

SINCE 1921



The View From the Heart of a Wooded Mountain

What? It's over already!?

What a fantastic summer it was! From the giant slip'n'slides, to singing the "Coconut Song," to the awesome banquets, it was a season to remember. We can't believe it's already over, but that just means we've started looking forward to next year.

With everyone now back at school, camp is much quieter this time of year. It reminds us that it's the campers and counselors that truly make up "the spirit of Rockbrook." But being away doesn't mean you'll forget about RBC. We'll try to keep in touch with our newsletters, come to your town for an RBC party, and share news on our website blog. You stay in touch too! Email, cards, letters— we always love hearing from you.



Have you been to the RBC online Photo Gallery recently? It's a great way to remember the summer!

Summer Memories







RBC Book Club

Even though the days at Rockbrook are packed with exciting activities and surprises, there's always time for some reading. Whether it's your counselor sharing a chapter after lights out, sitting on the hill before lunch, or relaxing in Goodwill with your favorite novel, camp is a wonderful place to read.

We often receive recommendations of excellent books and then share them with everyone in the RBC newsletter. It's a great way learn what your camp friends are enjoying, and to discover a new book. So we want to ask you for your suggestions. What is your current favorite book, and what do you like about it?

Send your suggestions to <u>office@rockbrookcamp.com</u>. You may be surprised to see your choice in the next installment of the newsletter!

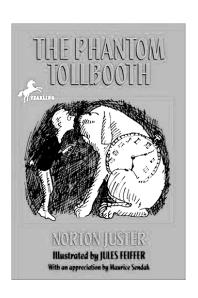


Here's a suggestion from **Leah Emory**.

The Phantom Tollbooth by Norton Juster

Leah is the program director for Rockbrook and just spent her fourth summer at camp. She is a native of Brevard. She says:

"This is one of my favorite books of all time. It's the story of a boy named Milo who finds himself bored and ends up going on an adventure in an interesting land with characters such as the Watch Dog, Humbug, and the sisters Rhyme and Reason. It is so fun and written in such a clever way. It takes words and concepts that you may hear about in school and twists them in interesting and sometimes funny ways! I reread it almost every year and love it every time. I recommend it to anyone and everyone!"



Signed up for next summer yet?
There's still time to receive a Rockbrook Messenger Bag.
Hurry! The deadline is October 1st.

The new 2007 camp dates are now on the RBC website.

www.rockbrookcamp.com

Super Duper Quiz Contest

Who doesn't love a little Rockbrook Surprise? After all, surprises are one of the best parts of camp. So here's one for you now! Answer correctly all of the questions in the quiz below and we'll send you something cool, a mysterious RBC surprise. In fact, even if you get most of the answers correct we'll still surprise you.

So test your Rockbrook knowledge and mail your answers to us:

Super Duper Quiz Contest Rockbrook Camp PO Box 792 Brevard, NC 28712

Question 1: What is the oldest building at camp?

Question 2: Which RBC lodge was the first one built (Junior, Mountain View, or Lake View)?

Question 3: We all know about Rockbrook Falls, but what is the name of the other camp waterfall?

Question 4: What song do we sing at flag-raising on Sundays? **Question 5:** How many stars do you have to get to complete the 440 Club?

Question 6: What is the name of the camp's cat?

Question 7: There is a cabin at camp called F.B.I. What does F.B.I. stand for?

Question 8: How many licks does it take to get to the tootsie roll center of a Tootsie Roll Pop? (this one's just for fun!)

Question 9: How many horses were at camp this summer?

Question 10: How old is RBC?



- Girls from 8 different countries attended Rockbrook this summer.
- Over 29 states were represented as well.
- We had three amazing banquets with the themes of "Las Vegas," "Broadway," and "Forever Young."
- A total of 665 campers enjoyed "the heart of the wooded mountain" this summer.
- The grand total of sessions held this summer was....drum roll please.....10!
- There were 18 rafting trips with 162 miles rafted.
- There were 63 counselors helping you have fun.
- About a billion bullseyes were shot in archery and riflery.
- The number of bottles of shaving cream used in shaving cream fights was at least 150, and we couldn't even count the water balloons.
- We danced our hearts out at 3 Camp Carolina dances.
- Over 100 girls made it into the swimming 440 Club and 14 made it to the 5th Ring on the Toy.
- Rockbrook Camp ate a whopping 1,079 ice cream cones from Dolly's!
- The season lasted 10 weeks and every one of them was packed with fun and surprises.
- Approximately everyone had a lot of fun and made some incredible friends.
- We'll miss you all until next summer!

