

Camp Barney Melintz

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MAKE OUR SUMMER PLACE
YOUR SUMMER PLACE



RESIDENT SUMMER CAMP of the
MARCUS JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER of ATLANTA



WELCOME
TO

Camp Barney Medintz

AT CAMP BARNEY,
WE'RE ABOUT *EVERY IMAGINABLE*

ADVENTURE,

— DISCOVERING —

NEW TALENTS

and passions,

MAKING & STRENGTHENING

FRIENDSHIPS,

BEING COMFORTABLE IN

NATURE,

◇ FEELING MORE ◇

CONNECTED TO OUR

GLOBAL JEWISH COMMUNITY,

AND FEELING SAFE,

ACCOMPLISHED & LOVED.



Camp Barney Medintz is located in the North Georgia Blue Ridge Mountains on 540 spectacular acres, surrounding two private lakes. Since 1963, Camp Barney has offered the most meaningful and exhilarating Jewish overnight camp experience for boys and girls completing 1st–11th grades. Our campers come to CBM from all around the country to experience the magic of Our Summer Place.

Our facilities are extensive, comfortable, and beautiful. Our endless activities and off-site trips are sequentially designed to be exceedingly safe, exciting, and age appropriate. Campers always look forward to the added activities that the next summer brings, from trying the “Omega” zip line and hiking the Appalachian Trail to going whitewater rafting, experiencing a solo overnight, and more.



Our culture of respect, compassion, spirit, and community permeate every program. Carefully selected staff lead, support, and embrace every child as they pursue new challenges, gain self-confidence and independence, reinforce their Jewish identity, and develop lifelong friendships.

We know that overnight camp is a big decision for your family. Thank you for allowing Camp Barney to be part of your child's journey while having the most meaningful summers of their lives.

On behalf of our Camp Barney Medintz team, we look forward to sharing Our Summer Place with you and your family!

— Michael Drucker,
Interim Director
Camp Barney Medintz





EVERY IMAGINABLE ACTIVITY AT CAMP BARNEY MEDINTZ

At Camp Barney, campers enjoy activities they know and love, while also being introduced to new adventures every day. Guided by our experienced, certified, and talented CBM staff and guest artists-in-residence, campers spend their days with friends exploring new passions and feeling accomplished.

- **AQUATICS**
Free Swim, Water Skiing, Tubing, Wake Boarding, Knee Boarding, ZUP Boarding, Canoeing, Kayaking, Stand-up Paddle Boarding, The Blob, Water Slides, SCUBA Diving, Iceberg Climbing Wall, Log Roll, The Finn Water Luge
- **NATURE**
Campouts, Cookouts, Hiking, Tree Climbing
- **HORSEBACK**
Ring and Trail Riding, Grooming, Horsemanship
- **SPORTS**
Baseball, Basketball, Tennis, Soccer, Lacrosse, Karate, Fencing, Archery, Yoga, Ga-Ga, Golf, Mountain Scooters, Mountain Biking, Tournaments, Triathlons, Knockerball, Ultimate Frisbee

- **HIGH ADVENTURE**
Zip Lines, High and Low Ropes Courses, Vertical Climbing Walls, Technical Rock Climbing, Caving
- **CREATIVE AND PERFORMING ARTS**
Play Performance, Music, Movie Making, Radio Station, Ceramics, Beading, Dance, Cooking Classes, Tie-Dye, Mosaics, Media
- **SPECIAL EVENTS**
Color War, Dances, All-Camp Activities, Israel Day, Barneyroo Culturefest
- **TRIPS**
All four-week campers participate in age-appropriate and super fun trips including Tubing, White Water Rafting, Kayaking, Backpacking, Rock Climbing, Caving, and more.

SAMPLE SCHEDULE

7:15 AM	WAKE UP
8:00 AM	BREAKFAST
9:15 AM	ACTIVITY 1
10:30 AM	ACTIVITY 2
11:45 AM	ACTIVITY 3
1:00 PM	LUNCH
2:00 PM	REST HOUR (MAIL & CANTEEN)
3:00 PM	ACTIVITY 4
4:15 PM	ACTIVITY 5
6:00 PM	DINNER
6:45 PM	CHUGIM/FREE PLAY
7:45 PM	ACTIVITY 6
8:45 PM	MILK LINE COOKIES
9:30 PM	LIGHTS OUT (YOUNGER CAMPERS)
	ACTIVITY 7 (OLDER CAMPERS)
11:00 PM	LIGHTS OUT (OLDER CAMPERS)

— JEWISH LIFE —

Jewish customs, traditions, and culture are woven into each day at Camp Barney, instilling in our campers a lifelong connection to their Jewish identity, Israel, and our global Jewish community. For more than 50 years, our campers have been enjoying Jewish music, Israeli dance, Israeli culture, saying the blessings before and after meals, and special programs like Israel Day. **Jewish life is an integral part of the everyday magic of Camp Barney Medintz.**

Shabbat is a special time, one that campers will remember long after their camp days are over. Our campers hold on to the special feeling of singing prayers in the Doris Zaban Chapel, overlooking the lake, with the voices of hundreds of campers joining them. The whole Shabbat experience offers a sense of ruach and spirituality. On Saturdays, whether playing basketball, going on a creek hike, or splashing in our two pools, our campers know it is Shabbat, a day of peace and relaxation. We join together as a camp on Saturday nights to conclude Shabbat with Havdalah.

Here at Camp Barney Medintz, we inspire and solidify campers' connections to their Jewish heritage, creating a lifelong connection to our Jewish community.

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— Jacob M., long-time Camp Barney camper and staff member

HEALTHY CAMPERS

We provide a safe and healthy environment for all our campers. Our modern Billi and Bernie Marcus Health Center is a state-of-the-art, air-conditioned facility that is staffed by a resident physician and six registered nurses every day, all of whom live at Camp. The medical team is available 24 hours a day to handle a range of services, including managing health care and the distribution of medication. Specific case management allows us to assist campers with allergies and other health issues.

We work closely with families to ensure every camper has a safe and happy summer at Camp Barney. EMTs and urgent care facilities are three miles away and the local hospital is nearby.

— OUR STAFF —

Paramount to every child's experience at Camp Barney is the excellence of our staff. They are mature, talented, enthusiastic, warm, and loving caretakers and mentors. They are accomplished and conscientious leaders in their roles at Camp Barney and in their everyday lives. They are our campers' biggest supporters and cheerleaders.

We personally interview every staff member to ensure they are the right fit for our camp culture and for our campers. Our staff members receive extensive training, including emergency and safety procedures, child development training, and behavior management. Our specialists, who instruct and supervise activities involving aquatics, boating, high-adventure ropes courses, and horseback riding, are experienced, trained, and/or certified in their respective specialty area.

We are fortunate that many of our campers become staff members and many return for multiple summers. It is not unusual for a Barney staff member to be on his/her 9th or 12th summer at Camp Barney. In fact, approximately 80 percent of our staff are returning staff or were campers.

Our staff return to Camp Barney because it is the place that holds the best memories for them, they are passionate about working with children, and they want every camper to thrive, grow, and have even more fun than last summer.



— WHAT'S MOST IMPORTANT —

HOW DO YOU SELECT AND TRAIN YOUR STAFF?

All staff members complete a rigorous application process that includes reference checks, criminal background checks, and a personal interview. We hire staff who we believe possess the qualities we seek: positive values, excellent character, good judgment, compassion, intelligence, and passion for teaching and caring for children. Once hired, all staff members participate in extensive training that covers safety and emergency procedures, youth development, behavior management, activity leadership, and child abuse prevention.

WHAT IS THE CAMPER-TO-STAFF RATIO? HOW OLD ARE THE STAFF MEMBERS?

Our camper-to-staff ratio is two counselors for each group of 8-10 campers. All of our staff members are at least 18 years old and/or have graduated from high school.

WHAT IS THE FOOD LIKE AT CAMP?

Camp Barney's food is delicious and nutritious! We provide three well-balanced meals each day that include fruits and vegetables. We provide many options at each meal so every camper can find something they like. There are cereal and milk options at every breakfast. At every lunch and dinner, we also offer peanut butter or sun butter and jelly sandwiches and a huge salad bar that includes a range of options like vegetables, pastas, hummus, trail mix, and so much more. Campers also enjoy a snack during the day and our famous Milk Line cookies each evening. We accommodate every dietary need and restriction. Vegetarian, vegan, gluten-free, dairy-free, and nut-free alternatives are available at each meal. Camp Barney is a kosher facility.

WHAT SHOULD MY CHILD PACK FOR CAMP?

The "What to Bring List" will help you to prepare. Camp is all about having fun outdoors, so we recommend that you do not pack clothing items that you don't want to get dirty or stained. Campers also need to bring bedding (sheets, pillow, and blankets) as well as a sleeping bag for overnight trips. Please put your child's name on everything.

HOW DO I KEEP IN TOUCH WITH MY CHILD WHILE THEY ARE AT CAMP?

Your CBM account will provide access to photos and one-way emails to your child while they are at Camp. We encourage you to write positive, supportive letters to your child throughout their session. You can also like us on Facebook to see fun videos and photos of camp in action. If there is an issue at any point during your child's time at Camp, our directors will call you, and you're welcome to email or call us.

WHAT IS YOUR TECHNOLOGY POLICY?

We want our campers to unplug during the summer, so we do not permit campers to bring mobile devices or other technology to camp. This includes, but is not limited to, cell phones, iPads, laptops, tablets, Kindles, and gaming devices.

WHAT IF MY CHILD GETS HOMESICK?

It's perfectly normal for a camper to miss home, especially our new and younger campers. Our staff is trained on how to manage homesickness and we deal with each camper on an individual basis. Some remedies we consider are more participation in activities and creating stronger quality connections with other campers. We embrace them as long as it takes, and often partner with parents, until they feel comfortable and connected. We will do everything that we can to make sure your child has the best possible experience at Camp Barney.

HOW ARE ACTIVITIES ASSIGNED?

Activities are assigned by age group and are organized in a sequential program so that every year a camper returns to Camp Barney, they can look forward to participating in new programs, activities, trips, and more. There are some activities that all campers enjoy like leading a Shabbat service, swimming, campouts, horseback riding, archery, lake activities, music, dance, theater, crafts, and field and court sports. Specific age groups enjoy our high ropes course, technical climbing wall, vertical challenge course, videography, mountain biking, zip line, pottery, karate, fencing, scuba diving, and tree climbing. Additionally, there are different trips for each age group that range from kayaking on the Chestatee River and tubing on the Chattahoochee River to whitewater rafting down the Ocoee or Nantahala Rivers.



The American Camp Association's (ACA) rigorous standards of excellence guide successful camps across the country. Their stamp of accreditation is your assurance of an incredible camping experience and CBM is proud to achieve every applicable ACA standard. The ACA sets national standards (reviews programs, facilities, and hiring and safety policies) and they also routinely visit Camp Barney.

4-WEEK OPTIONS

1st and 2nd Sessions

2-WEEK OPTIONS

1st and 2nd Sessions*

YOUTH & TEEN

For Campers Completing 2nd–9th Grades

During our four-week sessions, campers are offered an incredible variety of experiences that evolve with each year they return to Camp. New trips, guest artists, musicians, athletes, chefs, and unit programs keep summer exciting, while enabling every camper the opportunity to experience all of the camp activities they love. Campers spend three Shabbats at Camp and lead an interactive and musical Shabbat service. Our unique, culturally Jewish program is experiential, age-appropriate, and filled with fun.

JIT PROGRAM

For Campers Completing 10th Grade

Campers in our JIT (Junior-in-Training) unit experience the ultimate in outdoor adventure. From the moment they arrive at Camp, their program looks and feels different from anything they have previously experienced at Camp Barney. JIT campers live in canvas platform tents in their own village and participate in an incredible number of high-adventure activities, supervised by experienced and talented staff. JITs take a six-day outdoor excursion through the scenic Blue Ridge Mountains, sleep in a cave, hike, climb, and go whitewater rafting, among many other amazing activities. While at Camp, JITs participate in a solo camping experience and also enjoy all of the best Camp Barney activities!

SIT (STAFF-IN-TRAINING)

For Campers Completing 11th Grade

Campers in our SIT unit participate in a Leadership Development program that provides them with additional responsibilities and privileges. Participants select several areas of camp to specialize in throughout their session, such as assisting cabin groups or specialty areas including swimming, tennis, mountain biking, horseback riding, nature, theater, arts and crafts, cooking, and media, as well as special projects and a kayak or ski trip. All of the fun of Camp Barney is packed into this incredible leadership experience.

KOCHAVIM

(HEBREW FOR “STARS”)

For Campers Completing 2nd–4th Grades

The Kochavim unit is designed to give campers a taste of Camp Barney, packing all of the excitement and adventure of Camp into two fun weeks. Campers participate in dozens of age-appropriate activities and unique programs, including spending a meaningful Shabbat at Camp. We hand select staff to work with this group to ensure these campers become comfortable in our Camp Barney environment and have the time of their lives!

YOUTH

For Campers Completing 5th–7th Grades

*1st Session Only

This unit is designed for older campers who have never been to overnight camp or who want to experience it for two weeks. Campers participate in all of the adventures at Camp Barney, including water skiing, the “Hurricane” water slide, horseback riding, zip lines, ropes courses, field and court sports, music, theater, film studio, dance, crafts, cooking, media, a tree climbing or kayaking trip, and much more.



“CAMP BARNEY IS SO MEANINGFUL BECAUSE IT TEACHES LESSONS THAT CAN’T BE TAUGHT ANYWHERE ELSE IN THE WORLD—COMMUNITY, FRIENDSHIP, LOVE, AND HAPPINESS. I CAN HONESTLY SAY THAT I FEEL HAPPIEST WHEN I AM AT CAMP, AND THAT IT HAS SHOWN ME HOW TO BE A BETTER PERSON IN EVERY WAY POSSIBLE.”

— Jayme D., long-time Camp Barney camper and staff member

SPECIALTY PROGRAMS

1st Session

CHALUTZIM PROGRAM

(HEBREW FOR "PIONEERS")

For Campers Ages 12-22 with Special Needs

1-Week, 2-Week, or 4-Week Options

Our Chalutzim program has been nationally recognized since it was established in 1992. This program is highly individualized and an extraordinary experience for each camper. Campers with special needs are supervised by experienced, specially trained staff who understand the camp setting and also infuse large doses of conscientious mentoring, warmth, humor, and hugs. This program offers all the exciting Camp Barney activities and opportunities while facilitating individual and group skill development. Campers in our Chalutzim program come to us with a wide range of abilities and we work closely with each camper on meeting individual goals for their time at Camp. For more information and to meet with us, please contact [Emily Shapiro](mailto:Emily.Shapiro@campbarney.org) at 678.812.3751.

CBM EXPERIENCE

For Campers completing 1st-4th Grades

6-Day Program (6 Days/5 Nights at CBM)

CBM Experience gives younger campers the perfect introduction to Camp Barney. Campers arrive at Camp Barney on Sunday for an amazing six-day, five-night adventure. Campers are immersed in the CBM community, participating in tons of cool activities, sleeping in bunks, enjoying a cookout in the woods, and even getting canteen and mail! Registration for CBM Experience runs concurrently with registration for all other Camp Barney programs.



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EXPERIENCE CAMP BARNEY MEDINTZ

Come meet us, learn more about Camp, and get an exciting inside look at Our Summer Place!

Please visit campbarney.org for dates and times.

SPRING AND FALL OPEN HOUSES

Prospective and enrolled families are invited to take a deluxe tour of Camp, meet the directors and staff, enjoy camp activities like swimming and the Hurricane water slide, and taste our famous Milk Line cookies!

INFO SESSIONS

Each fall and winter, CBM presents information about the upcoming summer at info sessions. Families meet the directors and staff, enjoy a fun musical media presentation, and have all their questions answered.

SUMMER TOURS

Prospective families are invited to tour CBM while we're in session to see Camp in action!

FAMILY CAMP

Imagine four weeks of Camp Barney squeezed into three incredibly fun days! A popular annual event during Labor Day Weekend, prospective and current families (and even grandparents!) enjoy exciting activities, delicious southern buffets, and great family fun in the North Georgia Blue Ridge Mountains.



RENTING CBM FOR SPECIAL OCCASIONS

Did you know that you can celebrate your special occasions at Camp Barney? Whether you are celebrating Shabbat, a Jewish lifecycle event, or another meaningful occasion, the Doris Zaban Chapel is the ideal setting. You and your guests have several accommodation options including a choice of cabins, the Billi and Bernie Marcus Health Center, the Lake House, and Lodge. When it is time to eat, our kosher food service allows you to choose anything from an upscale menu to comfort food. When it is time to have some fun, the lakes, beach, and pools await.

"I REMAIN TRULY IN AWE OF ALL THAT YOU DO TO CONSTANTLY IMPROVE EVERY YEAR, KNOWING EVERY FACE, BUILDING AN AMAZING JEWISH COMMUNITY, FOSTERING A POSITIVE JEWISH IDENTITY, AND INSTILLING A CONFIDENCE IN US, THE PARENTS, THAT OUR KIDS ARE TAKEN CARE OF SO WELL."

— Erin and Lance C., Camp Barney parents

Camp Barney Medintz is the overnight camp of the Marcus Jewish Community Center of Atlanta. For more than 50 years, CBM has impacted the lives of thousands of campers.

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AT CAMP BARNEY,
◇ WE ARE TAUGHT TO ◇

EMBRACE

THE SIMPLICITY OF LIFE,
**THE WONDERS OF
NATURE,**

— THE IMPORTANCE OF —
self-reliance,

AND THE VALUE OF
TEAMWORK.

◇ WE'RE ABOUT ◇
participating
**IN EVERY IMAGINABLE
ADVENTURE**

— AND FEELING —
ACCOMPLISHED

BECAUSE OF THE EFFORT
AND THE EXPERIENCE.

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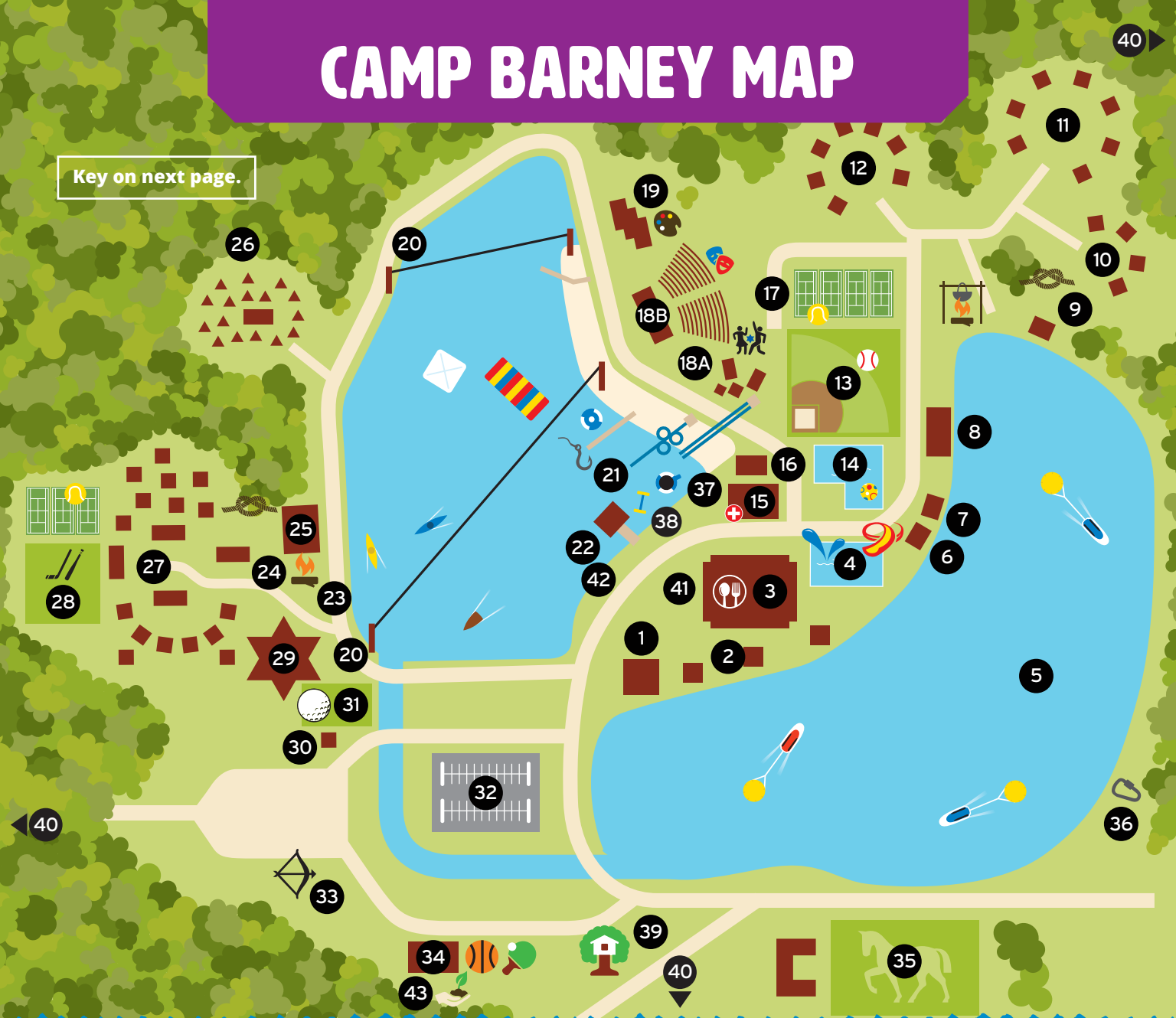


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1. Camp Office
2. Director's House & Adult Housing
3. Alterman Lodge (Dining Hall)
4. Lynne M. and Howard I. Halpern Aquatic Center
5. Lake Louis
 - Water Skiing
 - Knee Boarding
 - Tubing
 - ZUP Boarding
6. The Lounge
7. Cabin 20
8. The Lodge
9. Nature Crafts
 - Ropes Course
 - Outdoor Cooking
10. Village 1
11. Village 2
12. Village 3
13. Junior Ball Field
14. Jacobs Swimming Pool
15. Billi and Bernie Marcus Health Center
16. Old City Kitchen Cooking School
 - Canteen
 - Mail Center
17. Eichel Tennis Center
18. The Marcus Cultural & Performing Arts Center
 - A. Asher & Grace Benator Center
 - Radio Station
 - Dance Center, Yoga
 - Sababa Israeli Cultural Center
 - Fishing
 - Shubin Water Ski Docks
 - Movie Studios
 - Music Center
 - Mercaz Horesh
 - Dorothy's Deck
- B. The Chippie Amphitheatre
19. Shirley Halpern Arts & Crafts Center
20. The Omega Double Zip Line
 - Alpha Zip Line
21. Lake Wendy & Beach
 - Boating
 - Blob
 - Fishing
 - Log Roll
 - Saturn
 - Iceberg
- The Hurricane Waterslide
- Rave Water Trampolines
- Canoeing & Kayaking
- Paddle Boarding
- Pedal Boards
22. The Glass Pavilion Sukkah
23. Campfire Site
24. Ropes Courses
 - Climbing Walls
 - Vertical Challenge Courses
25. Babbit Center
26. JIT Village
27. Arogeti/Wynne Teen Village
28. Arogeti/Wynne Sports Complex
 - Michael's Field
 - Tennis
 - Basketball
29. Doris Zaban Chapel
30. Sam's Deck
31. Golf Course/Driving Range
32. Parking Lot
33. Archery
34. Bernard Halpern Activity Center
 - Basketball
 - Martial Arts
 - Amphitheater
- Table Tennis
- Fencing
- Mountain Biking
35. Brill Equestrian Center
36. Tree Climbing Center
37. The Finn Water Luge
38. Emily's Zoola
39. Fogey's Tree House
40. Campsites
41. Jen's Zen Den
42. The Gail and Lyons Den
43. Organic Garden

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MICHELLE LEVY

Assistant Director

EMILY SHAPIRO

Chalutzim Director

RACHEL SALBA

Director of Business
Operations

MICHAEL SABIN

Business Operations
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LISA LIGHT

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MICHAEL DRUCKER, INTERIM DIRECTOR

Michael began working as our Operations Director in 2015, but has been an active member of the Marcus Jewish Community Center of Atlanta since his children attended preschool at the MJCCA's Sunshine School. He has served on the MJCCA's Executive and Advisory Boards and has chaired the Membership Committee and Erwin Zaban Leadership Development Committee. At Camp Barney, he is responsible for transportation, facilities, systems, technology, purchasing, and the sports program, while also playing a role in the Staff In Training program. Prior to joining Camp Barney, Michael worked as in-house counsel for IMG, a global sports marketing company. Michael holds a bachelor of arts in English from the University of Michigan and a Juris Doctor from Suffolk University Law School. He was the Head Student Manager for the University of Michigan Men's Basketball National Championship team in 1989. Michael is married to Laura, and they have three children, Sam and Max, who are on the summer staff at Camp Barney, and Evie, who is a camper at Camp Barney.

DAVE WEINBERG, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

Dave spent over a decade traveling from Sarasota, Florida to work at Camp Barney before joining our year-round team in 2015. Dave's experience at Camp Barney includes several summers as a member of our Naturecrafts Staff, two summers as the Naturecrafts Director, three summers as a Program Director, and one summer as Director of our Staff In Training program. He holds a bachelor's degree in Computer Science and History from New College of Florida in Sarasota. In his role as assistant director, Dave combines his passion for working with kids in the great outdoors with his background in computer science and logistics. At Camp Barney, Dave is responsible for outdoor and wilderness programming, supervision of outdoor specialty areas, trips standards & compliance, scheduling systems, vendor management, ACA accreditation, and technology.

MICHELLE (KREBS) LEVY, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR

Michelle grew up at Camp Barney Medintz. Starting in 1989, she was a camper, a double-session JIT, an SIT, a rover, a counselor, a Unit Head, and a Program Director. She has a BS from the University of Georgia and an MBA from

Georgia State University. Her professional career is rooted in the nonprofit world, including three years at North Carolina Hillel, and five years at Camp Twin Lakes. Michelle lives in Brookhaven with her husband Rich, their two sons Dylan and Justin, and two dogs Max and Charlie. Michelle is a firm believer in the power of camp and the positive impact that it has on the lives of everyone who passes through the gate.

EMILY SHAPIRO, CHALUTZIM DIRECTOR

Emily first attended Camp Barney in 2008. Since then, she's gone from camper to staff member, spending four summers as a counselor in our Chalutzim unit and working for several years as our Cabin 20 Job Coach. She earned both her bachelor's degree and master's degree in Clinical Social Work with an emphasis in Disability Studies from the University of Georgia. Emily joined the Camp Barney team after working as the Assistant Director of the MJCCA's Blonder Family Department for Special Needs. Her previous experience includes group and individual therapy for children with developmental disabilities and social and recreational programming for teens and young adults with a wide range of disabilities. At Camp Barney, Emily oversees our Chalutzim program, structures our Cabin 20 vocational program, and works closely with campers who need additional support or accommodations to enhance their experience at camp.

RACHEL SALBA, ADMINISTRATIVE DIRECTOR

Rachel has been an integral part of the MJCCA since 2011. She joined the Camp Barney team as Administrative Director in 2019 and oversees registration and several other administrative functions. Rachel also supervises the MJCCA registration team and is Director of Business Operations for MJCCA Preschools. Rachel holds a bachelor's degree in Economics with a minor in Computer Information Systems from Georgia State University. Originally from Cleveland, Ohio, Rachel moved to Atlanta in 2006. She and her husband, Ben, have two young children, Eli and Gabe, who can't wait to become Camp Barney campers.

MICHAEL SABIN, BUSINESS OPERATIONS ASSISTANT

Michael joined the Camp Barney and MJCCA Preschools teams in the summer of 2021 to assist with business operations, registrations, and administrative tasks. He is passionate

about building and strengthening our Jewish community through promoting Jewish values and expanding opportunities for engagement. Michael's hobbies include cooking, reading, early-morning trial runs, being outdoors, and of course spending time with family. He has a BS in Engineering from Baylor University and an MBA from Pepperdine University. Michael grew up in Austin, TX, and spent five years in Los Angeles, CA before moving with his wife, Ruth, to Atlanta in 2018. They have a baby girl, Tayvah, who recently started attending The Weinstein School at the MJCCA and will one day be a Camp Barney camper!

LISA LIGHT, ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Lisa has worked in our Atlanta office since 2001, handling all our paperwork, forms, and phone calls from parents, staff, and others. A former member of the MJCCA's Executive Board and a graduate of the Erwin Zaban Leadership Development Committee, Lisa became involved with Camp Barney by being a member of the CBM Committee. Lisa attended Camp Barney as a camper for four summers from 1969-1972. Lisa graduated from the University of Georgia with a Bachelor of Social Work. She was born and raised in Atlanta and is married to Mark. They have two daughters, Lauren, a Camp Barney camper for eight summers and a staff member for three summers who is now practicing law in Atlanta, and Megan, a Camp Barney camper for eight summers who is now working at the Center for Disease Control and Prevention in Atlanta.

FRAN HARRELL, ALUMNI AND TRAVEL COORDINATOR

Fran attended Jewish day camp as a child in Savannah, GA and spent one summer at Camp Barney. She began working at Camp Barney Medintz in 2008 as the Alumni Coordinator, organizing alumni events, maintaining contact information of former Camp Barney campers and staff members, and keeping alumni up to date on CBM news and events. In 2010, she stepped into the role of Travel Coordinator, helping to make sure all our campers and their luggage make it safely to and from camp every summer. Fran attended the University of Maryland for her undergraduate studies and holds a Master of Science degree in Computer Information Systems from Georgia State University. Fran is married to Edward, and they have one child, Eddie.



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DATES & RATES

4-WEEK SESSIONS

Grades 2-11

First Session:

June 5-30

Second Session:

July 4-29

2-WEEK SESSIONS

Grades 2-7

A: June 5-16

B: June 19-30

Grades 2-4

C: July 4-15

D: July 18-29

1-WEEK SESSIONS

Grades 1-4

CBMX-A: June 5-10

CBMX-B: June 12-17

CBMX-C: June 19-24

CHALUTZIM

For campers with special needs.

Ages 12-22

4-Week Session: June 5-30

2-Week Session: June 5-16

Ages 10-22

1-Week Session: June 19-24

2022 SUMMER SESSION RATES

Session	Completed Grade	MJCCA Member Rate*	Out-of-Town JCC Member Rate**	Out of Town Non-Member Rate***
4 weeks - Youth	Grades 2-7	\$5,380	\$5,580	\$5,780
4 weeks - Teen	Grades 8-9	\$5,780	\$5,980	\$6,180
4 weeks - J.I.T.	Grade 10	\$6,080	\$6,180	\$6,380
4 weeks - S.I.T.	Grade 11	\$5,080	\$5,180	\$5,280
4 weeks - Chalutzim	Ages 12-22	\$5,780	\$5,980	\$6,180
2 weeks - Youth	Grades 2-7	\$3,280	\$3,380	\$3,480
2 weeks - Chalutzim	Ages 12-22	\$3,380	\$3,480	\$3,580
1 week - CBM Experience	Grades 1-4	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
1 week - Chalutzim Experience	Ages 10-22	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000

PLEASE NOTE: The fees above do not include the canteen fee (\$180 for 4 weeks and \$80 for 2 weeks) which covers daily canteen snack, camper t-shirt, camper laundry, and other incidentals.

SUMMER 2022 REGISTRATION

REGISTER AT CAMPBARNEY.ORG

Returning Camper Registration: Sunday, October 10 at 10:00 am through Thursday, October 14 at 10:00 pm

Open Registration: starts Sunday, October 17 at 10:00 am

Financial Assistance & Grants

Camp Barney offers grant and financial assistance opportunities. Visit onehappycamper.org to see if you qualify. For information about scholarships, you are welcome to pursue a confidential conversation with [Barbara Vahaba](mailto:Barbara.Vahaba), Financial Assistance Coordinator, at 678.812.4142.

*Atlanta area residents must be MJCCA members. **Applicable for families who do not live within 40 miles of a JCC.



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