

COLORADO LIONS CAMP NEWSLETTER

September 2023

A Message From the Director

Hello all and Happy September! I hope you all had a beautiful and wonderful summer. I know I did, between seeing so many returning faces and meeting the new ones, my summer was filled with so much joy! This past summer was my twenty-fifth summer in summer camps, and it was undoubtedly the best one yet. I am ever thankful for my job, and the people I get to meet through doing it. I have talked about it before, but the people are what make this job so special.

While I hate to see the summer end, I am elated for all that we have planned for our off season and for the growth of camp during this time. We have things planned for the coming months and I can not wait to share updates with you all as the months go on.

With Peace and Love,
Erin Newport

Program Updates

This summer was one for the books! We enjoyed making crafts, going on hikes, and singing till the sunset. With new themed weeks and new programs there wasn't a dull moment. Take a look at the pictures to the left to get a glimpse into our summer!

Our summer would not have been made possible without everyone involved in our programs. Our campers, caregivers, our staff, and all the Lions Clubs. Without all of you our program would not be what it is, so thank you!

Off-Season Here at Camp

We are so excited to announce the addition of another Respite to our program! In the 2023-2024 season we will have 6 respite weekends. There's openings left in all of them, see the dates below!

- October 12-15, 2023 (Thursday-Sunday)
- November 3-5, 2023 (Friday-Sunday)
- December 7-10, 2023 (Thursday-Sunday)
- January 5-7, 2024 (Friday-Sunday) (This Respite will take place at the Great Wolf Lodge in Colorado Springs)
- March 1-3, 2024 (Friday-Sunday)
- April 5-7, 2024 (Friday-Sunday)

If you have any questions about our respite programs, give our office a call!

Don't forget to follow us on Facebook and Instagram and watch for updates on our [website](https://www.coloradolionscamp.org).

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Updates on Summer 2024

At this time we are still preparing everything for Summer 2024! Stay tuned to find dates, themes, and more in the next newsletter.



Staff Highlight



Meet Sidney or better known as Bean! She joined as a Counselor in the Girls Dorm this past summer. She is such a fun and radiant person to be around, with a special knack for making friendship bracelets!



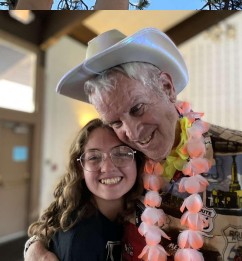
Her Favorite Camp Memory: My favorite memory of camp was leading the blue team to victory during survivor week! We were definitely the underdogs the entire week but I was so proud of my group for keeping a positive attitude and having fun with all the activities! The blue team was always cheering on the other campers and helping out in any way they could! They truly made my CLC experience so great!!



Her Favorite Camp Meal: I loved all the food at camp but my favorite would have to be the vegetable fried rice and egg rolls! However, my favorite snack at camp would have to be the dill pickles that I kept in a huge jar in the staff cabin!



Her Favorite Camp Activity: Were any of the arts and crafts! Brenda did such a great job planning fun crafts and I had so much fun making them too! Every time I made something extra cool, I always sent a picture to my mom!



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