

## A Summer Experience You Can't Refuse!

## PLUS It's FREE!

One of the goals of Camp Send-A-Kid is to remove the financial barriers from camp. We strive to give those who may not otherwise have the opportunity a chance to experience summer camp.

Those children selected to participate will enjoy their camping experience at Camp Decorah – a large camp

owned by the Gateway Area Council.

Nestled among a pine forest along the banks of the Black River near Holmen, Wisconsin, Camp Decorah features hiking trails, swimming pool, wildlife, and rustic mini-cabins. Activities for the campers include educational sessions with the GREAT officers, arts and crafts, canoeing, field games, swimming, archery, nature activities, sports and a visit to a special place for a unique program experience!

A co-ed counselor staff develops a mentoring relationship with the campers, building teamwork skills and camaraderie. Campers are in groups of same gender campers with eight to ten per group. Separate sleeping arrangements in units by age group are planned.

Our dining facility and program center, features delicious and nutritious meals and can accommodate medically necessary dietary needs.

A health supervisor is on duty 24 hours a day to handle minor health and first aid needs. A local physician is on call at all times. A health history form, signed by a licensed health care practitioner, within the past 12 months of the date of camp is required of each youth camper.

If the camper is selected for the program, cost for the camp is FREE. Camp questions? Email <a href="mailto:campsendakid@gmail.com">campsendakid@gmail.com</a>

## **Camp Send-A-Kid's participating organizations include:**

- Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater La Crosse
- La Crosse Police Department
- YMCA
- Gateway Area Council Scouting
- Wisconsin Fish and Wildlife

- The Nature Place
- Wisconsin DNR
- La Crosse Co. Sheriff's Department
- Onalaska Police Department
- Kicking Bear

Partnering for "Camp Send-A-Kid"!