

# THE NABBY WEEKLY • JULY 18, 2014

# WEEK 3: PARENTS-GET READY FOR A NABBY VISIT!

The very popular **Hollyrock Games** came to Nabby this week. Each year, the campers look forward to this wild afternoon filled with games that pit the boys against the girls in age appropriate trivia questions, a sneaky Simon Says, hula hooping, dancing, a tug of war, and other fun activities - all set to foot stomping music! The Senior Camp boys were victorious in the first show, while the Junior Camp girls pulled out a close win in the second show. The campers love this event so much that we added a parents/family show in the evening. A great time was had by all who attended...even the Dads and Moms that volunteered to do push-ups and jumping jacks!



Sr. Camp Hollyrock Games



Moms doing jumping jacks!

# **COMING EVENTS - WEEK OF JULY 21ST:**

Monday thru Friday - Parents Visiting Week!

Monday - Mustache Monday

Wednesday - Gem Stone Dig (Jr. Camp)

Wednesday - Predator and Prey (Sr. Camp)

Friday - Team Jersey Day

#### **PARENTS VISITING WEEK**

The week of July 21st is parents visiting week at Nabby. Parents are asked to choose ONE morning for their family's visit between 9:30AM and 12 Noon. Because parking is limited in the front of the camp, parents are encouraged to park in one of our two back parking lots (take a right at the fork). If you choose to park in the front of camp, please be considerate of our neighbors and do not block their driveways. Cars must park on the RIGHT side of the road only. Yorktown Police will ticket cars parked on the left (Tamarac is a two way street). Dress comfortably and enjoy your visit!



Dads getting ready for push-ups.

# **TENNIS AT NABBY!**



Tennis started out fast this summer and picked up speed from there! Joining Dave and Carly this year are Joe and Jake - making the tennis staff the strongest ever, which means a far greater ability to reach even more campers. Starting with Jr. Tennis, we are in our fourth year of the USTA 10 and under program. We run four courts with nets, racquets and balls all sized appropriately for the younger campers. It's been a great success in introducing the sport of tennis to this age group. We are also seeing a definite increase this summer in tennis participation. A big reason for this has been that the campers received a great start in the 10 and under instruction and progressed right into the older classes because of the consistency of the program. Head Counselor Dave says, "It's very exciting for me as a teacher and coach to see the kids grow as we continue to lay the foundation for a strong game, year after year. What we've tried to do is find the right combination of playing games (fun) and the teaching (learning) parts. The kids are finally beginning to see that by improving their skills at tennis, the sport becomes even more fun. As a teacher I see dramatic improvement week to week and with the classes becoming bigger and bigger for special interest periods, it lets me know the kids are having fun." Having the ability to get first rate instruction in a lifetime sport and possibly meet lifelong friends...well, it just doesn't get any better than that.



# WACKY SNACKY WEDNESDAYS

The kitchen's Wacky Snacky Wednesday offering for this week was this yummy sunflower! Grapes and cheese served with crackers!



### **PIZZA FRIDAY!**



On our first Nabby Pizza Friday, 138 pizzas were delivered to camp! If you're of a doubtful nature and try counting these boxes, I'll just say a lot were disposed of before we decided to build this monument to pizzadom!!!



When people visit Camp Nabby, we receive a lot of compliments on how beautiful and clean our campgrounds are kept. The two hardworking gentlemen responsible for making Nabby look fantastic are **Fernando and Guillermo**. Always with an "I'll do it for you" attitude, they take pride in their work and it shows!

#### **BARNARD**

The girls of Barnard showed all the charm and poise of super stars for Spirit Week! It's no wonder they named themselves the Barnard Classics! They've had a great time with Counselors Elyse and Michelle this summer... you can see it in their smiling faces!

#### Favorite Nabby Activity -

Gaga, Dodgeball, Rock Wall, Arts & Crafts, Bounce Pillow, Nature...well, pretty much EVERYTHING!!!

#### Favorite School Subject -

Reading, Science, Math & Lunch!

### Favorite Movie -

Frozen, Princess Twin, Despicable Me, Legally Blond

#### Favorite Girl Band -

Little Mix, Fifth Harmony

# Favorite Pop Star -

One Direction, Queen, Idina Menzel

#### Favorite Song -

Let It Go, Classic

# Favorite Healthy Snack -

Watermelon, Blueberries

#### Favorite Junk Food -

Ice Cream, Cheetos, Jolly Ranchers

# Favorite Pro Team -

NY Giants, Yankees

#### Favorite Sports -

Swimming, Softball, Soccer

#### Favorite Movie Star -

John Travolta, Tom Cruise, Emma Watson, Adam Sandler



#### **BROWN**

The boys of Brown took the stage for Spirit Week and stated their love for all things brown including the color brown and, of course, brownies! The boys were very entertaining and when interviewed for the Nabby News, their enthusiasm for camp Nabby and all questions asked was overwhelming!

#### Favorite Nabby Activity -

Dodgeball, Baseball, Hockey, Gaga

### Favorite Movie -

Ice Age, Lego Movie, Wall-E, Star Wars

#### Favorite TV Show -

Breadwinners, The Clone Wars

#### Favorite Pop Group -

Grateful Dead (whoa!), One Direction, Beatles, Maroon 5

#### Favorite Junk Food -

Italian Ice, Marble Cake, Donuts, Gummies

#### Favorite Healthy Snack -

Watermelon, Strawberries, Apples

#### Favorite Athlete -

Jackie Robinson, Michael Jordan, Derek Jeter, Babe Ruth

#### Favorite Team -

Knicks, Yankees, Cavs, Bulls, Rangers, Canadians

Favorite Thing About Counselors Dan, Dean, Jon, and Dylan - When they give out silly nicknames!

### Favorite Superhero -

Hulk, Superman, Nightwing

#### Favorite Super Power -

Shooting Rays, Mind Control, Eye Lasers



# **COLBY**

The Colby Cupcakes are as sweet at their Spirit Week mascot, the cupcake! This group of girls gave a fantastic performance up on stage and were very excited to share their favorite things with the Nabby News.

# Favorite Nabby Activity -

Swimming, Nature, Bounce Pillow and Snack

Favorite Movie - Frozen, Hotel Transylvania, Parent Trap

Favorite TV Show - Spongebob, Sam & Kat

#### Favorite Junk Food -

Lollipops, Jellybeans, Chocolate, S'Mores (what - no cupcakes???)

#### Favorite Thing About Their Counselors -

When Amanda, Sam and Fiona bounce with them on the Bounce Pillow

# Favorite Song -

Let It Go, Fireworks, Do You Want To Build A Snowman?

#### Favorite Cartoon Character -

Elsa, Spongebob, Minnie Mouse, Olaf

Favorite Super Hero - Batman, Spidergirl

If They Had A SuperPower - Turn things to ice, Flying

Favorite Cupcake Flavor - Strawberry, Chocolate

Favorite Color - Pink, Turquoise, Red, Purple

Favorite Princess - Elsa, Cinderella, Anna, Ariel

#### **COLUMBIA**

The Columbia Cougars have had a very active and athletic summer. The boys can be seen having fun whether on the ball fields, in the pool, on the climbing wall, or on the basketball court. Counselors Ron, Ian and Kyle keep them busy and smiling! Let's see what really makes them tick...

#### Favorite Nabby Activity -

Baseball, soccer, archery, dodgeball, basketball

# Favorite Counselor Moment -

Watching Ron compete in the counselor Belly Flop Contest!

#### Favorite Pro Team -

YANKEES, YANKEES, YANKEES!!!

Favorite Junk Food - Pizza, Candy

#### Favorite Healthy Snack -

Yogurt, Apples, Bananas

#### Favorite Movie -

Field of Dreams, Dodgeball, 22 Jump Street

#### Favorite Super Power -

Flying, Speed (maybe around the bases?)

### Favorite Pop Star -

Justin Timberlake, Adam Levine, Olly Murs, NOT Justin Beiber!

#### Favorite Song -

Not A Bad Thing, Wiggle, It's Time

#### Favorite TV Show -

Spongebob, Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles



# **New NABBY Riddle of the Week:**

Who was the last President to NOT have a college degree?

Last week's riddle: How many ways can you make change for a dollar? Answer: 293 (WOW!)