



John F. Kennedy International School Summer Times 2008



July Campers



August Campers

New Developments in 2009

Since 1973 the John F. Kennedy International School has been offering a summer camp program to children of all nationalities from 6 to 13 years of age.

During the past 7 years we have had an average of 40 boarders and up to 28 day students. Thirty of the boarders lived in the Kennedy School Boarding House and 10 of the older boys lived at the Summer House.

After learning that the Summer House would no longer be available as of 2009, the Kennedy School has decided to lease the Mountain Lodge in Schönried.

This is a much larger facility than the Summer House and can easily accommodate 30 boarding children as well as staff members.

With 30 places in Saanen and 30 places in Schönried, the Kennedy School now has the possibility of offering two completely separate camps to both boarders and day students. The Saanen program will be designed for the younger children ranging in age from 6 to 10. The Schönried program will be geared to boys and girls 11 to 14.

The overall program offered by the Kennedy School Summer Camp has proven to be highly successful during the past 35 years, and therefore we would like to keep the activities much the same for both camps. Language classes, swimming lessons, interest groups, overnight camping trips, Saturday shopping, Sunday excursions and Special Events Day will continue to be important parts of the program.



Memories of July





Memories of August





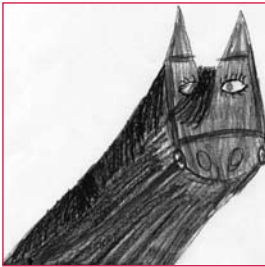
My New Friend Hide

I met a new friend at summer camp, his name is Hide. Hide comes from Japan, a country that is far away from Switzerland.

Hide is 8 years old. He is funny and he thought up new games, like the mountain game. In the mountain game we had to make mountains out of sticks.

At camp Hide learned to speak English. It was easy to speak with him. I like my new friend Hide.

Daniel Kaddaj, Austria



Horse

Big, brown, Running, playing, sleeping. Jumping over the obstacle. Riding, jumping, eating. Beautiful, pretty, Sally Boy.

Aline Bernasconi, Switzerland



Dragon

Big, strong, flying, eating, chasing. Fantasy creature who is popular. Running, jumping, fighting. Free, lucky, Unicorn.

Rapael Schwarz, Germany

Extreme Rock Climbing

In July I did rock climbing for Interst Groups and my teachers were Mr. Mike and Mr. Tim. In the camp session I did rock climbing six times and it was fun.

During this interest group I made a best friend named Abdula. We learned how to tie an eight knot. We rock climbed in the Kennedy School garden.



The Kennedy school garden was fun because we climbed the El Diablo, a climb that wasn't difficult and the fastest climber got to name the climb. I was the fastest climber so I named it El Diablo.

We also went indoors in Gstaad. We had competitions too. Finally we climbed at a very exciting place outdoors named Gerignon.

by: Philip Kaddaj, Austria

My favourite part of camp ...

is magic because I learn new magic tricks.

Sophya Kebets, Russia

is cooking because it is fun and I love it.

Liza Simonyan, Russia

is meeting people from other countries, because I wanted to know how people from other countries speak.

Hide Tominaga, Japan

is playing four square and watching the Olympics. Because in Greece we don't play four square and I like watching lot's of different games.

Stamatis Stamatiou, Greece/USA

is four square and mountain biking.

Hédi Blagui, France/Tunisia

Rock climbing

Exciting, cool, climbing, jumping, thinking. It's a super extreme activity. Belaying, pushing, pulling, fun, big, ascend.

Antoine Nehr, France/CH



French Corner

J'aime le français avec Madame Beatrice. J'aime tout! J'adore la JFK!

Yannis Varsos, Greece

J'aime les leçons de cuisson. J'aime beaucoup les activités après le diner.

Ana Maura, Spain

J'aime beaucoup l'escalade avec Mr. Mike et Mr. Tim.

Rory Hughes, United Kingdom

J'aime les groupes d'intérêts. J'aime beaucoup faire les achats le samedi.

Emmanuelle Rokofyllos, Greece

J'aime l'escalade, j'aime aussi les activités après le diner, la natation et les classes de français.

J'aime beaucoup faire les achats le samedi et les étudiants de l'internat.

Christianna Rokofyllos, Greece