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# Camp Abilities Newsletter! THE C*A*N (As in "Yes, you can!") 

The $\mathrm{C}^{*} \mathrm{~A} * \mathrm{~N}$ is dedicated to the memory of Dr. Janet Joseph, the $\mathrm{C}^{*} \mathrm{~A} * \mathrm{~N}$ founder and Lauren Lieberman's mother. She died suddenly in December of 2006. She was an active part of Camp Abilities Brockport for 7 years and we miss her very much.

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| In Short |  |  |
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| Yesterday | Today | Tomorrow |
| Second Day of Activities <br> Morning laughter yoga <br> Athletes' second day of sports <br> Orange \& green team photos <br> Nighttime Activities: Judo, <br> watersports, dancing with <br> Lisa, rollerblading, <br> showdown, arts \& crafts, <br> and more! | Third Day of Activities <br> Morning laughter yoga <br> Athletes' third day of sports <br> Nighttime Activities- <br> tonight's attraction: <br> horseback riding! | Dance party! |
| Fourth Day of Activities <br> Athletes' fourth day of sports <br> Staff Photo <br> Lunch in Brockway! <br> $\mathbf{2 0}^{\text {th }}$ anniversary celebration |  |  |



## Where are we now?

Since it was founded here at Brockport in 1996, Camp
Abilities has spread to over a dozen states and seven other countries: Ireland, Puerto Rico, Costa Rica, Canada, Finland, Brazil, and Portugal


In celebration of its $20^{\text {th }}$ anniversary, Camp Abilities is changing its official logo! The new logo features an athlete running with a tether, a tandem bike, and a goalball, and was designed by Andrea Arbit.

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## NOW for the news on the athletes' accomplishments

## Orange

- Braden - went paddle boarding and did archery for the first time
- Katie - went canoeing, rode a tendem bike, and did archery for the first time and hit the balloon without popping it
- Jason - hit his nose on a goalball but still got up, earning a token for respect
- Sky - caught a fish, did a sprint in 3.25 seconds, went stand-up paddle boarding for the first time, and almost caught a fish
- Andrew - tried archery for the first time, busted through a metal door with a goalball with Sam and won his first match in the showdown tournament
- Henry - played goalball for the first time and made two goals on his first two throws and stood up on a paddle board for the first time
- Alex - caught his first rock bass
- Maddie - rollerbladed for the first time



## Pink

- Andrew Miles - caught a fish, got three bulls' eyes in archery, swam 9 laps in the pool and had 4841 steps at the end of the day
- Lillian - did archery for the first time and hit the target once. She also ran 1 and $1 / 8$ miles in 10 minutes!
- TJ - dove into the pool for the first time
- Luke - ran a mile and has 239 miles left
- Nina - successfully swam on her back
- Chris - walked 16561 steps since breakfast
- Meghan - beat her hundred-meter time in track
- Donovan - caught a sunfish and ran a 6.46 second sprint



## Blue

- Jack - broke his record for swimming with 8 laps in the pool, tried archery for the first time, stood up on the paddle board, and ran 5 laps on the indoor track.
- Liss - did 9 laps and conquered her fear by putting face into water, jumped into the pit for the first time
- Maddie - did jazzercise for the first time, ran 1 and $1 / 8$ miles in 10 minutes, beat her freestyle time by 10 seconds in swimming 2:01-1:51
- Tory - beat her 25 yard swim with a time of 57 seconds


## Green

- Kelly - fell off the paddleboard twice (and swam back to the dock!), did a forward roll in gymnastics, and went roller blading succesfully
- Maddie - went paddleboarding for the first time without falling, and id a forward roll after five attempts in gymnastics
- Jessica - swam 18 laps in swimming, passed all the advanced skills in gymnastics, and hit a balloon in archery without popping it!
- Joe - paddleboarded for the first time, stood up within the first 5 minutes, didn't fall off, cut 20 seconds off his time in swimming


## Fish Count: 4


*** Remember: this is YOUR newsletter. Please come see me (Gia) with great accomplishments, funny experiences, or any news you want to share from the day!!!

TIP FOR THE DAY:
Remember to apply sunscreen in the morning and reapply throughout the day!

