

**Camp CAMP**  
**Summer Camp Opportunities for Children and Adults with Disabilities and for  
Volunteer Counselors: CAMP is now accepting camper and volunteer  
applications for their 2009 summer sessions.**

Children's Association for Maximum Potential (CAMP) is a non-profit organization that offers a one week camping experience for children and adults with special needs. Most other camps are not equipped to accept children with very serious health needs and challenging behaviors. CAMPS's goal is to help every individual, no matter what their physical or cognitive disabilities, reach their maximum potential. Activities include horseback riding, canoeing, swimming, outdoor cooking, nature, arts and crafts, archery, and much more. All of the activities at CAMP are adapted to accommodate the special needs of each CAMPer, allowing them to be successful in each area. CAMP provides up to a one-to-one camper-to-counselor ratio to ensure the safety of each CAMPer.

Every summer, CAMP provides approximately eight hundred CAMPers a safe and fun-filled experience. Alice Diamant, mother of long-time camper Christopher wrote: *"Thank you for all you and the entire Camp CAMP team do to provide kids like Christopher with a memorable camping experience. Christopher is now 19 years old and has been camping with CAMP each year since he was 4 years old. Attending camp is a singular event for Christopher – certainly the highlight of his summers and something he looks forward to every single year!"* CAMPs mission is to strengthen and inspire kids like Christopher while they enjoy the unique experience of summer camping.

Throughout the summer, CAMP will need approximately 400 counselor volunteers. Each individual summer session runs Sunday-Friday and overnight stay is required. The most rewarding experience at CAMP is the friendships formed with fellow counselors and campers. Nothing compares to the smiles our volunteers help place on the faces of our CAMPers. Volunteers must be 14 years or older. Adults highly sought. CAMP provides a thorough orientation and continuous training.

CAMP is now accepting camper and volunteer applications for their 2009 summer sessions. Applications, session schedule, payment options, and detailed information are available at <http://campcamp.org>. For more information call (210)671-5411.