

DADDY DODGEBALL - JULY 25TH!!!

CALLING ALL DADS!!!

Daddy Dodgeball is coming to Nabby on Tuesday, July 25th at 7PM! So Dads, get your throwing arm ready and your dodging skills updated as this night is all about you! Dodgeball is one of Nabby's most popular games and each year our Daddy Dodgeball takes it to the next level! Played in our covered senior basketball court, our Nabby dads get to enjoy the camp experience, meet other dads and have a really fun night!

ARTS AND CRAFTS

The Nabby Art Shack is a colorful, creative and busy place on campus! Headed by Haley O'Connell and assisted by Angela, Tara, Violet and Avery, the Arts and Crafts department is always a beehive of activity. From Pirate Day under water paintings to Tie Dye Day dyed T shirts, the Art Shack finds projects to coordinate with various Nabby events. Some crafts coming up for the Jr. Camp include clay pinch pots and sculptures. The Sr. Camp interest periods will also include future clay projects with the making of coil pots.

And parents...for your gardens, the senior interest periods will also be creating exciting stepping stones! And if you see your campers creating box and spiral stitches, it's a result of Lanyard Friday. Every Friday morning, the Art staff is outside handing out lanyard materials to campers lining up at their door!



We love it when our campers grow up at Nabby and stay with us as assistant counselors and then become head counselors! Our head counselor for Arts and Crafts, Haley O'Connell is just one example! So proud to have Haley as part of our Nabby family!







UPCOMING EVENTS

Dates: July 24th - 28th

Monday July 24th

The Magic of Eric

Tuesday, July 25th

Daddy Dodgeball (7PM)

Wednesday, July 26th

The Great Chase Race

Thursday, July 27th Western Day

Friday, July 28th

Photo Day #2

(For campers who were not in camp for the first photo day or for those who want their photo retaken. No group photos will be taken.)

DINOSAURS ROCK!!!

Our junior campers had an eye opening morning at Dinosaurs Rock! Each year, the Dinosaurs Rock program is a huge (pun intended!) success for our younger campers. Not only do they learn about these prehistoric creatures, they actually see the their bones! And those teeth!!!





NABBY SPIRIT WEEK!

Nabby Spirit Week groups were judged by our Arts and Crafts counselors and announced this week at our morning announcements. And the winners are...



BEST PLAQUE: (TIE) SMITH!



BEST PLAQUE: (TIE) DUKE!



BEST CHEER - RADCLIFFE!



BEST BANNER - WILLIAMS!



BEST OVERALL - BRYN MAWR!

COLOR WARS

The third Epic Wednesday Color War event, Predator and Prey, took place this week. Always a Nabby favorite, this year's contest was no exception. Mitch, the head counselor from Duke, was this year's Hawk. All senior campers were divided into red and white insects, frogs and snakes and had to collect food coupons from 16 campus locations without being "eaten" (tagged) by the Hawk or another creature above them in the food chain. Despite the heat, the campers had a great afternoon playing the game, running through the sprinkler, and eating watermelon at the end!

The winner of this year's event was the white insect team #1, led by Marisa, head counselor of Radcliffe. The win gave the white team 1,000 points, and to the red team's 500 points.

The red team is still in the lead for the summer with 2,770 points to the white team's 2,595 points. The white team is narrowing the gap and this year's Color War is going to be very closell!

RED TEAM 2,770 points

WHITE TEAM 2,595 points











MEET NABBY'S LITS

Nabby's LIT program is designed for teens too old to be campers and yet too young, by Dept. of Health standards, to be a counselor-in-training (CIT). Our new leaders-in-training (LIT) program combines camper activities with hands on situational training and experience. It is our hope that our LIT participants will learn what it takes to become a full time CIT and future member of our staff. Mentored by Morgan Blueglass and Sam Stern (who is also our Jr. Camp Program Director), the LITs meet daily to go over program activities and discuss ideas and suggestions to better the process of becoming a future Nabby head counselor. We know these hardworking teens will one day be terrific counselors here at Nabby!





NABBY LIP SYNC

Round 2 of Nabby's Counselor Lip Sync Contest took place this week with two terrific performances. Sofia and Gianna from Music donned black hoodies and lip synced to "Baby" by Justin Bieber and Nico from Williams rocked out and danced to "Forget You" by Celo Green. Once again the audience vote was close, but Nico won this round and will move on in the competition.

***As a side note, Nico isn't known just for his lip sync ability! He stars as Sonny in the Yorktown Stage production of "GREASE" from July 29th - August 6th.

Tickets can be purchased on their website, <u>yorktownstage.org</u>. Let's have our Nabby family support our talented Nico!!!





8 YEARS LATER

What a difference 8 years make! Radcliffe head counselor, Marisa, Music asst. counselor, Gianna, and Aerial Adventure asst. counselor, Alec, recreate their 2009 Predator and Prey photo!

Marisa, Gianna and Alec have grown up here at Nabby. All three were once campers before becoming counselors. We especially love the fact that Marisa still owns the same shirt she wore in the 2009 photo!!!





NABBY'S 5 AND 10 YEAR CAMPERS!!!

Nabby celebrated it's 5 and 10 year campers last week at morning announcements. All 5 year campers received a Nabby shirt, and 10 year campers received a shirt plus a photo to hang on our dining room's Wall of Fame!

Also celebrated were 5 year counselors who received a "going the extra mile" T shirt! We love to see our campers and counselors returning year after year...they're truly a part of our Nabby family!



Nabby's 5 Year Campers...

Top Row: Eva Wilkerson, Lucas Tangredi, Charlie Van Schaick, Emme Skala, Eddie Hylka, Asher Katz, Bryce Jacobs, Alexander Erenberg, Avery Cody

Bottom Row: Natalia Rodriquez, Luke Rubin, Sonia Mukherjee, Carolina Compton, Jordan Gould, Rafael Compton, Dylan Marthaler



Mother and son 5 year counselor/camper duo, Deb and Bryce Jacobs



Nabby's 5 Year Campers... Alexandra Kostik, Logan Meisel, Cole Rothenberg, Ty Schlosberg



Nabby's 5 Year Counselors... Sue Hylka, Rebecca Churchill, Sara Wolf, Morgan Blueglass, Mitch Cohen, Lee Compton, Foster West



Nabby's 10 Year Campers... Grace Fields, Brianna Ocasio, Emma Meisel, Sydnee Del Monte, Logan Baumgartner

CUBS - We showed off for our parents during Visiting Week and we LOVED Dinosaurs Rock!

SMITH - The Smith Girls have been working hard on our soccer skills!

CORNELL - "How low can you go?" Cornell has been learning the Limbo at Music.

VASSAR - We are going ga-ga for Gaga!!

SKIDMORE - The Skidmore Girls are very excited to be learning our song for the Junior Musical!

WELLS - We were the first group to meet the new guinea pigs at Nature!

BATES - The Bates Girls really enjoyed making clay figurines in Arts & Crafts this week.

BRYN MAWR - We are having a blast being creative at the Imagination Playground!

BARNARD - Matt Bertino joined our group on the soccer field with a gigantic soccer ball and played a super fun game of Oversized Soccer with us!

RADCLIFFE - We had a great week showing off for our parents!

DOUGLASS - Our weekly highlight was the nail-biter basketball game we played that came down to the last shot!

JACKSON - We had silly Red vs. White relay races with the Penn boys.

YALE - The boys of Yale kept cool by running underneath the big parachute!

PRINCETON - We are up to 20 holes in one!!

STANFORD - The Stanford Boys had our own Home Run Derby!

HARVARD - We learned a new game called "Bucket Kickball."

BROWN - The Brown Boys are learning Lacrosse!!

WILLIAMS - We have been playing a new game we learned this week: "Man on Mars."

DARTMOUTH - We are so excited for the Junior Camp Olympics next week!

COLUMBIA - The Columbia Group survived our first Predator & Prey Epic Event!

DUKE - Our Head Counselor, Mitch, was the Hawk for Predator & Prey... we are glad to have him back!

TULANE - The Tulane Trains are fans of Foster's Fitness Fridays at the pool!

PENN - "Life moves pretty fast. If you don't stop and take a look around, you might just miss it."

