



BIG LEAGUE NEWS

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Rick Schmid
Head Counselor



Week #4 says we're half way thru
And to some we sadly say good bye to you.
We've done quite a bit in the 1st four
But trust me we'll do a whole lot more.
So 'till next week I'll sign out,
But I'll say it with a Big League shout!!!

BITS AND PIECES OF WEEK 4 - 2009

- **FANTASY CAMP 2009!!** Enclosed you will find information and an application for ILDC Fantasy Camp. If you have any younger children or have friends with young children who would like to "try" camp for 3 days, please take advantage of this wonderful opportunity!
- The Preppys, our littlest campers, are off and running and having so much fun at camp, swimming, singing and dancing, playing sports, cooking, crafting and making new camp friends.
- Camp extensions have been mailed. If you want to add more weeks for your camper, please call us immediately and return the extension form as soon as possible. Spots are tight in groups and on the buses.
- **Family Fun Day** is this **Sunday, July 26th from 12-4**. Hope you can be here with us for a fun filled afternoon. You may bring your own lounge chairs and towels. We will provide the games, food and fun! Hot dogs will be served 12:30-2:30.
- We have sent you, our **Parent Camp Questionnaire**. We would like to know how we are doing and how your camper is enjoying his/her camp experience. We greatly appreciate your comments and feedback.
- For those parents who like to plan ahead, 2010 marks ILDC's 40th Anniversary!! Camp dates for **2010 are Monday, June 28th-Friday, August 20th**. Super Early Bird camp applications for 2010, **with the lowest tuition prices**, will be available early next month. If you know any new families interested in camp for 2010 they are welcome and encouraged to tour and see camp in action. Please have them call the camp office to set up an appointment.
- We are trying very hard to return any lost items to your camper. Please help us by making sure all clothing items and towels have your child's name on it. **Please DO NOT use initials. Label EVERYTHING with your child's FIRST AND LAST NAME.** Use laundry markers or the cute personal "Stuck on You" labels. Also, when labeling goggles and water bottles please write your child's name on adhesive or electrical tape. Permanent markers get washed away in the pool. **Lost and Found is located in the Camp lobby.** Please claim your missing items!

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Monica Tobio – Lower Division

Sharon Katzanek – Middle Division

Jeff Sheiner – Upper Division

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Howie Gandelman – CAPs

Eric Silverman - LIT

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Circulating to Happy Campers!

GRADS
Lindsay Singer

- G-** Great day at Point Pleasant (even in the rain).
- R-** Really? Are we half way done with the summer already?
- A-** Arcade and aquarium were a blast. We even won great prizes!
- D-** Dove into the pools and swam all day during Water Fun Day.
- S-** Screamed for our knight at Medieval Times and ate a delicious meal with our fingers.
- We can't wait for 4 more weeks of Big League Fun.

PRE-SCHOOL
Janis Ventre

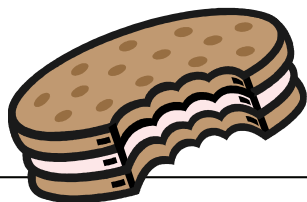
PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT **UCLA** CAME IN **1ST PLACE** IN THEIR DIVISION FOR BANNER DAY. IT WAS MISPRINTED IN LAST WEEK'S NEWSLETTER.

American is having such a blast,
The summer is going by much too fast.
Logan and **Cameron** are having so much fun,
Swimming and splashing in the pool under the hot summer sun.
At Imaginarium **Lilly** and **Samantha** dress up like they are going to a ball,
Gymnastics is an activity loved by all.
Jacob is the frog slide king,
Josh and **Hunter** love the treats we eat at cooking.
Krishan kicks the kickball like a pro,
While **Matthew** and **Dan** run the bases go, go, go!
Jake loves to drive the go carts really fast,
Jason and **Aidan** think the pirate ship is a blast.
In the sandbox **Kate** and **Natalie** make sand castles that are really tall,
You should see how in ropes **Jackson** climbs up that wall.
Sofia loves to sing and dance,
The whole group joins in when they have the chance.
Counselors **Lisa, Jillian, Megan, and Sarah** are enjoying the sunshine,
With our adorable little cuties, we're having the best time.

Cooking Corner
By: Donna - Lower

Mickey Mouse

You need a chocolate chip cookie and 2 Oreos.
Put any type of icing on the chocolate chip cookie, put the Oreos as ears on the upper right and upper left sides of the chocolate chip cookie. You may use marshmallows or fruit loops for eyes and a piece of licorice for the mouth.
Enjoy!



MINI DAY DIVISION
Lori Goldberg

WE'VE WAITED SO LONG FOR CAMP TO BEGIN,
CAN'T BELIEVE WEEK FOUR IS OVER MUCH TO
OUR CHAGRIN.....

WE SWAM, WE COOKED, WE PLAYED SPORTS AND
HAD FUN,
WE'RE LOOKING FORWARD TO FOUR MORE WEEKS AHEAD
FILLED WITH PLENTY OF SUN !!!!!

WE ARE MAKING NEW FRIENDS AND MEMORIES WE'LL
KEEP FOREVER,
OUR WEEKS AT IVY LEAGUE WE WILL ALWAYS
REMEMBER !!!

YOU NAME IT WE'VE DONE IT ALL,
NO MATTER WHAT ACTIVITY, WE'RE HAVING A BALL !!!

SO WHETHER IT'S 4, 6 OR 8 WEEKS WE ATTEND,
THE FUN WE'RE HAVING WILL NEVER END !!!!!

L.I.T.
Eric Silverman

The **LIT's** had a great week 4. They enjoyed working with their groups during Cartoon Week. They saw cartoon characters every morning as they entered the campus. On Tuesday, the Upper Division **LIT's** proudly participated in the Parent Night festivities. Wednesday brought clear skies and Water Fun Day. A good time was had by all. On Friday, 4th Grade boy **LIT's** went bowling and had a blast. Then they donned their cartoon shirts on Friday. We look forward to a great week 5. Where did the first half of summer go?
ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 29TH, THE LIT'S WILL BE GOING TO BROADWAY TO SEE "BILLY ELLIOT". THIS WILL BE A LATE NIGHT.

Cooking Corner
By: Donna - Upper

Oreo Crisp

- 1 1/2 packages Oreo cookies
- 1 stick salted butter melted
- 1 jar fluff
- 1 cup semisweet chocolate chips
- 2 large Ziploc bags

In 1 large Ziploc bag, crush 4 sleeves Oreos very fine
Add crushed Oreos to butter and mix well
Place in 9x13 buttered pan
Place dollops of fluff all over Oreos
In 2nd Ziploc bag crush Oreos coarsely, and then put on top of fluff
Sprinkle chips on top

Bake at 350° for 10-12 minutes no longer
Let sit for 5 minutes before serving

**options- if desired drizzle caramel sauce over top and a scoop of vanilla ice cream.



CAPS
Howie Gandelman

Wow ... week 4 already! Time really flies when you're having a great time! The **CAP** boys and girls had a great time in NYC. Riding "The Beast" speedboat is something they will never forget. **Alex Gomer, Courtney Tobio** and **Jordan Schlesinger** got SOAKED! **David Katz** and **Alex Gilbert** took such great pictures of the Statue of Liberty. **Matthew Sherman, Mollie Friedman** and **Matt LaFata** had so much fun exploring the incredible Intrepid. **Lindsey Neuberger, Jessica Gibbons** and **Andrew Manas** supported the New York Mets, even though we went to a Phillies Vs. Cubs game. Week 4 is done ... the next 4 weeks will be even more fun.



MIDDLE
Douglass

Four weeks have passed, but so much is still in store, The **Douglass** girls are ready for games and fun galore! We play so many sports here at **Ivy League Day Camp**, **Brooke** is sure to show her athletic skills to prove she's a champ. There's **Rachel** and **Carly** who do everything together, And **Emily** who can be found in the pool no matter the weather! **Sophia** is the group's archery star, **Jordan** loves softball, and listening to **Buffy's** guitar. **Jillian** and **Amanda** are always so excited to practice for the play, **Lindsay** and **Victoria** show great sportsmanship each and everyday. **Dana** and **Lianna** showed true bravery on the zip line and rock wall, **Julia** and **Alyssa's** handicrafts projects are the cutest of all! Our group has a blast together with every activity we do, Whether it's cooking, boats, or kickball just to name a few. This summer is going by fast, but **Douglass** isn't done, We'll continue to have tons and tons of Big League Fun!

LOWER
Rutgers

Rutgers is by far the best group to be in, Every girl in our group always has a cheery grin.

Halle and **Carly** love to flip in gymnastics, While fishes **Samantha** and **Brooke** show off their pool tricks.

When it comes to the high ropes course **Alexa** and **Ava** have nothing to fear, On the way to arts and crafts **Aryn** and **Kelli** are so excited they give a cheer.

Munching on a yummy cooking treat is something exciting for **Sophia, Jessica** and **Sydney**, Not that anyone in our group would want to miss that activity.

On the basketball courts **Dara** and **Ashley** love to play, With our group of girls there's never a bad day!!

The rest of the summer has so much more to bring, **Brittany, Liz, Erica,** and **Beth** won't let the girls miss a thing!!

UPPER
Radcliffe

The Girls of **Radcliffe** are really awesome when it comes to sports and crafts,

Elizabeth and **Kerry** love hanging in the pool, just ask them-it's a blast!

Bethany is working hard for the play, that's what she enjoys the most,

While **Julie, Carley,** and **Macie** are shooting hoops on the b-ball court.

Jaclyn loves jamming out on rock band with singing 80's rock, As **Gianna** strings out on the guitar and **Kaylee** bangs on the drums, it's quite a shock.

Then there is **Ashley** who loves to dance and perform for the group,

Actually she'd make a nice acting member of a troupe.

The counselors the **Radcliffe** girls all adore,

Falynn, Robin, Rachel, and **Gabby** are never a bore.

They are just the best, even better than the rest!!!

Ivy League Pre-School

I just wanted to remind you that there are still openings in our Pre-School for this coming September. Our best advertisement comes from our own Ivy League Families. The following programs still have availabilities:

New and exciting!!

4-12 months, Dancing Connection with Ms. Dylan. This is a parent and baby exercise music program where everyone feels the connection.

12 -18 months & 18 -24 months
Mommy & Me with Ms. Dylan

24 -30 months Transitional Mommy & Me

3 year olds & 4 year olds

3 year olds & 4 year olds Enrichment on Thursday

Kindergarten Enrichment AM/PM with Vicki Cutler

If you or any of your friends would like to speak to me, please call 732-446-0401.

Thanks so much. Vicki Cutler



**Check our website for Daily Photos
under Photo Album!**

Big League Game Standings - through Week 3			
	(W)	(L)	(T)
Middle Division Boys			
The Cobras	9	2	0
Wrecking Crew	6	5	0
Supersonics	7	4	0
The Gators	0	11	0
Middle Division Girls			
The Firecrackers	4	6	1
Peach Panthers	5	4	2
The Blue Jays	6	4	1
Pixie Chicks	4	5	2
Upper Division Boys			
The Sparkplugs	6	4	0
Mean Machine	7	3	0
The Anacondas	5	5	0
The Transformers	2	8	0
Upper Division Girls			
Galaxy Girls	6	3	0
Hot Shots	5	4	0
Team Dynamite	3	6	0
Razzle Dazzlers	4	5	0
Grads Division			
Down 'N Dirty	4	1	0
No Fear	3	2	0
The Mad Grads	2	3	0
The Blasters	1	4	0
CAPS			
Th Dark Knights	4	0	0
The Terrorizers	3	1	0
Desert Storm	3	1	0
Smash Mouths	1	3	0
Stealth Bombers	1	3	0
Surf Monkeys	0	4	0

Week 3	Week 4
<u>Mini</u> Alex Silverstein	<u>Mini</u> Melanie Conlon
<u>Pre-School</u> Evan Glassberg	<u>Pre-School</u> Eric Goldman
<u>Lower</u> John Sofo	<u>Lower</u> Jordan Citron
<u>Middle</u> Michelle Sullivan	<u>Middle</u> Scott Ventre
<u>Upper</u> Jared Kirsch	<u>Upper</u> Melissa Wallerstein
	<u>Grad</u> Corey Arenson
<u>LIT</u> Marissa Krull	<u>LIT</u> Alex Martinez

2009 Fitness Challenge Results	
Red Team (NYSC)	285 points
Blue Team (24 HR. Fitness)	274 points
Yellow Team (Gold's Gym)	260 points

<i>FUN AND GAMES WEEK</i>	Monday July 27	Tuesday July 28	Wednesday July 29	Thursday July 30	Friday July 31
On Campus	Lower - Grads GAME SHOW	Upper trip to Philadelphia Zoo Middle Division Parent's Night Preppy's Wear Red	Photo Day for 2nd 4 Week Campers 5 Year Breakfast	Middle Wear Blue	Wear a "NY" or "NJ" Team Shirt
Grads	In Camp	Seaside Waterworks	In Camp 5 Year Breakfast	Bounce U & Cosmic Bowling	In Camp
CAPS	Tomahawk Lake Late Night	In Camp	5 Year Breakfast Medieval Times Photo Day for 2nd 4 week Campers	In Camp	In Camp & Roller Skating
Campus Lunch	Chicken Nuggets French Fries Lo Mein Tomato/Veggie Salad Chow Mein Noodles Watermelon	Sloppy Joe's & Jane's Rice Pasta Salad Jello with Whipped cream Oranges	Grilled Cheese Potato Chips Egg Noodles Crabmeat Salad Vanilla Cake Apples	French Toast Cheese Omelet Roasted Potatoes Chicken Salad Chocolate Pudding Peaches	Pizza Pasta Marinara Tomato/Cucumber Salad Marble Cake Bananas