

THE BEE LINE

CAMP DANBEE FALL 2023



DEAR DANBEE FAMILIES,

IMPORTANT DATES

WBV WINTER SOCIAL
Sunday, January 14th

100 DAYS UNTIL CAMP
Thursday, March 14th

WBV SLEEPOVER
Saturday, May 4th

NEW CAMPER EVENT
Sunday, May 5th

OPENING DAY
Saturday, June 22nd

VISITING DAY
Sunday, July 14th

DANBEE IN 4 ENDS &
DANBEE IN 3 BEGINS
Friday, July 19th

DISCOVERY WEEKEND
Friday, July 26th-28th

CLOSING DAY
Friday, August 9th

As we get further away from Summer 2023 we are missing being with our Danbee girls more and more! Each fall, the Danbee team takes time to recharge after an incredible summer, and now we're eagerly preparing for the next. This fall is no exception! Danbee is enjoying a successful enrollment season and we're thrilled to welcome back returning campers and introduce new Danbee girls to their summer home in 2024!

Our plans for summer 2024 are in full swing! Contracts are on their way to returning staff members who can't wait to be back in The Berkshires with our girls - not just to teach them to swim, sail, climb, sculpt and shoot, but to contribute to making memories, creating friendships and building their confidence every step of the way.

Last summer we emphasized The Danbee Spirit and the gratitude of sharing this special place. We hope that each of you will reflect on how you are carrying The Danbee Spirit with you while at home. Whether it is being kinder than necessary, expanding your circle, giving your best effort, standing up for what you think is right, or uplifting friends up are just a few ways you can share what it means to be a Danbee girl all year long.

We can't wait to see you all on Lake Ashmere and hope you all have a wonderful holiday season filled with the warmth of friends and family.

With Spirit from 01235,

Annie, Zach, Mark, Lauren and Sarah

NEW @ DANBEE IN 2024!

SOUND SYSTEM
UPGRADES
THROUGHOUT CAMP!



PROGRAM AREA
UPGRADES AT
COOKING!



NEW BUILDING
FOR JEWELRY!



NEW BLUE PAINT ON
ALL ACRES BUNKS!



NEW DOCKS
AT THE LAKE!



SUMMER 2023 MEMORIES!



Arrival Day



Leagues Break



Gold Rush



Danbee Cup



Carnival Day



Weekly Campfires



Casino Night



Annie Junior



Overnight & Day Trips



Banquet: Tinkerbell

Welcome Baby
Georgie!



Patrick, our 2023 Theatre Director, and Faith Cragin welcomed Georgiana "Georgie" Louise Cragin on September 27th! Join us in sending our warmest congratulations to the happy family. Congratulations, Patrick, Faith, Wesley, and Hugh on the newest addition to the Cragin Crew!

AUTUMN WREATH CRAFT!

YOU WILL NEED:

- FALL COLORED PAPER
- PENCIL
- SCISSORS
- 1 LARGE PAPER PLATE
- GLUE (STICK OR LIQUID)
- RIBBON/TWINE



GRL
PWR



Way to Go Riss!

1

On a sheet of colored paper, trace the outline of your hand with a pencil. You can ask a parent/guardian, sibling, or a friend for help! You will need about 15 handprints.

2

Cut out the traced handprints.



3

Cut out the center of your paper plate to create the wreath shape.



4

Arrange the different colored handprints however you like best! Once you've figured out your perfect layout- place glue on the back of each handprint and glue to the paper plate ring.

5

Add a fun ribbon or bow to the top of your wreath for the finishing touch! You can also glue a loop on the back for easy hanging!! Happy Fall!





KINGS & QUEENS TO ALL OUR FALL BIRTHDAY GIRLS!

SEPTEMBER

Brielle Adamson, Samatha Barenbaum, Jessie Boder, Jordana Delgado, Macey Engel, Michelle Feldman, Lyla Fingerroot, Shayna Fleischer, Emma Friedman, Raquel Garcia-Lavyne, Blake Gutman, Ella Idalski, Grace Kasper, Zoe Langeloh, Kinsey Levesque, Aria Lidofsky, Zoe Lipkind, Ryan Neckritz, Audrey Obeid, Shay Opell, Alexandra "Nug" Price, Ivy Rasken, Demi Roth, Avery Schmidt, Sadie Schwartzapfel, Diana Vasykiv, Brinkley Wassner, Lauren Yanover

OCTOBER

Peri Crane, Sarah Cunningham, Lydia Densmore, Vera Driver, Hailey Hartstone, Libby Jordan, Jada Keller, Harper Levy, Dani Mack, Sadie Manczyk, Isabella Marmann, Harper Mizel, Caitlin Moore, Delilah Rabin, Sloane Regenbaum, Eden Rosen, Emma Sieczkowski, Celine Smith, Brooke Tanenbaum, Asha Vaishnav, Jordana Weiss

NOVEMBER

Avery Balestra, Katrin Bilenkiy, Gigi Brusco, Scarlett Cohen, Rae D'Adamo, Blake DeLuise, Samantha Fairall, Sascha Feinberg, Maia Gerson, Michaela Goldoff, Aria Jaffe, Emily Kaufman, Lily Maraynes, Isabella Monk, Georgia Moskowitz, Olivia Newman, Emily Olan, Izzy Poulos, Tina Pratap, Abby Rogers, Rosie Sass, Georgia Stock, Elliot Tsarevsky, Finley Wepman

DECEMBER

Campbell Borg, Bridget Burger, Scarlett Crane, Lauren Doyle, Carly Elhai, Julia Fabian, Chloe Glogau, Emily Goldstein, Lyla Hecht, Aubrey Herman, Lucy Highland, Sydney Himelstein, Sloane Kaplan, Meadow Levesque, Ava Litman, Arielle Matusow, Lainey Miller, Nelly Mondschein, Lily Morgenthau, Charlotte Roseman, Natalie Schwartzapfel, Kaylee Squitieri, Emerson Stock, Rowan Wolff, Emme Zagon



Thank you for....

On behalf of all of us at Camp Danbee we want to thank those families that have referred a friend or family member for summer 2024! A referral is the highest form of flattery for us and we greatly appreciate it when our families spread the Danbee love across the country and internationally! As always, if you have a friend or family member interested in joining us, please have them email: info@campdanbee.com or call us at the office.

On the Horizon

- **Mid-January:** "Winter Mailer" which will include our Parent Handbook, Packing List, & Camper Forms
- **Important Calendar Dates:**
 - ⇒ Feb. 1st: PackMyRX Registration OPENS
 - ⇒ March 14th: Activity Selection Emailed
 - ⇒ April 1st: All Camper Forms are DUE

The Kanikapila Project

 We are excited to be partnering with a new initiative in our continued focus on Community Service at Danbee!

More than three thousand children in Maui have been affected by the August 2023 fires. The psychological and physical toll of this disaster is immense. The Kanikapila Project serves a crucial role in providing support to these children by introducing them to the healing power of music through ukulele lessons. This nonprofit organization not only delivers instruments to underserved communities but also implements initiatives to enhance access to music therapy for children in hospitals, veterans, and the elderly.

Stay tuned for our upcoming Danbee Swag Raffle, where all proceeds will contribute to their mission! Tickets will be priced at \$10 each, and there's no limit to the number of entries. **Further details will be shared via email soon!**

