

Day One: Team Building/Getting to Know You

*All times approximate

7:30- Students will eat breakfast, provided by the school. They can either eat in the cafeteria, or if it is more convenient, they can have a grab and go or something set up in the rooms. Students will meet in the 7th grade hall and be divided into the classrooms to have time to eat.

7:50 Students will be introduced to the teachers and be given a brief description of what the day will consist of

8:05 Students will be moved to the HS Gymnasium. (We will go outside if it is not raining.) At this time they will be divided into team building games/activities.

8:20 Tennis Ball Madness Game and Discussion

9:20 Break - At this time students can talk among others not in their group, get drinks, use bathroom

9:30 Poop Deck Game and Discussion

10:15 Break - At this time students can talk among others not in their group, get drinks, use bathroom

10:25 Birthday Line Up Activity and Discussion

11:00 Lunch - BBQ provided by school (Let us know if there are others at this time and we need to change the time or if Pizza in the cafeteria would be easier - we are flexible); bathroom

11:45 Canvas Painting

12:30 Water Balloon Volleyball

1:20 Break

1:30 Musical Pies and end of the day discussion including reminders for following day

2:15 Home for the day

Day Two: Rafting Trip

- 7:30- Students will eat breakfast, provided by the school. They can either eat in the cafeteria, or if it is more convenient, they can have a grab and go. Students will meet in the 7th grade hall and be divided into the classrooms to have time to eat
- 7:50 Students will discuss the activities of day one as well as expectations of rafting; classroom activity
- 8:30 will need two school buses (as soon as they can get on the bus after elementary dismissal) to depart for Sacandaga for rafting
- 10:00 Students will raft
- 12:00 On the bus to return home; will need to eat school provided lunch on the way home
- 2:00 Arrive back to depart for home

8th Grade

Day 1: September 5

7:25-7:35 All 8th grade students report to the mall hall
Students get a name tag

7:35-8:30 Students are given a breakfast at the cafeteria

8:30-10:00 Students go to the auditorium, teachers are introduced. Students are given their schedule and are to report to their assigned 1st period classroom

Introduction teachers will help students:

1. Find and operate their lockers
2. Review their schedule
3. Give students their handbook, internet use
4. Review paper work with students
5. Assigned teachers visit classrooms to orientate on locations
6. Students are given paperwork on goals to complete
7. Students are given outline on the time capsule we are going to create
8. Assigned teachers bring their students outside to the fields

10:00-11:00 Students work with their homeroom teachers to create their class t-shirt
(Shirts will need to dry for the rest of the day)

11:00-12:00 Divide kids up and do ice breakers

12:00-1:00 Students have a picnic lunch outside BBA
They sign up for an outside adventure

1:00-2:15 Students are given an outside adventure choice:
Board Games Frisbee
Coloring Hike
Kickball

Day 2: September 6

7:25-7:35 All students report to the cafeteria for attendance/breakfast

7:35-8:00 Students eat breakfast in cafeteria

8:00-8:40 Auditorium for committee sign up

8:40-12:00 Students will be rotating through the following:

Louis Miller Museum
166 Main Street in Hoosick Falls, New York

Community clean-up

Historic Hoosick Falls Walking tour

8th - Day 2
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12:00-12:30

Students will return to the school

12:30-1:30

Student lunch in the cafeteria

1:30-2:00

Students assemble their homerooms time capsule

2:00-2:15

Auditorium for beginning of the year pep talk

9th Grade Orientation Schedule

Day 1:

7:30 am-8:00 am Breakfast (Cafeteria)

8:00 am-11:00 am Activities with Camp Chingachgook staff (small groups)

11:00 am -12:00 pm BBQ lunch

12:00 pm -2:15 pm Activities with Camp Chingachgook staff (small groups)

Day 2:

7:30 am-8:30 am Breakfast (Cafeteria)

8:30 am-11:00 am Community Service (at various locations in the village)

11:00 am-12:00 pm Lunch in cafeteria

12:00 pm-2:15 pm Arts and Crafts (various locations in the school)

10th Grade Opening Day Schedules

Staff:

Coleen Corcoran
Jess Dougherty
Ellie Danforth
Judy Gross
Melissa Hartley
Deb Mabey
Michelene Wilsons' Replacement?

Support Staff:

Bonnie Vitro, Deb Kapron and / or Karen Sherman

Day 1 Schedule:

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| 7:35-7:45 | Attendance in homeroom (groups determined) | |
| 7:45- 8:30 | First Group Rotation | |
| 8:35-9:20 | Second Group Rotation | |
| 9:25-10:10 | Third Group Rotation | |
| 10:15-11:00 | Fourth Group Rotation | |
| 11:00-12:00 | Lunch- Hot Dog BBQ (Cafeteria) | |
| 12:00-12:45 | Fifth Group Rotation | |
| 12:50-1:35 | Sixth Group Rotation | |
| 1:40-2:15 | Ice Cream Social (Cafeteria) | ***Students will sign up for Day 2 Activities |

Day 2 Schedule:

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| 7:35-7:45 | Homeroom |
| 7:45-8:20 | First Group Rotation |
| 8:25-9:00 | Second Group Rotation |
| 9:05-9:40 | Third Group Rotation |
| 9:45-10:20 | Fourth Group Rotation |
| 10:25-11:00 | Fifth Group Rotation |
| 11:00-12:00 | Lunch Big Daddy's Pizza (Cafeteria) |
| 12:00-2:15 | Movie in the Auditorium (Malala) |

Groups:

Day 1:

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| J. Gross | Student "letter to self" and student inventories |
| J. Dougherty | Outside team building |
| E. Danforth | Survey Monkey (Computer Lab) |
| M. Hartley | Orienteering Activity |
| D. Mabey | Mystery Room |
| C. Corcoran- | Kickball |

Day 2:

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| C. Linehan/J.Gross | Chair Yoga/Meditation |
| E. Danforth | Board Game Room |
| D. Maybe/M. Hartley | Indoor Team Building Sessions I and II |
| C. Corcoran | Human Treasure Hunt |

11th Grade Orientation Schedule:

Tuesday, September 5th:

8:30am Buses leave for Shaftsbury Park

9:00am Buses arrive at Shaftsbury Park

9:00-11:30am Team activities: hiking, fishing, swimming, softball, volleyball, etc.

11:30 Lunch at the pavilion

12:30 – 1:30 Team activities

1:30 Buses leave for HFCS

2:00 Buses arrive at HFCS

Projected Costs: \$100 for pavilion rental, \$0.50 per person park entry fee

Total Cost: \$150

Wednesday, September 6th:

Group 1:

8:30am Bus leaves for The Clarke

9:00am Bus arrives at the Clarke

10:45am Bus leaves The Clarke for HFCS

11:15am Bus arrives at HFCS

11:15am – 12:15pm BBQ Lunch at HFCS

12:15pm – Bus leaves for Hoosick Greenway

12:30pm – Bus arrives at Greenway

1:45pm Bus leaves Greenway for HFCS

Group 2:

8:30am Bus leaves for the Hoosick Greenway

8:45am Bus arrives at Greenway

10am Bus leaves Greenway for HFCS

10:15am – 11:15am BBQ lunch at HFCS

11:15pm Bus leaves for The Clarke

11:45pm Bus arrives at The Clarke

1:30pm Bus leaves for HFCS

2:00pm Bus arrives at HCCS

Projected Cost: Clarke Tickets for adults: \$20 per ticket.

Total Cost: \$160

12th Grade Team's Opening Day Plans

Day 1

7:35-8:15am: breakfast provided by the district. Students will be broken into groups to board the bus to Christ the King. ***Fishing group for Day 2 will be determined today so students can come prepared tomorrow***

8:30am: board the bus for Christ the King, Easton NY. Lunch will be provided at the site. We will spend the day at Christ the King and board the bus at 1:20 p.m. to return home.

2:00: Arrive back at school for dismissal.

Day 2

7:35-8am: breakfast provided by the district

Following breakfast the students will participate in various activities throughout the day. They will complete most of these activities within their assigned groups. Each group will have between 20-25 kids. Some activities last an hour and some only 30 min.

***Mr. Michalak is taking a group of students fishing. Because they are leaving campus, a short walk across the street, this group will be a set group of 15-20 kids who will tie dye from 8-9 and then fish until lunch at noon. This group will be responsible for their own equipment.**

8-9am

- Group 1: **Tie Dye Class Tshirts.**
- Group 2: **Obstacle Course.** Teacher created, incorporating team and individual challenges.

Group 3 will be participating in 2 activities, each lasting 30 min.

- Group 3: The students will be divided in half.
 - 8-8:30: **Scavenger Hunt.** Half will participate in a teacher created scavenger hunt around the school. Students will be required to take a selfie with the item when they find it.
 - 8:30-9: **Mural Painting.** Students will be working on painting a mural (or multiple) that will be moveable. The mural will be on duct canvas. Mr. Viera has offered to set this activity up.

9-10am: Cardio Choices. For this hour all students will have the option to select one cardio activity. The choices will be:

- Yoga; Weather permitting yoga could be outside in the courtyard.
- Going for a run; Led by Mr. Malikowski.

12th - Day 2
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- Flag Football; organized by the 12th grade team of teachers.

10-11am: Group activities

- Group 3: Tie Dye
- Group 1: Obstacle Course
- Group 2: The students will be divided in half.
 - 10-10:30: Scavenger Hunt
 - 10:30-11: Mural Painting

11-Noon:

- Group 3: Obstacle Course
- Group 2: Tie Dye
- Group 1: The students will be divided in half.
 - 11-11:30: Mural painting
 - 11:30-Noon: scavenger hunt

Lunch: 12-12:45: Lunch provided by the district.

Kick Ball: 12:45-2:15

Group 1 Vs Group 2

Group 3 Vs Group 4

Winners play

Loser's Play