



## Pathfinder Country Day Camp

# The Counselor In Training Program Summer 2010

...a learning experience for young teens 13 years old

The CIT Program was developed for teenagers who enjoy working with young children and are ready to begin the learning process of becoming a camp counselor. The CIT's meet with their Team Advisors each morning and review the "Daily Activities Schedule."

The Team Advisors include 1-2 college students, depending on the size of the program. The CIT Program is coed. The Team Advisors supervise the CIT's, assuring they stay in program, follow the schedule, and are on time to meet with the age group they have chosen to train with during the week. The program is overseen by the Camp Directors & Supervisors.

The CIT's will rotate daily camp activities and group training. Their camp activities include: a mandatory instructional morning swim, boating, softball, basketball, tennis, archery, field hockey, football, arts and crafts, sailing and more.

There are six periods during the day. The CIT's will work with the younger children 8-10 periods during the week. At the end of each week, the CIT's meet with their Team Advisors and counselors of the younger children's group, for a critique & evaluation on their success. All evaluations are positive!

A "Calendar of Events" is planned for the CIT's.

The off campus trips may be a morning at the beach or they may enjoy a pizza lunch, game of mini-golf, sailing, or walk to town for ice cream. All trips are professionally supervised. In addition, Pathfinder has another "Calendar of Events" for the Senior & Junior campers at Pathfinder.

The CIT's are always welcome to participate.

The Counselor in Training Program is a structured, learning experience. The children must have a true interest in the program and working with young children. There is no unstructured downtime in the program. The CIT's are learning through experience while working with young children of different ages.

The CIT Program at Pathfinder has a lot to offer teens who are interested in working with younger children while still enjoying the camp experience and developing friendships with campers their age.

***The program accepts a maximum of 12-14 children.***

***Please do not allow your child to bring a cell phone, iPods or any electronic equipment.***

Please have your child fill out & send pages 1, 2, 3, & 4. Print & keep page 5, "Calendar of Events."

To be completed by a parent, Parent Pages 6, 7, & 8

A completed medical form is necessary to enroll into The CIT Program.

Questions? Email or Call Nancy [nbsummerncamp@msn.com](mailto:nbsummerncamp@msn.com) 631 660 2080

Please send all completed information to:

Pathfinder Country Day Camp

P.O. Box 807

Montauk, New York 11954

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To be filled out by enrolling CIT

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ as of June 2010

Grade entering Fall 2010? \_\_\_\_\_ Summer Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Winter Phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Cell # \_\_\_\_\_

Please, no cell phones at camp, unless you are assigned a bus counselor position.

Summer address? \_\_\_\_\_

Winter Address? \_\_\_\_\_

Weeks attending Pathfinder? ( ) Session 1 ( ) Session 2 ( ) Part Time: Dates/Days \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any experience working with children? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain your experience and the ages of the children you have work with.

Please explain in, 25 words or more, why the CIT Program is something you would like to participate in?

If you participated in the program last summer, what did you enjoy most about the program?

This summer season you will follow a schedule. Knowing the activities Pathfinder has to offer, what activities are you looking forward to doing most?

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What is your favorite winter activity/sport?

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What is your favorite summer activity/sport? \_\_\_\_\_

If you could help teach any activity or sport at camp, what would that be?

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While working with the children at Pathfinder, name some goals that are important for you to accomplish.

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Name an important life lesson you may be able to teach a child.

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Do you feel you will be able to help the children do small projects in Arts & Crafts?

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What kind of role model would you like to be for your younger campers?

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A head counselor will be in charge of the group you chose to work with. What would you like that counselor to know about you?

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You will develop new friends at Pathfinder. What would you like your peers to know about you as a person?

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What do you think is the best part of you personality?

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Do you like animals? ( ) Yes ( ) No

If you have a pet, what is your pet's name? Do you contribute to the care of your pet? If so, how?

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## Characteristics of Different Age Groups

The Counselors in Training are asked to choose age groups they prefer to work with during their time at camp. Carefully read and check the characteristics of children at different ages. You may check as many as you like.

Choose the age group/groups you will feel most comfortable working with.

### 3 & 4 Year Olds

- A. Large muscle development continues as children run, jump and kick.
- B. Small motor skills are just developing with skills like cutting and painting.
- C. Interested in doing things for themselves.
- D. Enjoys listening to stories and music again after a short time span.
- E. Tire easily and need help pacing themselves.
- F. Likes to color shapes and sizes.
- G. Enjoys writing and scribbling on paper.

### 7 & 8 Year Olds

- A. Speedy, always on the move, would rather run.
- B. Large motor activities are often first choice.
- C. Sensitive to criticism, feelings hurt easily.
- D. Able to participate with others.
- E. Active doer, becoming a good observer.
- F. Thinks simple games are babyish.
- G. Wants to win the approval of adults.
- H. Likes to know all about everything– the “how and why” of things.
- I. Impulsive and restless, particularly wants to do things well.

### 5 & 6 Year Olds

- A. Likes to cut out, paste, draw, and dress up.
- B. Coordinated activity such as hopping on one foot and somersaults.
- C. Prefers playing with other children, especially in group projects.
- D. Becoming more reliable and serious and enjoys independence.
- E. Limited attention span; need diversity in activities.
- F. Boys and girls play together.
- G. Counselors ideas and opinions are very important to them.
- H. Freely displays laughing, crying, etc.
- I. Very sensitive to criticism.
- J. Active doers; not great observers.

### 9 Year Olds

- A. Much more self-assertive.
- B. Begins to have interests in joining organizations.
- C. More interested in peer opinions than adults.
- D. Can handle many of their own activities, such as choosing a leader.
- E. Have some regard for rules.
- F. Real skills have developed, differences in achievements can lead to teasing.
- G. Boys and girls draw apart, prefer same gender groupings.
- H. Can be dealt with rationally and logically if an environment of rules exists.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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Please write the preferred age you would like to work with as a CIT at Pathfinder.

It's best to work with the same group for one to two weeks, unless otherwise discussed with your Team Advisor or Supervisor.

Evaluations are every week to two weeks, depending on the time enrolled. The evaluations involves the Team Advisor, Head Counselor and Counselor in Training.

The evaluations promote growth, awareness, and are a positive experience. Everyone wins!

Age Group Chosen

Week 1: \_\_\_\_\_ Week 2: \_\_\_\_\_ Week 3: \_\_\_\_\_ Week 4: \_\_\_\_\_

Week 5: \_\_\_\_\_ Week 6: \_\_\_\_\_ Week 7: \_\_\_\_\_ Week 8: \_\_\_\_\_

Pathfinder Country Day Camp has a informative staff meeting, including a psychologist, training in CPR and awareness of allergic reactions concerning the campers.

The meeting will be held on Saturday, June 19, 2010 at 9:30 am.

The meeting is not mandatory for the children in the Counselor in Training. If traveling is convenient, the meeting is very informative and it is suggested for the Counselors in Training to attend.

Please contact Nancy if you plan to attend or have any questions or concerns.

631 668 2080

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# Special Events Calendar Summer 2010

## Counselor In Training Program



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
June 28 Session 1 Welcome!	June 29 Wild Rapids Water Slide	June 30 <b>Sailing</b> Happy Halloween	July 1 Walk to town... <b>Lunch at Johns!</b>	July 2 Cookout! Belly's Snoballs Today
July 5 Celebrating the 4th No Camp	July 6 Walk to town... <b>Sailing</b>	July 7 CIT's Pirates Day Dive for treasures in the pool	July 8 Picture Day <b>Pizza Party at Camp</b>	July 9 Cookout/Simon Sez Ice Cream Johns
July 12 <b>Mini Golf 10am</b> Magic Show! 1 pm	July 13 Brain Challenge Live Game Show	July 14 <b>Sailing</b> Valentines Day	July 15 CIT American Idol Bring your Music & Talent	July 16 Cookout! Belly's Snoballs
July 19 All Water Sports Day Walk to town... <b>Lunch at Johns</b>	July 20 To the Beach! 	July 21 Senior Skit Day 1pm	July 22 Junior Skit Day <b>Sailing 9:30</b>	July 23 <i>End Session 1</i> Campers Carnival DJ, Limbo, Games Cookout!
July 26 Session 2 Welcome New CIT's	July 27 Water Slide! <b>Mini Golf 10 am</b>	July 28 <b>Sailing</b> 	July 29 Major Kickball Game! CIT'S/Counselors vs Senior Camp	July 30 Cookout Watermelon
August 2 <b>Sailing</b> Multi-Talented Show 1pm	August 3 Picture Day	August 4 Tie Dye Wednesday Bring a White Shirt	August 5 <b>Pizza Lunch at Camp</b> Counselor Pie Eating Contest	August 6 Cookout Belly's Snoballs Today
August 9 <b>Olympic Day!</b>	August 10 <b>Sailing</b> CIT Fair Prep	August 11 CIT Fair Prep	August 12 Children's Fair 10-12 Family's Welcome!	August 13 Cookout Simon Sez
August 16 <b>Sailing</b> Maggie's Birthday! Cake for Dessert	August 17 Tic Tac Toe Game Show!	 CIT Awards! <b>Mini Golf / Lunch At Johns</b>	August 19 Waterslide! 	August 20 Last Day of Camp Pizza & DJ 2:00 Dismissal



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In addition to the calendar, the CIT Program participate in many supervised camp activities at Pathfinder.  
Schedule may have to be changed due to weather conditions  
Please print and keep!

# The Counselor in Training Program at Pathfinder Summer 2010

Mailing Address: Pathfinder Country Day Camp P.O. Box 807, Montauk, New York 11954 "Parent Page"  
*Counselors in Training young teens 13 years old*

Child's Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ M or F

Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Child's School: \_\_\_\_\_ Sept Grade 2010: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Winter Mailing: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Winter Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_ Business #: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Summer Street Address (for bus transportation): \_\_\_\_\_ Cross Street \_\_\_\_\_

Summer Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency #: \_\_\_\_\_

Summer Sessions: Please check one. Prices include transportation.

A deposit of \$900.00/ child is required upon enrollment.

<p><b>( ) Early Enrollment Special      \$4,150</b>  <i>Full Season Only 8 Weeks</i>                  June 28 ~ August 20  <i>Payment in full due by March 1, 2010</i>  <i>Does not apply after March 1, 2010</i></p>	<p><b>( ) 4 weeks Day Camp                  \$2,350</b>  <i>Session 1</i>                  June 28 ~ July 23  <i>Payment in full due by May 1, 2010</i></p>
<p><b>( ) 8 Weeks Day Camp                  \$4,450</b>                  Full Season                  June 28 ~ August 20  <i>Payment in full due by May 1, 2010</i></p>	<p><b>( ) 4 Weeks Day Camp                  \$2,350</b>  <i>Session 2</i>                  July 26 ~ August 20  <i>Payment in full due by May 1, 2010</i></p>
<p><b>( ) 2 weeks Day Camp                  \$1,350</b>                  Dates Attending: _____</p>	<p><b>( ) 6 Weeks Day Camp                  \$3,650</b>                  Dates Attending: _____</p>
<p><b>( ) 3 Weeks Day Camp                  \$1,950</b>                  Dates Attending: _____</p>	<p><b>( ) 7 Weeks Day Camp                  \$4,250</b>                  Dates Attending: _____</p>
<p><b>( ) 5 weeks Day Camp                  \$3,050</b>                  Dates Attending: _____</p>	<p><b>( ) Daily Guest Rate                  \$165.00/Day</b>                  Dates Attending: _____ Full Medical Required</p>

The Counselor in Training children are not permitted to baby-sit for children attending Pathfinder.  
 This is a mandatory rule that must be followed. There are no exceptions.

*I understand this mandatory rule: Sign: \_\_\_\_\_*

Payment is Due Full by May1, 2010. Child enrollment after May1, 2010, Payment Due in Full.  
 Prior to May 1, 2010, a deposit of \$900.00 is required per child. *\$300.00 is non-refundable after June 1,2010.*

Please make checks payable to "Pathfinder Country Day Camp." *Sorry, no Credit Cards.*

Tuition Includes Transportation, Camp T-Shirt, Backpack, Snacks, & Friday Cookout.

Children must have an updated medical completed by a doctor. All Medicals are due June 1st or prior to child beginning camp. Children may not attend Pathfinder without a complete medical on site.

Parents Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please print, "Parent Page" Thank you. Page 6, continue pages 8 & 9

CIT Program Pathfinder Country Day Camp Summer 2010 "Parent Page"

Childs Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Years Attended Pathfinder? \_\_\_\_\_ 2009 Group Name \_\_\_\_\_

If possible, please place my child in the same group as: \_\_\_\_\_  
CIT Program is coed.

How did you hear about Pathfinder?  Friend  Advertising  Attended  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Sessions/Weeks Attending:**

My child will be attending different weeks than sessions offered. (Please be specific: dates, weeks, days, etc.)

Child will begin Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Child will end Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Bus Transportation:(very important)**

Summer Street Address with House Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Town \_\_\_\_\_

Cross Streets? \_\_\_\_\_ Landmarks? \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Children cannot receive bus transportation without a physician completed medical form on site.**

**Swimming Ability:** Please Check:

Great  Good  Fair, willing to learn  Afraid of the water  Does not swim

Additional comments/concerns about swimming: \_\_\_\_\_

**Pathfinder Country Day Camp: Terms, Conditions: Please read.**

This enrollment is not valid unless signed, dated, and understood by a parent or guardian of enrolling camper.

This agreement must be reviewed accepted by the Camp Directors.

**A.** For the general welfare of all campers, Pathfinder reserves the unrestricted right to dismiss any camper whose conduct or influence, in the Director's opinion, is detrimental to the best interest of Pathfinder and our campers.

**B.** This agreement gives Pathfinder permission, by the parent, for the camper to attend off-campus activities and trips.

**C.** It is agreed and understood that in the event a parent cannot be reached, in case of an emergency affecting the camper, permission is given for Pathfinder to administer proper treatment by the camps physician.

Terms Read: Please Initial: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Payments and Refunds: Please read.**

**\*Children may not attend Pathfinder with an outstanding balance or without a physician completed medical form on site.**

**A. Tuition Refunds:** Tuition is refundable in full prior to 6/1/10. After 6/1/10, refunds are available until 7/9/10, with the exception of a \$300.00 non-refundable registration fee. **50% of tuition is refundable after 7/9/10.**

**B. Unhappy Camper Refund:** Tuition will be refunded, less the \$300.00 registration fee. In addition, a separate fee for camp days attended will be charged. The fee is \$165.00/day.

**C. Early Enrollment Tuition:** Due date is 3/1/09. Early Enrollment tuition is not valid after 3/1/09.

**D. Sick/Absent Days:** Make up days are available within the registered Pathfinder Calendar 4 Week Sessions. Days may not be used thru the following sessions. A credit for summer 2011 can be issued for sick children, with a doctors note. All make up days must be discussed with a director.

**E. Children Attending 3 Days/Week:** Make up days are available for children attending 3 days/week, within the same registered session. There are no refunds for missed camper days.

Terms Read: Please Initial: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents Agreement Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**I give permission for my child to be photographed for advertisement purposes:**

Yes, I give permission to photograph my wonderful child.  No thank you, but thanks for asking!



## Camper Medical Office Information 2010

(Very important...to be completed by a parent/guardian, please)



Campers Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ M or F  
 Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Parents Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parent Summer Contact Information: Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobil: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Emergency Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Persons Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Winter Address: Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Summer Address: Street: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Insurance information:

Insurance Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Primary Card Holder: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Policy Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Group Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Security Information:

If you are not available, who has permission to pick up your child? (Person must bring picture ID)

1. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Does Child Know this Person? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Does Child Know this Person? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Does Child Know this Person? \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies: ( ) No ( ) Yes **(Pathfinder is a nut-free environment. No peanut butter/nuts at camp.)**  
 ( ) Food? ( ) Bees? ( ) Asthma? ( ) Other? \_\_\_\_\_

Specific Foods: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Reaction to Allergen: \_\_\_\_\_

Medications needed at camp? ( ) No ( ) Yes, as a precaution.

( ) Yes, medication ay camp taken at \_\_\_\_\_ time everyday.

What medications at camp? \_\_\_\_\_ Dose? \_\_\_\_\_

Does you child take medications at home? ( ) No ( ) Yes, for what reason? \_\_\_\_\_

**Children with allergies to foods or bees, have asthma, must have  
 medications available at camp. Please check your expiration dates before  
 sending medication. We need a doctors order written on your child's medical form to  
 allow us to administer any prescription or over the counter medications.**

**Please keep in mind, the more we know about your child, the better his or  
 her camp experience will be with us.**

Are there any other medical concerns you may want to share with us? \_\_\_\_\_

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Does your child have any anxieties or fears you may want to share with us? \_\_\_\_\_

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