

Camp Growing Green

Summer 2021



Karissa, Camp Director

This will be Karissa's seventh summer working at Camp Growing Green and her fifth year being the director. Her favorite plant is the cactus and her favorite animal is a frog (let's see if she'll pick one up at camp!). When she is not directing camp, you can find her playing with her dog, Cali. Karissa cannot wait to be back at camp and spend another summer with everyone.



Berndette, Camp Nurse

Berndette has been a school nurse for over 34 years and has worked at various camps in the Pocono mountains. She lives in Bucks County Pennsylvania with her husband, John.



Cassidy, Counselor

Cassidy is a student at Penn State University Park majoring in special education and interested in pursuing child maltreatment and advocacy studies. She loves being outdoors, going on hikes and spending time with her dog. She loves Disney, Marvel and music, even though she is not the best singer. One Direction is her favorite music group. She is looking forward to meeting all the campers and making some memories together this summer.



Colleen, Counselor

Colleen has worked at the Pocono Environmental Education Center (PEEC) in the dining hall for the past four years and is very excited to be working now as a counselor with her favorite group of summer campers. She loves nature, animals and the outdoors, and she looks forward to sharing that passion with others.



Donna, Camp Nurse

Donna has been working as a nurse at various camps for 15 years. She enjoys reading, baking and especially climbing trees! Although the latter is more difficult these days. She is excited to make new friends at Camp Growing Green this summer!



Kayla, Counselor

Kayla is a senior attending Savannah College of Art and Design majoring in animation. She is the younger sister of Karissa, the camp director. This will be Kayla's fourth summer as a counselor at Camp Growing Green and she is excited to see new and old faces at camp this year.



Molly, Counselor

Molly is very excited to be a part of Camp Growing Green this summer and share her love of nature and animals with the campers. In addition to being passionate about nature, Molly loves writing, music, gardening and working on the farm.