



TOTEM POLE



Winter 2011

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CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF CAMP FIRE



The Centennial Celebration took place October 9, 2010 at the Houston Mill House in Atlanta.

2010 marked the 100th birthday for Camp Fire USA and the 87th year for our own Georgia Council! Past and present club members, alumni, staff and friends of Camp Fire USA Georgia Council gathered together to celebrate the national organization's centennial year.

CAMP FIRE CLUBS

The Toccoa Christmas Parade was s'more fun with this float by the "LITTLE STARS" Camp Fire Club



Camp Fire Clubs in Georgia were revitalized in 2010. Clubs are forming fast! If you're interested in starting a club in your area, please contact the Camp Fire Georgia Council office at 706-886-2457 or email info@camptoccoa.org.

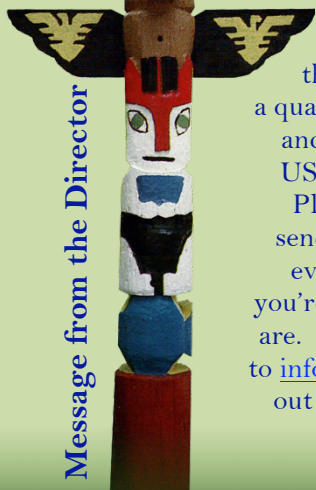
Introducing ONLINE REGISTRATION beginning January 20, 2011

Camp Toccoa registrations for the summer of 2010 were up 35%, making it possible for us to offer online registration. This service will be used for summer day and resident camp registration, as well as family weekends and winter holiday camp. Visit our website at www.camptoccoa.org for more information and to register!

DID YOU KNOW?

Camp Toccoa is open all year round. In addition to Council programs, we're available to host your upcoming event!

Elaine Brinkley



Message from the Director

WoHeLo,

I hope you enjoy the first edition of the Totem Pole! We'd like to make this a quarterly newsletter with updates, events and information pertaining to Camp Fire USA Georgia Council and Camp Toccoa.

Please feel free to contribute by sending us your ideas, photos or even letters to Clyde. We hope you're as excited about this as we are. Please send all submissions to info@camptoccoa.org. Check out our upcoming events and come see us soon!



WINTER CAMP 2010

Winter Camp 2010 was full of Camp Toccoa Magic! Over 40 campers came out to enjoy traditional summer activities mixed with winter fun. They enjoyed making gingerbread tents, hiking to Quarry Rock and reconnecting with summer friends. Thanks to the amazing summer staff who returned to volunteer for this weekend "beneath the pine trees!"

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CLYDE'S CORNER



Dear Clyde,
 Are you having a good winter? What do you do when there aren't any campers? Do you miss us? We miss you!
 Love, Susie

Dear Susie,
 I always miss the campers when summer is over. Luckily, I got to see lots of them again at Winter Camp! This week I enjoyed playing in all the snow that came to Camp Toccoa. WoHeLo! Clyde T. Rabbit



Storm of the Century! (at least so far!)

January 9th and 10th brought around six inches of snow to the northeast Georgia mountains, including Camp Toccoa! Staff, horses, dogs, and bunnies all enjoyed seeing their favorite places covered in a blanket of white.

To see more pictures of the beautiful winter weather, visit the "news" sections of www.camptoccoa.org or you can become a fan of Camp Toccoa on Facebook!



UPCOMING EVENTS

JANUARY

- 22-23 Work Weekend
- 22 Camp Expo: North Point Mall

FEBRUARY

- 12-13 Work Weekend
- 13 Camp Expo: Town Center Mall
- 17 Camp Fair: Emory University

MARCH

- 12-13 Work Weekend
- 19 Camp Expo: Perimeter Mall
- 26-27 Family Weekend

APRIL

- 10 Open House 1-4 pm
- 16-17 Work Weekend
- 23-24 Family Weekend

MAY

- 1 Open House 1-4 pm
- 14-15 Work Weekend
- 15 Open House 1-4 pm



Congratulations to Callie Stern (left) and Hannah Kraar (right), longtime campers and CITs who were selected to be members of the Camp Fire National Youth Advisory Cabinet (YAC). Hannah and Callie represented the Georgia Council as two of the twelve members of the YAC at Camp Fire USA's National Leadership Summit this past fall.

SUMMER 2011 DATES and PROGRAM OPTIONS

Session	Dates	Program Options
I	June 12-18	Traditional, Voyager (<i>two weeks</i>)
II	June 19-25	Traditional, Horseback, Voyager (<i>two weeks</i>)
III	June 26-July 2	Traditional, Gypsy
IV	July 3-9	Traditional, Climbing, Horseback
V	July 17-30 <i>*two weeks</i>	Traditional, Voyager
VI	July 31-August 6	Traditional, Climbing, Horseback

For information on program options and rates, please see our website at www.camptoccoa.org