

NABBY NEWS



WEEK 2 - JULY 9TH, 2021

WACKY SOCKS & PHOTOS BRING ALL THE SMILES!

WACKY SOCKS DAY BRINGS THE FUN!

What do unicorns, The Simpsons, Cheetos, superheroes and monsters have in common? They were the featured stars on many of the wacky socks our campers and counselors wore to camp on Tuesday! Every summer we feature a variety of Theme Days to allow our campers and counselors some creative expression, and Wacky Socks Day never disappoints! We loved seeing all the fun, colorful socks throughout camp and can hardly wait to see what our campers have in store for our next theme day...School Pride Day on July 20.



THE WEEK AHEAD...

WEEK OF JULY 12-16

MONDAY-FRIDAY, JULY 12-16

SPIRIT WEEK!!!

Each group gets to show their camp spirit at morning announcements!

WEDNESDAY, JULY 14

HOLLYROCK GAMES!

An exciting quiz show pitting the boys vs the girls!

* BE SURE TO CHECK YOUR NABBY CALENDAR THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER FOR MORE FUN EVENTS

MEET THE OFFICE TEAM

While Dunder Mifflin might be the most well-known, no "Office" is better at what they do than the team at Nabby!

The Nabby office is active from early morning through the end of the day with parent correspondence, counselor communication and camper care. Working behind the scenes alongside Joe & Rita are three incredible women who do so much to keep our Nabby community safe and happy.



Ruth Schlosberg came to Nabby in the summer of 2013 and loved it so much that she stayed in the office year round, becoming a valuable member of the leadership team. Ruth is now an assistant director and handles camper enrollment, billing, parent communication and so much more! If you have any day-to-day questions, Ruth is here to help you! Ruth attended West Virginia University, which turned out to be a pretty good decision as she met her husband there and has been married for 21 years. Ruth has two boys who attend Yorktown schools and the younger of the two, Ty, will undoubtedly, one day, be the Nabby counselor Belly Flop Champion! Ruth's guilty pleasures are Madonna concerts, reality TV and peanut butter!

Nabby is very fortunate to have TWO nurses on staff focused on the health and well-being of all campers. Christine Cody has been at Nabby for 13 years and has single handedly given out more band-aids during a summer than humanly possible. Christine received her RN degree from SUNY Binghamton and works as the nurse for Buchanan Verplank Elementary during the school year. Christine and her husband have two children and when she's not at Nabby or at school, you might find her cheering for her son at the hockey rink or attending her daughter's many dance recitals! Her guilty pleasures are being a hockey and dance Mom.

Gina Fitzsimons has been with Nabby for two summers and is one very busy lady! She received her RN degree from Westchester Community College and during the school year, she's the nurse at Peekskill Elementary school. Gina and her husband have four children here at Nabby and yet finds the time to teach a yoga class at the Yoga Heights Studio in Yorktown. Although she's an advocate for healthy eating, we did find out that her guilty pleasure is cookies!

NABBY TENNIS SERVES UP AN ACE!

The Italian Open. The French Open. Wimbledon and now Nabby!

The summer tennis calendar has officially begun and our campers are loving their time on our three Nabby courts. Interest in tennis here at camp has grown year over year due to the introduction of the Under 10 Tennis Program some years ago. Junior Campers in the second grade and above are taught basic skills on smaller courts with age appropriate racquets and then, as third graders, have the option to choose tennis as an interest period. Senior campers have tennis instruction every morning and can also choose tennis as an interest period each week.

Head counselor Dave Graham has years of playing and teaching experience and not only instructs campers in proper skills, but also makes the sport fun and entertaining. Dave has been at Nabby for 10 years and played collegiate tennis at Boise State where he won the Big Sky Championship in both singles and doubles and is currently a high school tennis coach in Northern California during the school year. "My goal for the campers is to introduce them to a life time sport in a positive way. I enjoy seeing the smile on their faces each time they successfully accomplish a new skill."

Dave is assisted by Jack Fields, a sophomore at Penn State. Jack has been a Nabby camper since he was a Cub (!) and has been a counselor for 4 years. Also assisting in tennis is Tyler Magnus, a Hendrick Hudson high school senior who has played varsity tennis for the Sailors since he was in the 7th grade.

The CIT helper is Alec Tangredi, who also attends Hendrick Hudson High School and has been a Nabby Camper for 8 years.



CAPTURE THE FLAG RETURNS WITH AN EPIC MATCH!



Epic competitions are back at Nabby this summer for our senior campers and Capture the Flag, a Nabby tradition, started the fun on Wednesday afternoon. Campers were divided into Red and White teams (Nabby colors) and earned points throughout the competition for capturing their opponent "flags" and carrying them across to their side. Three-legged teams made the game extra fun and challenging for our campers who had to quickly learn the fine art of tandem running! Counselors Sam Leader (Douglass) and Connor Burton (Penn) led the Red team vs. Maddie Deegan (Jackson) and Eric Gaccione (Tulane) for the White team. Despite the Red team's rousing "I believe that we will win" chant to start the game, the White team held on for the oh-so-close victory 840 to 795.

Kudos to Duke camper Jason Bybel who scored 4 times for the winning team! Winning captain Eric recalled, "I was honored to be Captain - it's a big deal here at Nabby and I was very proud of our team and my co-captain Maddie for doing what it took to win". Maddie had a similar message, "I was also so excited and had a lot of fun with the team. All the kids played very hard".

After the game, the entire Senior camp enjoyed watermelon together and cooled off in the pool at free swim. The perfect ending to a simply epic afternoon!



WACKY GROUP PHOTOS

In addition to your campers group and individual portrait taken today, we like to have some fun with a “wacky” photo for each group! Enjoy the laughs!!!



CUBS



PUPS



SMITH



CORNELL



VASSAR



SKIDMORE

WACKY GROUP PHOTOS



WELLS



BATES



BRYN MAWR



BARNARD



RADCLIFFE



DOUGLASS

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JACKSON



YALE



COLGATE



PRINCETON



STANFORD



BROWN

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HARVARD



TUFTS



DARTMOUTH



WILLIAMS



COLUMBIA



DUKE

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TULANE



PENN

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