

Melia vous summer Sumalis

Welcome to 2009!

We wish you all a very Happy New Year! We are excited about the next chapter in Foley history, and as we celebrate our 85th summer, we hope that you help us to continue to spread the spirit of Foley to the next generation of Foley Campers!

We have lots of new things slated for this summer. Here is a sneak peek at some of the things that we are working on!



Revamped Paintball Courses

Since we added paintball a few years
ago, we have changed the
course a little each year,
but this summer we are
going to be moving bunkers around a lot
and adding new and improved spots to
hide. Hopefully this will add new twists and allow

for some new games to be played!

New Paddle Boards for the Swim Dock!

The all time camper favorite during Paddle Mania is the board! 12 new paddleboards are being pur-

chased for our campers to enjoy! Be sure to get to the water to enjoy these new boards.



Note: Pictures are from manufacturer's websites

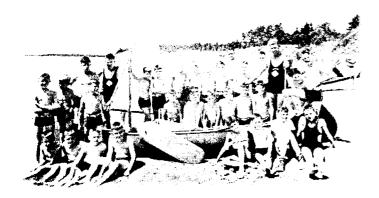
New Ski Boats!

Our water skiing and wakeboarding program will have 2 new Ski Nautique boats for 2009! At the request of our campers, one of these boats will have a tower giving our wakeboarders more freedom for tricks. We are in the process of ordering the boats and will have pictures of the actual boats that we buy up on the website soon! Exciting!



85 Years and Counting!

In 1924 Father Foley had a dream of creating a place where boys could come to work, play and learn independence. Now, 85 years later, Foley is still committed to allowing children (we added girls in 1974) those opportunities. In honor of our 85th anniversary, we have several exciting events going on at camp. There will be opportunities to look at pictures, view the old camp movies, and sing some of the songs long part of our Foley history.

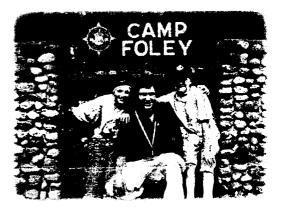


Time Capsule

Back in the 80's we buried a time capsule that will be opened in 2024 (at the 100 year anniversary). Our campers have been bugging us to bury an additional capsule so that their memories can be preserved for a shorter time frame. This summer we are going to bury a capsule that will be opened, along with our originnal one, on the 100th anniversary.

We will be adding projects, recordings, and writings and burying the time capsule on Father Foley's Birthday - August 8th.





Commemorative Gear

We will have special 85th anniversary stuff for saie through our camp store this year! We haven't made a decision on whether we are going to do clothing or other items, but please check the website for more information in February.

Camp Nurses

We have all of our nurses for next summer signed up

and ready to roll! We look forward to working
with Kristin Harris, Tracey Miley,
Heide Bedingfield, Kerry Dixon and
Yvonne Combs! We truly appreciate them taking time out of their
busy lives to come help us at
WORK camp for a couple weeks.

Seasonal Admin

We are very excited about the leadership team for next summer. There are lots of great counselors that are already hired or that have applied (see page 3). **Jenny Delaney, Chris Mathiowetz, and Sean Gokey** will also be joining Marie, Alli and Mary in January.

We recently found out that **Mike and Kate Mogard** will also return to camp as Assistant Directors for their 6th and 9th summers respectively. Mike will be working with the fox and coyote boys and Kate with the fox and coyote girls. They will also both work with a variety of the land activities.

2009 Foley Staff! (As of December 18, 2008).

A start of our staff for this summer. Check the website for an updated list.

Chris B - will be back for his 10th summer at Foley (2nd as a counselor). Chris will once again be down at the waterfront teaching sailing and windsurfing and working as a Marina Leader. He is currently finishing his sophomore year at the University of Minnesota - Morris where he is studying biology with a pre-med focus.

Sara B - is back for her third summer on staff! Sara will once again be creating all those crazy crafts as well as hanging out at climbing and the swimdock. Sara is currently in her fourth year at the University of Wisconsin - La Crosse where she is majoring in Therapeltic Recreation.

Laura C - is back for her fourth summer at Foley! Laura will of course be teaching us all about the snakes, turtles and other critters in nature class and making craft projects, too. Laura is in her fourth year at the University of Northern Colorado majoring in Elementary Education and Geography.

Ben C - will be back after taking a summer off. Ben is in his Freshman year at the University of Iowa in Iowa City where he is considering going pre-med. He will be a of paintball specialist and is coming up early to redo parts of the course.

Tracey C - is on her way back to Foley for her second summer! Tracey is currently a junior at St. Mary's College in South Bend, IN where she is majoring in Psychology and Communicative Disorders. Tracey will be heading up the archery program this summer as well as teaching climbing.

Jen G - Joins us for her second summer at Foley. Jen is currently student teaching and is graduating this winter with a degree in Elementary Education from Winona State University. Jen will be helping out with the Leadership program this summer as well as lifeguarding and teaching climbing.

Andy H - will be back for his second summer at Foley! Andy is currently a sophomore at the University of Minnesota where he is studying chemistry with a pre-med focus. Andy will be teaching windsurfing and fishing.

Ellie L - is also back for her second summer as a Foley counselor. Ellie was here in 2007 and took last summer off to travel. Ellie will be back at the swimdock teaching snorkeling and paddlemania as well as working with the foxes. She is currently studying nursing at Alverno College in Wisconsin.

Wes L - is back for his second summer! Wes will be back at the waterfront teaching skiing and working as a Marina Leader this summer. Right now Wes is in his second year at Wallace State Community College in Cullman, Alabama where he is working on a Flight Tech degree.

Natalie L - is on her way back to camp for her first summer as a counselor (she was a camper for eight years). Natalie will be teaching climbing and archery this summer. Currently Natalie is finishing her senior year at Wayzata High School.

Aaron N - will join us for his third summer as a Foley staff member. Aaron is currently in his second year at Trinity College where he is majoring in Physical Education. Aaron will be back to head up the trap and riflery as well as teach some Tennis.

Dustin M - will be joining us for his first summer at camp. Dustin is a Technology Education major at St. Cloud State University in Minnesota and will be teaching riflery and sports at camp this summer.

Annie O - is back for her third summer at Foley! Annie of course will be teaching crafts but this year also will be at the swimdock working as a lifeguard! Annie is in her final year at Bradley University in Peoria, IL. She will graduate in May with a dearee in Social Work!

Katie R - is back for her second summer at Foley (she took last summer off to teach in the Marshall Islands). Katie will be one of our fearless trip leaders this summer and looks forward to putting her Outward Bound training to use. Katie graduated from St. Ben's in St. Cloud, MN in 2007 with a Gender and Women's Studies degree.

Caralyn 5 - will be joining us for her second summer at Foley! Caralyn is currently studying Hospitality and Tourism Management at Purdue University Calumet. She will back this summer to teach archery and crafts.

Chelsey S - will be a first time counselor at Foley this summer. Chelsey is currently a junior at Eastern Illinois University in Charleston, IL where she is majoring in Family and Consumer Sciences. Chelsey will be helping out in the kitchen as well as being an activity assistant.

Carrie 5 - will be back as a Trip Leader for her second summer! Carrie is currently going to school at the University of Nebraska - Omaha majoring in Recreation Administration.

LoW - is headed back to Foley for her second summer! Lo will once again be down at the waterfront teaching skiing. Lo graduated last spring with a degree in Elementary Education and is now teaching in a preschool special education class in Omaha.

Sam Z - is back at Foley for his second summer. Sam will be teaching climbing and shop this summer at Foley. Right now Sam is a student at Century College and is still trying to decide what major he wants to focus on!

Pizza Parties/Video Showings!

We are excited to once again see you all for the annual January get togethers! We have three different cities set up at this time, and are looking in to coming to Des Moines and Phoenix. We encourage you to come see last summers video as well as bring friends or family that may be interested in attending Foley in the future!

Minneapolis/St. Paul Area

Southdale Area Library 7001 York Ave South Edina, MN

Tuesday, January 27th at 7:00 pm

Chicago, IL Area

Winnetka Community House 620 Lincoln Ave Winnetka, IL 60093

Thursday, January 29th at 7:00 pm

St. Louis, MO Area!

Richmond Heights (The Heights) Community Center 8001 Dale Ave

Sunday, February 1st at 3:00 pm

Note: We know this is Superbowl Sunday but we REALLY want to see you all there! Come before the Superbowl and say a auick hil

Camp Foley Unline!

A New Look for 2009!

In an effort to keep connected with all of our current campers and staff as well as get the word out there about Camp Foley to new people, we are going to be revamping our website. The new look will hopefully allow us to offer you more services and be a little easier for you to navigate through. Please look for the new and improved Foley website sometime after the first of the year!

Foley on Facebook! (FICEDOD)



We have notices about events that are coming up and groups for campers and staff.

There are a couple ways that you can stay connected via facebook:

Become a Foley Fan - add Camp Foley to your list of Fan Pages on your profile. The easiest way to do this is search for "Camp Foley" in facebook. Then click on



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OLEY to this direct link: http://www. new.facebook.com/pages/Pine-

River-MN/Camp-Foley/34721577295. Leave us a review and also find out about events that we are having.

Join the Camp Foley Campers 09 Group- There is a Campers 09 facebook group for you to join to see who will be at camp in 09 and share pictures from last summer.

Newsletters!

We will have all our newsletters up on the website for you to check out! This is a great way to find out what is going on at Foley and learn all about the next generation of Foley campers and staff. We have Newsletters that go out to our campers about once a month throughout the winter months.

Foley's Podcast - "The Gong"!

Many of you have already gotten hooked on "The Gong" - Foley's Podcast! Well, after a few months off, ITS BACK! If you have yet to discover the magic - you should! Each month a new one will be posted! Catch up with **news** from around camp, hear funny skits and songs and relive some of those famous Foley memories. We also do interviews and allow you to give input on what is on the next episode.

Want to learn more?? Check out the Foley website and click on the "Podcast" link. You can subscribe (don't worry - it's FREE) to "The Gong" also! This ensures you don't miss an episode!

We want your input as much as possible! Email, call, facebook, or write us a letter

to give us updates on what you are up to throughout the winter so we can add you to the next broadcast!



Special Programs for 2009!

Banquet Days!

Renaissance (1st & 3rd Session)

For our 1st and 3rd Session Banquets, we will be traveling back in time to a land of Kings, Queens, and Knights for our Camp Foley Renaissance Festival. The day will be filled with jousting contests, slaying dragors, coronation of a King and Queen, and a knighting. Don't forget your costume. Dress up like jester, town crier, a town's person, or a knight.



Superheroes (2nd & 4th Session)

lt's a bird, it's a plane, it's a Camp Fo ey Superhero. We have all wanted to have a super power, be invisible, fly, or have a secret identity to fight crime! During our 2nd and 4th Session Banquets, we will all get a chance to see what it would be like to be a Superhero. You could create your own superhero, gain some superhero training, or even

develop a secret headquarters. Dress up too as Superman, Batman, Power Puff Girl, Captain Planet. or create your own superhero!

Fun in the Sun Barbeque

Did you know that in the 1990s we had a lunch called "Fun in the Sun" where half the camp had sandwiches and played outside while the other half had pizza in the dining room. (The following day the campers switched.) This was because in our old dining room we did not have enough ovens to make pizza for the entire camp. Fun in the Sun is returning this year in an upgraded version - barbequing chicken, burgers and hotdogs. After eating one can choose to lounge on the grass, toss the Frishee, chill to some music or go for a swir!

Dancing Pajamas

Bring those hilarious and hideous pajamas that are hiding in the bottom of your dresser to wear at the Grand Dance Festival! An evening of dancing, playing sand volleyball or tennis or watching a movie all in your pajamas! Get creative! Bring your favorite tunes.

Tree House Fun

As a cabin group you will venture to spend the evening at one of the two tree house sites. New in 2009 is that you will depart in time to enjoy a delicious meal around the fire complete with desert. After playing games, star gazing, and chilling around the campfire you will spend the night in the tree

Special Pack Events

Halloween

Coyote Campers (11-12 year olds) 1st & 3rd Sessions Fox Campers (10 and under) 2nd & 4th Sessions

Do you wish Halloween lasted for more than just one day in October? Well, this is your chance to get that Halloween costume out one more time. Experience a haunted house, pumpkin decorating contest, and so much more. Check to see when your pack group will be experiencing the goblin filled day! And don't forget your costume.



Candy Land as a Giant Board Game

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Did you know that Candy Land has been played by kids since 1949? Did you know that this will be the first time in Foley History that we will be playing this game in giant



version! Bring your overalls and a striped shirt to wear as you make your way through the Peppermint Forest and through the Lollipop Woods. Keep your eyes open for Lord Licorice and Queen Frostine

and hopefully you will not get stuck in Molasses Swamp! This surely will be full of adventure and fun as you make your way to Candy Castle. Will there be real candy?

ASCJE Version 1 and ASCJE Version 2

Wolf Campers (ages 13 and older)

Version 1: Played during First & Third Session Version 2: Played during Second & Fourth Session

This event is planned! This event is full of laughter! This event requires skill in ways that one would not even imagine! This event is played at camps around the United States and in corporate offices. This event required specialized training of one of the Directors. This event is so awesome that we cannot wait for you to participate! No special attire is required.

Look Who's Registered! (As of December 18th, 2008)

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2008 Scholarship Donors

Camp Foley would like to extend a big THANK YOU to everyone who supports this program through contributions. Although our 2008 Scholarship Donations, totaling \$6614.94, fell short of our goal of \$8000.00, we were still able to offer full and partial scholarships to 14 deserving applicants, giving them the opportunity to experience all that Camp Foley has to offer. Our scholarship campers add diversity to our camp community, generally coming from inner city and rural settings. Some of them are wards of the state, being raised by a grandparent, from low income families struggling to make ends meet, or from needy families seeking opportunities to provide their kids with positive alternatives to inner city gangs, drugs, rural isolation and/or other challenges. Please help us continue to offer this great service to these kids!

Here is what a few of the scholarship kids had to say about their 2008 Camp Foley experience: "Thank you for giving me the opportunity to attend Camp Foley (enjoyed myself and I am looking forward to another

"Thank you for letting me return to Camp Foley. I've been attending Foley for 5 years and each year, it gets better. My main activities have been paintball, riflery and trap. All of these have increased my concentration and bravery. If I had never started attending Camp Foley, I don't know what kind of person I would be. Camp taught me to be more tolerant of different people and it helped me become more social and have more confidence when I talk to people... Once again, I thank you!" Boy age 14

"I had a great time at camp and I really miss you guys. I wanted to thank you for making my summer awesome. The activities that I was involved in were so fun. It really hurt to leave but I know that I was going to see family. You helped me through the homesickness. Alli, you were also like my best grown-up buddy. I had a great time this summer and I really appreciate all that everyone has sone for me." Girl age 11

"Thank you for giving me the opportunity to attend Camp Foley. I enjoyed myself and I am looking forward to another year filled with fun and excitement...Before I attended camp, I never knew how to rock climb or fish...Being on my own and having to keep up with my things made me realize that I had to be very responsible. I couldn't rely on my parents anymore; I had to rely on myself...Thank you for turning my summer into a summer opportunity of a lifetime and getting me prepared for middle school." Girl age 11

"Thank you for accepting me into the Camp Foley Family. I have been there two years and each year was different. I am usually with the same people every day, but at camp I met people from around the world. Camp Foley gave me a sense of the beauty of nature and the outdoors. At camp, I have become more responsible and more organized. I loved my time at camp. Thank you for the opportunity to experience such a wonderful and memorable place. My time at Camp Foley was not just a summer opportunity of a lifetime, but a life changing experience! Girl age 11

Want to make a donation???

Please send your tax deductible donation to Camp Foley. Checks should be made to the "American Camping Association" and designated for the Camp Foley Scholarship Program.

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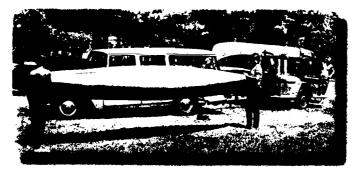
Tell Your Friends About Foley!

Do you know someone looking for fun, friendships and new skills? Share with them your memorable experiences of Camp Foley and encourage them to register. You'll receive \$25 off your camp tuition for each person you sign-up. So... tell your friends! Applies only to registrants who are totally new to Foley, excluding siblings or children of alumni.



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85 years of serving youth and counting!









Trivia Contest

This summer we will be asking a trivia question about Foley and its history every day. The camper with the most **CORRECT answers** at the end of the session will earn a special prize! So start asking your parents, grandparents, slibings, and start learning all you can about Foley's history.

Commemorative T-Shirt

All the campers and staff who will be joining us for our 85th year of camp will receive a **Free T-Shirt** to help us celebrate this exciting year.

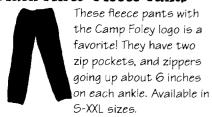
Foley Song Book

Everyone has had that moment where you can't remember the words to your FAVORITE camp song. This book will have all your recent favorites, but we haven't forgotten the old like If Had a Hammer, Turn, Turn, Turn, and Boa Constrictor. After the summer, you can take it back to your friends and teach them all the songs. You will never forget the words again!

Spring Canteen Preview for 2009!

Check out the online store to purchase our early arrival items for the 2009 summer!

Black Mirco-Fleece Pants



Long Sleeve Mirco-Mesh Shirt



This mirco-mesh product is a great addition to any wardrobe. 1/4 zip-up with logo in left upper corner. Available in white and black and youth M, L and adult S-XXL sizes.

Long Sleeve Girls Shirt



This pre-shrunk jersey cotton shirt is available in ocean blue and pink. Our logo and Whitefish Lake runs down the left side. This shirt comes in teen sizes S-XL.

Red Hooded Sweatshirt

80% Cotton hooded sweatshirt with large front pocket. "Camp Foley est. 1924" on the front and "WhitefishLake" down the arm. Available in youth sizes M-L right now and all sizes during the summer.



Striped Knit Hat

This knit hat is available in Blue/Gold/White/Black and Pink/Red/White/Black stripes. With the logo on the front this hat will keep you warm year round.



Thermal Zip-Up Sweatshirt

A zip-up thermal outside and sherpa lining sweat-shirt will keep you warm. It has two front pockets, a hood and "Camp Foley Whitefish Lake Rec. Center 1924" written in the center. Navy blue and brown are available in S-XXL sizes.



COMING THIS SUMMER!!!

You wanted more products for special canteen, and this summer we got them!

Söcks, Shorts, Waterbottles, Coffee Mugs, Patchwork Pajama Pants, Swim Shirts (rash guards), Headlamps, Flashlights, Scarves, Baseball, Army hats, and more!

Foley's Podcast-The Gong!

Check out the March Podcast-Coming Soon!

In the March podcast, we will be talking to two paintball markers and Mr. Squeegee the safety man at paintball, interviewing one of your counselors, checking back with Sven and Ole for the Whitefish Lake Effect Update, and hearing a new song in Chris's musical corner.



We want to hear from you!

We want your input as much as possible! What staff member would you liked interviewed? Or objects for "Day in the Life of? What random facts do you want to hear for "Did You Know"? Or give us an update on what is going on in your life for the announcement segment. Email, call, facebook, or write us a letter to give us updates on what you are up so we can add you to the next broadcast! E-mail us at fun@campfoley.com



Whitefish Lake Effect-Mystery Box Contest

Our Whitefish Lake Effect Update team, Sven and Ole, were up to their games again during the last podcast! They have put a box out on the lake and they want you to guess when it will fall through the ice! The individual who gets the closest will get the mystery item from the box. You can reach Sven and Ole at **fun@campfoley.com** with your guesses.

Wolf Campers (13 and up)!

Looks Who's Leading

Check out the 42 campers who are signed-up for the leadership program for 2009! Space is limited so sign-up TODAY!

Leaders-In-Training (LITs) Billy Grant, Emily New-

man, Rose Schaffer, Kevin Beltz, Vanna Gworek, Kelsey Thomas, Peter Hughes, Jessica Hickok, Stephen Davis, Charlie Scheitlin, Archie Hamel, Megan Beh, Michelle Pazin, Mike Rutzick,



Ellis Brown, Abby Johnson, Billy Krebsbach, Melissa Ferrie, Henry Kauth, Emily Sciortino, Mary Claire Seeberg, Marnie Brown, Rachel Gans, Evan Oncay, Spencer Benel, Michelle Pazin, Tate Spencer, Emily Hines, Char Carlton, Emily Sciortino, Claire Castaneda, Maddy Boyd, Danny Foussard, Chris Revord

Counselors-In-Training (CITs)

Kylie Beltz, Parker Poche, Eric Newman, Matt Carney, Courtney Kronschabel, Molly McGuire, Katie McGuire, Cole Spencer

If you are a returning camper going into 9th, 10th, or 11th grade you should check out the leadership program. You will get a chance to enhance your leadership skills, plan and organize events for other campers, and gain skills needed to be a counselor! Go to the website for more information and the online application. You must sign-up prior to camp.

What do campers say about the leadership program?

"During the last 2 years of camp, I have had a great experi-



ence being in the leadership program. I have learned that it can be difficult leading events for other campers, but it is all worth while when you can see the joy on their faces. I am also able to take what I learned as an LIT and apply it to school, sports teams, and work." Sarah C, 15 year old camper

"To me, being an LIT means being a leader. It means that because the younger kids look up to you, you have to do your best to set an example. Being an LIT isn't just about organizing games or motivating people. It's about lending a helping hand and expecting nothing in return."

Rose S, 14 year old camper

Dishwashers

Do you like making MONEY and

FRIENDS? Are you 14 years old or older? If so, than dishwashing is for you! You can build your resume while getting money off your tuition! Sign up for either 6 or 12 washing times. For more information, go to the website under the Download Forms section. We'll see you in the dish room!



NOLF!

Tripping Program

If you are 11 years old or older go on a trip! The Foley Tripping program is designed to get as many campers as possible out of camp for a 3-day experience. We know that things are fun in camp, but many campers have some of the best memories from sleeping in a tent or paddling down a river.

Canoeing, Biking, or Outpost Trip

Campers 11 years of age or older have the option to head out on either a canoeing, biking, or outpostrips during the session. Start thinking about what trip you want to be a part of



Backpacking Trip Pre-Registration Required

The 13 or older campers can also sign up to do a 3-day backpacking trip on the Lake Superior Hiking Trail along the North



Shore of Lake Superior. This trip does require pre-registration required. We need 8 participants per session in order to send this trip-talk to you friends! The form is available online and will be in the next mailing too! Contact the camp office for more details!

Foley Artists

We have a couple Foley campers who are demonstrating their artistic abilities this winter with Foley . Paige Harrington's drawing was choosen for the cover of the 2009 activity guide, and Sarah Hines will be designing our song book cover. We want to congradulate both of them!

Summer 2009: Fabulous

Paddlemania



Along with the 12 new paddleboards, the Aviva Saturn will be joining paddlemania. You can try going from side to side and watch it tilt or try to climb the ball. Head over to the swimdock and challenge your friends to a duel on the log or the King or Queen of Saturn.

Dance and Sports

Dance was the most popular class last summer with over 50 campers taking dance and swing dancing. This summer our dancers will have a **new iPod dock** to groove to the beat!



We have a couple exciting things happening in our sports programs for 2009! For our hockey lovers, the barn will have corner boards to make games a little easier, and the basketball court will be getting new lines painted on the court this spring.

Marina

Of course the most exciting thing out on the lake this summer will be our 2 New Nautique ski boats, but we also have some other new toys for 2009!

- * For our more advanced wakeboarders, along with the new wakeboarding tower on the boat, we will have new helmets for campers to test out all the new ticks.
- * New Barefoot teaching chair
- * Wake Surfing COMES TO FOLEY! -Easy starts, low boat speeds, the feel of freedom, and a fast learning curve

makes wake surfing a fast growing, fun

new sport.

* We will be offering a new class in 2009 for our advanced fishermen. Join our counselors for an early morning trip out on Whitefish! Do some serious fishing, and check out some cool new places out on the lake.

Archery

We will have some new targets up at Archery to practice shooting for 2009. A deer, antolope, and javelina will be joining the range along with this 10 point bull's eye target.



Shop

Taking out the old and adding the new! We have been working hard this winter to revamp the shop with new shelves, new tools and new projects!

We have new exciting projects for 2009!

CD Clocks

CD Rack

Name Plate

Wooden Games

Rope Ladder ShelvesBasic Shelf



Crafts

You wanted to do some photography at camp and you got it! You will be able to TAKE, EDIT, and PRINT pictures right in crafts!



To go along with the picture taking, we have great new projects for 2009!

Scrapbooking

Card Making

Frame Making

T-Shirt Screen Printing with Col

ored T-Shirts!

Decorative Signs

Throughout the summer, we will also be working with two projects around camp!

A quilt for the dining hall!

"Ads" for around the barn!



For all of your sanding needs a new Combination Belt and Disc Sander has been added to the line of power tools in the shop for summer of 2009! Now make sure to step into shop to enjoy the new sander and projects for '09!

Improvements around camp!

Bed Head Boards

Remember how when you slept on the top bunk in the cabins you would lose your pillow in the middle of the night? Those days are over! One of our camper parents is creating headboards so your pillow will no longer leave your bed!

Hammocks

We will be replacing some of our older hammocks and putting up a new set of three on each end of camp. Now you will have more places to hang out during Morning Fun, Free Swim, or with your cabinmates.

Programs and New Stuff!

Banquet Days!

Renaissance (1st & 3rd Session)



For our 1st and 3rd Session Banquets, we will be traveling back in time to a land of Kings, Queens, and Knights for our Camp Foley Renaissance Festival. The day will be filled with jousting contests, slaying dragons, coronation of a King and Queen, and a knighting. Don't forget your costume. Dress up like jester, town crier, a town's person, or a knight.

Superheroes (2nd & 4th Session)

It's a bird, it's a plane, it's a Camp Foley Superhero. We have all wanted to have a super power, be invisible, fly, or have a secret identity to fight crime! During our 2nd and 4th Session Banquets, we will all get a chance to see what it would be like to be a Superhero. You could cre-

ate your own superhero, gain some superhero training, or even develop a secret headquarters. Dress up too as Superman, Batman, Power Puff Girl, Captain Planet, or create your own superhero!

Dancing Pajamas



Bring those hilarious and hideous pajamas that are hiding in the bottom of your dresser to wear at the Grand Dance Festival! An evening of dancing, playing sand volleyball, tennis, or watching a movie all in your pajamas! Get creative! Bring your favorite tunes.

Campfire Twists

We love singing all those camp songs like Da Moose, Purple Light, and the Camp Foley Song and seeing our crazy counselors do skits like Director's Cut and the Bee Skit. This summer we are going to add some new twists and spice to our opening campfires! We will be bringing back some of the old songs we haven't hear for a while like maybe Three Little Bears

or One Pink Porpoise, adding new crazy characters, themes, skits, and some extra surprises you will have to wait to see what they are. But GET EXCITED!

Speical Pack Events

Halloween

Coyote Campers (11-12 year olds) 1st & 3rd Sessions Fox Campers (10 and under) 2nd & 4th Sessions

Do you wish Halloween lasted for more than just one day in October? Well, this is your chance to get that Halloween costume out one more time. Experience a haunted house, pumpkin decorating contest, and so much more. Check to see when your pack group will be experiencing the goblin filled day! And don't forget your costume.



Candy Land as a Giant Board Game

Fox Campers (10 and under) 1st & 3rd Sessions Coyote Campers (11-12 year olds) 2nd & 4th Sessions

Did you know that Candy Land has been played by kids since 1949? Did you know that this will be the first time in Foley History that we will be playing this game in giant version! Bring your overalls and a striped shirt to wear as



you make your way through the Peppermint Forest and through the Lollipop Woods. Keep your eyes open for Lord Licorice and Queen Frostine and hopefully you will not get stuck in Molasses Swamp! This surely will be

full of adventure and fun as you make your way to Candy Castle. Will there be real candy?

ASCJE Version 1 and ASCJE Version 2

Wolf Campers (ages 13 and older)

Version 1: Played during First & Third Session Version 2: Played during Second & Fourth Session

This event is planned! This event is full of laughter! It requires skill in ways that one would not even imagine! This event is played at camps around the United States and in corporate offices. This event required specialized training of one of the Directors. It is so awesome that we cannot wait for you to participate! No special attire is required.

Tree House Fun

As a cabin group you will venture to spend the evening at one of the two tree house sites. New in 2009 is that you will depart in time to enjoy a delicious meal around the fire complete with desert. After playing games, star gazing, and chilling around the campfire you will spend the night in the tree.

Meet Some 2009 Staff!

The staff members who have signed-on for the summer from December 18, 2009 to March 11th, 2009! Keep checking the website for a complete list and any updates!

Catie B-will be back for her first full summer as a counselor, and her seventh summer at Foley. Catie is currently attending the University of Kansas for a degree in psychology. She will be hanging out at the lake working with the windsurfing and waterskiing program and doing some lifeguarding.

Carla B.-will be joining us for her first summer as part of the Foley staff (camper for two summers). Carla is in her first year at the University of Kansas. She will be working as a paintball referee, and doing some lifeguarding and janitorial work.

Taylor C.- will be joining us for her first summer as a counselor, but her 7th summer at Foley. Taylor is currently attending Boston College. She will be helping out with some janitorial work, riflery, and lifeguarding.

Peter D. - is heading up to Foley for his first summer as a counselor. He currently is attending the University of Minnesota-Duluth and majoring in mathematics education. Peter will be working with climbing, biking and running clinic programs this summer.

Tess E-will be joining us for her first summer at Foley! Tess is in her second year at University of North Dakota studying Early Childhood and Elementary Education. She will be helping us in the kitchen and teaching her passion, dance.

Jessie G - is back for her 9th summer at Foley and her first summer as a counselor. Jessie is currently a freshman at Skidmore College in Saratoga Springs, NY. Jessie will be helping us with lifeguarding and our swimming classes.

Alyssa H-joins us for her first summer as a Foley counselor. Alyssa is currently at Gustavus Colege in St. Peter, MN studying athletic training and coaching. She will be working at the waterfront in our diving and waterskiing programs.

Justin K- is joining us for his first summer as a Foley counselor. Justin will be helping out in the kitchen, a paintball referee and teaching some climbing and riflery. He currently is a psychology major at St. Cloud State.

Kylie N. - will be joining the Foley team for her first summer as a counselor. Kylie is in her second year at Marquette University in Milwaukee, Wl. She will be heading up the kitchen as one of our cooks in the Foley kitchen.

Kai P- will be joining us for his first summer as a Foley staff member, but his 11th summer at Foley. Kai will be heading off to college in the fall, and he will be hanging out at our Tennis and Archery activities.

Christina S.- is joining us for her first summer as part of the Foley staff, but her 7th summer at Foley. Christina is currently a freshman at the University of Wisconsin in Madison. She will be helping us with sailing, skiing, and in the kitchen.

Krista S.- will be joining us for her first summer as part of the Foley staff, but her 12th summer at Foley. Krista is currently attending Crieighton University studying journalism mass communications and French. Krista will be focusing on windsurfing and sailing down at the lake.

Sam 5. - will be heading up to Foley for his first summer as Foley staff (he was a camper for 3 years). Sam will be heading off to school in the fall, with a focus in business. This summer Sam will be working with our tennis and waterskiing programs.

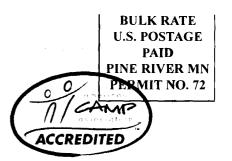
Katie T - will be a first time Foley counselor this summer! Katie is currently a student at Staffordshire University in England where she is a Forensic Science major. This summer she will be teaching fencing and windsurfing at Foley.

Peter V.- is joining us for his first summer at Foley. Peter is currently attending the University of Mississippi for accounting. He will be working down at the waterfront as a lifeguard and in our fencing program.

Look Who's Registered! (as of March 17th, 2009)

AConor Abraham, Hunter Abraham, Lucas Absolon, Niko Agnes, Effie Albitz, Jack Allen, Grant Altenhofen-Sonner, Simran Alter, Charlie Anderega, Nazri Andonie, Dillon Arens, Susana Arquelles, Gonzalo Arrangoiz, Pedro Arrangoiz B Henry Bacon, Olivia Bacon, Laura Baker, Chantelle Bannister, Joshua Bannister, Kayleigh Barnaba, Zachary Barton, Molly Bauer, Conner Bedingfield, Niece Bedingfield, Emily Beh, Lauren Beh, Megan Beh, Kevin Beltz, Kylie Beltz, Spencer Bemel, Gaston Benitez, Justin Bergerson, Vince Biaggio, Joseph Biasi, Nina Biasi, Rachel Biasi, Anna Bins, Mckenna Bolger, Amanda Bourne, Grace Boyd, Madeline Boyd, Nicole Boyd, Andrew Bradley, Ford Brandau, Tommy Brennan, Conor Brodnick, Elizabeth Brown, Ellis Brown, Jessie Brown, Julia Brown, Marnie Brown, Dane Buchman, Jonathan Buchman, Brian Bucol, Daniel Burford, Brendan Burke. Hugh Burke. Ian Burke. Bridget Busch C Sabrina Carlins, Sydney Carlson, Charlotte Carlton, Olivia Carlton, Matt Carney, Collin Carpenter, Jamie Carter, Claire Castaneda, John Cavanaugh, Matthew Cavanaugh, Michael Cavanaugh, Catherine Ceglia, Christine Chappelle, Kayla Christensen, Robert Christianson, Nick Christopherson, Peter Christopherson, Madeleine Clark, Francesca Cocchia, Elliot Code, Riann Colbert, Jason Colestock, John Combs, Rache Conley, Michelle Conway, Natalie Cooper, Anna Copman, Samuel Copman, Ben Crites, Jack Cunningham D Ally Daily, John Daily, Jens Damgaard, Margaret Dankmyer, Julia Danson, Sarah Danson, Laura Davis, Stephen Davis, Gabriel De La Garza, Elisabeth Dean, Anna Digman, Samuel Dillon, Melina Donnelly, Carter Downs, Walter Duff, Elizabeth Dwyer, Joe Dwyer 🗷 Connor Eastman, Ethan Eiler, Claudia Eisenhuth, Valeria Elizondo, Maverick Engstrom, Annie Epstein, Jake Ernst, Matthew Ernst, Paige Ernst, Lachlan Ewald 🕇 Conor Failor, Jack Failor, Jordan Fallon, Allie Farino, Gaby Feltner, Alec Felton, Raphael Ferreira, Stefan Ferreira, Melissa Ferrie, Carolyn Fish, Joe FitzPatrick, Meggie Flinn, Regina Flores, Erin Foley, Mark Foley, Sam Folkman, Danny Foussard, Anna Fox, Sydney Foy, James Franken, Erika Freiberg, John Freiberg, Helen Fribera, Maria Frogelius 💪 Nicholas Gabanski, Rachel Gans, Andres Garcia, Daniel Garcia, Eugenio Garcia, Eugenio Garcia, Jorge Garcia, Paulina Garcia de Alba, Baylen Garcia-Meyers, Brianna Garcia-Meyers, Adrian Garza, Rodrigo Garza, Courtney Geller, Alexander Gerrard, Grace Gerrard, Lizzy Gesensway, Max Gibson, Toby Glover, Julia Goldman, Nicholas Goldman, Jake Goldring, Alejandro Gonzalez, Josh Gottesman, Kathryn Graf, Andrew Grant, Billy Grant, Michael Guckeen, Tyler Guckeen, Mauricio Guerrero, Mariel Guzman, Lucy Gworek, Vanna Gworek # Lindsay Hackett, Erin Hahn, Jonathan Hahn, Luke Hahn, Sarah Haley, Archie Hamel, Jack Hamel, Susie Hamman, Brittany Harrington, Margaret Harrington, Paige Harrington, Collin Harris, Maddie Harris, Florence Harting, Hugo Harting, Seamus Harvey, Ari Hechter, Anna Heinemann, TJ Hendrickson, Joseph Henkhaus. Peter Henkhaus, Jose Hernandez, Christopher Hickok, Jessica Hickok, Isabeau Hill, Mia Hill, Madeline Hinck, Emily Hines, Alexis Hoedeman, Christopher Hofstadter, Chip Holmes, Daniel Holmes, Danny Holmes, Daniel Holod, John Horan, Erik Horstman, Melanie Horwich, Claire Howes, Cole Howes, Peter Hughes, David Husband, Sarah Huss, Gracia Hutson, Harrison Hutter, Katherine Hutter Cole Imbs, Maggie Irvine J Cameron Jackson, Patrick Jackson, Caroline Jaeger, Anders Jensen, Abigail Johnson, Kallan Johnson, Lars Johnson, Sophie Johnson, Preston Johnson III 🕏 Sarah Karels, Henry Kauth, Adam Kay, Bailey Keffer, Jonah Keffer, Zachary Keller, Sean Kelley, Dylan Kiefer, Taylor Kiffin, Geena Kloeppel, Bastienne Korts, Foster Kraft, Hudson Kraft, Katya Kravchenko, William Krebsbach, Courtney Kronschnabel, Nick Kronschnabel, Tory Kronschnabel, Kevin Kruemplestaedter, Sara Kruemplestaedter, Kate Kugler, Taylor Kugler 🕻 Lindsey Lande, Eliana Langer, Katrina Larkin, Isaac Lauer, Nick Lavezzorio, Will Lavezzorio, Alexandra Lee, Sophie Lehmann, Bradley Lenke, Erin Lenke, Claudia Leon de la Vega, Jeremy Levinson, Josh Levinson, Courtney Lilly, Sarah Little, Miranda Lockner, Madeleine Loosbrock, Madeline Lorentzen, Olivia Lovrien, Sydney Lovrien 🐧 Ellie Mahoney, TJ Mahoney, Caelan Maitland, Jose Maiz, Tony Martin, Peter Martineau, Joe Mays, Schae Mays, Lilly McCarty, Zachary McCormick, Margaret McDonnell, Lucas McGrann, Nolan McGrann, Emily McGuire, Katle McGuire, Megan McGuire, Molly McGuire, Tessa McKerr, Regina Meckelein, Lucy Melbinger, William Merriam, Matthew Meshbesher, Caroline Michalek, Hannah Michalek, Kevin Mickan, Alex Miley, Ryan Miley, Kevin Moakley, Sean Moakley, Hannah Moen, Caroline Moore, Robert Moore, Roman Voore, Chase Mueller, Jack Munkeby, Joe Munkeby, Mae Munkeby, Sam Munkeby 🔰 Everett Naylor, Isaac Nelson, Andrew Netzel, Edie Newman, Elliot Newman, Emily Newman, Eric Newman, Addie Newsome, Marjorie Newsome, Alexandra Niebur, Sloane Nilsen, Susan Nitschke, Laura Nogalski, Braze Nolin, Quinn Nolin, Hannah Norman 🖰 Ben O'Malley, Chris O'Malley, Analise Ober, Sierra Offersen, Linden Olness, Elizabeth Olson, Evan Oncay, Grant Oncay, Krista Opp, Andres Ornelas, Rodrigo Ornelas, Diego Orta, Juan Pablo Orta, Lars Oslund, Katie Osmundson 🏿 Annie Padgitt, Nick Padgitt, Javier PalauHernandez, Helen Palmer, Ross Palmer, Tyler Palmquist, Julia Parkerson, Evan Patchen, Kaeli Patchen, Jack Pawlik, Michelle Pazin, Brandon Pearson, Alexis Peltier, Lucas Peltier, Hannah Penn, Sandon Perez-Bill, Kathryn Peterson, Riley Peterson, Zander Peterson, Jeff Pflanz, Parker Poche', Juliet Prine, Lily Prine Q Eliot Pulling Gabriela Quintero, Gavin Quiton R Emilio Ramirez, Lucas Rapetti, Riccardo Rapetti, Joey Rauenhorst, Jonny Rauenhorst, Brian Reed, Conner Reed, Parker Reed, Jessica Reinhart, Christopher Revord, Claire Revord, Kathryn Revord, Michael Revord, Alejandra Rios, Patricia Rios, Calvin Rose, Samuel Rosenberg, Evaristo Rubio, Sammy Russell, Michael Rutzick, Emma Ryan 🖇 Karli Ryan Mauricio Saenz, Mauricio Salinas, Samuel Sansone, Emma Schaffer, Ellie Scheid, Charlie Scheitlin, Megan Schmidt, Frances Schroeder, Thomas Schroeder, Grant Schrof, Caroline Schuler, Mary Grace Schuler, Gabriel Schwartz, Jonah Schwartz, Emily Sciortino, Mary Claire Seeberg, Jack Selzler, Max Seymour, Rose Shaffer, Bryn Shank, Katie Shaughnessy, Mary Shaughnessy, Charles Shearon, Cole Shepard, Andrew Shumway, Olivia Sieff, Ben Sigel, Danielle Sikora, Alyson Sklare, Olivia Spellmire, Cole Spencer, Eden Spencer, Tate Spencer, Chancellor Sprague, Madilyn Sprague, Grant Sprainer, Cole St. John, Nicholas St. John, Ryan St. John, Jack St. Peter, Ryan Stafford, Tara Stein, Annie Steiner, Gretta Steiner, Helen Steiner, Hannah Stevens, Parker Stevens, Carson Stock, Logan Stock, Clare Stoddart, John Stone, Thomas Stone, Daniel Suchsland, Ramsey Swain, Riley Swain, Sawyer Swain, James Sweeney ّI Katiana Taubenberger, Jack Taylor, Katie Taylor, Mark Taylor, Trey Taylor, August Tell, Kelsey Thomas, Liesl Thome, Jack Thompson, Bridget Thomson, Ali Thul, Spencer Tinsman, William Tipping, Katie Traub, Gabriel Trevino, Taylor Tufano, Sara Turke, Jack Tuton, Alex Tyler 🔻 Karl Vanstrum, Hannah Verrastro, Sophie Verrastro, Maddie Vill, Alejandra Villarreal, Eugenio Villarreal, Gregory Vogel, Johnny Vogel, Franci Volpi, Hedvig Von Essen, Oscar Von Essen W Luke Walden, Julia Wallace, Peter Wallace, Marena Wallschlaeger, Nika Wallschlaeger, Jack Walsh, Duncan Ward, Jack Welch, Steven Westra, Anne Wheeler, Drew Whitaker, Alex Williamson, Kendall Williamson, Anderson Winslow, Katie Winslow, Vivian Wolkoff, Valerie Wood, Connor Wright, Margot Wright, Spencer Wright Y Tristan Yorek 🕻 Cami Zecker, Joe Zirnhelt, Maggie Zirnhelt, Alex Zwaschka, Alex Zwiefelhofer





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2009 Honors

Hall of Fame

Besides our traditional activity awards and Anchor awards that were distributed to deserving campers, The Hall of Fame is another important achievement. To achieve this recognition, a person needs to spend 10 summers at Foley as a camper and/or counselor or combination of the two. Hall of Fame prospects also have to write an essay entitled "What Camp Foley Means to Me" and complete a biography sheet describing their years at Foley.

In 2009, the following people received this honor:



Ally Daily





Gaby Driessen



Chris Blahna



Taylor Hines





Steve Nightengale

Ben Castaneda

Activity Achievements

From our 2009 summer, we would like to recognize the following campers who received the highest award offered in the activity:

Courtney Kronschnabel

Flying Eagle in Diving – Jack Failor, Erik Lindstedt, Hannah Michalek, Brandon Pearson, and Connor Wright

Top Rock in Biking - Davis LaMair and Jack Taylor

Beaver in Snorkeling- Gonzalo Arrangoiz, Megan Beh, Ally Daily, Elisabeth Dean, Bridget Kritz, Sophie Lehmann, and Madilyn Sprague

Rock Jock in Climbing - Michael Rutzick

Skipper in Sailing – Stephen Davis, Courtney Kronschnabel, Madeleine Loosbrock, and Cole Spencer

Shark in Swimming – Daniel Burford, Natalie Cooper, Sarah Karels, Tory Kronschnabel, Sam Munkeby, Parker Poche, and Connor Wright

Advanced Foil in Fencing — Brian Bucol, Hugh Burke, Christine Chappelle, Natalie Cooper, Ben Crites, Jack Cunningham, Jens Damgaard, Raphael Ferreira, Mark Foley, Daniel Garcia, Paulina Garcia de Alba, Grace Gerrard, Eliott Gourvil, Parker Gross, Margaret Harrington, Paige Harrington, Matthew Hoel, Hexser Holliday, Sarah Huss, Preston Johnson, Sarah Karels, Basti Korts, Kate Kugler, Claudia Leon de la Vega, Tony Martin, Zach McCormick, Robert Moore, Roman Moore, Mae Munkeby, Javier Palau-Hernandez, Lucas Peltier, Calvin Perkins, Conner Reed, Patricia Rios, Thomas Schroeder, Ryan St. John, James Sweeney, Will Tipping, Jase Tweedy Sophie Verrastro, Joe Zirnhelt, Maggie Zirnhelt, and Alex Zwiefelhofer

In these activities, the campers accomplished the highest for the year:

Silver Bow Archer 1st Class - Tate Spencer **Pathfinder in Camp Craft** – Gonzalo Arrangoiz

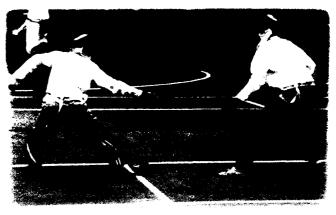
Sharpshooter #3 in Riflery - William Krebsbach

Advanced Intermediate in Tennis – Daniel Garcia, Michael

Guckeen, Erik Horstman and Elliot Newman

Advanced in Skiing – Ross Palmer, Michael Rutzick, and Nika Wallschlaeger

Intermediate in Wakeboarding – Rodrigo Garcia and Jack Walsh



A couple of Advanced Fencers compete in a match.

Bridge Crossing Essays

(Excerpts from the 2009 Bridge Crossing Essays)

The qualifications needed for the Bridge Crossing are attendance at Foley for at least 5 years and completion of the "What Camp Foley Means to Me" essay. There were many campers who were eligible for this honor, and we would like to thank the 16 individuals who decided to take the time to put their Foley experience into words by completing the essay. Congratulations!



Nicole Boyd - age 13

"I remember being frightened, scared, and confused my first day of camp, but when the OLG bus arrived I was welcomed by warm, smiling faces and tons of friendships just waiting to happen."



Marnie Brown - age 16

"One aspect of camp that I have brought to my everyday life is all that I learned in the LIT program. Being a LIT is challenging at times, but I count it among one of my most rewarding experiences....I was elected to my school's student council this past year and found myself thinking back to all that I learned in LIT meetings and pulling ideas to use for my school."



Char Carlton - age 14

"What I appreciate most is that when I come here I can do things that I don't do at home, like sail, shoot a gun, ski, or play human foosball — all things that I still enjoy after doing them countless times."



Matt Carney - age 16

"As we grow older, we forget the past. Such is life. But we cannot forget what has happened to us in this magical place we call Camp Foley...For all of those who have passed through and have yet to come, we have landed on something truly beautiful."



Ben Castaneda - past camper & counselor in '09

"Most importantly, only at Camp Foley can you truly learn through tradition what it is to laugh, to love, to play, to sing, and for two weeks out of the year, to really be a kid."



Ally Daily - age 15

"Camp was always my beacon of light in a dreary school year. Whenever I was sad I could look to the future or the past and think of camp...."



Elisabeth Dean - age 13

"When I get older I want to become a counselor here. I want to be able to see the kids come back every year and get older like some have done for me. I think the more you come the more important it is to you."



Gaby Driessen - past camper & counselor in '09

"When I first arrived for staff week, we were asked what our spark was. I wrote down traveling, but if I have learned anything over these past two weeks as a counselor, my three year hiatus of spending my summers here, or over my nine years as a camper, it is that Camp Foley is my spark."



Cole Shepherd - age 13

"Camp Foley has given me the opportunity to really make me realize that I can do something if I set my mind to it. I have experienced so many Foley Firsts I can't even believe it."



Dan Suchsland - age 16

"When I sit down and really think, it is all the great experiences and laughs that I have had the privilege to share with so many great people over the past five years. Camp has been a place where I have grown from a boy to a man, both physically and mentally."



Parker Poché - age 16

"The impression that camp has made on me is noticeable, I'll still go into thrift stores and see a crazy outfit and say, "That would be perfect for camp". Every story I tell at home will start, "this one time at Foley..."."



Michael Rutzick - age 14

"Foley is a paradise because of all the awesome activities it offers that I can't do at home. Activities such as sailing, riflery, and canoeing. It is also a paradise because of all the time you don't have to relax — it's all non-stop fun and I think that it is great."



Megan Schmidt - age 16

"...And I know camp wouldn't be such a heaven-on-earth without all the staff members, especially counselors. I have loved every one who had to put up with me and my cabin for the past five years."



Tory Kronschnabel - age 11

"At camp I have learned how to do many things from archery to windsurfing. I have found activities which I love through camp. I really enjoy water skiing because it takes a lot of effort."



Maddie Loosbrock - age 14

"My days at camp have helped me spread my wings to try new things, meet new people, and become more confident. I can proudly say camp has helped me become a more confident person and a much better leader than I was five summers ago."



Steve Nightengale - past camper & counselor in '09

"Memories- Fr. Foley's Chapel Talks on Thursday nights, which often covered the sin of Pillow Fighting. When you destroyed a camp pillow, he said, it was a form of thievery, which he pronounced without the "h"."

If 2010 will be your 5th summer or more, you are invited to become part of the Bridge Crossing group. To become a member, you need to write an essay of 500 words or more on "What Camp Foley Means to Me?". Submit your essay to Camp Foley. Hint - do your essay this winter!

Stepping Stones

The qualification needed for the Stepping Stones is attendance at Foley for at least 3 years. The 2009 campers who received this recognition signed a special board that is hanging in the Dining Hall. Congratulations to all of those campers! It was impressive!



2009 Honors (continued)



Connor Wright

Birchbark Awards

The Birchbark Awards are awarded to campers who complete at least half of the requirements for the Silver or Gold Paddle Awards and who have followed Foley's Code of Living. For 2009, we would like to recognize Tory Kronschnabel and Connor Wright for putting forth the effort to complete the requirements for the Silver Birchbark Award. Congrats!

Anchor Award

The Anchor Award is an award that honors outstanding campers who demonstrate qualities of being friendly, well mannered, respectful, and enthusiastic. All nominees for the award must have attended camp for a minimum of 5 weeks. The recipients are chosen by written vote of both the campers and staff during each session. The 2009 Anchor Awards were presented to the following campers:



1st Session Matt Carney, Ale Villarreal & Parker Poché



2nd Session Chris O'Malley & Jess Hickok



3rd Session Peter Hughes & Molly McGuire







4th Session Cole Spencer, Jeff Pflanz & Courtney Kronschnabel

Coming in December

2009 Campers should watch the mail for the calendar full of colored pictures from the summer of 2009.

To see more pictures from the summer of 2009, go to our web

Parent Comments!

"When [my husband] and I finally made it up to visit this year, I wondered...was camp really that beautiful, fun, wholesome and full of action? Or was our daughter somehow exaggerating — imagining — even hallucinating such a perfect place? The answer was yes — it's really great and no- she's not kidding!" Mother of 7th Year Camper — Illinois

"[My son] came off the bus and said that this past 2 weeks was his best camp ever. He really enjoyed all the kids in the cabin and both counselors. He is interested in doing some counseling later in his teens. Whatever you are doing — it has been a great experience for [my son] — keep it up." Mother of 4th Year Camper — Minnesota

"[My son] had an AMAZING time at Camp Foley. When I asked him the other day, what his favorite thing has been about summer,



he said "camp"! I was very impressed by the number of activities offered at Camp Foley and by his enthusiasm for the ones he chose. I was also impressed by the quality of the counselors

and by their mid-session and post-session communication to us. [My son] loved his counselors, and I am sure this was a contributing factor in his enjoyment of camp." Mother of 1st Year Camper — Wisconsin

"[My son] came home elated with his Foley experience this year. He is even considering going back next summer, even though he had planned this to be his last summer. He really enjoyed his LIT experience and thinks he would love to be a counselor some day. And he was really happy with all the friends he made from around the world. Really, he couldn't stop smiling!" Parents of 7th Year Camper — Minnesota

"My husband and I are very impressed with your camp — especially the counselors and the staff (including the Nurse's office). The counselors are top notch — I can tell from the stories [my daughter] tells me, the pictures she took, and the counselors feedback, how awesome they all are — hopefully they will all be back!" Mother of 3rd Year Camper — Minnesota

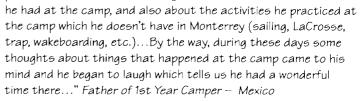
"The best part of the experience in my mind was the fact that the camp focuses on character traits in a way that makes the kids act responsibly and respectfully within the community. Hike that you

do a reading at meals, that you talk about character traits and that there are banners and visual reminders in the dining hall. It sets the expectations for respectful and responsible behavior and makes kids feel really safe. I wish there was more modeling and setting expectations like that for kids in our world today." Parents of 1st Year Camper – Washington

"She loves trying new things. We were surprised she chose riflery, but seemed to enjoy it. Thanks for providing insight into [my daughter] away from home. She's pretty private about her performances — so it was fun to hear she hammed it up in the show." Mother of 3rd Year Camper — Missouri

"My kids learned a great deal about independence while meeting new people and learning about different cultures. They even loved the food and now want me to make things they tried. (You even got [my son] to eat his veggies)." Mother of 3rd Year Camper — Missouri

"Since we picked him up at the airport he has not stopped talking to us, his grandparents and friends about the great time



"When I picked her up at the airport, the first words out of her mouth were "I'm going back next year!" She loved everything about it, the food was great, she tried all activities from sailing to horseback riding, and even though she went with [a friend from home], she met a bunch of new friends that were already texting her." Mother of 1st Year Camper – Illinois



"I keep asking [my son] for some "detailed" information about Camp. but as I read the categories to him — his reply to every one is: Awesome! Awesome! Awesome! Awesome! Thank you all very very much for giving him a great camp experience." Mother of 1st Year Camper — Ohio

"This was [our son's] 1st year at

Foley and he didn't know anyone else, but the counselors made him feel at home right away. All of the counselors' hard work did not go unnoticed by [our son] — he thought they had pretty tough jobs. He has shown some interest in being a Camp Foley counselor when he gets older." Parents of 1st Year Camper — Minnesota

"[Our son] had an amazing time at camp this last two weeks. His counselors and cabin mates were a particular highlight. We are very proud of his ability and willingness to come to camp knowing no one – you made that very easy for him with activities designed to "bond" the kids and enable them to make new friends." Parents of 3rd Year Camper – Minnesota

Feedback

It is not too late! We would still love to hear from you. Send in the parent comment form or go online and fill out the online form (under the Parents tab). Thanks to everyone that already sent in comments!

Leadership Program - Thank You!



Once again we had a lot of campers who successfully completed the various levels of the Leadership Program! A big thank you to these campers who used their leadership skills in a variety of ways from leading evening programs to helping decorate for the banquets! Our younger campers as well as our staff appreicated everything you did to help keep the Foley spirit alive.

LITs 1, LITs 2, and LITs 3 2009

We had another great summer with our LIT 1, 2 and 3's! They practiced leadership skills while doing games and initiatives with their peers as well as the younger campers. They also had a lot of time to hone their organizational and leadership skills while planning a one hour special event for our younger camper cabins, like casino night, spa night, nature adventure, and twists on all our favorite sports.

In addition, the LITs 1, 2, and 3's had a chance to create and plan a morning event for all of camp. They did a great job using their creativity with our Survival of the Foleyist, 4th of July Celebration, Hogwarts is in Session and Fairy Tale Adventure mornings.



Counselors in Training 2009

These campers were going into 11th grade and were at camp for four weeks. They made a commitment to focus their leadership and time with our younger campers. They assisted these campers in their cabins, at their tables, and in their activities. They also entertained them with four amazing CIT campfires. A very special thank you to these CITs! Many times we hear, "I'm going to be just like them when I grow up and be a CIT!" A big thank you to Kylie Beltz, Matt Carney, Eric Newman, Parker Poché, Daniel Suchsland, Courtney Kronschnabel, Katie McGuire, Molly McGuire, and Cole Spencer.

Dishwashers 2009

On those hot summer days, we had a wonderful crew of campers who worked off some of their camp tuition while doing dishes. The following campers enhanced on their work experience while helping out the camp community: Alex Niebur, Char Carlton, Luke Walden, Courtney Kronschnabel, Katie McGuire, Joe Dwyer, Aly Sklare, Jeff Pflanz, Emily Sciortino, Peter Hughes, Stephen Davis, Jake Ernst, Cameron Jackson, Kevin Beltz, Eliott Gourvil, Rose Shaffer, Adam Kay, Kylie Beltz, Parker Poché, Jessica Hickok, Vanna Gworek, Tyler Moffat, Will Turner, Will Crawford, Matt Meshbesher, Hexser Holliday, Nika Wallschlaeger, Emily Newman - You were truly appreciated!!





Join the Leadership Program!

We are now taking applications to be part of the LIT, CIT and Dishwashing programs for next summer! You can find the online applications on the CIT/LIT Section of the website, along with more program highlights. Let us know if you have any questions!

http://campfoley.com/apps/joomla/campers/lits-a-cits/intro

Look Who's Registered! (as of November 11th, 2009)

WOW! We have almost 200 kids registered for 2010!

Niko Agnes, Effie Albitz, Grant Altenhofen-Sonner, Eric Anderson, Dillon Arens, Laura Baker, Alessandro Baravalle, Zachary Barton, Lauren Beh, Megan Beh, Kevin Beltz, Vince Biaggio, Conor Brodnick, Ellis Brown, Evan Brown, Jack Calderone, Sabrina Carlins, Collin Carpenter, Claire Castaneda, Christine Chappelle, John Combs, Anna Copman, Ben Crites, Jens Damgaard, Krista Dammen, Laura Davis, Stephen Davis, Martin Dieck, Joe Dwyer, Conor Failor, Jack Failor, Allie Farino, Alec Felton, Melissa Ferrie, Meggie Flinn, Mike Flinn, Erin Foley, Mark Foley, Connor Gallagher, Sean Gallagher, Henry Gamble, Jorge Garcia, Courtney Geller, Toby Glover, Martel Gonzalez, Mariel Guzman, Sofia Guzman, Vanna Gworek, Archie Hamel, Jack Hamel, Camren Hansen, Paige Harrington, Florence Harting, Hugo Harting, TJ Hendrickson, Helena Hickok, Jessica Hickok, Emily Hines, Alexis Hoedeman, Adam Hofmann, Claire Howes, Cole Howes, David Husband, Anna Hutter, Christopher Ivins, Lauren Ivins, Cameron Jackson, Caroline Jaeger, Matthew Jaeger, Anders Jensen, Preston Johnson III, Sarah Karels, Foster Kraft, Hudson Kraft, Nick Kronschnabel, Kevin Kruemplestaedter, Sara Kruemplestaedter, Taylor Kugler, Claudia Leon de la Vega, Jeremy Levinson, Josh Levinson, Sarah Little, Miranda Lockner, Ellie Mahoney, TJ Mahoney, Diego Marcos, Charlie Marrone, Carlos Martinez, Karen Martinez, Joe Mays, Schae Mays, Lilly McCarty, Nolan McGrann, Emily McGuire, Megan McGuire, Tommy McGuire, Jorge Meckelein, Regina Meckelein, Lucy Melbinger, Kevin Mickan, Kevin Moakley, Sean Moakley, Hannah Moen, Caroline Moore, Robert Moore, Roman Moore, Chase Mueller, Jack Munkeby, Joe Munkeby, Mae Munkeby, Sam Munkeby, Addie Newsome, Susan Nitschke, Braze Nolin, Pierce Nolin, Quinn Nolin, Hannah Norman, Ben O'Malley, Chris O'Malley, Elizabeth Olson, Grant Oncay, Andres Ornelas, Rodrigo Ornelas, Juan Pablo Orta, Lars Oslund, Max Palmer, Ross Palmer, Julia Parkerson, Evan Patchen, Kaeli Patchen, Brandon Pearson, Riley Peterson, Zander Peterson, Gavin Quiton, Parker Reed, Christopher Revord, Claire Revord, Kathryn Revord, Michael Revord, Gabriel Rodriguez, Calvin Rose, Michael Rutzick, Emma Ryan, Karli Ryan, Marcelo Saenz, Mauricio Saenz, Diego Scala, Mauricio Scala, Ellie Scheid, Grant Schrof, Caroline Schuler, Mary Grace Schuler, Emily Sciortino, Charles Shearon, Tate Spencer, Connor Stevens, Parker Stevens, John Stone, Thomas Stone, Katiana Taubenberger, Jack Taylor, Kelsey Thomas, Andrew Thompson, Fritz Thompson, Bridget Thomson, Inaara Touche, Nicole Touche, Sara Turke, Maddie Vill, Alejandra Villarreal, Eugenio Villarreal, Gregory Vogel, Johnny Vogel, Luke Walden, Jack Walsh, John Walsh, Steven Westra, Drew Whitaker, Alex Williamson, Kendall Williamson, Alex Winslow, Anderson Winslow, Katie Winslow

Congratulations to Mike & Kate!

We would like to congratulate our summer Assistant Directors, Mike and Kate Mogard, who welcomed their first child, a little girl, this fall.

Maisie Clair was born on October 23rd in Brookings. South Dakota. Mom, Dad and baby are doing really well!

Here is their address if you would like to send cards:

Mike & Kate Mogard 1003 3rd Avenue Brookings, SD 57006



The Gong Podcast

Be sure to check out the all NEW episodes of The Gong Podcast! This is your place to keep connected with Foley on the during the school year and hear what is happening with your friends around the world. Let us entertain you with stories from Foleyland and update you on contests that we might be having.

Go to our website: <u>www.campfolev.com</u> and click on

The Gong Podcast icon.

We are also on iTunes! Subscribe and leave us a review!

Also, go to our website to Join the Foley Facebook Group.





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Tell Your Friends About Foley!

Do you know someone looking for fun, friendships and new skills? Share with them your memorable experiences of Camp Foley and encourage them to register. You'll receive \$25 off your camp tuition for each person you sign-up. So... tell your friends! Applies only to registrants who are totally new to Foley, excluding siblings or children of alumni.



Melse your summer Stylles

You may have memories of riding bikes or memories of long, long hikes.

You may think long of learning to sail or finding a way to get more mail.

You may laugh with friends you'll have forever or counselors that are downright clever.

You may be thinking of flashlights gleaming or hoping to see the Minnesota stars beaming.

But whatever direction your mind may wander, we hope you find some time to ponder,

That although your yard may be full of snow, your times at Foley will forever GLOW.

New Year's Eve - GLOW with the whole Foley Family!

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We invite all of you to join with fellow campers, staff, and alumni around the world to light a candle, crack a glow stick, or swing a flashlight around in honor of your friendships, memories, and experiences at camp.

Be sure to take a picture New Year's Eve of yourself (and any other camp friends). Email or facebook the pictures to us - we hope to collect pictures from all over the world!

Check out the Foley website in early January to see where all the international Foley crew was on New Years 2010!

HAPPY HOLIDAYS FROM ALL OF US AT FOLEY!















Camp Store





Long Sleeve Mirco-Mesh Shirt

A 1/4 zip-up with logo in left upper corner. Choose between men's black S-XL and women's black or white S-L. \$30.00





Striped Knit Hat

This knit hat has the logo on the front and available in blue/gold/ white/black or pink/red/white/black stripes. \$15.00





Rash Guard

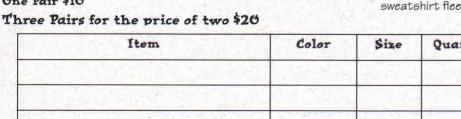
A tight fitting rash guard will keep you warm while swimming in the water. Choose between black/blue/white or green/white/blue or red/white/blue. Youth L or adult S-XXL. Call to verify sizes. \$30.00



Tube Socks

Stay warm with Camp Foley Tube Socks. Imprinted Camp Foley along the side. Choose between red, teal, or navy blue and youth or adult fit.

One Pair \$16







Thermal Zip-Up Sweatshirt

A zip-up thermal outside and sherpa lining sweatshirt will keep you warm. It has two front pockets, a hood and "Camp Foley Whitefish Lake Rec. Center 1924" written in the center. Choose navy blue or

brown in adult S-XXL. \$35.60





Old School Style Hat and Scarf

Stay warm with a knit hat or scarf with logo.

Hat \$15.00 Scarf \$16.00 Both \$25.00



This charcoal heather grey blanket is 65% polyester/35% cotton sweatshirt fleece with clean finished edges, 54" x 80" \$36.72

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Camp Foley Connection.

Alumni Page!

If you haven't been to our Alumni page since last February - GO! We have a new website and new content complete with picture archives going all the way back to the 1920's! There are also lists of Anchor Award Winners, Gold and Silver Paddle winners and Hall of Fame inductees. Many 2nd & 3rd generation kids are also now being recognized in those categories so you may see the kids of people you knowl

Foley on Facebook!



There are a couple ways that you can stay connected via facebook:



Become a Foley Fan - add Camp Foley **FOLEY** to your list of Fan Pages on your profile. The easiest way to do this is search

for "Camp Foley" in facebook. Then click on "Pages". You can then select Camp Foley. You can also go to this direct link: http://www.new.facebook.com/pages/Pine-River-MN/Camp-Foley/34721577295. Leave us a review and also find out about events that we are having.

Welcome to:



Camp Foley Alums group - Use this web address to find the "Camp Foley Alums" facebook group: http://www.new.facebook. com/group.php?gid=8206283669. Join

the group to find others on facebook, see pictures and share memories.

Pizza Parties!

There is no better way to get yourself reconnected with the camp magic as attending a Pizza Party/Video Showing. Bring your kids, grandkids, neighbors, nieces, nephews or anyone else that may have an interest in camp. We look forward to seeing you all there!

St. Paul/Minneapolis Area

Monday, Jan. 25th at 6:30 pm Southdale Area Library 7001 York Avenue S Edina, MN 55435-2510

Chicago Area

Wednesday, Jan. 27th at 6:30 pm Winnetka Community House 620 Lincoln Avenue Winnetka, IL 60093-2371

Phoenix Area

Thursday, Feb. 11th at 6 pm *Please contact us for details.

Des Moines Area

Tuesday, Jan 26th at 6:30 pm *Please contact us for details.

St. Louis Area

Sunday, Jan. 31st at 2 pm The Heights Community Center 8001 Dale Avenue Richmond Heights, MO 63117

Foley's Podcast - "The Gong"!

Many of you have already gotten hooked on "The Gong" - Foley's Podcast! If you have yet to discover the magic - you should! Each month a new one will be posted! Catch up with

news from around camp, hear funny skits and songs and relive some of those famous Foley memories. We also do interviews and allow you to give input on what is on the next episode. Search for "Camp Foley" in iTunes or go to our website.

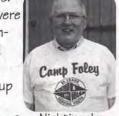


Bridge Crossing and Hall of Fame

You can only imagine the surprise that our campers had as we gathered outside of the dining hall in response to the ringing of the emergency drill bell to find two distinguished alumni in their Anniversary shirts.

Steve Nightingale and Jim Conley who were campers in the 50s, CITs and finally counselors in early 60s stopped by to say hil

Steve wrote his 500 word essay to become part of the Bridge Crossing group (those campers and staff that spent 5 summers or more at Foley), shared some of



Nightingale

his memories with the campers and was inducted into the Hall of Fame. This was a Foley First having an alumnus return for this honorary ceremony. The campers were so impressed that Steve received a standing ovation and kids wanted their pictures taken with him! Numerous campers wanted to know if he knew their dads!

Here are some recaps of his memories

- Fr. Foley Chapel Talks on Thursday nights which often covered the Sin of Pillow Fighting
- · Bob and Vi, the growing family, and their house with the little picket fence
- Harvey Cleaver and the singing of H-A-R-V-E-Y-M-O-U-S-E when he was trying to make announcements
- The Hobart Dishwasher, the center of our lives as CITs
- · Mike Redmond's formula for preventing sunburn, a little tincture of iodine in a Johnson's Baby Oil jar
- · Getting up at 5:00 a.m. to go fishing
- · Singing John Jacob Jingelheimer Schmidt and everything else in the green song book
- · Putting gasoline on your hair to keep the mosquitoes away in July (and no, we didn't smoke in those days)

Contact us if you would like to join either the Bridge Crossing Group (5 yrs) or the Hall of Fame (10 yrs)!

2010 Alumni Triathlon Weekend

About the Race

The Camp Foley Triathlon is the perfect event to reconnect with camp friends in the spirit of competition while running, biking and canoeing.

Participants and their families are **invited to spend the night** (in Foley's cabins or at local hotels) and relive your camp memories while feasting at a **banquet on Saturday evening** and a **Sunday brunch** (complete with soda bread).

Make history and join us for another Foley First! Our goal is to provide you with an enjoyable triathlon experience and plenty of time to reconnect with camp friends.

When & Where

Saturday & Sunday, September 18 & 19, 2010. Directions can be found on our website.

Event Proceeds

Proceeds raised from this event will go towards Camp Foley's Scholarship Fund with checks being written to ACA Scholarship Program. We appreciate the efforts to make a camping experience possible for future Foley campers who otherwise could not attend.

Divisions

Participants may compete as part of a two person team or as an individual and we will find you a canoeing partner.

Two person teams can choose to canoe together and both do the running and biking or do it as a relay with one biking and one canoeing. Or they can canoe together and one person can be off running and biking.

Awards

All triathlon participants attending the awards ceremony will have an opportunity to win a grand prize drawing of one week of camp tuition in 2011.

Awards will be presented to winners with divisions being determined in the spring as we get a feel for the number and ability of registrants.

Kid's Races

Races and events of varying levels for kids of all ages will be held on Saturday. Including "The Foley Green Sprint & Wiggle" (5 yrs & younger), "The Foley Loop & Obstacle" (6-11 yrs), and "The Junior Tri-Two Mile Run & Field Challenge" (11-13 yrs).

Triathlon Race Course

The race course is a short course that allows for people of all athletic abilities to participate. With options available to do parts of the race, we hope you will at least join us for one or two of the legs.

Canoeing

This is a two person effort where you will canoe approximately 2 miles (wind dependent). Pairs will be placed in heats according to their estimated canoeing ability. Only two people per canoe are allowed and lifejackets must be worn. The canoeing pair can be two triathlon participants or a person who only competes in this event. Foley will provide canoes and paddles.

Biking

The bike course will be 10 miles conquering the hills and curves on CR 134, out to Highway 1 and east to The Ole Grade Road and back to Foley. All cyclists must observe MN traffic laws. Certified hard-shelled bike helmets are required. No listening devices are allowed. Drafting is prohibited.

Running

The running course will be 3 miles going west of camp on a paved road encompassing a loop and returning to the same spot. Listening devices are strongly discouraged on the course.

Schedule of Events Saturday, September 18, 2010

1:00 Registration Opens
Tours of Camp

Tours of Camp

Practice running, biking and canoeing

Socializing

Canteen Open

Climbing, archery, tennis, basketball, tetherball, sand volleyball, and human foosball

3:00 Kid's Races

4:30 Kids Award's Ceremony

5:30 Saturday Buffet

Sunday, September 19, 2010

8:00 Check-in and body marking

8:30 Mandatory pre-race meeting

9:00 Race start

TBD Soda Bread Breakfast/Awards Ceremony

Participant and Spectator Entry Fees

Checks made out to: ACA Scholarship Program. 2 ways to enter! You can either enter as a Race Participant or a Race Spectator. This fee is nonrefundable as they will be sent to the ACA for the scholarship fund. All of the donations will be used to send campers to Camp Foley specifically.

Participant Fees - Adults (14+)*

Two Person Team

\$150.00 – Minimum donation prior to 5/1

\$180.00 - Minimum donation on and after 5/1

Individual (In need of a Canoe Partner)

\$75.00 – Minimum donation prior to 5/1

\$100.00 - Minimum donation on and after 5/1

*Includes race fee, t-shirt, pre-race oranges and granola bars, camp activities and Saturday evening buffet.

Spectator Fees - Adults (14+)*

\$35.00 - Minimum donation prior to 5/1

\$50.00 - Minimum donation on and after 5/1

*Includes t-shirt, camp activities & Saturday evening buffet.

Kid's Prices (13 & Under)*

Kids 2 and under - Free

Kids 3-5 years old (racers and spectators)

\$15.00 - Minimum donation prior to 5/1

\$20.00 - Minimum donation and after 5/1

Kids 6-13 years old (racers and spectators)

\$35.00 - Racing, Minimum prior to 5/1

\$50.00 - Racing, Minimum on and after 5/1

*Includes t-shirt, camp activities & Saturday evening buffet. The kids' fee is the same for racers and spectators so that kids can join the races at the last second or can opt out if they aren't in the mood to race on that day.

Food and Lodging Fees

Saturday Buffet: Included in entry fees! Sunday Soda Bread & Fruit (after the race)*:

Adults \$15.00

Children 3-11 years old \$7.50, 2 & under free

*Money for Soda Bread Breakfast due on race day.

Foley Cabin Rental & Shower/Washo Use:

Up to 10 people/cabin - \$150.00

*Please see the Cabin Rental form on the website for more specific information about renting a cabin or call or email us for more information. Check payable to Camp Foley is due with Rental Form. Refundable until July 15, 2010.

Lodging

- Rustic cabins at Camp Foley
 See the Cabin Rental form on the website.
- Manhattan Beach Lodge, Manhattan Beach www.mblodge.com, (218) 692-3381
- Whitefish Lodge and Suites, Crosslake whitefish-lodge.com/, (218) 692-2246
- Pine Peaks, Crosslake pinepeakscrosslake.com, 888-488-7829
- AmericInn, Pequot Lakes www.americinn.com/hotels/MN/PequotLakes, 888-205-3488

How do I sign up or get more information?!

- 1. Go to: www.campfoley.com/apps/joomla/alumni/welcome
- 2. To get more information or be added to the email list, fill out the online form.
- 3. To register for the event, print off and fill out either a Participant or Spectator Registration form for EVERY PERSON attending.
- **4.** Write a check to: **ACA Scholarship Program** for the cost of the entry fees (does not include lodging or breakfast).
- 5. Send the forms (1 per person attending) as well as the check made out to ACA Scholarship Program to:

9303 Father Foley Dr Pine River, MN 56474 Attn: Alumni Triathlon

6. Pass on the word about the Triathlon.

OPTIONAL: If you would like to rent a cabin, print and fill out a Cabin Rental form (found on the website). Include a check for \$150.00, written out to Camp Foley. Cabins will be rented on a first come first serve basis. We only need the check and a contact person to hold the cabin. You can add on the names of the other people staying in your cabin as you finalize your plans (up to 10 people).

SEE YOU IN SEPTEMBER!

2009 Scholarship Donors

Camp Foley would like to extend a big THANK YOU to everyone who supported this program through contributions. In spite of a gloomy economy, we still received generous donations totaling \$7,313.32 to our 2009 scholarship program. This amount allowed us to offer full and partial scholarships to 14 deserving applicants, giving them the opportunity to experience all that Camp Foley has to offer.

Our scholarship campers add diversity to our camp community, generally coming from inner city and rural settings. Some of them are wards of the state, being raised by a grandparent, from low income families struggling to make ends meet, or from needy families seeking opportunities to provide their kids with positive alternatives to inner city gangs, drugs, rural isolation, and/or other challenges.

Thank you for truly making a difference in the lives of Camp Foley's scholarship campers - you are AWESOME!

In Memory of:

2009 sadly marked the loss of two very dear Foley friends, Dr. Mark Norman and Clinton Andrus. We would like to extend a special thank you to their families for directing their memorials to the Camp Foley Scholarship Fund. We will miss their stories and support of camp.

Here is what a couple of the scholarship kids had to say about their 2009 Camp Foley experience:

"It was great being around people of different cultures, backgrounds, and nationalities. I learned to expand my imagination to associate myself with all people no matter what they look like or where they come from... It is people like you that make kids' summers awesome. Thank you for everything you have provided me during the two weeks I was at your camp." ~ Girl age 12

"I had the time of my life at Camp Foley and I want to thank you for all of the years you have granted me to come to your camp... For six years you have provided me with friends, fun, and memories that will last my entire life... Thank you so much." ~ Boy age 16

Want to make a donation???? Please send your tax deductible donation to Camp Foley. Checks should be made to the "American Camping Association" and designated for the Camp Foley Scholarship Program.

Direct Scholarship Donors (\$6670.85 - includes the memorials)

Julia Brown

Matt and Robyn Busekrus in honor of Mike Busekrus Katie Christensen, Rachel & Mike Foote, Molly Christensen & Jeff Reitesema, and John Christensen on behalf of Robert F. Christensen and Herbert & Shela (Donahue) Christensen

Taylor Costas

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Greg Haley

Colleen and Henry Huey

Peter and Kym Kronschnabel

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Maria Osborne

Kathleen Philipp

J. Timothy Power

Gerald and Sally Reichert in memory of H.L. Reichert, M.D Kathy and John Sluis in honor of camper Michael Sluis

Haven and Linda Williams

Family Donations via Summer 2009 Canteen Balances/Other (\$642.47)

Brian and Jennifer Abraham

Christine Altenhofen-Sonner and Luke Sonner

Dan and Kerima Brattland

Tony and Paige Christianson

Heidi Cuca-Conklin

Kurt and Sylvia Firary

Phillip and Jeanne Foussard

Dan Foy and Julie Brennan

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Tim and Gayle Ober

David and Barbara Patchen Kristin Peter Chris and Ann Pulling

Tom and Anne Reinhart Bob and Kim Roach

Tom and Stacey Ryan James and Tracy Steiner

Brian and Janice Sweeney

Randy and Heather Williamson

Foley History Quiz

Last summer we celebrated our 85th Anniversary each session beginning with sharing of Foley history, old movies, and songs from the past. Each camper received a "retro" t-shirt and camp pictures were taken in those matching shirts, just like days past. We had numerous visitors who joined us for a meal in our camp Dining Hall sometimes sharing a memory or leading a song. Tours were given and memories were passed onto the next generation.

One evening the campers took the Historical Quiz allowing cabin groups to compete against each other. Here is a sampling of the questions asked. Test your knowledge! Answers are at the bottom.

- 1. What year was Human Foosball and the Barn built?
- 2. Out of what material were the first canoes at camp made?
- 3. Where was the first Riflery Range located?
- 4. Since the start of the sailing program in 1946, what kinds of boats have been sailed?
- 5. What year did the Climbing Tower go up?
- 6. When did the water ski program start & what was the horsepower of the first boat?
- 7. The first Chapel was located in what cabin?
- 8. The white Marina building has been a landmark since it was built in what year?
- 9. What year was the current Dining Hall completed?
- 10. When did the first girls come to Foley in the summer program?
- 11. What three names has camp had over the years?
- 12. What activity that campers participated in during the 60's no longer exists?



Our Lady of Snow Chapel, winter 2008.

Answers 1. 2003; 2. Canvas – last one sold in 1955 and replaced by green Aberglase canoes; 3. By Mandan/Kewaskum – 1938; 4. Canoe with a Sail, X-Boar, C-Scow, M-16, E-Scow, Super Sharke, Sharke, Super Hobie Car, Tanzer 22, Opti, 420, Catalina, J-15; 5. 1999; 6. 1956 Glasepar-green & white, 30 hp motor; 7. Kildare; 8. 1958; 9. 2000; 10. 1974; 11.Camp St. Thomas, Father Foley Camp for Boye, and Camp Foley, 12. Boxing

Schmid Wedding

Congratulations to Jana & Chris!

We would like to congratulate Jana Schmid, daughter of Rob and Mary Schmid on her marriage to Chris Liakos. The couple, along with family and friends, celebrated on the island of Cozumel, Mexico. The festivities included a pirate ship rehearsal dinner, a beach front ceremony

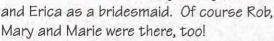


Jana and Chris

and was capped with a **bride and groom plunge in to the ocean** in full wedding attire!

All of the Schmid family cousins (Alli, Steve, Mike,

Laura, Erica, Peter, Kylie, and Kevin) were in attendance with Alli serving as the maid of honor, Mike serving as a groomsman,



Several Foley alumni and long time family friends also made the trip including: The Driessen (Lopez) Family, The Pflanz Family and Kathleen Meyer (Schmitz).



Jana and Rob

Mogard Baby

Congratulations to Mike & Kate!

We would like to congratulate our summer Assistant Directors, Mike and Kate (Fuller) Mogard, who welcomed their first child, a little girl, this fall.





Maisie Clair was born on October 23rd in Brookings, South Dakota.

Congrats!

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