



THE BRIARWOOD BUGLE

Fun in the sun!

July 11—15, 2022

Week 4

From Matt and Mike

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Can you believe that camp is halfway done? We sure can't! We had another amazing week—lower and upper camp bunk shows (great dancing and even better smiles), Halloween in July (fantastic costumes!), Wednesday Themeday-Disney/Marvel Day, tie dying and much more.

We've got more amazingness next week— Super CIT Hershey/beach trip, 1st year CITs go mini golfing , Goofy Day and Briarwood's 2nd Annual and Totally Amazing and Fun Semi-Invitational Mini Golf Tournament! And still to come: Busy Bee Show, Carnival, Color War, Mystery Day, the list goes on and on....



Can't wait!

And on another note, we wanted to say thank you to our camp families and staff. We've made it this far thanks to your thoughtfulness, dedication and understanding. We appreciate everything!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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◆ Camp Office Hours

7:45 am—4:00 pm



Check out our daily pictures by clicking on the "current families" link on the Briarwood website. Call if you need the password.

IMPORTANT DATES

BUSY BEE SHOW

Tuesday, July 26th

10:30am



WAIT UNTIL YOU SEE!!

AMAZINGLY TALENTED!

Ladies and gentlemen! Boys and girls!

Children of all ages!

GAMES & PRIZES

COTTON CANDY

CARNIVAL

Thursday,
July 28th



Did you know . . .

Koala bears aren't really bears?

They don't have the koalafications.

PHOTO NEWS: If your camper was at Briarwood for 1st week pictures, those photos have gone home. If your camper has not received them, he/she will get them upon return to camp. Want to order more of these photos? Please call the office at (215) 598-7143 and we'll be happy to tell you more information. If your camper missed photo day, we'll take make up photos on Thursday, July 21.



BULLDOGS! BY EVAN BERNSTEIN



The Bulldogs had an exciting time at camp this week. We started off at kickball, where everyone contributed on offense and defense in a big way. Then we moved on to nature where we caught sunfish and turtles. Next it was on to basketball where we played knockout and practiced throwing frisbees into hoops. We also played wiffle ball where every player had a hit and contributed to making an out in the field. After that we moved on to instructional swim where we learned how to dive and practiced treading water. Finally, we played dodgeball where multiple campers were able to hit the cross bar and get their team back in the

game. And Bunk Shows! We're so excited to see what next week has in store for us!



EARLY DISMISSAL

IF YOUR CAMPER IS LEAVING EARLY, PLEASE SEND IN A NOTE IN THE MORNING WITH THE TIME YOU WILL BE PICKING UP YOUR CAMPER.

BRIARWOOD STAFF MEMBERS OF THE WEEK:



Senior Staff: Nate Frankel

Junior Staff: Jenna Garber

PLEASE DO NOT SEND YOUR CAMPER TO CAMP IF HE/SHE IS NOT FEELING WELL!

Busy Bee Science and Gardening, by Liz Arteaga



The Busy Bees are having so much fun exploring and learning every day! We have learned about some of the bones in our bodies and made skeletons using Q-tips to represent the bones we discussed. The Bees enjoyed making crafty windsocks after lesson on wind. Beautiful butterflies were made after enjoying the story **Charlie the Caterpillar**. The Busy Bees learned about measurements and had a blast measuring how tall we are with chalk. After putting ourselves in height order, it was super cool to see everyone's reactions. All this fun in just the first four weeks!! The 2022 Busy Bees are so smart and soak up everything like little sponges! They are learning and growing. And about growing... our seeds and flowers at our Busy Bee Garden are taking root. We can't wait to see what blooms in our next four weeks together!!

♪ **Learn the Briarwood Song!** ♪ <http://bit.ly/BDCSong> We'll sing it at camp!

SOME SCENES FROM THE BUNK SHOWS



HALLOWEEN IN JULY












MEET OUR WONDERFULLY AMAZING STAFF! PART IV

We return with profiles of more senior staff members at Briarwood Day Camp

JENNA BARINGER joins the Briarwood family as an assistant counselor of the Penguins. During the off season, Jenna attends Northampton Community College. In her free time she likes to go to the gym and hang out with her friends and family. Jenna loves the sports, nature and most of all the kids at Briarwood. If she could travel anywhere in the world, Jenna would go to Tennessee.

BRYCE SWEENEY is a first year senior counselor of the Hawks. Bryce, a past Counselor of the Week and known for his distinctive Hawaiian fashion style, is celebrating his 10th summer at Briarwood Day Camp. During the off season, Bryce attends Bucks County Community College. Bryce's favorite thing about Briarwood is the jumper. His favorite movie star Leonardo DiCaprio. If he could go anywhere in the world, he would go to Briarwood!



JENNIFER LIBERATO joins the Briarwood team as senior counselor at Drama. During the off season, Jen teaches middle school Spanish. Jen has three daughters who are loving their first summer at Briarwood. Her favorite thing about camp so far has been seeing all the bunks practicing their routines for the bunk show. She also enjoyed helping with the choreography as well. Jen's favorite movie is Pretty in Pink. People would be surprised to learn that she enjoys snowboarding and skydiving!

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
JULY 18 SECOND HALF BEGINS Super CIT Hershey/Sleepover/Belmar	JULY 19	JULY 20 Wednesday Themeday Hawaiian / Tropical Day	JULY 21 Make up Picture Day 1st Year CITs Mini Golf Trip	JULY 22 Goofy Day
 Briarwood Mini Golf Semi-Invitational Tournament 				
JULY 25 CITs/Super CITs Beach Trip	JULY 26 <u>BUSY BEE SHOW 10:30am</u> 	JULY 27 Busy Bee Show Rain Date Wednesday Themeday Sports Jersey Day	JULY 28 CARNIVAL 	JULY 29
 Briarwood Fishing Derby #2 				
AUGUST 1	AUGUST 2 MYSTERY DAY 	AUGUST 3 Wednesday Themeday TBA	AUGUST 4	AUGUST 5
AUGUST 8 Briarwood Birthday Celebration 	AUGUST 9 Tie Dye Tuesday 	AUGUST 10 Wednesday Themeday Briarwood Spirit Day CIT / Super CIT Dance	AUGUST 11 CIT/Super CIT Trip to Dorney Park	AUGUST 12 LAST DAY OF CAMP Early Dismissal 2:30
Briarwood Set a Record Week #2				

SOME FRIENDLY BRIARWOOD REMINDERS

- If you want to reach your camper's counselor during the camp day, call the office at 215-598-7143 and we will gladly relay your message. Please do not TEXT or CALL your child's counselor directly during the camp day. Our counselors are busy watching children and we have asked them not to check their phones during the day.
- Early and Late Care is available from 7:30 am–6:00 pm sharp. Please call the office if you will need this service.
- While it never rains at Briarwood, in the event of a passing shower, please send your camper with the appropriate rain gear should the forecast call for rain.
- Apply sunscreen daily prior to coming to camp.
- Our lost and found is located behind the sports shed.
- Did you miss a Bugle? You can find all of this summer's Bugles in the news section of our website.

GET
READY
FOR
**GOOFY
DAY**

FRIDAY
JULY
22nd