

Why...

A week at camp can change the life of a child.

By sponsoring a child for a week of camp, you improve the lives of youth statewide, create stronger youth citizenry and strengthen the conservation efforts of New Hampshire.

Campers learn responsible use of firearms safe hunting practices, environmental awareness, conservation principles, and an appreciation for the beautiful state we live in.

With the ever-changing dynamics of the modern family structure: single parents, two parents working, stronger media influences on teens and the internet, many young people don't have the opportunity to enjoy the simple pleasures of a week at camp. Sponsoring a New Hampshire youth for a week at camp is a wonderful way for your organization to directly and deeply affect young lives.

Three ways to sponsor:

1. Your organization can sponsor a child directly - run a contest, contact the schools, or UNH 4-H Camp for names, offer a campership as an incentive for community service - be creative!
2. Send a donation to UNH 4-H Camps and to help a child from one of the many families each year who contact us in need of financial assistance. Your sponsorship dollars will create a campership pool to serve those of greatest need.
3. Your organization may make a donation to UNH 4-H Camps for operational and maintenance costs.

Become part of a 70-year tradition by partnering with UNH 4-H Camps to send youth to a New Hampshire 4-H camp.

THANK YOU !

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Barry Conservation 4-H Camp 2012

Berlin
New Hampshire

Sponsor a camper - make a difference in the life of a child!



Barry Conservation Camp is located in the White Mountain National Forest and operated by UNH 4-H in conjunction with New Hampshire Fish & Game Department.

Visit our website at:
www.extension.unh.edu

Who...

We're looking for individuals and groups willing to sponsor one or more youths for a week of camp. Barry Camp hosts only 35 campers per week. Campers will form a tight bond with other kids who share their interests. Campers range in age from 10 to 16 (12+ for Hunter Certification week), and all camps are coed.

Where...

Barry Conservation Camp is located in the White Mountain National Forest at the Berlin Fish Hatchery in Berlin, NH and operated by UNH 4-H in conjunction with the New Hampshire Fish & Game Department.

What...

We offer six sessions from June 24 through August 3.

4-H Shooting Sports \$475

June 24 - 29 Ages 10-16

Join us for a week centered on the NH 4-H Shooting Sports program. Certified instructors will help youth learn marksmanship, the safe and responsible use of firearms, and the basic principles of hunting. Core concepts will emphasize safety, ethical development, personal responsibility, and life-time recreational skills. Disciplines will include archery, rifle, pistol, shotgun, black powder. Campers will also have a chance experience many traditional camp activities during the week. Previous shooting sports experience is preferred, but not essential. Youth who are not truly interested in learning about shooting sports will be wise to select a week with a theme more to their liking.



Mini-Camp \$285

June 30- July 3 Ages 8-12

Mini-Camp is perfect for first-timer campers and younger children! This abbreviated session will include 3 nights and 4 days. Campers will enjoy our caring staff who will introduce them to many fun and exciting camp activities. Learn about nature, try your hand at crafts, explore outdoor games, sing around the campfire...this week has it all.

Aquatic Adventures Program, "Let's Go Fishing" \$475

July 8 - 13 Ages 10-16

Come along and catch the big one! Novice anglers will learn the basic skills and equipment needed to get started fishing while campers with



more experience will work on improving their fishing skills and exploring the finer details of the angling world. We will go on a fascinating tour of the fish hatchery and find out why it was built there. A visit from the local conservation officer is sure to be interesting as he helps us learn about the rules regulations and ethics surrounding fishing. But that is not all...we will also study the ecology of and discover, bugs and beasts of the lakes, ponds and streams at Barry Camp. Campers will spend Thursday off site fishing, swimming and picnicking. Come ready to get wet, smell fishy and meet new friends.

4-H On The Wild Side I \$475

July 15 - 20 Ages 10-16

In America's technology-based culture, the gap between youth and nature is growing. Experience nature and reunite with the great outdoors. Create a meal from gathered plants, fillet a fish and cook it over an open fire, sleep under the stars, climb a mountain, swim in a pond, create nature crafts, and more. Truly experience the great outdoors. Campers will also have a chance

to enjoy a host of traditional camp activities like campfires, hikes, outdoor games, archery, and more. Sounds like fun!



Hunter Education \$475

July 22 - 27 Ages 12-16

Join NH Fish and Game Department Hunter Education staff, volunteer instructors and camp counselors to learn and practice safe, responsible and ethical hunting. Campers will learn wildlife identification, conservation and management; take part in a live fire exercise with rifles and shotguns; explore the outdoors through a map, compass and overnight survival challenge; help prepare wild game for table; and participate in a friendly skills challenge at the conclusion of camp. If a camper wishes to be eligible for hunter education certification at the end of the week, then some homework must be completed prior to coming to camp.

4-H On the Wild Side II \$475

July 29 - August 3 Ages 12 - 16

Get ready for a fantastic week of exciting outdoor adventure. The theme of this week will be similar to Wild Side I, but it's designed for slightly older youth. Our camp staff have planned a terrific collection of outdoor experiences to help you form a deep and enduring connection with the natural world. Campers will take part loads of fun hands-on activities. You'll paddle on a remote lake, explore local wildlife, learn outdoor survival skills, and more. Of course, campers will also enjoy a host of traditional camp activities like campfires, hikes, outdoor games, archery, and more.

