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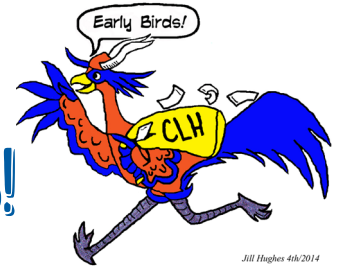
**2020-2021
CARNIVAL
SEASON
CANCELLED**



Just like Tex, at this Dallas Carnival in 1946, we are eager to hit the road to spread our Attawaytogo spirit and see everyone!! Unfortunately, we have cancelled this season's CLH Carnivals due to the Corona Virus. Even though we might not bring a carnival to your town, we are planning on presenting some sort of virtual carnival and a wonderful new CLH Movie to brighten your spirits! Don't forget to challenge yourself with our monthly **MERIT QUESTIONS** to help your financial merit situation and stay tuned for interesting stories and pictures on our Instagram and Facebook pages.

From Rosa's Desk

EARLY BIRD SIGN-UPS!



FIRST TERM GIRLS

ALL SIGNED: PALOMINO, FILLY, BRONCO, FALABELLA, PINTO, MAVERICK, MARINA DN, MARINA UP

ALL BUT ONE: PONY UP, PONY DN, APPALOOSA, ZEBRA, LIPIZZAN, SEAHORSE, UNICORN, MUSTANG, MORGAN, SUMBA, MARINA WEST, GIRL WRANGLER

FIRST TERM BOYS

ALL SIGNED: RATTLESNAKE DN, RATTLESNAKE UP, COYOTE, HAWK, GOPHER, GATOR, BUZZARD, BOBCAT, CONDOR, EAGLE, BISON

ALL BUT ONE: HORNTOAD, RAM, BOY WRANGLER

ALL BUT TWO: RATTLESNAKE UP, JACKRABBIT

SECOND TERM GIRLS

ALL SIGNED: PONY UP, PONY DN, APPALOOSA, BRONCO, FALABELLA, SEAHORSE, UNICORN, PINTO, PEGASUS, MARINA DN, MARINA UP

ALL BUT ONE: PALOMINO, MAVERICK, GIRL WRANGLER

SECOND TERM BOYS

ALL SIGNED: RATTLESNAKE DN, RATTLESNAKE UP, COYOTE, HAWK, GOPHER, RACCOON, BOBCAT, CONDOR, BISON, BULL, MARINE

ALL BUT ONE: EAGLE, BOY WRANGLER

THIRD TERM GIRLS

ALL SIGNED: PONY, PONY UP, PONY DN, APPALOOSA, ZEBRA, FALABELLA, SEAHORSE, UNICORN, MUSTANG, MAVERICK, ARABIAN, MORGAN, SUMBA, MARINA DN, GIRL WRANGLER

ALL BUT ONE: PALOMINO, APPALOOSA, PINTO, SUMBA, MARINA WEST, MARINA UP, WRANGLER GIRL

THIRD TERM BOYS

ALL SIGNED: RATTLESNAKE DN, RATTLESNAKE UP, COYOTE, HAWK, GOPHER, GATOR, RACCOON, BOBCAT, CONDOR, EAGLE, BISON, BOY WRANGLER

ALL BUT ONE: JACKRABBIT, BUZZARD, JAGUAR, BULL, MARINE

FOURTH TERM GIRLS

ALL SIGNED: PONY UP, PONY DN, FILLY, APPALOOSA, BRONCO, ZEBRA, FALABELLA, SEAHORSE, UNICORN, PINTO, MAVERICK, SUMBA, PEGASUS, MARINA DN

ALL BUT ONE: PALOMINO, ARABIAN, GIRL WRANGLER

FOURTH TERM BOYS

ALL SIGNED: RATTLESNAKE DN, JACKRABBIT, GATOR, RACCOON, CONDOR

ALL BUT ONE: RATTLESNAKE UP, COYOTE, HORNTOAD, GOPHER, EAGLE, BISON, RAM, MARINE, BOY WRANGLER



Rambling Rangers 2020

It was quite a unique summer and that meant it was a unique time for the Longhorn Rangers. Due to closures and COVID procedures, this year's Rangers weren't able to make the trip up to the state of Colorado. They were, however, able to get away from CLH for a few days of camping along the Colorado River where they hiked, fished, and learned what it takes to be a good leader and counselor. A special thanks goes out to Ross Oliver and his family for allowing our guys to camp out on his family's beautiful ranch and to John Gillen with the Lower Colorado River Authority (LCRA) for getting us set up with a gorgeous campsite at Shaffer Bend Recreation Area. As always, a BIG THANK YOU to our Ranger staff for being so flexible and creative while leading these young men on the trips. Thank you all for your patience and understanding as we tried to make this summer as special as we could for these boys during these times. As always, we hope to see you somewhere down the road!

Attawayto go,

Patrick Robertson
Ranger Director

MILE SWIM RECORDS



This past summer three campers from the Boys Camp improved their mile swim times and had their names added to the All Time Mile Swim Record Board of the top 20 milers in Boys and Girls camps at CLH Indian Springs. The fastest swimmer this summer from the 4th Term Boys Camp was Miller Martin (pictured to the left) with a time of 18:45:00.

He improved his time of 19:24.00 from the 2019 summer. Luca Nisimblat from 1st term had the second fastest time of the summer with a time of 18:59.00. He improved his time of 21:00.00 from 2019. During 3rd term, Adam Wenger swam the fastest with the time of 19:20.00 which was an improvement from his 2019 summer time of 19:54.00. Spencer Charles swam the fastest in 2nd term with a time of 23:25.00.

In Girls Camp, the fastest swimmer of the summer was Lily Redwine, 4th term, with the time of 20:22.00. Ema Elizondo, 1st termer, swam a time of 23:10.00 to be first in her term. In the 2nd term, Ashlyn Malachowski, placed 1st with a time of 21:53.00. In the 3rd term, Lucy Armbrister, placed 1st with a time of 24:28.00.

A Big "ATTAWAYTOGO" for all campers who swam the mile!

LONGHORN LAUGHS...

1. What has no head, no arms, no legs, but still has a tongue and a toe?
2. What word do you always pronounce wrong?
3. What do you call two spiders who just got married?

Answers: 1: A shoe 2. Wrong 3. Newlyweds

4th Termer
Lily Redwine
Fastest Girls Camp
Mile Swimmer
Summer 2020





CLASP CORNER

Hello C.L.A.S.P.

What a mixed up, crazy world this is! Soooooo important .. CAMP HAPPENED THIS SUMMER! After all the days, weeks and a few months of planning EVERY CAMPER that wanted to come to camp got to soak up some CLH sun and have a blast! So proud of all the staff at all the camps that worked so hard so we could have some great fun-in-the-sun this past summer! And to our CLASP Members, we appreciate all the outpouring of support through this unprecedented time. You'all are the BEST!

ALL OF OUR CLASP FUNCTIONS WERE CANCELLED! It was decided that all the socializing, picture taking and fun that our CLASP Members have before camp (waiting for the gates to open!) and all V-Day CLASP activities were cancelled. If you had already signed up and paid your dues for '20 you should have already received 2021 Membership Cards (no money involved). The credit card machine is on and if you didn't pay your '20 dues and want to pay '21 dues it is up and running! It's still a great bargain \$15.00 for singles and \$20.00 for married couples . . We also have a very popular Lifetime Membership for \$200.00 and add a spouse \$250.00 . . . be a member forever! We appreciate our over 700 Lifetime Members.

Please keep those pictures, e-mails, letters coming about our CLASP Members so we can share them with you in our newspapers . . What fun!



Camp Longhorn Yearbooks

Fall is in the air, which means it is time for your 2020 Camp Yearbook to arrive at your doorstep, delivered by the U.S. Post Office. If you have moved, and haven't told our office, your yearbook will be going to your old address. Addresses of October 7th were used for mailing labels. If you have not received your yearbook by Thanksgiving, please give the office a call.

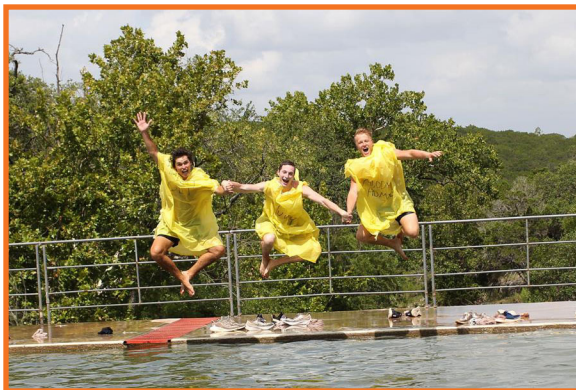
Martha would like to thank all of her photo staff. Photographers taking pictures for the Yearbook and the Web Site Photo Gallery and Slide Shows were:

- Lili Huddleston** (1st, 3rd, 4th terms),
- Madelynn Mongarro** (1st term), **Maggie Boyd** (1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th terms), **Kate Kimberlin** (3rd term)
- Emily Mimms** (1st, 2nd, 4th terms),
- Tara Collins** (1st, 2nd, 4th terms)
- Cameron Khoshgam** (2nd term), **Charley Beasley** (2nd, 3rd terms), **Karla Rodriguez** (3rd term)
- Emmi Lucksinger** (4th term).

Online Shopping

Don't forget to go to www.camplonghorn.com and click on the Merit Store icon for all your Camp Longhorn shopping needs! Just think, you can have Longhorn gear **all year long!**

Perfect for your camper's birthday or getting them ready for Camp. And don't forget Christmas! If you have any questions or problems, you may email Susan at susan@camplonghorn.com.



A big thank you and **ATTAWAYTOGO** to all our amazing counselors for going above and beyond this summer! Their love for CLH and dedication to our campers is inspiring. Respect, manners, fun and some much needed normalcy...

Thank you from the bottom of our hearts for an incredible summer! ❤️, **The CLH Directors**



Camp Longhorn is GREAT because our COUNSELORS are GREAT!!!

CONGRATS AND A SPECIAL THANKS TO ALL OUR RECENT
COLLEGE GRADUATES (NOT LISTED)
WHO WERE WITH US THIS PAST SUMMER!

ACC
ANDREW MARTINEZ
MADISON RICHARDS

Angelo State
TEVA FERGUSON

Arizona State
CONNOR NELSON

Baylor
JACOB ALBIN
LAINEY CHENOWETH
BRADEN HALL
JOHN HARRISON

Belmont University
RYLEE GALLAGHER

Berklee College
of Music
MIA ASOFSKY

Carnegie
Mellon-Pennsylvania
REECE GROVER

Clemson University
SHANE WALKER

Dallas Baptist
University
JACK BLAKELY
ABI JENKINS

Dartmouth College
SIDNEY MARSH

Depauw University
LAURA SCULLY
SARA SCULLY

Emerson College
TYLER NEWTON

George Washington
University
JOHN PATRICK HAMMIT

Indiana University
ANDREW ELIAS

Johns Hopkins
University
KILEY JONES

Lamar University
TRUE BJERKE
JOSH DAVIS
KRISTOPHER KELLEY

Lewis University
DAVID LORIMER

LSU
ANSLEY AUSTIN
JOHN IV WHITE

McLennan College
MEGHAN LANDON

Midland College
AIDAN CUSACK

Oklahoma City
University
CAROLINE KULAS

Oklahoma State
University
RYDER BATES
MANDALYN MOORE

Oklahoma
University
JACOB PYLE

Penn. State
University
JUDSON DOMMER

Rice University
LILLIAN SIMS

Samford University
TATI NADAL-COHN

San Jacinto
Junior College
HUNTER ATKINS

School of Art
Institute of Chicago
HAYDEN WENTWORTH

Schriener
University
STEPHEN HARTY

Shawnee State
WILLIAM MCADAMS

SMU
KATIE BUTLER
LILY CROWE
JACOB DAVIS
KANE JOHNSON

SMU Law
ASHLEY RICH

Stephen F. Austin
State University
CARLY CASH
DYLAN SCANNELL

Texas A&M
University

BROOKE BALDWIN
TRISTAN CARTMELL
LARSEN DEMPSEY
MALLORY FRANKE
HAILEY HACK
ANNEBEL HEMPHILL
ALI HILDRETH
HANNA HOMER
EMILY JAMES
CAL LEOPARD
ANNA GRACE MILLER
EMILY MIMMS
KYLIE PERABO
GREYSON

PHILIPPOVIC
MYKA SERWATKA
JACK SNELL
JAX TATE
ZACHARY TAYLOR
QUINN TELEHA
GEORGE TERRILL
RILEY TIMMRECK
ZACHARY TOMASKI
REESE WEATHERFORD

TCU
GEORGE MASON
GULLETT

OWEN HARRISON
CAMPBELL KRAUSE
JULIA LOVE
KATHERINE MUCK
SYDNEY REILLY
MICHELLE ROSS

Texas Lutheran
AUSTIN ASHER

Texas State
University
RANSOM CLOKE
LAUREN GALIS
FALLON GOLDSMITH
TREY GURRY
MAKENZIE LIRA
ETHAN LUGBAUER
MAYA SWOBODA

Texas Tech
University
EVAN BLACKBURN
CAROLINE FREDERICK
JOSEPH GOMEZ
LAUREN GUDERYAHN
NATHAN KENDRICK
JACK LIESE
CAROLINE LOFQUIST
ELIZABETH MACKENNA
JOHN NOBLE
KARLSON SMITH

Truett McConnell
University
EMMY HATTON

Tulane University
SOFIA GUTIERREZ
ANNALISA TELEHA

University of
Arkansas
SARAH BRUCE
LEXI HOWARD
RYLEE ZIMMER

University of Colorado
-Colorado Springs
SPENCER RAINES

University of Georgia
CLAIRE SULLIVAN

University of Houston
REED GALLAGHER

University of
Mississippi
MALLORY ADAMSON
MEREDITH BOYD
SOPHIE CANTU
PEPPER HAHNFELD
TRIPP HOOD
KATE KIMBERLIN
WILL SCHULTE

University of
North Texas
MADI GONZALEZ

University of
Oklahoma
AVERY BENNETT
TARA COLLINS
DREW EDWARDS
CARALEIGH FREUND
MITCHELL GRAF
HAYDEN HANSLIK
JOLIE HOFFIELD
KADIA KICE
SARAH PAULING
KENDALL ZIMMER

University of
South Carolina
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University of
Southern California
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CAROLINE CARRUTHERS
JACKSON DAVIS
KYNDALL DUPRE
ASHLYN FOGG
ANDY FORRESTER
OLIVIA HENDERSON
MATTHEW HOWELL
MARY ALEX KHATER
OLIVIA LATE
CATHERINE LOCKETT
HANNAH MANN
KADEN OWENS
PAIGE PATTON
ARDEN PERABO
JEFFREY PERABO
GEORGIA REDWINE
DANNY SALAZAR
KATHERINE SARVADI
PATRICK SULLIVAN
SARAH SARVER
ANDREW SHORT
SYDNEY SRNKA
SARAH SULLIVAN
HANNAH TIMMRECK
SOPHIE VELEZ
KNOX WAGONER
ELLIE WALKER
LANNING WELSCH
ANNA WHITWORTH
MORGAN WRAY

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TAYLOR BARGE

UT / El Paso
FOWLER FREUND
ZOEIE HILL

UT / San Antonio
EVAN CROCKER

University of
Utah
GARRETT GARDNER

University of
Virginia
GRACE MAYS

University of
Wisconsin
LIBBY LAMBDMIN

Vanderbilt
University
MADISON BIGLER

Wake Forest
GEORGIA ORCHID

Washington &
Lee University
LAUREN STEVENSON

West Virginia
University
CAMERON KHOSHGAM

A BIT OF HISTORY - LEGACY

Taking photos of campers and counselors that have parents, grandparents, and even great grandparents that came to camp has been a long standing tradition started by Helen Frady. In the past, these photos taken by Helen of each cabin, have been in the CLASP newspaper. This past summer because of term changes and the dreaded "C word" challenges, this was not able to take place.

So, Martha had her photographers gather Division One cabins with alumni connections during cabin "PIC" day. Here are their smiling faces representing just how strong "Longhorn" stays with camp families.

82 years and so many generations!

First Term - Girls Division One Legacies



PONY UP: (l to r) Vivian Chamberlain, Emerson Curd, Bea Fordham, Addy Parker, Gigi Teixeira, Layla Winkler



PONY DOWN: (l to r) Eloise Greene, Ezra Kent, Charlotte Kita, Lilly Lovern



PALOMINO:
Ellison Plant



FILLY: (l to r) Peyton Albert, Lia Boller, Reese Cook, Catherine Hanna, Kiley Kinard, Mallory McDaniel, Maddie McDow.



BRONCO: Penny Fordham, Arabella Indergard



ZEBRA: (l to r) Reese Bolton, Madeleine Gabriel, Livia Sauls



FALABELLA: (l to r) Jillie Becker, Pearl Lyons, Ella Mitchell

First Term - Boys Division One Legacies



RATTLESNAKE DOWN: (l to r) Cole Lewis, Antonio Nisimlat, Quinn Maverick, Collier Clark



RATTLESNAKE UP:
Bennett Kerr, Charles Allen



RATTLESNAKE: (l to r) Grant Murphy, Landon Stonecypher-Welp, Preston Gabriel, Charlie Pride

First Term - Boys Division One Legacies



COYOTE: Andrew Turner,
Hunter Bursiel



HAWK: (l to r) Ewan McNab, Ben Higgins,
Miles Donnelly, Tripp Merrick



JACKRABBIT: Brand Huffman,
Hudson Carroll, Jack Carroll



GOPHER: (l to r) Hayes Clark, John Kita,
Will Patrick, William Hanna



GATOR: (l to r) Graham Jenkins, Will Paulowsky,
Sawyer Daetwyler, James Boller, Hudson Deen

Second Term - Girls Division One Legacies



PONY UP: (l to r) Logan Goodman, Jordan Neale, Stella Coston



BRONCO: (l to r)
Vivienne Akins-Smith, Sutton Shell, Harper Joiner, Lily Casillas



PONY DOWN
Lily Labunski



FILLY :
Emerson Cypert



FALABELLA: (l to r)
Mady Casillas,
Elizabeth Deady

Second Term - Boys Division One Legacies



RATTLESNAKE DN:
Grant Hicks



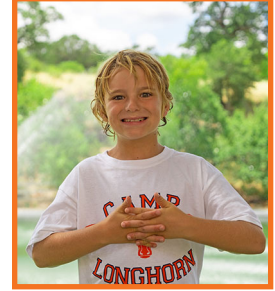
RATTLESNAKE UP:
Cade Goodman



HORNTOAD:
Sage Lindner



HORNTOAD:
Joaquin Rivers



HORNTOAD:
Merrick Toner



COYOTE:
Nash Cannon



GOPHER:
Cat Edwards



GOPHER:
Henry Evans



GOPHER:
Thomas Faulk



GOPHER:
Hutton Lehmborg

Third Term - Girls Division One Legacies



PONY: (l to r) Jacqueline Dunlap, Julia McAnelly, Hayden Sumrall, McCall Verska



PONY UP: (l to r) Gigi Atkins, Abby Chapman, Lucy Giraud, Mary Allen Loocke, Mary Plumb, Reagan Weaver, Anna Werme



PONY DOWN: (l to r) Jules Chapman, Frances Harris, Alice Hovinga, Gigi Snyder, Miller Grace Whitfield



FILLY: (l to r) Ellie Berra, Elaine Devault, Sutton Forrest, Helen Hutchinson, Larkin Murphy



APPALOOSA: (l to r) Rowan Davies, Ann-Marie Dunahoe, Annabelle Hamilton, Mary Hogan Ogilvie, Tennie Turner



ZEBRA: (l to r) Leighton Hinton, Jovaughn Mankin, Harper Nix, Nina Piazza, Zoe Sliva, Remi Snyder

Third Term - Girls Division One Legacies



FALABELLA: (l to r) Stella Hochkoepler, Suzanna Hovinga, Lee Lingle, Corinne Quinlin, Blaire Werme



LIPIZZAN: (l to r) Clary Bates Lane McAnelly



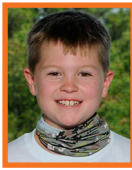
BRONCO: Maddie Conger

Third Term - Boys Division One Legacies

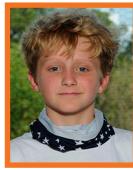
RATTLESNAKE DOWN



Taylor Berra



Dylan Hayes



Jay McMackin

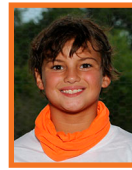


Foster Shipp



Owen Shrader

RATTLESNAKE UP



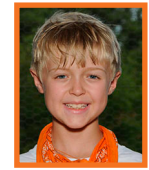
Zach Wellins



Preston Bragg



Cason Manning



Barrett Woolley



COYOTE: (l to r) Lane Tatum, Colt Maverick, Laird Greenfield



HORNTOAD: (l to r) Steward Hutchinson, Barrett Dunahoe, Michael Piazza, Charles Cypert



JACKRABBIT: Cash Wagoner



GATOR: (l to r) Conlee Felton, Peyton Atkins, Nolan Atkins



GOPHER: (l to r) Billy Lambdin, Zachary Sliva, Oliver Wellins, Henry Meador, Wilcox Turner

Fourth Term - Girls Division One Legacies



PONY UP: (l to r) Cinda Gray, Landrey Harrison, Jordyn Leedy, Addie Whitley



PALLY: (l to r) Nancy McConnell, Klaire Toney



FILLY: (l to r) Winnie Kate Malek, Julia Mayhack, Anna Roberts, Bailey Whitley

Fourth Term - Girls Division One Legacies



ZEBRA: (l to r)
Harper Anderson, Lucy Berry,
Lyla Storms, Chile Watson-Sanchez



PONY DOWN:
Bridget
Henry



APPALOOSA:
Preslee
Abernathy



BRONCO:
Lindsey
Toman

Fourth Term - Boys Division One Legacies



RATTLESNAKE DOWN: (l to r)
Luke Storms, Tate Watson-Sanchez,
Case Klinksiek, William Giesen



RATTLESNAKE UP: (l to r)
Rad Dullnig, A.J. Pesek, Ben Hampton,
Jack Sartain



COYOTE: (l to r)
Johnny McCollough, Hudson Fleming,
Zach Daviss, Hudson McGuire



JACKRABBIT: (l to r)
Max Morales, Sam Dorros, Todd Davis



GATOR: (l to r) Back
Bren Guerrero, Grant Meyer, Jack Lasseigne
Front: Kaden Toney



GOPHER:
Cooper Kerr



HORNTOAD:
Sam Danzi

Have you ever wondered about **THE MERIT???**

Sure, we all know about the orange plastic discs with a hole punched in them or the paper merits we hand out. But how did they start?

Tex Robertson—Camp Longhorn’s founder—created a merit system when he worked at Camp Wolverine in Michigan in the early 1930’s. If a camper did something positive, he would put a check mark next to a camper’s name in a notebook. If that camper did something negative, he would put down an X. At the end of camp, the final score of checks minus X’s was the camper’s merit total.

When Tex started Camp Longhorn in 1939, he knew that he would need to implement a merit system at camp. Various systems were tried including cloth tags or a sheet of paper with tear-off squares for D-merits. He finally settled on safety pins with a flat clasp (photo 1), and each safety pin had a camper’s merit pin number engraved on it. Every camper received 5 merit pins on the 1st day of camp. Any other merits that were earned and handed out as rewards, had a hole drilled into them. If you received a D-merit, you had to give up one of your merits that had your merit pin number on it. Campers loved to connect the pins and make chains to wear.

Tex trained his counselors to give all campers a D-merit on their first night at camp in order to ease campers into learning what it meant to have a D-merit & make them value earning their merits for the rest of their term. On introduction night at campfire, he would start his speech by saying “By now, each of you should have a D-merit. .”. The Super Merit Counselor would pick up all D-merit pins each night in order to keep track of who received them. If you received 5 D-merits, you had to go see Tex! Depending on how many D-merits you received, you might have to clean the library or your privileges might be taken away. But Tex made sure that campers were able to earn merits throughout their term by asking merit questions that were educational and fun, as well as rewarding campers for good manners, good attitude, and personal achievements.

As camp grew, it became too much to keep track of all the merit pins (photo 2), so they decided to switch to discs. The first ones were made of waxed cardboard. Once again, Tex’s ingenuity—just like he could look at an ice cream lid and invent a salo—he saw the seals underneath a milk bottle’s cap, and he would remove them from the caps. He would save hundreds of these. That’s how he made the first original circular merits we handed out (photo 3). Eventually, he had a camper’s parent who owned a printing company, print our logo on it. (photo 4)

We finally switched to the orange plastic discs you see today in 1965. The company we use made a mold according to Tex’s specifications and that’s what we’ve been using since then. In the beginning, we actually used orange AND blue merits (photo 5), but it became too complicated to keep them separated, so the blue merits ended up being repurposed for use in the Alumni office. We’ve even had silver ones made for our 75th anniversary (photo 5), not to mention the thousands of merits “decorated” by all of our campers over the years (photo 6)!

Bottom line, our merit system is just one of the many wonderful traditions handed down to us by Tex. The definition of “*merit*” in Merriam-Webster is “*character or conduct deserving reward, honor or esteem*”. Tex wanted to make sure his campers knew that Everyone is Someone at CLH, and that good conduct and good character did not go unrewarded here. **ATTAWAYTOGO! Cecilia**

P.S. TURN IN THOSE MERIT QUESTIONS!

Article researched and written by Cecilia Freeman, Office Manager, C3 on Inks Lake



photo 1



photo 2



photo 3



photo 4

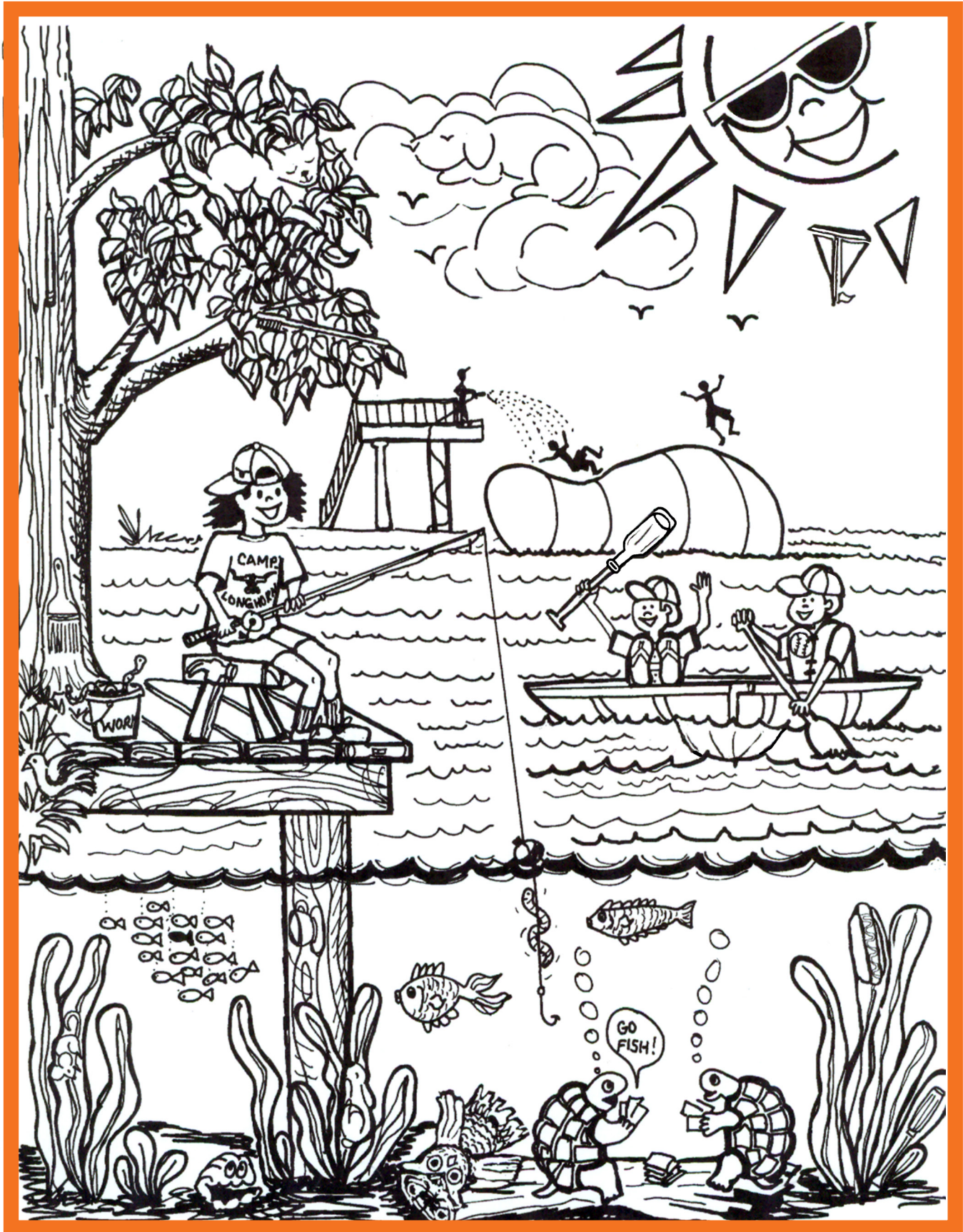


photo5



photo 6

PUZZLE PAGE: SEEK & FIND



Circle the following items in the picture: Baseball, Baseball Bat, Bird, Bottle, Cat, Coffe Cup & Saucer, Dog, Flashlight, Flip Flops, Hotdog, Hammer, Mouse, Owl, Paint Brush, Pencil, Rabbit, Sailboat, Screwdriver, Toothbrush, Umbrella