth













Williams Fortnight Booth

WHO RULES THE WORLD? GIRLS!

At Duke's Fitness Booth, two Nabby campers held the afternoon's fitness records. Kylie Saccente held a plank for 12 minutes and Eva Wilkerson did 100 push-ups!!! Wow...just WOW!











Matt had so many hat changes, he needed Griffin from Duke to be his wardrobe valet.

LIP SYNC FINALS SET!

Another counselor lip sync semi final took place this week to determine the second contestant for next Monday's finals. Nico, from Dartmouth, started out the competition with the feel good, sing-a-long Justin Timberlake song, "Can't Stop the Feeling". He ran through the audience and high fived campers who were clapping along with the music.

The second contestant was Maureen (Mo) from Jackson and, along with her assistant counselor, Jordyn, performed the ever popular "SpongeBob SquarePants" theme song. Most of the campers knew every word, which was probably the deciding factor in this round. After TWO rounds of voting (it was that close!), Maureen earned a spot in the finals against David from swim. Next Monday's contest will decide the winner of the Golden Microphone trophy!



PIRATES WALK THE PLANK AT NABBY! Pirate Day at Nabby is arrrgggueably one of the campers favorite dress up days! For morning announcements, the entire camp marched into the pool accompanied by music from Pirates of the Caribbean. Once there, they surrounded the pool and watched the LITs participate in a scavenger hunt looking for particular pirate items in the crowd. The LIT that returned to the diving board without the item was then forced to WALK THE PLANK to the delight of the cheering campers! The last two LITs remaining, (Kieran and Jeremy), then had to jump into water Corcls (you can Google it!) and race to find the Nabby treasure at the end of the pool. After encountering the fierce pirate Jake who was trying to hide the treasure, LIT Kieran fought his way to securing the chest full of gold to declare a Pirate Day victory!











YUM YUM!!!

Ranger Rick had a special week for the campers...Roasting S'Mores over the campfire!!!



CUBBIES CAUGHT NOODLING AROUND IN THE MIDDLE POOL!

This week some of our youngest campers, our 3 & 4 year old Cubs, got to experience swimming in the middle pool and loved it!!!



NABBY BEAR GOES DOWNSTREAM!

After last Friday's torrential downpour during the Steve Max show, the brook that runs past the junior basketball courts was really overflowing! So much so that the Nabby bear that stood along its bank was swept away! Even the fish that the bear was holding broke off and took its own path downstream. But, lifeguard Jamie (yes, the same one who rescued the missing tooth last week), was able to jump in and demonstrate his lifesaving skills on our floating bear and runaway fish!

Fernando and Guillermo are shown preparing the bear and his fish for its rightful spot by the brook. Not only are Fernando and Guillermo bear fixer uppers, but they are Nabby's full time maintenance men. They do an incredible job of keeping the campus in the beautiful condition the campers and staff get to enjoy every summer.





Happy 40th birthday to camp nurse Christine! Who can refuse Carvel ice cream cake???

CUBS

We enjoyed the Carnival this week. We played games, we enjoyed winning prizes, and we loved cooling off with "Rita's" cherry and lemon ices.

SMITH

We loved making and eating the scrumptious S'more's at Nature! Sooooo good!

CORNELL

We are the "Dancing Queens" and we are ready for the show next week. Can you say Grammy?!

VASSAR

We were thrilled to try on our costumes for the Music Show. Wait until you hear our song!

SKIDMORE

We had a fun filled week of making S'more's and winning prizes at the Carnival.

WELLS

The Carnival was absolutely our most favorite thing we did this week. The best prize was the Duck Whistle. A lot of "Quacking" could be heard throughout the bunk.

BATES

We had a blast at Senior Super Fun Day!

BYRN MAWR

Our booth was a hit at the Carnival. It was called Lucky Duck. If you had a star on the bottom of the duck you won a prize.

BARNARD

We all cheered on Maggie, our counselor, at the Belly Flop Contest.

RADCLIFFE/DOUGLAS

We had so much fun watching all the campers come to our Radcliffe Ring Toss Booth and our Douglas Mini Golf Booth.

JACKSON

We put our Instagram talents to use by creating a "Photo Booth" for Carnival Day. We won the award for the 'Best Decorated Booth'. #wonagain

YALE

We had so much fun playing "popcorn chicken" with the giant parachute. The chicken kept on going up and down!

PRINCETON

Every week we are increasing our Runs and Holes in One. We are up to 210 Runs and 79 Holes in One! Go Princeton!!!

HARVARD

We loved being in the 'super bouncy castles' in the pool on Super Fun Day.

BROWN

We have been celebrating lots of birthdays this week and have been sharing some sweet treats. Happy Birthday Boys!

DARTMOUTH

We came up with the "Digging Ducks Game Booth" on Carnival Day. We had so many winners. We also received a lot of prizes by playing games at the different booths.

WILLIAMS

We are working on the song for the Junior Camp Music Show and we are glad that "schools out for the summer".

COLUMBIA

This week was such a great week for us. We cheered and laughed a great deal during the Belly Flop Contest. Our favorite sport just has to be tennis. Carnival Day was a hit and Senior Super Fun Day was spectacular.

DUKE

We are proud of ourselves for winning for the "Most Popular Booth" at the Carnival. Go Duke!

TULANE

At Camp Nabby we are always Rocking; we can't wait to see whose "Belly Flopping".

PENN

We reinvented the wheel by creating a new game called Tchoukball. What a fun and challenging game!

