

# The Bagpipe

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## Directors' Message

Dear Camp Families,

Camp is a place where kids can unplug, try new things, and make lifelong friendships. These are the benefits that keep the phrase "Camp gives kids a world of good" resounding in our minds, now more than ever. When we think about what makes Camp Lochearn special, a flood of memories of the unique pieces of our community come to mind. The way campers run across Evergreen Green, nearly knocking each other over with reunion hugs on Opening Day; the way our staff members celebrate every step of our campers' progress from failure to success; the way our voices can sound so sweet singing "Magic" on Campfire Hill, but surprise you with the rambunctious "Rattlin' Bog" in Highland Hall at dinner. There is never a dull moment at Lochearn.

The year 2020 thus far has given us a chance to slow down and think about the things that are important to us. Tony is so grateful for more time with his kids – working on home projects together and enjoying the outdoors as much as possible. Scout hasn't left his side, curled up at his feet every day in his home office. Stacie has loved spending more time at home and checking in with her students online daily. Summer has been overjoyed having everyone at home to play and snuggle during the day.

Our year-round team is preparing for an amazing summer. Each of us is gaining an important tool to keep in our pocket as our world starts to return to something closer to "normal" – resilience. Resilience to face these challenges and emerge even stronger on the other side; resilience to find balance and embrace change; resilience to be creative and think out of the box.

Regardless of how and when we come together this summer, we will rely on this community and seeing the familiar faces of our camp family each day. This is what we look forward to all year long, and while this summer may look different, our community will be better and stronger because of it.

Stay healthy, positive and kind!

Happy Camping!

*Tony & Stacie*

and your lovable  
camp dogs,  
Scout & Summer



*"Camp gives kids a world of good."*



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## Campus Leaders Spotlight

### Mia Delaney - Junior Line Campus Leader

**Camp food you are craving the most?** I am currently missing the scones at breakfast the most!  
**Favorite camp song?** My all-time favorite camp song is "Magic." I love singing it up on Campfire Hill on S-Days.  
**Favorite evening activity at camp?** Tough Lassies is my favorite! I love seeing all of the teams go around camp, working together to complete the wacky tasks.  
**Top choice if you could take a Lochearn class?** Water classes will always be my favorite! If I could take a class as a camper, I would want to take either diving or waterskiing.  
**Favorite line of the motto?** My favorite line of the motto is "To make the whole camp happier for our being here."  
**Any advice for new campers?** The best piece of advice I can give is when you're signing up for classes for camp, don't be afraid to go a little out of your comfort zone and try something you've never done before. Camp is the perfect environment to try and learn a new skill! It can be a little scary at first, but camp creates such a supportive environment where everyone wants to see another succeed.



Mia

Junior Campus Leader

### Anna Massey - Sub-Senior Line Campus Leader

**Camp food you are craving the most?** I have heard the BEST things about the homemade granola in the morning and I am so excited to try it!  
**Favorite camp song?** I don't know many Lochearn camp songs just yet. However, I love to sing, so you can bet I'll be up there singing as loud as I can the second I learn them!  
**Favorite evening activity at camp?** Again, I don't have a favorite activity since this is my first summer up in Vermont, but I am so excited to run around with the girls and have a great time each evening!  
**Top choice if you could take a Lochearn class?** If I could take a Lochearn class it would definitely be skiing. I have always loved being out on the lake and would love to improve my skiing skills out on the water with the amazing ski staff and those sweet new ski boats!  
**Favorite line of the motto?** My favorite line from the motto is "To take home an open mind and a kind and caring heart." I think it shows how much of a positive impact the camp experience can have on campers.  
**Any advice for new campers?** I am in a very similar boat seeing that this will be my first summer up at Lochearn, but my best advice for new campers is to trust in the magic of camp. You will go home stronger and more confident!



Anna

Sub-Senior Campus Leader

### Emily Hall - Senior Line Campus Leader

**Camp food you are craving the most?** No doubt the chicken quesadillas, 'dilla day is the best day!  
**Favorite camp song?** The Senior Line song- I can't wait to see all of my Senior Line girls!  
**Favorite evening activity at camp?** My favorite evening program would have to be the Egg Dino game. Playing with the campers while being a t-rex and running around causing chaos is pretty fun!  
**Top choice if you could take a Lochearn class?** Sailing, for sure. I just learned how last summer and it's so fun!  
**Favorite line of the motto?** My favorite line of the motto is "To grow to have more courage and self-confidence." Camp allows everyone to let their guard down and really grow into themselves!  
**Any advice for new campers?** Two years ago when I was new to Lochearn I had never been to Vermont and didn't know anyone. So I was a bit nervous, as I'm sure some of you might be. But, right as I stepped into camp I realized how special it is. Make sure to go into the summer with an open mind and be excited for all camp offers! Camp Lochearn will give you lifelong friendships, amazing classes and counselors, and hands down the best summer yet!



Emily

Senior Campus Leader

### Mary Lavalley - CT Campus Leader

**Camp food you are craving the most?** Definitely quesadilla day! I love sitting with my lassies and eating some good dillaz and salsa.  
**Favorite camp song?** Well, if we're talking songs for S-Day campfire then definitely "Moon on the Meadow." If we're talking an after dinner full-of-energy song then definitely "Just a Boy and a Girl in a Little Canoe!"  
**Favorite evening activity at camp?** Easily Blue/Green Campfire, I love all the energy the girls bring to the Point.  
**Top choice if you could take a Lochearn class?** That's a tough choice between Waterskiing or Snorkeling! Feeling the rush of the water under my ski, or seeing the magical underwater treasures of Lake Fairlee is truly something special.  
**Favorite line of the motto?** "To make and to keep friends;" Camp friends are the best kind of friends!  
**Any advice for new campers?** My most favorite day at camp is Opening Day, so my advice to you is to take in every Opening Day experience with open arms! Enjoy your first drive through the Lochearn gates, past our amazing Climbing Tower, and all the way down to the beautiful waterfront. Say hi to everyone and don't be afraid to join in on our silly songs.



Mary

CT Campus Leader

### Senna Armstrong - CT Campus Leader

**Camp food you are craving the most?** I am so excited for Patience's Black Bean Burgers again this summer!  
**Favorite camp song?** Either "Barges" or "Lochearn Spirit."  
**Favorite evening activity at camp?** Four Corners, hands down!  
**Top choice if you could take a Lochearn class?** Paddleboarding or skiing. Not only are these classes amazing, they give you a chance to see even more of Lake Fairlee.  
**Favorite line of the motto?** "To make and to keep friends but to do so without surrendering our ideals."  
**Any advice for new campers?** Try to talk to three new people on Opening Day, whether it's counselors, campers or other parents or families so you can see how welcoming everybody is!



Senna

CT Campus Leader



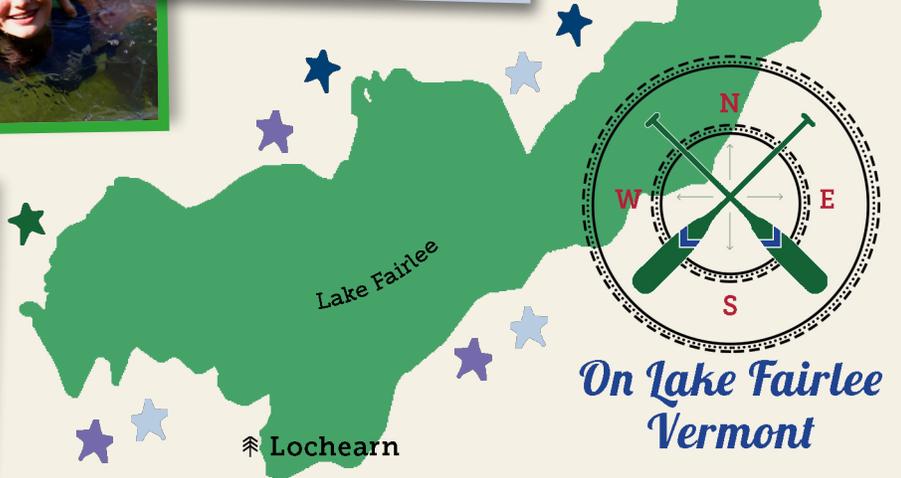
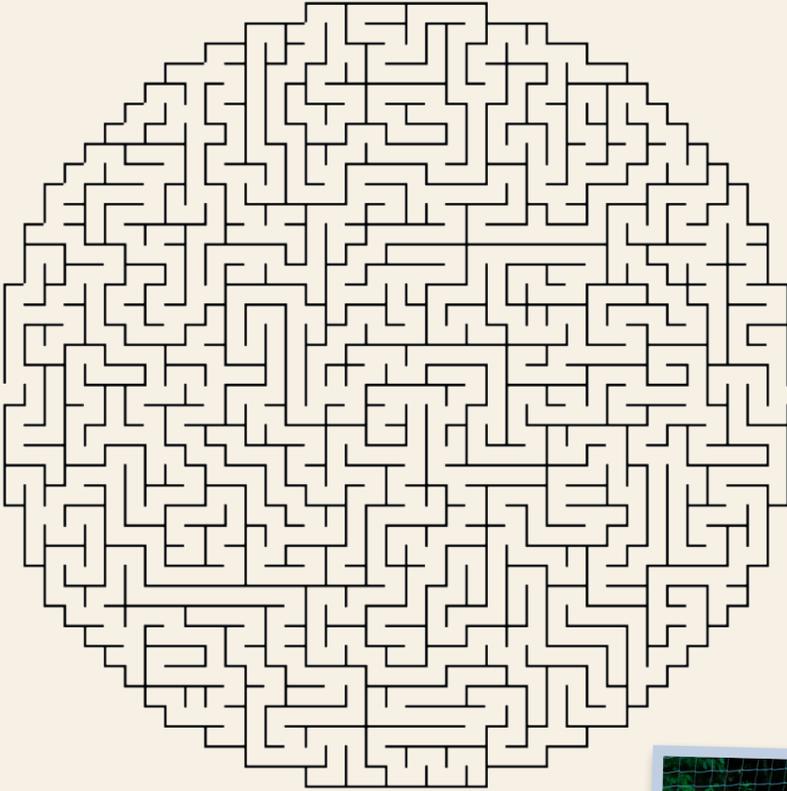
# Head Nurse Michelle Toborowsky

We are so excited to welcome back our Head Nurse Michelle Toborowsky to lead our health center team this summer! In her fifth year on staff at Lochearn, Nurse Michelle loves being able to return to Lake Fairlee and work with our staff and nursing team to ensure the health and safety of our campers and entire camp community. Nurse Michelle is a native of New Jersey, but loves Vermont so much she now lives and works in the Green Mountain State all year! Nurse Michelle looks forward to serving our camp community this summer!



## Find your way to Scout & Summer!

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*Happy Birthday, Lassies!*

**March**

- Kaja Laybourn
- Elizabeth Higgins
- Alex Jacobstein
- Vicky Nie
- Christina Stuart
- Kendall Sullivan
- Evie Whitwell
- Annie Boggess
- Anne Hempel
- Maria Navarro
- Loulou Preis
- Bay Rowley
- Bria Whitehair
- Phoebe von Zuben
- Katherine Howells
- Emma Viviano
- Sailor Akohonae
- Meghan Curran
- Sarah Genovese
- Harper Levin
- Juliet Greene
- Maddie Combs
- Kiki Ahmadi
- Teagan Gallagher
- Olivia Olson
- Elke Thorsen
- Abigaile Mais
- Charlotte Pennington
- Kate Bartlett
- Eloise Tuff
- Sophia Davidson
- Zoe Han

- 2 Julia Kurzontkowski
- 3 Nina Schenk
- 3 Vivian Palomo
- 4 Bella DiScipio
- 4 Lilimay George
- 4 Addie Menacho
- 4 Natasha Shapiro

**April**

- 5 Elena Fell Maira
- 5 Averi Israel
- 6 Greta Wishnow
- 6 Iris Wishnow
- 6 Isabelle Fitzgibbon
- 7 Hailey Stahl
- 9 Evelyn Westbrook
- 9 Kathryn Mingoletti
- 10 Cova Uria
- 11 Cece Dominguez
- 11 Zoie Hower
- 11 Annie O'Connor
- 12 Claire Mauro
- 14 Lily Mauro
- 15 Emma Beswick
- 16 Arabella Davidson
- 16 Gabbie Groff
- 18 Olivia Ohr
- 19 Devan Mehta
- 19 Stella Oshana
- 21 Anna Sullivan
- 21 Charlotte Nielsen
- 22 Noa Santacruz
- 23 Hallsie McCoy

- 24 Abigail Chang
- 25 Emma Alpert
- 27 Judah Marley
- 29 Victoria Marquardt
- 29 Tamara Regular
- 30 Bella Shim
- 30 Megan Alpert
- Searcy Kilgallen
- Sage McCoy
- Abby Wilson
- Avery Forlini

**May**

- 6 Leigh Cullen
- 6 Madison Rabb
- 6 Deven Dacey
- 9 Drew Gordon
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- 12 Kat Gottsegen
- 12 Saskia Santos
- 13 Tate Wein
- 14 Kelsey Strobeck
- 14 Bea Levine
- 15 Elizabeth Cullen
- 15 Orlaith Dill
- 15 Celia Price
- 15 Violet Tansley
- 16 Lucy Beran
- 16 Lexi Flanders
- 16 Alice Jackson
- 17 Amelia Orth
- 17 Maddie Newcomb
- 18 Addie Robertson

- 19 Callie Pilkington
- 21 Grace Pilkington
- 21 Annie Worden
- 22 Mia Calio
- 23 Chelsea Epstein
- 23 Sofia Gottsegen
- 24 Ally Antonacci
- 25 Eve Delinsky
- 27 Emma Lavallee
- 27 Libby Nook
- 30 Rachel Ha
- Simrin Madia
- Kate Hebard
- Juli Isaac
- 1 Madison Epstein
- 2 Maddie Johnson
- 5 Inessa Patel
- 5 Coco Rosenberg
- 6 Bella Kochan
- Ava Mauro

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