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# RAINBOW CONNECTION

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connect with us!

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!!

Make it a date night for a good cause! Join us for the annual "Cocktails Around the Campfire" fundraiser at  
Amazing Space-Downtown Chicago  
207 S. Desplaines Street  
Chicago, IL 60661  
[campforallkids.org](http://campforallkids.org)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11TH!

This organization is so near and dear to our hearts!  
Please consider joining us!

ENROLL HERE!!!

Enrollment for 2026 is OPEN!  
Sign up now for another summer of fun, friends, and campFires!

Full Season Monday, June 15th – Saturday, August 8th  
1st Session Monday, June 15th – Saturday, July 11th  
2nd Session Monday, July 13th – Saturday, August 8th

Leadership Training Program:

Full Season: Friday, June 5th– Saturday, August 8th  
1<sup>st</sup> Session: Friday, June 5th– Saturday, July 11th  
2<sup>nd</sup> Session: Saturday, July 11th– Saturday, August 8th

# HOW CAN YOU HELP SUPPORT KAMAJI?

## HOST A GATHERING!

**1.** Contact Kat  
([kat@kamaji.com](mailto:kat@kamaji.com))  
and set a date  
for your Kamaji  
get together- has  
TSA pre-check,  
will travel!

**2.** Create an Evite  
and send it to  
your invite list!  
(3-4 families is all we need!)

**3.** Get excited for  
Kat (and you!)  
to tell families  
about Kamaji  
and it's  
incredible  
impact on  
camper(s)!

Camp relies on the  
word of mouth  
from Kamaji  
experts- you- to  
help find future  
campers!

Questions?  
Contact Kat at  
[kat@kamaji.com](mailto:kat@kamaji.com)  
to get started  
planning your  
gathering!

Not Up for Hosting?  
Share this link to  
schedule a Zoom  
call with Kat!  
[kat-campkamaji](https://www.kat-campkamaji.com)



# ANNOUNCEMENTS

THE RAINBOW  
CONNECTION IS YOUR  
NEWSLETTER!

PLEASE SEND US PICTURES  
OF YOU IN YOUR KAMAJI  
GEAR, SMALL WORLD RUN-IN  
STORIES, POEMS, ARTWORK  
OR ESSAYS AND OF COURSE,  
YOUR HUMBLE BRAGS TO BE  
INCLUDED IN A FUTURE  
NEWSLETTER

We are already working hard  
on our video scrapbook from  
summer 2025. Send  
[kat@kamaji.com](mailto:kat@kamaji.com) fun song  
suggestions that would be a  
great soundtrack to our  
video! Also, if you have  
favorite pictures or short  
video you took during the  
summer- please feel free to  
share it with us, too!

## DID YOU KNOW?

In addition to a heartfelt  
note, families can show their  
appreciation for 2025  
Kamaji Staff by donating to  
Camp for All Kids in their  
name!!

[Kamaji Camp](#)  
[Staff for our](#)  
[kids](#)

## DID YOU KNOW?

You have your very own  
CampInTouch account! Use  
this to access things like  
pictures from last summer  
and contact info for all your  
Kamaji friends!

[Log in to](#)  
[CampInTouch](#)  
[HERE!](#)



Serena Meyers-  
Baer at the Aspen  
Farmer's Market  
representing her  
Mundahmins-  
"Shuck it!"



Fiona Belmonti  
and Ella  
Rubenstein as  
field hockey  
"competitors"!

# 2025 CAMPER ENROLLMENT!



## SESSION



2026 NEW CAMPER!



## WEEKERS

<u>Name</u>	<u>Grade</u>	<u>Hometown</u>
Frances Badrul	1st	Minneapolis, MN
Avery Bargfeldt	6th	Franklin, TN
Lucinda Chorney	9th	Minneapolis, MN
Adelee Cronk-Gebbia	7th	El Cajon, CA
London Donaldson	5th	Lake Villa, IL
Elodie Fredman	6th	Bannockburn, IL
Josette Fredman	5th	Bannockburn, IL
Cate Graziano	6th	Lake Bluff, IL
Kaleesi Greene	6th	Minneastrista, MN
Lilly Greene	4th	Minneastrista, MN
Zoey Humphrey	8th	Denver, CO
Noa Jacoby	7th	Chicago, IL
Lizzie Joyce	4th	Deerfield, IL
Gweneth Kelley	7th	Lake Bluff, IL
Flo Lloyd	8th	Washington DC
Marie Longergan	5th	Lake Bluff, IL
Eva McCulloch	3rd	Chicago, IL
Alessia Naeymi-Rad	2nd	Libertyville, IL
Lilah Pearl	9th	Encinitas, CA
Lillian Polster	4th	Fox Point, WI
Amelia Rabb	6th	Lowell, MI
Caroline Rabb	2nd	Lowell, MI
Hannah Rabb	3rd	Lowell, MI
Noa Ray	2nd	Chicago, IL
Joslyn Riddle	4th	Lake Bluff, IL
Josephine Rouspil	7th	Des Moines, IA
Oakley Thiesen	9th	Brainerd, MN
Olive Thiessen	7th	Clear Lake, MN
Brooke Willhite	8th	Albuquerque, NM
Genevieve Worley	4th	Chicago, IL
Lorelei Worley	7th	Chicago, IL

**JESSE DORNAN**  
7th  
Denver, CO

**FIONA BELMONTI**  
9th  
Chicago, IL

**MADDIE HERNANEZ**  
8th  
Northbrook, IL

**LAYLA GREENWOOD**  
4th  
Glencoe, IL

**BETSY KESSELMAN**  
8th  
Northbrook, IL




**AVERY LIPSCHULTZ**  
8th  
Denver, CO

**SERENA MEYERS-BAER**  
4th  
Brooklyn, NY

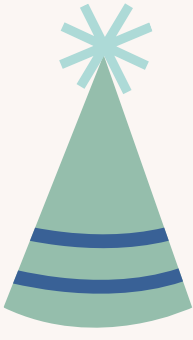
**FELICITY NELSON**  
2nd  
Lake Bluff, IL

**IVY SWARTZ**  
8th  
Chicago, IL

# 2nd SESSION

Name		Grade	Hometown	Name		Grade	Hometown
Matilda	Asarch	6th	Denver, CO	Molly	McDonough	5th	Steamboat Springs, CO
Eloise	Baker	4th	Washington, DC	Gracie	Mervis	6th	Arlington, VA
Celeste	Belmonti	5th	Chicago, IL	Kate	Mervis	4th	Arlington, VA
Eliana	Brown	8th	Shaker Heights, OH	Abigail	Millington	7th	Skokie, IL
Cat	Carrazana	5th	Mission Hills, KS	Emery	Neisewander	8th	Winnetka, IL
Eleanor	Cassidy	8th	Evanston, IL	Olivia	Neisewander	6th	Winnetka, IL
Victoria	Diaz Petrides	7th	Miguel Hidalgo, DF	Elliott	Redborg	3rd	Chehalis, WA
Dylan	Ditto	6th	Chicago, IL	Rosie	Rissman	9th	Berkeley, CA
Blake	Eldridge	6th	Highland Park, IL	Scarlett	Rissman	6th	Highland Park, IL
Chloe	Fleischer	5th	Chevy Chase, MD	Violet	Rissman	7th	Berkeley, CA
Lia	Fleischer	8th	Chevy Chase, MD	Ella	Rubenstein	9th	Glencoe, IL
Orly	Garfield	5th	New York, NY	Olivia	Rubenstein	6th	Glencoe, IL
Lily	Genser	6th	Highland Park, IL	Henri	Saipe	4th	St. Louis, MO
GiGi	Gimbel	7th	Oakland, CA	Serenity	Sanchez	7th	Deerfield, IL
Zali	Gouin	6th	Kirkland, WA	Brooke	Schieber	6th	Hinsdale, IL
Eve	Jackson	8th	Kansas City, MO	Rose	Schieber	3rd	Hinsdale, IL
Millie	Jackson	8th	Kansas City, MO	Mae	Severn	7th	Washington, DC
Olivia	Kansupada	4th	Chicago, IL	 Wilder	Severn-Harding	4th	Lees Summit, MO
Vivienne	Laufer	7th	Deerfield, IL	M.E.	Stewart	8th	Austin, TX
Akari	Lema	8th	Tokyo, Japan	Juliet	Trueger	7th	Chicago, IL
 Hazel	Limbert	3rd	Berkeley, CA	Ellie	Voller	6th	San Diego, CA
Willa	Limbert	7th	Berkeley, CA	Lillian	Wall	8th	Oklahoma City, OK
Evelyn	Mason	7th	Deerfield, IL	Nora	Williams	8th	Ann Arbor, MI
				Lexi	Young	8th	Deerfield, IL





HAPPY  
*birthday*  
SEPTEMBER

## STAFF

JAQUELINE VIDAL	1
JO TIMBERLAKE	2
KIM RUSSELL	3
CONNIE LINEY	4
CHARLOTTE WEBSTER	11
BRENDA PEREZ ROJAS	23
LUNA PÉREZ MARIE	25
LINZI MORAN	29
HANNAH WEIGHTMAN	30

## CAMPERS

VICTORIA DÍAZ PETRIDES	2
LILY GENSER	6
ELLIE VANGILDER	6
ZOEY VAGLIO	7
FRANCES BADRUL	8
GIGI GIMBEL	9
MARY HENRY	10
DYLAN DITTO	13
ELIANA BROWN	14
KATE MERVIS	14
YAMARIS CABRERA	18
RUBY HALL	22
BROOKE WILLHITE	25
ELISE SMITH	27
MADISON SMITH	27
JESSICA TAYLOR	29



WISH YOUR PALS A HAPPY BIRTHDAY!  
LOG IN TO CAMPINTOUCH FOR  
CONTACT INFORMATION! :)