

Camp Linden Update

December 2012

Dear Friend of Camp Linden,

On behalf of the Camp Linden Committee and the 225 inner-city children who experienced Camp Linden last summer, I want to thank you for your support. We hope you enjoy these pictures and comments about the 2012 summer program.

Sincerely,
Leonard Weeks
Chairman
Camp Linden Committee



"One of the highlights of the summer is seeing the kids when they return from a full day at Camp Linden. From the swim towels around their necks and the glazed look of content that comes from their full-day adventure in the outdoors, I can always tell they've had a great day and that they'll sleep well that night."

- Craig Heim,
Pennsylvania Assistant Director,
Education Works





"Many of the children said that they had never been to a river before, seen a corn field up close, or heard of the Lenape Indians."

- Tara Walton
Head Counselor



Shelley DePaul, Asst. Chief, Educator and environmental activist of the Lenape Nation of PA was in residence for a week. She introduced children to Lenape culture and history through stories, games, crafts, songs, dance and artifact display.

"Through the planting of the garden, the children practiced responsibility, patience, and teamwork."

- Tara Walton



"Counselors taught the children how to swim each day to help them overcome fear and build self-confidence."

- Leonard Weeks

"There is no greater joy, than seeing a smile on a child's face. Seeing one from a child from Camp Linden is even more special. Children need love and attention to develop, and that is what they get from our staff."

- Hannah Reczek
Counselor



Most of the support for Camp Linden comes from individual donors like yourself. The Camp Linden committee is actively working to plan an exceptional season for 2013. You make that possible. **Please think of Camp Linden when you make your end-of-the-year charitable donations.**

