
Camp Abilities Newsletter!

THE C*A*N, as in, yes you can!

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Welcome to Camp Abilities Brockport! This is the second volume of the 2010 Camp Abilities Brockport Newsletter, the C*A*N.

The C*A*N is dedicated to the memory of Dr. Janet Joseph, the C*A*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.

Weather Report

Day: Cloudy with a few showers. High 82F. Chance of rain 30%.

Night: A shower or two possible early with partly cloudy skies later at night. Low 61F. Chance of rain 30%.

UV Index: 8 (very high)

Group Leaders

Today's newsletter will focus on our Group Leaders!

Kelly Striefler is the group leader of the Yellow Golden Champions. She lives in Wawayanda, NY where she is a physical education teacher. This is Kelly's fourth year at Camp Abilities Brockport. She has four children and is joined at camp by her son Freling, who is a counselor.

Carey Glover is the leader of the Blue Kool-aids. She graduated from SUNY Brockport with a health science degree. This is Carey's third year at camp and will be helping in the pool as a swim specialist.

Jeff Yellen is the group leader for the Green Xtreme team. He graduated from SUNY Brockport with his Bachelor's degree in Physical Education and is starting his Master's degree in APE in the fall. This is his second year at camp and has attended camps in Maryland and Connecticut as the goalball specialist.

Tiffany Mitrakos is the group leader of the Purplecalifragilisticexpialidocious. She will be finishing her undergraduate work at SUNY Brockport in the fall and will continue her education by perusing a Master's degree in APE. This is Tiffany's second year at camp.

Keenan Bloom is the CIT Leader. This is he 8th year at camp! He has done many jobs during his years with camp such as; counselor, equipment specialist, and group leader. Keenan will be heading to the West coast in the near future to peruse a career as an actor and we wish him well!!

Special News

Camp Abilities is honored to have with us the beep baseball team from Long Island, NY the LI Bombers!!! The team will be demonstrating their talents on the beep baseball field.

The **Long Island Bombers** are a dedicated group of baseball enthusiasts from the Long Island and Tri-state area. They just happen to be blind and visually impaired. They hold rigorous practices, instructional clinics and play exhibition and competitive games against sighted and other visually impaired teams in the Metropolitan area. The combined efforts of our players, volunteers and supporters are what make the Long Island Bombers successful. (taken from <http://libombers.org/> website)

The C*A*N is your newsletter. It is interesting because of YOUR contributions. See Gia at breakfast or Michele during lunch or dinner with your accomplishments.

Believe you can achieve!
