Leadership Newsletter

TIRR Foundation

Summer 2023



Moran Camp Xtreme started off strong this year, beginning with a immensely successful Spring Break Camp followed by Summer Camp. Despite cooler than normal temperatures, Spring Break Camp opened on March 17 with 50 eager campers ready for their first activity. Led by 24 amazing volunteers and staff, campers engaged in wheelchair lacrosse, horseback riding, archery, photography, high ropes course, zip

line and many more exciting activities. When their parents picked their campers up two days later, they were a happy and exhausted group of kids. Moran Camp Xtreme staff quickly regrouped to plan the upcoming Summer Camp that opened on June 11 with 33 children and 18 staff and volunteers. This time the weather was incredibly warm and all the water sports unavailable during spring break were now high on the list. Volunteer day was on Thursday, June 15





Team building project assembling a tent.

The one mile race...and their off!



Hitching a ride back to the lodge after the scavenger hunt. *Yeah* for electric wheelchairs!



Wheelchair shuffle board



Preparing for the one mile race



Start of the scavenger hunt



Welcome to Morgan's Wonderland Camp!



Encouraging the kids on the last hill of the one mile race!

and in addition to TIRR Foundation staff, 11 volunteers came from Bubba's Restaurant. All in, there were 14 volunteers there to help with the wheelchair race, scavenger hunt, obstacle course, and wheelchair shuffleboard. One of the most important jobs was handing out ice pops as the kids crossed the wheelchair race finish line. Parents arrived on the morning of the 16th to retrieve their kids who left with great memories, and new experiences and friendships.

Both camps were held at Morgan's Wonderland Camp in San Antonio, Texas. Campers and staff loved the new cabins, huge gym, zip line, pool, ropes course, and lazy river. "It is an impressive facility with so much to offer our campers." Genny Gomez, Director of Moran Camp Xtreme. Next up on the Moran Camp Xtreme agenda is the Young Adults Camp on August 11-13 and Family Camp scheduled for October 6-8.



Volunteer day check-in.

More Photos From Moran Camp Xtreme 2023!























