



*New Jersey  
4-H Camp*



# CLASSES



*For the  
BIG Session*

**In addition to Camp classes and programs as usual, campers will enroll in one "BIG" class for the duration of their stay. This will allow them to really dive into one of their favorite elements of 4-H Camp for approximately 25 whole hours of class time!**

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## **Lake Shawanni Life**

Some campers never want to leave the lake - now, they very rarely have to. Lake Shawanni Lifers will experience all the swimming, jumping, water-sliding, canoeing, kayaking, corcling, and hanging out in the sun on the dock, that our camper's could dream of.

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## **Extreme Survival Challenge**

Campers will dive into the wilderness skills of fire building, shelter making, outdoor cooking and more,. They'll team up for a whole series of challenges and scenarios in various remote and wooded spots around 4-H Camp.

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## **Disc Golf Open**

Ever since we installed our Disc Golf course, it's become one of our most popular camp activities. However, there never seems to be quite enough time to play the whole thing. That's an issue no longer! Campers will have more than enough opportunities to master the course, try for their personal best scores, and even take a shot at the course record.

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## **4-H Camp News Team**

There's gonna be A LOT going on during 18 days in a row at 4-H Camp, and our ACTION NEWS TEAM is who we trust to report it all. From news casts during meals and morning meetings to a newspaper distributed to the cabins, our Action News Team will be writing (and performing) the first draft of Camp History.



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## Hiking Club: Ranger and Ultra-Ranger

4-H Camp is surrounded by criss-crossing trails which take campers all over Stokes Forest, through Tilman's Ravine, along the Appalachian Trail, and more. Our Hiking Club will get the chance to hike and map almost all of these trails, and explore the woods of Stokes more thoroughly than any campers have before.

**Ranger** level will thoroughly explore all the trails here on Camp and the paths going out into Stokes Forest around us, focusing on hikes of six miles or less (still a challenge!).

Our **Ultra-Rangers** will engage in several full day hikes exploring neighboring ridges, lakes, waterfalls and more venturing into the Deleware Water National Recreation area and completeing several hikes of 10 miles or more.



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## Pottery Masters

Pottery has long been one of the most in-demand 4-H Camp classes, and now we have a whole **BIG CLASS** devoted to it. Campers will have the opportunity to spend an extensive amount of time on the wheel, building their skills and trying new techniques on a variety of different pieces. The class will also get to take advantage of the extended duration by firing multiple finished pots in our kiln.



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## Summer Showdown

Join camp's BIG Session BIG Class BIG Gameshow - Summer Showdown! In the BIG Summer Showdown campers will compete as individuals, pairs, and a team in various mental, endurance, balance, and memory challenges - all requiring an element of skill, luck, teamwork, and pure camp energy as campers compete to become the Ultimate Camp Champ. The various challenges will feature elements from all around camp including fire-building, archery, boating, as well as other zany campy challenges specific to the different terrains around camp. With high stakes twists and turns and some All-Camp spotlight events, Showdown is sure to add an extra dose of excitement into the Big Session.



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## Camp Cocoa House

New for '23, Camp Cocoa House is a multi-media art class building to a camp-wide communal event. Campers will spend time focusing on poetry, music, photography, creative writing, art and more. Campers will explore new passions as they plan to feature their creations on one of the last nights of the big session by curating our Camp Cocoa House. For the Camp Cocoa House, campers will design and decorate the Rec Hall to be an evening long showcase of our community's talents, served alongside, of course, steaming cups of hot cocoa. Join the cocoa crew to experience and create some of 4-H Camp's artistic magic!