

Camp ASCCA is a nationally recognized leader in providing outdoor recreation for people with disabilities and health impairments. PO Box 21 5278 Camp ASCCA Dr. Jacksons Gap, AL 36861 info@campascca.org www.campascca.org

Summer





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Session 6



SWEET SUMMERTIME

We are so close to kicking off Camp ASCCA's 46th summer, and all of our staff could not be more excited. Our summer program staff arrived at the end of May and began training for user groups that will start our summer season off strong. The user groups last for three weeks, and then it's time to dive into all things ASCCA. With Covid-19 still a factor, we are operating to ensure the safety and health of our campers and staff members. You can expect the same excellence as in previous years at Camp - providing a fun and safe environment.

Throughout the year, we are constantly adding and updating activities to make Camp ASCCA the best place it can be. This past year we were able to build a new boat house at the lakefront and lay down new walkways with the help of multiple donors. We also added a virtual gaming system and a multi-sensory room addition to the BCK4T. We can't wait for our campers to arrive and get to experience them.







ASCCA APP! The Camp ASCCA App is available for download on Google Play & the Apple App Store.

Rookie Meekend





Rookie Weekend was held on April 22-24 and is a camp for new campers and their families to experience ASCCA for the first time. They get the opportunity to meet staff and participate in all of ASCCA's program and activities.

















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Hall Foundation 2022

The Charles and Isabel Hall Foundation annually supports a week long camp experience for the therapeutic recreation participants from the Dothan, Montgomery, and Muscle Shoals Park and Recreation Departments. Students from the University of North Alabama also attend and volunteer for this week. The Hall Foundation is always the best way to start off our summer camp season.





Alabama Elks Association

Thank you Elks!

Camp ASCCA's Administrator John, and **Director of Marketing Communications** Dana, had the opportunity to attend Alabama's Elks Association's annual meeting in Tuscaloosa, AL. During the meeting, they presented Camp ASCCA with a \$50,000 donation for our capital projects. Camp ASCCA board member Mike Thrasher also updated the group on Camp ASCCA's activities and encouraged everyone to attend Elk's Day on July 30th. Words fall short trying to express our gratitude. The Elks have supported Camp for countless years. We would not be able to do what we do if it was not for the Elks.





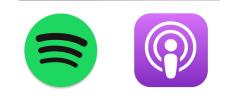
Staff News



Welcome back Justin Hammers! Our full-time staff has been changing lately, and we have added another familiar face. Justin is our new full-time Aquatics Program Specialist. Justin has worked as a counselor and was a member of program staff. He is excited to be back at Camp and working in a new position.

Camp ASCCA: The Podcast





"Camp ASCCA: The Podcast" is our newest venture. We started this podcast with the hopes of starting new circles of conversation and growing our audience. The podcast is available for listening and downloads on Apple Podcasts and Spotify. Be sure to follow us to stay in the loop and up to date with all things happening at Camp ASCCA.

The Camp ASCCA Mission is to help eligible individuals with disabilities and/or health impairments achieve equality, dignity, and maximum independence. This is to be accomplished through a safe and quality program of camping, therapeutic recreation, virtual programming, and education in a year-round barrier-free environment.

ASCCA 2022 Concert Series

ASCCA Concent series 2022 6/29 Flying Buffaloes 7/6 Grady Spencer & the Work 7/14 Red Clay Strays 7/20 Sam Burchfield & the Scoundrels 7/27 Blue Water Highway 8/10 Langhorne Slim

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THANK YOU CIVITANS!

During our annual Fun Fish weekend, we had some visitors come out to Camp ASCCA for the day. The Civitans held a work party at Camp and helped with landscaping around our campgrounds along with various other projects. In addition to their help around the grounds, they also sponsored this year's Fun Fish t-shirts and gave a \$1,000 donation. We are grateful that the Civitians continue to support Camp ASCCA year after year.





New ASCCA Additions

The new boathouse is ready for use this summer! It was sponsored by Juneau Construction, and The Charron Family Outreach Foundation, along with Concrete Construction Services, Jacaman Construction, Summit Concrete Construction, and Sunrise Docks. The boathouse has storage on the bottom and a viewing deck above for campers and staff to enjoy.





Boathouse

Walkway to the viewing area







Our BCK4T continues to get better and better! The newest addition is a multisensory room complete with two working fireplaces, a seating area, and a virtual gaming system with dozens of games. We are so excited for this new addition to be put to use. The BCK4T can be overwhelming and this multi-sensory room will allow campers to stay with the group, but have an opportunity to relax, and join the group when they are ready. To all of our donors who have made these new additions possible, thank you! We could not do what we do without you all.

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