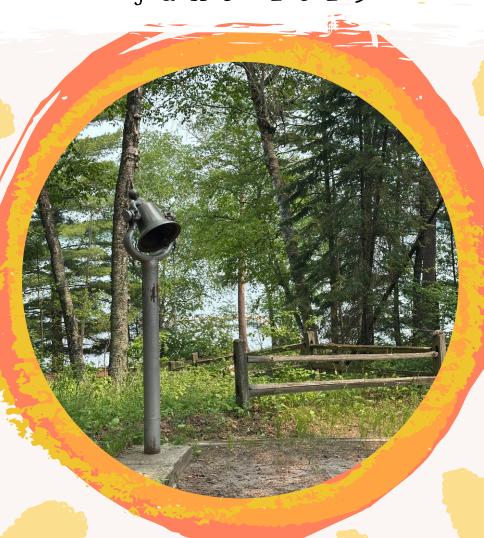
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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

### FORMS FRIDAY

HAVE YOU BEEN KEEPING UP WITH KAT'S FRIDAY E-MAILS?

IF NOT, TOUGH NEWS....

## FORMS ARE DUE NOW!!!



Getting nervous/excited for camp?! Make sure you read thru the spring mailing as to how to prepare for camp. (A copy is posted on your CampinTouch dashboard in case it has been misplaced!)

## AMERASPORT ORDERS!

lst session... call Amerasport to check on turnaround times; 2nd session, place your orders NOW! (if you have to have orders mailed directly to camp-let kamajioffice@gmail.com know).

### **BIG SISTERS!**

Reach out to your little sis one more time before camp to answer any new or lingering questions! Remember to introduce yourself at the airport or When you meet at camp!!

# GALL ABOUT ME"

Remember to post your form to your CampInTouch account dashboard OR snail mail it to camp!



#### **SNAIL MAIL ADDRESS:**

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## NEW CAMP STORE MERCH



# Reamp.





# NEW ITEMS INCLUDE:

KAMAJI LOGO JIBBITZ





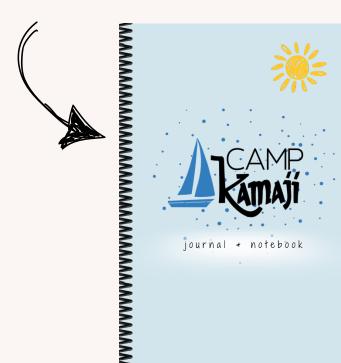
\*Jibbitz arriving early July







### KAMAJI JOURNAL NOTEBOOK





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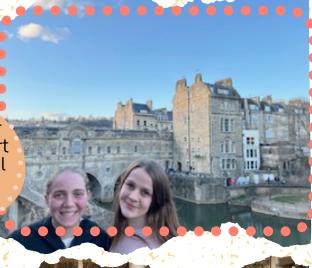


# KAMAJI KAPTURED



2025 LT Annie Alcorn and former counselor Kyra Hart met up in béautiful Bath, England on

Spring Break





New campers Marie Longergan & Cate Graziano post spring band concert!



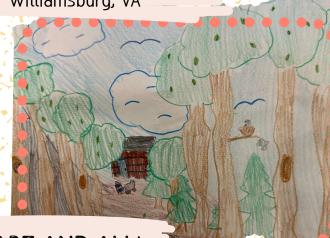
Dylan Ditto with some fun tribe gear for the summer!



Claire & Colleen Windom enjoying Spring Break in Williamsburg, VA



New camper LJ Polster is all packed up and ready for camp...



....ART AND ALL!





KAMAJI HAS BEEN OPERATING AS A SLEEPAWAY SUMMER CAMP FOR GIRLS CONTINUOUSLY SINCE 1914, MAKING IT THE OLDEST GIRLS CAMP IN MINNESOTA!



- Which of these famous
- people are from Minnesota?
- a. Prince
- b. Bob Dylan
- c. Judy Garland
- d. Charles Shulz
- How many lakes are actually
- in Minnesota, called the
- "Land of 10,000 lakes"?
- a. 9, 999
- b. 10,008
- c. 11,842
- d. over 20,000
- Answers below

# BY THE NUMBERS .....

There are over 12,000 summer camps in all of the United States! Minnesota is home to well over 50 and California tops the list with nearly 500.

### CRAZY JUNE HOLIDAYS ....

June 4 - National Hug Your Cat Day

June 6 - National Donut Day

June 12 - Falafel Day

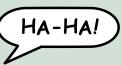
June 16 - World Sea Turtle Day

June 25 - Strawberry Parfait Day

### JASON'S JOKE

What is a snake's favorite part about summer camp?







# Staff Date

Mariam Luna Alvarez	5
Camille Kite-Bussen	12
Ophelia Pedley	12
Charlotte Neale	
Karla Rosales Santiago	29



## Camper Date

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Reese Warticovschi	1
Brooke Schieber	2
Charlie Miller	2
Kendall Richards	2
Kennedy Richards	2
Hannah Rabb	3
Lulu Pearl	4
Heidi Gress	7
Lulu Ocejo Martinez	7
Esme Ernston	8
Addison Novak	9
Ellie Voller	11
Emery Neisewander	12
Olivia Kansupada	12
Lexie Gress	15
Hope Jernagan	19
Abbie Anderson	20
El Pearl	20
Kayla Thomas	23
Abby Reyzin	24
Maddie Hernandez	27
Sydney Mays	27
Arie Domb	28
Emma Sagett	28
Femi Abidemi	30
Opal Vandeloo	30
Rosie DeWein	30

Wish your pals a happy birthday! Log in to Campintouch for contact information!:)



8 weekers get extra time to go tubing, tie dye and pick up some Bemidji swag in town. And this summer they'll be heading to an activity park to do some go-karts, mini golf and bumper boats! Don't miss out-sign up today!

FIONA BELMONTI 8th grade Chicago, IL

LAYLA GREENWOOD 3rd grade Glencoe, IL

SERENA MEYERS-BAER 3rd grade Brooklyn, NY

CELESTE BELMONTI 4th grade Chicago, IL

MADDIE HERNANDEZ 7th grade Northbrook, IL

LULU PEARL 8th grade Encinitas, CA

HADLEY BUSSEN 5th grade Lake Bluff, IL

BETSY KESSELMAN 7th grade NORTHBROOK, IL

HANNAH RABB 3rd grade Lowell. MI

JUNIPER BUSSEN 3rd grade Lake Bluff. IL

AVERY LIPSCHULTZ 7th grade Denver, CO

KENDALL RICHARDS 7th grade St. Louis, MO

JESSE DORNAN 6th grade Denver, CO

TOLULA MASTIO 5th grade Wichita, KS

SOPHIE STORINO 8th grade Wilmette, IL

KALEESI GREENE 5th grade Minnetrista. MN

SAILOR MAYS 8th grade Manhattan Beach. CA IVY SWARTZ 7th grade Wilmette, IL

LILLY GREENE 3rd grade Minnetrista, MN KIRA THOMAS 4th grade Maywood, IL



answer all your questions!

#### NAME

#### GRADE HOMETOWN

Femi Abidemi

4th Chicago, IL

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Talya Ashuri

8th Round Lake, IL

Frances Badrul

Minneapolis, MN

Avery Bargfeldt

Franklin, TN 5th

Emery Beffa

Brookfield, IL 5th

Cait Brown

7th Englewood, CO

Yamaris Cabrera

9th North Chicago, IL

Gabby Campuzano

North Chicago, IL 6th

Paris Caradine

6th Lake Bluff, IL

Elsa Carter

4th Layton, UT

Reilly Carter

9th Layton, UT

Lucinda Chorney

8th Minneapolis, MN

Grace Clinton

5th Lake Bluff, IL

Addie Cronk-Gebbia

El Cajon, CA 6th

Sona Deshmukh

8th Jacksonville, FL

London Donaldson

4th Great Lakes, IL

Willa Fifield 🧥

6th Plymouth, MN

Elodie Fredman

5th Bannockburn, IL

Josie Fredman

Bannockburn, IL 4th

Eliana Garcia

9th Arlington, TX

Mylena Garcia

7th Arlington, TX

Brynn Goldstein

5th Chicago, IL

Chandler Goodman

Deerfield, IL 6th

Alice Grant

6th San Clemente, CA

Cate Graziano 🩈

5th Lake Bluff, IL

Heidi Gress

St. Louis, MO 6th

Lexie Gress

9th St. Louis, MO

Ava Harden

4th Brook Park, OH

Emma Harrison

4th Deerfield, IL

Zoey Humphrey

7th Denver, CO

Noa Jacoby

6th Chicago, IL

Hope Jernagan

8th Saint Louis, MO

Maude Jernagan

6th Saint Louis, MO

Lake Bluff, IL

Beatrix Josefson

4th Bemidji, MN

Lizzie Joyce Bea Kastner 🧥 3rd Deerfield, IL 3rd Fox Point, WI

Gweneth Kelley

🗃 Pauline Kelley 🦱

4th Lake Bluff, IL

6th

# 1ST S E S S I O N







#### NAME GRADE HOMETOWN

Maggie Kliner 4th Highland Park, IL

Amiya Kwatra 8th Scottsdale, AZ

Ellie Laragh 6th Chicago, IL

Julia Laragh 4th Chicago, IL

Marie Lonergan 5th Lake Bluff, IL

Molly McDonoug 4th Steamboat Springs, CO

Lauren McIntire 9th Newbury Park, CA

Margot Mcpherson 8th Denver, CO

Alessia Naeymi-Rad lst Libertyville, IL

Felicity Nelson lst Lake Bluff, IL

Addy O'Mara 7th Fox Point, WI

LJ Polster 3rd Fox Point, WI

Alix Poulizac 7th Nantes, France

Amelia Rabb 5th Lowell, MI

Caroline Rabb lst Lowell, MI

Noa Ray 🦱 lst Chicago, IL

Abbigail Reinke 8th Ofallon, MO

Joslyn Riddle Ath Lake Bluff, IL

Emma Rivers 6th Springfield, VA

Maddie Roddy 5th Cleveland, OH

Memphis Ronk 9th Tulsa, OK

Sylvia Rontal 5th Portland, OR

Jo Rouspil 6th Des Moines, IA

Naomi Roza-Broxmeyer 3rd Ferndale, MI

Adalyn Rumschlag 3rd Hawthorn Woods, IL

Rowan Sadoff 6th Fox Point, WI

Juju Saesan 5th Lake Bluff, IL

Julia Showalter 6th Tulsa, OK

Elise Smith 3rd Black Jack, MO

Madison Smith 9th Black Jack, MO

Izzy Staples 5th Lake Forest, IL

Sara Steinberg 9th Evanston, IL

Anastasia Taylor 9th Chicago, IL

Jessica Taylor 2nd Menifee, CA

Oakley Thiesen 8th Brainerd, MN

Olive Thiessen 6th Clear Lake, MN

7th

Hinsdale, IL

Piper Vasey 6th Chicago, IL

# 1ST S E S S I O N



#### \*NEW TO CAMP KAMAJI FOR SUMMER 2025!

#### NAME

Alani Ware

Layla Wiedmann

Brooke Willhite

Genevieve Worley

Lorelei Worley

#### GRADE HOMETOWN

8th Chicago, IL

6th Lake Forest, IL

7th Albuquerque, NM

3rd Chicago, IL

6th Chicago, IL





Lyla Thorpe

# 2NDSESSION

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#### \*NEW TO CAMP KAMAJI FOR SUMMER 2025!

NAME	GRADI	E HOMETOWN	NAME	GRADE	HOMETOWN
Femi Abidemi	4th	Chicago, IL	Allegra Hurtgen	7th	Wilmette, IL
Abbie Anderson	8th	Lake Forest, IL	Eve Jackson	7th	Kansas City, MO
Louise Anderson	3rd	Lake Forest, IL	Millie Jackson	7th	Kansas City, MO
Mariama Andrews- Hutchinson	3rd	Chicago, IL	Mia Jimenez Val Jimenez	7th 9th	Riverwoods, IL
Ella Arnold	9th	Corte Madera, CA		3rd	Chicago, IL
Matilda Asarch	5th	Denver, CO	Cade Jones		Chicago, IL
Eloise Baker	3rd	Washington, DC	_	3rd	_
Evie Bass	6th	Lake Forest, IL	Erin King (A) Ty 'Onna King (A)	3rd 7th	Bethesda, MD
Julia Bizhko	7th	Bethesda, MD	Evelyn Kras	4th	Milwaukee, WI
Lady Bowe	6th	Chippewa Falls, WI	Vivienne Laufer	6th	Kenilworth, IL
Eliana Brown	7th	Shaker Heights, OH	Akari Lema	7th	Deerfield, IL Tokyo, Japan
Zoey Caine	8th	St. Louis, MO	Kassidy Leonard	9th	St Louis, MO
Cat Carrazana	4th	Mission Hills, KS	Willa Limbert	6th	Berkeley, CA
Elle Cassidy	7th	Evanston, IL	Flo Lloyd	7th	Washington, DC
Rosie DeWein	6th	Rolling Hills Estates, CA	Eve Mason	6th	Deerfield, IL
Zoe DeWein	7th	Rolling Hills Estates, CA	Sydney Mays	6th	Manhattan Beach, CA
Victoria Dìaz Petrides 🦱	6th	Miguel Hidalgo, DF	Shea McCormack	6th	Westminster, CO
Dylan Ditto	5th	Chicago, IL	Evie McWilliams	7th	Ann Arbor, MI
Blake Eldridge	5th	Highland Park, IL	Gracie Mervis	5th	Arlington, VA
Dylan Eldridge	9th	Highland Park, IL	Kate Mervis	3rd	Arlington, VA
Chloe Fleischer	4th	Chevy Chase, MD	Charlie Miller	9th	Bentonville, AR
Lia Fleischer	7th	Chevy Chase, MD	Abby Millington	6th	Skokie, IL
Orly Garfield	4th	New York, NY	Willa Nash	7th	Chicago, IL
Lily Genser	5th	Highland Park, IL	Emery Neisewander	7th	Winnetka, IL
Sydney Genser	8th	Highland Park, IL	Olivia Neisewander	5th	Lake Bluff, IL
Gigi Gimbel	6th	Oakland, CA	Lincoln Oertel	5th	Lake Forest, IL
Zali Gouin 🦱	5th	Kirkland, WA	Maddie Paine	4th	Kenilworth, IL
Mabel Hall	3rd	Palos Verdes Estates, CA	Kali Powell	4th	Milwaukee, WI
Ruby Hall	7th	Palos Verdes Estates, CA	Elliott Redborg	2nd	Chehalis, WA
Mary Rose Henry	6th	St. Louis, MO	Abby Reyzin	4th	Glencoe, IL
Caroline Hirsh	5th	Glencoe, IL	Kai Richards	4th	St. Louis, MO
Mollie Hirsh	7th	Glencoe, IL	Kennedy Richards	7th	Wilmette, IL

Sophia Rinaldo

5th Chicago, IL

# 2NDSESSION



NAME	GRADE	HOMETOWN
Rosie Rissman	8th	Berkeley, CA
Scarlett Rissman	5th	Highland Park, IL
Violet Rissman	6th	Berkeley, CA
Ella Rubenstein	8th	Glencoe, IL
Olivia Rubenstein	5th	Glencoe, IL
Emma Sagett	8th	Highland Park, IL
Henri Saipe	3rd	St. Louis, MO
Serenity Sanchez	6th	Deerfield, IL
Brooke Schieber	5th	Hinsdale, IL
Mae Severn	6th	Washington, DC
Hailey Sharratt	5th	Elk River, MN
McKenna Sheldon	7th	Wilmette, IL
Mary Elizabeth Stewart	7th	Wilmette, IL
Sadie Storino	7th	Wilmette, IL
Campbell Trombley	4th	Lake Bluff, IL
Campbell Trombley	3rd	Lake Bluff, IL
Juliet Trueger	6th	Chicago, IL
Rosie Vaglio	6th	Leawood, KS
Zoey Vaglio	8th	Leawood, KS
Opal Vandeloo	8th	Cakland, CA
Vivian Vandersluis	5th	Chicago, IL
Ellie Kate VanGilder	<b>a</b> lst	Lake Bluff, IL
Ava Verdun	7th	Chevy Chase, MD
Ellie Voller	5th	San Diego, CA
Lillian Wall	7th	Oklahoma City, OK

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7th

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7th

6th

3rd

7th

6th

Milwaukee, WI

St. Louis, MO

Ann Arbor, MI

Washington, DC

Washington, DC

Washington, DC

Sandpoint, ID

Deerfield, IL

ZyRhia Ward

Nora Williams

Claire Windom

Colleen Windom

Blaise Wojcik

🛚 🔿 Skyler Zeddun🦱

Lexi Young

Reese Warticovschi





## 2025 STAF

#### NAME

Freja Abraham

Zara Alford

Rodolfo Alvarez Contreras

Hagge

Emily Amos

Carmen Avila Mauro

Caitlain Avis

Zoe Barbour

Matthew Bluff

Millie Boulton

Jaime Brewis

Bayli Brookes

Camille Kite-Bussen

Alia Cairns

Gaia Carrozza

Keila Cervantes Huesca

Eleanor Christie

Taylor Collins

Dana Contreras Garcia

Millie Curran

Lucie Davis

Victoria De Brujin

Meredith DeSanto

Kaylee Falkner

Marie Fanning

Daniella Farrell

Marissa Fletcher-Mason

Ruby Gallagher

Kelsie Gledhill

Morgan Good

Natalie Grice

Maddison Guptill

Mia Hayes

Yessenia Hernandez Alejo

Alejandra Hernandez Diaz

America Hernandez Lopez

Jada Hollis

11 Shannon Kettenring

**POSITION** 

HOMETOWN

Tennis Adelaide, Australia

Archery

Sheffield, United Kingdom

Maintenance

Assistant

Day Camp

Counselor

Puebla, Mexico

West Malling, United Kingdom

Kitchen Assistant Amozoc, Mexico

Wilderness Trip

Leader

Kadina, Australia

Waterskiing

Strathaven, United Kingdom

Sailing

Tidworth, United Kingdom Leicester, United Kingdom

Canoe/Kayak Drama

Johannesburg, South Africa

Waterski

Bunbury, Australia

Special Programs Lake Bluff, IL

Drama

London, United Kingdom

Riding

Cham, Switzerland

Kitchen Assistant Tlahuapan, Mexico

Paddleboarding

Grouville, United Kingdom

Wilderness Trip

Leader

Adelaide, Australia Puebla, Mexico

Art Riding

Huddersfield, United

Kingdom

Dance/Fitness

Crawley, United Kingdom

Swim

Southampton, United

Kingdom

White River Junction,

Vermont

Camp Nurse

Auckland, New Zealand

Canoe/Kayak

Day Camp Counselor

Salford, United Kingdom

Dance/Fitness

Bromsgrove, United Kingdom

Canoe/Kayak

Retford, United Kingdom

Sailing

Essex, United Kingdom

Riding

Hook, United Kingdom

Fishing Archery

Dublin, Ireland

Photography

St. Louis, Missouri

Waterskiing

Rotorua, New Zealand Killarney Vale, Australia

Assistant Cook

Puebla, Mexico

Housekeeping

Huejotzingo, Mexico

Assistant Cook

Puebla, Mexico

Sailing

Program Director Stamping Ground, KY

Corrumbin Waters, Australia

ANNIE ALCORN Washington DC

**2025** 

REESE BARNETT

Glencoe, IL (2<sup>nd</sup> session)

> MIRA DALE Glencoe, IL

**ELENI KWATRA** 

Scottsdale, AZ (1<sup>st</sup> session)

ADDISON NOVAK Naples, FL

(1st session)

SARINA RONTAL Birmingham, MI

(1<sup>st</sup> session)

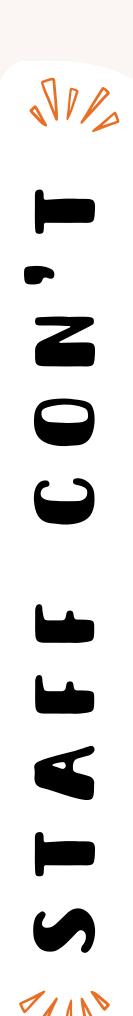
ADE STERN Minneapolis, MN



### NAME Ruby Last Constance Liney Tyla Lord Mariam Luna Alvarez Laney Maguire Madeline Mangos Romina Martinez Limon Amber McFall Natalie McQueen Jocelyn Mejia Matamoros Tara Menon Tayla Miles Linzi Moran Shuri Munoz Garcia Libby Murphy Chantelle Napier Charlotte Neale Lilah Newkirk Brenda Ortiz Corte Ophelia Pedley Olivia Pefferman Luna Pérez Marie Brenda Perez Rojas Lilly-Mae Phillips Abby Potter Grace Pritchard Jen Rabb Raquel Ramirez Jimena Ramirez Berger Fatima Ramirez Rodriguez Kyla Reid Karla Rosales Santiago Molly Rush Kimberley Russell Mikayla Shukerbrown Kira Siegert Ceaira Smith Elena Sosa Reves Esme Springham Lucinda Sykes

### **POSITION** Wilderness Trip Leader Riding Arts Village Dance Staff Coach & Dev. Dir. Art Assistant Cook Waterfront Coordinator Ropes/Wall Laundry Assistant Archery Swim Activity Instructor Kitchen Assistant Swim Windsurfing Paddleboarding Nursing Assistant Assistant Cook Sailing Dance/Fitness Tennis Tennis Swim Fishing Swim Jack/Jill-of-All-Trades Art Assistant Cook Ropes/Wall Waterskiing Kitchen Assistant Sailing Windsurfing Canoe/Kayak Windsurfing Nursing Assistant Dance/Fitness Swim Riding Art

### HOMETOWN Scunthorpe, United Kingdom Pitlochry, United Kingdom Cape Town, South Africa Puebla, Mexico Oklahoma City, Oklahoma Greensborough, Australia San Andres Cholula, Mexico Norwich, United Kingdom Wirral, United Kingdom Puebla, Mexico Glasgow, United Kingdom Wellington, New Zealand Manchester, United Kingdom Puebla, Mexico Liverpool, United Kingdom Long Jetty, Australia Leicester, United Kingdom Los Angeles, California Tlaxcala, Mexico Wokingham, United Kingdom Edmond, Oklahoma La Fresneda, Spain Puebla, Mexico Dunsborough, Australia Gold Coast, Australia South Shields, United Kingdom Lowell, Michigan Alvarado, Mexico Alvarado, Mexico Libres, Mexico Edmond, Oklahoma Tehuacan, Mexico Galway, Ireland Perth, Australia Auckland, New Zealand Beelitz, Germany Hunlock Creek, Pennsylvania San Andres Cholula, Mexico Bentley, United Kingdom Wigan, United Kingdom Margate, Australia



Zoe Talbot



#### NAME

Ana Tapia Saltillo
Christian Teyssier Sanchez
Joanne Timberlake
Ana Toledo Sarmientos
Dulce Trujillo Castro
Emily Tull
Jaqueline Vidal
Charlotte Webster
Hannah Weightman
Lucy Young

Rebecca Zwart

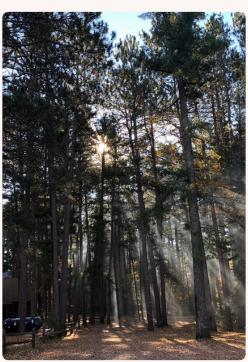
#### POSITION

Housekeeping
Maintenance Assistant
Wilderness Trip Leader
Laundry Assistant
Laundry Assistant
Waterskiing
Assistant Cook
Ropes/Wall
Paddleboarding
Jack/Jill-of-All-Trades
Windsurfing

#### HOMETOWN

Puebla, Mexico
Puebla, Mexico
Ocean Grove, Australia
Misantla, Mexico
Tehuacan, Mexico
Croydon South, Australia
Villahermosa, Mexico
Poulton-le-Fylde, United Kingdom
Houngton le Spring, United Kingdom
Jarrow, United Kingdom
Leeuwarden, Netherlands







See you sooooon!