

THE WICOSUTAN

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Fall 2021

A Letter from the Directors



Dear Wico Campers, Staff, Parents and Alumnae,

Greetings from Camp and Happy Fall! We write to you now feeling grateful, refreshed and rejuvenated! Summer 2021 (Wico's 100th Reboot!) was memorable, fun, crazy, stressful at times, and overall fantastic. It will not soon be forgotten!

Being together allowed us to reconnect with our friends. For some of us, this was our first in-person social experience in over a year. Understandably, it took us time to settle down

and settle in. We had to get back our sea legs and build back our social and physical stamina. After a few days, we saw campers blossom as if they had never left camp. First time campers bravely arrived at Wico—a camp that was new to them—and jumped right in. Counselors who had spent more time in their dorm rooms than outside, put 100% of their effort into the job of helping kids have a great time at camp. Pulling off the Summer of 2021 took effort on everyone's part. We hope that each of you feels proud of yourselves!

As we plan for Summer 2022 (yippee!) we look forward to using the lessons learned in 2021 to create the most fun and incredible Wico summer, yet! We hope to bring back our rich tripping program including more hikes, overnights, and outdoor adventures, intercamp competitions with other camps, and traditional Trip Days. We can't wait to fold in some of our new favorites (like Gunstock Mountain) with everyone's old favorites (Burlington, Hanover, Canobie Lake, etc.)! We can't wait for even more singing and cheering, more all-camp events, and watching the campers spend even more time in all of their favorite activity areas!

We will continue to notify you of the things you can look forward to at camp this summer including special programming and additions/improvements at camp. We will share updates and help create opportunities for you to connect with each other and with us. As always, please reach out with any questions you may have about this coming summer. We are available and are happy to help!

Lots of Wico Love,



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CAMPER CORNER

We love to hear news from campers. Email news about celebrations, activities, school, camp sleepovers, etc. to corey@campwicosuta.com. We'll include your news in the next edition of The Wicosutan.



Mischa P and Michaela R wasted no time reconnecting after camp! They met in NYC and sent us this great photo of their dinner outside. We love this. girls! Thanks for sharing!



Olivia H and her family checked out Shoshone Falls Park in Twin Falls, Idaho after camp. Olivia showed her Wico Spirit in this photo and then shared it with us! Thanks, Olivia!



Georgia H and Brooke U loved getting to see each other recently, as well! Brooke and her mom were in New Jersey for a Bat Mitzvah and took the opportunity to meet Georgia and her mom in New York on their way home. These girls have been friends since their first summer of camp. It's hard to believe that they are going to be Totems in 2022!!



Julia and Luisa **B-H** sent the Wico full-time team some of their Wico Love with this awesome photo. Thanks, Girls! We send our Wico Love back to you.



Coco F and Talia K spent some time in Martha's Vineyard after camp this summer. Thanks for sharing this awesome photo, ladies!

Wico's Donut Stop Believin' Tour

Coming to a park near you...

Save the date for this informal pop-up event (there will not be formal activities), also known as Wico's Donut Stop Believin' Tour! Stop by, pick up your 2021 yearbook and some fun Wico swag; stay to catch up with us, enjoy a cup of cocoa and, of course, a donut! We will send a formal invite via email soon!













SAVE THE DATE

for the "tour" location closest to you:

New York City	Dec 4
Westchester, NY	Dec 4
Fairfield County, CT	Dec 4
Greater Boston Area	Dec 5
Greater Los Angeles, CA	Jan 29
The Bay Area, CA	Jan 30
Southeast Florida	TBA















A Big Wico Welcome to... Liz Pruzinsky

STAFFING COORDINATOR

We are excited to expand Wico's year-round team with the addition of Elizabeth "Liz" Pruzinsky! As the Staffing Coordinator,



Liz will work closely with Carly on recruiting, hiring and training Wico's 175 seasonal staff members. During the summer, Liz will work on the Res Life side of camp with our campers and counselors!

Liz brings a wealth of knowledge of both camp and children to Wico! Liz was a camper, counselor and Head Counselor at a girls' camp in Maine. She has a Master's in Elementary and Special Education. She was a special education teacher and, most recently, worked in private practice as a Board Certified Behavior Analyst with children.

When not at Wico, Liz and her husband, CJ, live in Brooklyn, NY with their two amazing little girls, Mia (4.5 years old) and Penelope (9 months old). A little-known fact about Liz is that she used to be a competitive swimmer. Although she no longer competes, water sports are still her favorite and she looks forward to spending lots of time at the pool and waterfront at Wico! Want to reach out to Liz? You may reach her directly at: Liz@campwicosuta.com.

Thank you for helping us welcome Liz to Wicosuta!

Joking Around

WITH JESS

Hey Wico!

Although it's November, I am still feeling the energy of spending the summer with all of you! Summer 2021 was certainly a summer like no other, filled with the magic and joy of reconnecting face to face with friends we hadn't seen in a while, and new friends we had yet to meet! It was so wonderful to hear Wico full of laughter and fun!

Here are some of my favorite summer memories:

- ➤ Singing songs under the Old Pine for the first time at the Opening Campfire.
- ➤ Making the most of a few rainy days, including archery classes turned cardboard fashion design on the porch of the office!
- ➤ Watching the meteor shower on the softball field.
- ➤ Watching Wico girls get up on waterskis and cheering them on with friends!
- ➤ Cheering for all the Olympic sports at the flagpole, including some new and obscure ones!
- Color runs around camp, getting covered in green, blue, and pink!
- ➤ Showing our spirit during new special event days, like Decades Day and College Days. Go Banana Slugs!
- Sending out wishboats onto Newfound Lake at our final beach campfire.







It may feel far away now, but before we know it camp will be around the corner and we will be making Summer 2022 memories! When I need to be transported back to camp, I usually listen to my favorite summer playlist.

A few of my top songs from this summer include:

- Levitating by Dua Lipa
- 2 Juliet by LMNT (a dining hall classic!)
- My Shot from Hamilton
- 4 Church Clap (the Summer 2021 dance craze to be remembered!)



What are your favorite songs from Summer 2021? Send me an email to

let me know and I'll add them to my list! jess@campwicosuta.com

Peace, Love, & Wico, Jess

Priscilla's Puzzles

Though it's only fall, I am already counting down the days until we get back to camp. Maybe you are, too! Just for fun, you can keep busy while you wait for us to be back in NH. Can you figure out what word each letter stands for in these brainteasers?



Program Team (Special Events & Traditions)

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Sending Wico Love Your Way, Priscilla

DEEP THOUGHTS

with Carly

Hey Wico, Hey What?!



Wow! It was very special to be back together again under the Old Pine to celebrate Wico's 100th summer. After counting down the days since the end of Summer 2019, Summer 2021 was worth the wait! Getting to spend a summer with all of you; laughing, trying new activities, making new friends, connecting with old friends, growing, and learning was unforgettable. Thank you to everyone who made it possible.

Some of you might know that after camp we hosted a reunion with some of our alumnae to celebrate our 100th summer. We spent a weekend hanging out with former campers and staff and celebrating Wico! It was fun to see how so many of the traditions have carried on throughout the years.

No reunion would be complete without a campfire (with milk & cookies of course). Sitting around the campfire, we were able to hear from many of the alumnae about how camp gave them confidence and all the ways it impacted their lives. While they laughed, cried, sang, and shared stories from the past it was amazing to see different generations of Wico campers (and staff) connect.

After spending the summer with all of you, the reunion felt like a perfect way to end. Hopefully all of you walked away from the summer feeling like camp changed you. Maybe you made a new friend, tried a new activity, learned a new song, or learned a new skill. No matter how big or small the change was, I hope it continues to impact you throughout the year.

Wishing you a great rest of 2021 and looking forward to 2022.

From the lakes, from the hills, from the sky, Carly

P.S. Prissy and I are taking suggestions for our Flagpole Call and Response Cheer for next summer. If you have any ideas (or just want to say hi) feel free to send them to carly@campwicosuta.com.

WE'RE EXCITED TO WELCOME THE FOLLOWING NEW CAMPERS FOR SUMMER 2022...

Note: We include each new camper in one edition of the Wicosutan—the edition published closest to their enrollment date. We often include their home town, so therefore include only the first initial of their last name in order to protect their privacy.

A big Wico Welcome to the following new campers:

FIRST SESSION

A big **OSKI** welcome to **Olivia C** of Basking Ridge, NJ! Olivia is funny, silly, enjoys art and tennis. She comes to camp with big sister, Claire (see Coos). **Sejal M** hails from Brooklyn, NY. She heard great things about Wico from her friend, Sommer C-thanks, Sommer! Sejal has lots of spirit and enjoys being active. We know she will love everything she gets to do at Wico! We are so glad that **Rylan R** (of Summit, NJ) decided to give Wico a try! Rylan is full of spirit and excitement! She is an avid reader and also loves to play soccer. We can't wait to get to know her better. The **CASCOS** are excited to get to know **Elizabeth M** of Greenwich, CT! Elizabeth is an experienced day camper and ready to take the next step! She is adventurous; she enjoys soccer and playing with her friends. We are lucky to have you, Elizabeth! Meredith P hails from NYC and follows in the footsteps of her big sister, Ellie P. Meredith, we are so glad that you are joining us this summer and can't wait to see you in action! The **COOS** welcome **Livi B** to Wico from Brooklyn, NY! Livi loves arts, singing and dance. Additionally, she plays lacrosse and heard about Wico from her teammate Lexi S! Thanks, Lexi! Claire C (see Oski, Olivia C) heard about Wico from her friend, Riley T! Thanks for sharing the love, Riley! Claire enjoys gymnastics and art and we are happy to have her! Alyssa K, of Chappaqua, NY, visited Wico in August and knew it was the place for her! She brings a love of swimming, soccer and gymnastics to camp this summer! Ellie R heads to Wico from Summit, NJ! She is the older sister of Rylan R and heard about camp from the Sylvester Family. Ellie is kind-hearted and caring—she's also an awesome soccer player. A big welcome to Ellie! Thanks, Sylvester Girls! **Mila T** will come to camp from Bellaire, TX! She enjoys volleyball and softball and looks forward to trying waterskiing at Wico this summer! We look forward to seeing her in New Hampshire! Also from Chappaqua, NY is **Selena** T! Selena loves making friends and having fun with them! She enjoys trying lots of new things including... Wico this summer! We thank the Allendorf Family for sharing their Wico Love with Selena and her family! The oldest in lower camp, our **EAGLES**, welcome **Charlie H** of Ridgewood, NJ! Charlie is a talented Irish dancer and has attended week-long camps with her dance school in the past. She is ready for more and we are glad she chose us. Welcome, Charlie! Westport, CT will lend us **Eden R** this summer! Eden has tons of spunk—she's an actress and artist and also wants to try cooking, visual arts and watersports... to name a few! We are lucky to have **Kendall S** of Larchmont, NY! She is friendly, warm and will love getting to know everyone at camp. We look forward to watching her participate in all of her favorites including: art, singing, dance and water sports! A Sherman Oaks, CA native is Rafi S! Rafi loves making and spending time with her friends. We know she will have plenty of them at Wico! She is looking forward to this experience and we look forward to having her! The **KINEOS** will get a bump from the addition of **Liana W** of Los Angeles, CA! Liana's aunt went to Wico which makes her a second generation Wico Girl! Liana is a down-to-earth kid who likes to go with the flow. She is a great addition to her group! **Olive F** will be new to the **AGAWAN** group! Olive is an artist both visually and musically—she plays piano, ukulele and guitar! We hope to hear her play this summer. We have Ruby B to thank for sharing her Wico Love with Olive!

SECOND SESSION

The **COOS** welcome **Sayuko A** from Annapolis, MD! Sayuko is a dancer who also likes swimming, Gaga and running around. She's new to camp, but not to travel. She travels to Japan to see her family. Given that, we know she can handle the trip to NH! See you there, Sayuko! Piper G lives in Deerfield, IL and will call Wico her summer home! Piper caught the Wico Spirit from her sister, Holland, who started camp in 2021. Thanks, Holland! Welcome, Piper! Joining them is **Mila R** of Brooklyn, NY! Mila loves horseback riding, sports and is a talented artist (drawing). She is a seasoned day camp camper and is ready to take the next step at Wico! We are so glad to have you, Mila! The **KINEOS** are excited about **Izzy B** of Los Gatos, CA! Izzy is a talented skier and does that competitively over the winter. In the summer, she looks forward to being on stage as much as possible. Izzy is an easy friend and we are fortunate to have her! Thanks to Vivi L for sharing her love of Wico with Lili L (of Alexandria, VA)! Lili is outgoing and fun to be around. We know her group will love getting to know her and vice-versa! Amber Z, of Chino, CA, heard about Wico from a friend and decided she had to see it for herself! She is an avid dancer and artist and we can't wait to see her in action!

SECOND SESSION EXPLORERS

The **OSKIS** welcome **Ana Lucia L** from Los Cabos, Mexico! This is her first camp experience and we are honored it's at Wico! The **COOS** are equally lucky because they will get to know **Micalea L** (Ana Lucia's sister). These girls will be great additions to their groups and to camp, overall! **Juju P-B** comes to Wico from Boston, MA! She heard about Wico from The Dolenec Family—thank you to them! Juju has a long list of activities she'd like to try at camp and we are excited for her to get started! Last but not least is **Maeve T** of Corona del Mar, CA! Maeve has heard about Wico for years from her big sister and Wico Alum, Olivia! Thanks, Olivia! Maeve, we can't wait to see you!



CAMP SISTER CORNER

Calling All Wico Big and Little Sisters (aka New and Returning Campers)! We are gearing up to start making Big/Little matches in January 2022.

Eagle or older RETURNING CAMPERS, are you interested in becoming a Wico Big Sister? We hope so! Being a Big Sister is a great way to help welcome a first-time Wico girl to camp. Send an email to jess@campwicosuta.com and let her know. She is looking for volunteers and would love to hear from you! Please note: If you have already been a big sister, you can volunteer again!





Celebrations...

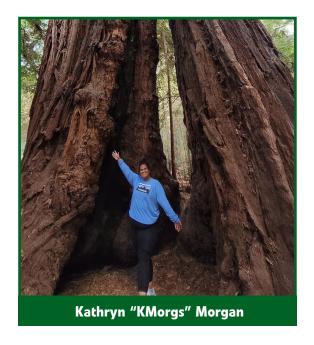


We send lots of Wico Love to **Kristin "Q" Quintano**, Wico's former Associate Director, and her husband, Mike Gilligan. On September 22nd, they became parents to Gavin Martin Gilligan! Gavin weighed in at 7 lbs, 9 ounces and 21 inches. Welcome to the Wico Family, Gavin!

We are so happy for long-time staff members, **Enrique Bernal** and **Yhosuara Galeana**. Covid got in the way of their originally scheduled wedding. Now that Covid numbers are down, they are getting married and celebrating in person this month. We could not be happier for them!



NOTE: We love to hear about all of the celebrations in your life. Please email any special dates, celebrations, births, engagements, etc. to corey@campwicosuta.com.



Where In the World is Wico??

Check out **Kathryn "KMorgs" Morgan**, Wico's Visual Arts and Drama Activity Head, in Henry Cowell State Park in California.

Thanks for showing us your Wico Spirit, KMorgs!

Note: To be pictured in this section, send us a photo of yourself IN WICO GEAR while on a trip or vacation in front of a famous monument. We also post these photos in the Dining Hall!



Super Star Staff Spotlights!

In each issue of The Wicosutan, we spotlight staff who exemplify the Wico Way! They embody our Three Cs: Confidence, Competence & Community and make everyone at Wico better.

We have chosen to spotlight the following staff this fall:

CIERRA (CICI) SORRELLS

POSITION AT CAMP/ YEARS: 1st Session camp nurse, 2021 was my 1st summer

HOMETOWN: Pickens, South Carolina

PETS & THEIR NAMES: I have one dog named MJ and a guppy fish named Flim Flam



WHEN I AM NOT AT CAMP I: am working on my Doctorate in Nursing at the Medical University of South Carolina. I also participate in dance classes at Clemson University.

PERSON I WOULD MOST LIKE TO MEET: Matthew Gray Gubler from Criminal Minds

PLACE I WOULD MOST LIKE TO VISIT: Germany for Oktoberfest

PERSON I LOOK UP TO & WHY: I look up to my grandmother, Janie. She was recently diagnosed with cancer and through everything she has been so strong. She is resilient and I strive for that.

FAVORITE LEISURE ACTIVITY: Tap Dancing

FAVORITE SINGER OR BAND: Queen

FAVORITE ACTOR(S): Jamie Lee Curtis and Sigourney Weaver

FAVORITE CAMP MEAL: Grilled cheese and tomato soup

FAVORITE CAMP SONG: The birthday song... I still accidently sing it outside of camp

FAVORITE CAMP MEMORY: My favorite camp memory is going out to the tennis courts and having campers attempt to teach me how to play tennis. As someone who has never played tennis, they had some laughs about my nonexistent tennis skills.

SABRINA BARDI

POSITION AT CAMP/YEARS:

Cabin & Pool Staff, 8 years at Wico (I was a camper, too!)

HOMETOWN: Maracaibo,

Venezuela

PETS & THEIR NAMES: Dog, Luca

WHEN I AM NOT AT CAMP I:

attend Santa Fe College and major in Computer Engineering



PERSON I WOULD MOST LIKE TO MEET: Lionel Messi

PLACE I WOULD MOST LIKE TO VISIT: Rome, Italy

PERSON I LOOK UP TO & WHY: Sasha Vojkic, my ballet professor. She is kind, talented and passionate about what she does and has taught me a lot more than just ballet.

FAVORITE LEISURE ACTIVITY: Ballet FAVORITE SINGER OR BAND: Morat

FAVORITE ACTOR: Tom Holland

FAVORITE CAMP MEAL: Chicken nuggets and French Fries **FAVORITE CAMP SONG:** Sitting Underneath the Old Pine

Tree

FAVORITE CAMP MEMORY: Rainy day activities with my bunk, getting to bond more with my campers and having a lot of fun with them.



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SUPER STAR STAFF SPOTLIGHTS Continued

Rae Tedeton

RAE TEDETON (RAE, RAE RAE, **TEDDY TO CAMPERS)**

POSITION AT CAMP/YEARS: Cabin, art barn and landsports (soccer) staff. 2021 was my first year!

HOMETOWN: Ruston, Louisiana

PETS & THEIR NAMES: I have a dog named Ringo and a cat

named Milo

WHEN I AM NOT AT CAMP I: attend Louisiana Tech University. I major in studio art and foreign language!

PERSON I WOULD MOST LIKE TO MEET: Judith Bernsteinfavorite artist! Or Sydney Leroux- favorite soccer player

PLACE I WOULD MOST LIKE TO VISIT: hiking in Iceland would be a dream!

PERSON I LOOK UP TO & WHY: My mom! she always taught me to be independent and always to try new things!

FAVORITE LEISURE ACTIVITY: There is nothing like catching a

soccer match on the pitch!

FAVORITE SINGER OR BAND: Remi Wolf!

FAVORITE ACTOR(S): Viola Davis

FAVORITE CAMP MEAL: chicken "tendies"!!!!! FAVORITE CAMP SONG: When the shadows!

FAVORITE CAMP MEMORY: I loved watching the kiddos learn new skills, such as learning to juggle the soccer ball! When they reached their goal or beat their old record, the light on

their faces made my entire summer!

MEGAN (MED, MEG THE STALL, NAPKIN, **DUMPY DOO) WALKER**

POSITION AT CAMP/YEARS: Cabin and Extreme staff; 2021 was my first summer

HOMETOWN: Chapel Hill, NC

PETS & THEIR NAMES: I have a Boston Terrier named

Megan Walker

Sadie Mae

WHEN I AM NOT AT CAMP: I go to the University of Tennessee at Knoxville, and I am majoring in Mathematics with a minor in Sociology

PERSON I WOULD MOST LIKE TO MEET: Walt Disney PLACE I WOULD MOST LIKE TO VISIT: Greece or Italy!

PERSON I LOOK UP TO & WHY: Someone I have always looked up to is my grandma, Pauline. In everything she did she embodied so much grace, patience, and lots of love.

FAVORITE LEISURE ACTIVITY: Dancing! FAVORITE SINGER/BAND: John Mayer **FAVORITE ACTOR:** Adam Sandler

FAVORITE CAMP MEAL: WICO CRUNCH!!

FAVORITE CAMP SONG: Bottle Pop or Milk Song! **FAVORITE CAMP MEMORY:** Dance parties in Bunk 6 and 11L and Wico Rainy Days when I got to spend all

day with my campers!

















Each summer, Zuni campers lead our Project Morry Day of Giving. We want to thank our camp families for their support of this endeavor. This summer, Project Morry received 182 individual donations for a total of over \$20,000 raised! We are overwhelmed by

everyone's generosity and the effort of all of our campers and counselors. Each dollar donated goes directly to helping the Project Morry students have an incredible summer experience that is anchored by monthly meetings during the school year. This is a great example of how each of us, no matter our age, is able to make a difference in the world.

If you haven't made a donation and would like to do so, you may donate online at: http://www.projectmorry.org. Please note "Camp Wicosuta Swim A Thon" in the memo.

Project Morry is a year-round youth development organization that provides to each child a multi-year commitment anchored by a superb residential summer camp experience. The children, for whom these experiences would not otherwise be available, benefit from a network of support and gain increased social skills, enhanced self-esteem, positive core values and a greater sense of personal responsibility.

Kings n' Queens n' Bishops, too, Wanna wish the best to you!!

Camper Birthdays: September, October, November & December

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Mariella Mattaliano	. 9/2	June Mauk	10/7
Erica Berube	. 9/3	Ella Ahuja	
Shira Fulmer	. 9/3	Beatrice Finzi	10/8
Hannah Manasse	. 9/4	Jackie Cardenas	10/9
Ellie Pilko	. 9/6	Audrey Heidingsfelder	10/9
Matilda Sales		Georgia Patry	
Anna Florio	. 9/7	Audrey Ziegler	
Sarah Goldstein	. 9/7	Maisie Berger	
Kate Yandell	. 9/7	Ellie Florin	
Anabelle Frattone	. 9/8	Amanda Hartig	10/12
Harley Rosenbaum	.9/9	Sabrina O'Connell	
Myla Zuckerman	.9/9	Chloe DeBuck	10/13
Olivia Levine		Jade Lindblom	10/13
Julia Bokel Herde	9/11	Kyra Lindblom	10/13
Allie Diaz	9/11	Georgia Levy	10/15
Alexandra Piperno	9/12	Lila Sherman	
Lucy Streeto	9/12	Virginia Bemiss	10/17
April Febo	9/13	Ella Kramer	10/17
Cecilia Murray	9/13	Charlotte Wells	10/18
Rowan Scheir		Drew Wixon	10/19
Jordyn Schneberger	9/15	Hudson Graybill	10/20
Reese Schneberger	9/15	Emerson Vanni	10/20
Sayuko Armstrong	9/16	Mia Botnick	10/21
Sherry Chen	9/16	Lucia Lipson	10/21
Billie Sylvester	9/16	Brigid Antal	10/22
Isabella Couto	9/17	Fiona Antal	10/22
Halle Earl	9/17	Taylor Carl	10/22
Eva Greenspan	9/17	Annabelle Goldman	10/23
Emerson Kimball		Samantha Goldstein	
Lila Keledjian	9/18	Mila Hess	10/23
Caroline Miller		Leah Larit	10/23
Rayna Ngom	9/18	Evee Steele	10/24
Eliza Schlachter		Talia Klevens	
Jadyn Schwartz		Rhea McCallister	10/26
Sonja Pinsky		Min Chung	
Elle Robichaud		Westergaard	
Remi Frayman		Mera Schoenburg	
Samantha Star		Thea Model	
Vanya Kapur	9/21	Nina Rivera	
Isabella Small		Rachel Starr	
Elizabeth Toomey		Zoe Biles	
Chloe Katzner		Alexandra Eder	
Birdie Mauk		Amy Sadowsky	
Alta Peters		Dylan Ehrlich	
Rebekah Peters		Sophie Ehrlich	
Lila Wiesenthal		Sophia Josephs	
Amelia Leone		Isabelle Marino	
Samantha Wedell		Ainsley Coffey	
Lea Cerwinski		Gwen Crandall	
Tess McDonald		Charlotte Long	
Harper Wilson		Madeleine Long	
Elena Brophy		Sienna DeBuck	
Faye Harrington		Elizabeth Elliott	
Susie Geller		Nora Husseini	
Kiara Kurtzman		Alyssa Kim	
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Sandra Cortes Rios	9/11
Lauren Russo	9/19
Emily Whalen	9/23
Hadassah St. Clair	9/24
Pablo Enrique Carreno	
Rodriguez	9/24
Janie O'Shea	9/26
Maya Harpaz	9/27
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Julia Weigel	
Cierra Sorrells	
Jenna Bailey	
China Brown	
Sydney Leib	
Ellie Boryer	
Jacob Mosby	
Macie Monday1	
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Sierra George1	
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Alumae & Staff Updates

Hi Carly!

I don't have Corey's, Justin's and Jess' emails so I thought maybe I could send all my gratitude for the four of you through here. I received the thank you card in the mail, so I wanted to thank you for it. I also wanted to share two fun projects that Wico inspired! The first is my internship project that is a compilation of camp songs that have dances, hand motions or ASL that show the importance of movement when teaching children music. I sadly did not know all of the words to the Bubblegum Song, so I could not add it to the mix. The second is, thanks to a score I found in Priscilla's Playhouse, my senior project and is about Hindemith's techniques on teaching children music theory and music performance, and the general cultural and political climate in Germany at the time that lead to this kind of music. The project will be performed as a lecture recital in the spring with a group of singers and maybe a group of instrumentalists playing some typical children's instruments. That's all I have for now.

Lots of Wico love

Gaby Hernandez-Gonzalez (Wico Staff 2021)

Thanks, Gaby, for your lovely note! We are so honored that your experience working at Wico inspired these two amazing projects and look forward to hearing more about them! Hi Corey,

I recently visited and spent a few wonderful hours with Prissy at Wico. I have so much to say, but I have a feeling it's more of what you hear every day from women just like me - with lots of old, fond Wico memories. I can't begin to tell you how much I loved being there and how many memories - every one of them better than the one before - it brought back. I facetimed both my sisters and showed them various things. I even sang "The Peppiest Camp" with Prissy to my sister Sara. I also loved hearing from Prissy about all the traditions that are still alive and well at Wico despite all the time that has passed. Those are some lucky Wico girls!

When I got back I was at a bookstore and saw the book Camp Girls -(kind of bizarre that it just jumped off the shelf at me) written by Iris Krasnow (who has written about 5 other books) who grew up in the Chicago suburbs and went to Camp Agawak. She is now in her 60s and spends her summer on staff there. Have you seen/read it? It's an entire book about how camp and her camp friends shaped her. Not only does it describe so much of what I already know and feel - but it also helped me realize a few things I hadn't even thought of. And - while only a few other camps are mentioned - Wicosuta makes an appearance at the very end of the book with a shout out to Anna Rothman.

Having two daughters - one graduating from college and one graduating from high school has made me very reflective about my own experiences growing up. They are both athletes and had team sports and camp as female only experiences. I just had camp. It's not lost on me how much of an influence it had on making me the woman I grew up to be and even how it influenced my career. Standing in the social hall (I know - not called that anymore, what a nice tribute to Prissy!) and swinging on those swings took me back to those days and made me so grateful for the experience.

So, thank you so very much for making it possible. I have no idea how, but if I can ever be helpful to you or Wico in any way, please let me know!

Take care - and thanks again.

Rachel Greenman Sternberg (Totem 1983)

Rachel was 2 years old her first summer of camp. Her dad, Bob, ran the drama program and her mom, Carol, worked in the office.

We loved hearing from you, Rachel, and are so glad that you and Prissy were able to reconnect and spend time together at camp during such a beautiful time of year!

Greetings from Newfound Lake...

Hello from 03241!! All is well up at Wico! The weather has been warmer than usual, so our maintenance team has been able to get a jump on some of our Summer 2022 Projects.

Here are just a couple of the improvements you can look forward to at Wico this summer:

- Completion of the cooking studio: We will pine panel the inside of the building, install all the new and permanent appliances!
- New bathrooms in Bunks 1 and 3

STAY TUNED FOR MORE... including some surprise additions for Summer 2022!



WICO'S CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

After camp, on August 27-29, 100 years of Wico were celebrated with alumnae. We had an amazing time with former campers and staff celebrating our history and traditions!







Celebrating 100 Years



























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Camp Wicosuta Important Dates 2022



First Session Begins	Thursday, June 23
First Session Explorer Program Begins	Thursday, June 23
First Session Explorer Program Ends	Wednesday, July 6
First Session Ends	Sunday, July 17
Second Session Begins	Wednesday, July 20
Second Session Explorer Program Begins	Wednesday, July 20
Second Session Explorer Program Ends	Tuesday, August 2
Second Session Ends	Saturday, August 13

REMINDERS & UPDATES

We send emails throughout the year to campers and their parents. Please keep us posted of new email addresses and send updates to: jess@campwicosuta.com! Thanks!



