

Fernwood Cove
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Mooseletter

November 2018

Performance at Camp Helps in Performance in Life

Performance Night at camp is one of the most anticipated nights of the week. It may be because of the candy at Canteen, but I think it's more about the stage. Maybe it's the joy of being on stage. Or supporting your friends and bunkmates while they're in the spotlight. Whatever it may be, the joy and screams and thunderous applause that fill The Chick are truly extraordinary.



It's during the times that we step outside our comfort zones that we learn new things. Sometimes it's a new skill. Other times it's increased confidence in ourselves. Part of the magic of camp is that we push ourselves outside of our comfort zones every day. We try new activities and meet new people. We climb to new heights and reach new goals. With the encouragement and support of the Fernwood Cove community we are capable of things we never imagined.

Performance Night is when this encouragement and support can be felt the most. With each performance we help Fernwood Cove girls develop self-confidence. At the end of each Performance Night over half of camp has learned about the value of practice when learning new skills like stage presence and voice projection. By the end of camp almost every Fernwood Cove girl has bettered herself through her experience on stage.

Being in the spotlight isn't something that comes naturally to all of us. Being on stage is something that challenges many Fernwood Cove girls to push their boundaries each week. For some campers it's learning a new activity such as Dance. And for others it's stepping onto a stage for the first time. No matter what the individual experience is, Performance Night encourages campers to step outside of their comfort zones.

Each week we enter Performance night full of energy and excitement. And each week we leave Performance Night with new skills and greater confidence. We leave more prepared for life outside of camp. And this is what's extraordinary about camp. By Alicia.



Calling all 2019 SENIORS

2019 Senior Ski Weekend

Don't miss out!!!

Session 1: Friday, January, 25—Sunday, January, 27

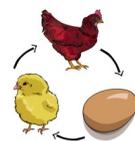
Your best summer ever can begin this winter!

Contact Caroline for more information. Caroline@fernwoodcove.com



Why the Chicken on the Sticker?

This year Fernwood Cove has built a new Chicken Coop! This is great news for both FC Farm girls and the Chickens. This year FC Farm girls also incubated eggs to hatch chickens. The Chicken in front of the shed may be one of these little chick's grown up. The new Chicken Coop is especially good news for it's residents as it will keep them safe from the local foxes.



So in honor of the new coop and FC Farm girls we chose the Fernwood Cove Chicken sticker :)

Camper Reunions!

Reunions are a great opportunity for you to get together outside of camp and look forward to another great summer. Please save the dates for our upcoming reunions. We'd love to see you there, if possible.

Winter Reunion Dates

Los Angeles Saturday, 1st December, 2018

NYC Saturday, 8th December, 2018

Westchester/Connecticut Sunday, 9th December, 2018

<https://fernwoodcove.pixieset.com/session1-2018/>

Session 1 – 2018

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Download Pin: 9560

Summer 2018

Photos Are Here!



A shout out to Opal for her Halloween costume. She has her Camp T-Shirt on! (Read Below)



Fernwood Cove Natural Horsemanship—Meet our horses and ponies!

Natural Horsemanship focusses on communication and building a relationship with our horses. Over the Fall and Spring months we spend a lot of time creating these relationships and training each horse to have excellent ground and riding manners. We do this so each horse is ready to share their knowledge and experience when you return to camp.

Fernwood Cove has a core group of horses that are very lucky to stay with us during the winter year after year. These horses work incredibly hard in the summer to make each camper in our program happy and we work hard during the summer and in the off season to appreciate and thank them for their hard work.

Tiger, Lass and Jenny

Tiger, Lass and Jenny have all been at Fernwood Cove for many years (when added together over 20 years). These horses have taught so many campers how to ride and are truly irreplaceable. Lass and Tiger enjoy some well deserved time off in the fall while Jenny stays healthier if she works in lessons on a regular basis. However, all of these horses have lots of time to enjoy nice fall days. In the picture Jenny is taking a nice nap in the sun.



Our Newbies

Our new horses this year are Peso, Rex, Ceder and Rosie. This summer these horses did such a great job. Rex, Ceder and Rosie are permanently part of the Fernwood Cove family now. Rex is very young, well mannered and happy to learn anything. Many campers have enjoyed him a lot. In the fall Rose has worked with him at liberty and he is learning a lot of new fun skills. Rosie and Ceder have helped Rose with lessons in the fall. They also had individual training time with Rose to build more confidence and refine communication skills. Peso is with us on winter lease and will stay next summer as well. He is a sweet horse with a great personality but sometimes gets insecure when he is alone in the arena. Rose is spending a lot of time with him this fall and winter to build his confidence and help him be comfortable in any situation. This will allow Peso to join in on more and more activities in the summer.



Milo and Dexter

Milo and Dexter are currently in Massachusetts where they work in a college program. Both Milo and Dexter are used for lessons and are doing a great job. They are loved at their winter home for their great personalities and eagerness to keep learning. Both Milo and Dexter are improving their jumping and dressage skills over the winter. We can't wait to see them again in May and enjoy their new skills.

INTERNATIONAL
Wear your
SUMMER
★ **CAMP** ★
T-SHIRT DAY

- 1 WEAR YOUR FAVORITE CAMP GEAR ON NOV 13TH
- 2 TAKE A PHOTO
- 3 POST PHOTOS USING #CAMPTSHIRTDAY



Learning
IS NOT A
SPECTATOR
sport.

RETURNING CAMPERS ARE YOU RE-ENROLLED? IF SO, ENCLOSED YOU WILL FIND YOUR 2019 STICKER! Just like the one to the left.

IF NOT

Enroll Today and get one of these extraordinary stickers in you next Mooseletter!

