



# Jamestown 4-H Educational Center

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### **Upcoming Camps:**

[Cloverbud Camp](#)  
March 12-13, 2011  
Ages 5-8

[Teen and Adult Leader Training](#)  
May 21, 2011  
14+

[Open House](#)  
May 22, 2011  
All Ages

[Family Fun and Fitness Day](#)  
June 4, 2011  
Ages 5+

[Cloverbud Camp](#)  
June 25-26, 2011  
Ages 5-8

[Cloverbud Camp](#)  
July 23-24, 2011  
Ages 5-8

[Nocturnal Camp](#)  
September 17-18, 2011  
Ages 9-13

[Science Camp](#)  
October 7-9, 2011  
Ages 9-13

[Cloverbud Camp](#)  
November 12-13, 2011  
Ages 5-8

[Teen Weekend](#)  
December 9-11, 2011  
Ages 14-18

## **Spy Camp**

This year in January, we had our first ever Spy Camp! 53 campers attended this day camp, and participated in activities such as fingerprint dusting, blood typing, identifying pen ink types, finding clues with GPS units, and much more! Campers used their skills and problem solving to figure out the mystery of 'Who stole the cookies?'

One of the sessions campers attended was lead by local police officers from James City County and York County. The officers discussed a variety of Crime Scene Investigation problem solving and protocol, engaging campers with some of their own professional experiences. Campers were able to get a sneak peak at the procedures for processing evidence, ask tons of questions, and even learn how to dust and lift fingerprints!

Melissa C. was able to further engage our campers in exploring hair and other fibers under a microscope, identifying certain pen inks according to their chemical reactions, and even discovering how people identify different types of blood.

Krista G, our local Gloucester 4-H Agent, lead campers in a hunt for the answer to the day's mystery: Who Stole the Cookies?! Campers used their high-tech gear

(GPS units) to search for clues, and apply skills learned earlier in the day!

*Spy Camp was a blast for all who attended, and we want to thank everyone who joined us and helped make it a hit!*

**Thank you!!!**



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**A Special Thanks to all of our volunteers for both camps:**

### Summer Staff

Flush  
Mamaweez  
Jaws  
Flounder  
Twist  
Hoopz

### Extension Agents

Krista Gustafson  
Nancy Roche

### Adult Volunteers

Jen Aranyi  
Nikki Christmas  
Melissa Csikari  
Theresa Haskins  
David Hines  
Nick Huffman-Mutter  
Jason Rhine  
Lauren Schumacher  
Russ Shaffer  
Shelley Trautman  
Janet Ward

### 4-H Teen Volunteers

Charlie Bonner  
Emily Coelln  
Sam Coelln  
Robert Dillard  
Hannah Good  
Kristy Lewis  
Allie Levis  
Amanda Orchowsky  
Jessica Torres

**Also, thanks to our wonderful kitchen staff for providing a fantastic dining experience for our campers!**

## “Palette of Fun” Art Camp

February’s Palette of Fun Arts Camp was a great hit! 48 campers came out for a weekend filled with arts and crafts projects, sidewalk art, singing and dancing!

We began our weekend with an Art Fair where campers got to rotate around various art stations and express their creativity! Campers decorated their own bags for their crafts, created bead animals, and even got their faces painted!

Saturday was filled with awesome classes. Campers got to create leather craft projects with Jaws, decorate the basketball courts in side-walk art with Shelley, create their own commercials and movies with Flush, and create several spring crafts including foam flowers with Mamaweez!

Saturday evening began with a newspaper fashion show where each group of campers created



2 fashionable outfits out of newspaper, tissue paper, and tape. Both boys and girls got to show off their creative outfits!

Later in the evening, special guest Derby came in to demonstrate German traditional dancing. Suited up in his lederhosen, Derby explained a little of the history of traditional German dancing, demonstrated, and then taught the campers some moves of their own!

**Ask your camper how to say his/her name in German!**

## Thank you for joining us!

*We had a fantastic weekend, and we couldn’t have done it without our wonderful teen counselors, adult volunteers, and summer staff.*

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