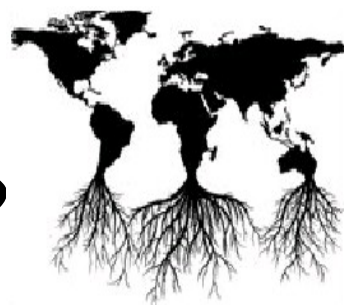


# The Bubbler



Camp Betsey Cox



The camp with a song in it's heart

## Mel's riddle

*What has a head but no brain?*

## Inside this Bubbler!

Garden Girls!

Trip Report

Theme Day–  
Pirates!

The Silent Rest  
Hour Rap

Sesh 1 2025

## Week 1 Memories

Mandelas

Fairy Doors

Witches Brew

Intro skits!

T-Rescues

2 days of hot weather

Home churned

Garden Mint chocolate  
chip ice cream

Don and MJ's snocone  
machine

Kiddie Pool and hoses

Water trough baths

5 kittens arrive

Cabin night

Lavendar pillows

Theory's mac and  
cheese

Crazy Saturday  
Announcements

*Mel's riddle answer:  
Lettuce!*

## BC 2025 Session 1

### Lines from Lorrie

Can it be that first session  
is coming to a close??  
Those three weeks went  
way too fast!!!

#### **Do you remember?**

- “If I asked you to ride,  
come ride!”?
- “Good morning”  
From Abby
- Camper announce-  
ments!
- Those fractured fairy  
tales?
- Indoor contra dance?
- Cabin night around the  
campfire.
- Activity magic!
- Service day!
- A magnificent fire-  
works show!

The weather has been  
great! Warm days, cool  
nights! Pond at a lovely  
temperature!

As July settles in, we are  
looking forward to the  
arrival of second-session  
campers even as we say  
fond a“farewells” to first-  
session friends.

One early first-session day,  
first-year Muggie leaders  
sat together preparing for  
their morally courageous  
speeches. We began with  
one-minute speeches on  
their favorite places in  
camp. What's yours? Hold  
that memory close, every-

one, and make sure to  
visit all these favorite  
places frequently, those  
who are staying!

#### **Here's the Muggie list:**

Lexa: The pond! You can  
go to the pond for fun or  
for peace!

Ava: My cabin. There I can  
find laughter and commu-  
nity! It's my summer  
home, a place of comfort!

Hannah: The treehouse!  
It's a shady, calming place!

Olivia: the Birch Grove.  
Vespers happens there!  
Benches are set in a circle  
for community!

Samantha: The tennis  
court! I like tennis! Even-  
ing programs happen there!

Iyla: The Pond: a really  
nice place to cool off and  
lots of cool wildlife live  
there.

Cibelle: the Library! I like  
music and that happens  
there!

Lucy: the Pond. It is beauti-  
ful, has interesting nature,  
it's serene, cool and it has  
fish!

Elodie: the Garden: A very  
peaceful place. Flowers,  
snap peas! Calming!

### **A BC SONG IN HONOR OF ZANA THE DOG**

Tzena, Tzena, Tzena,  
Tzena, Can't you hear the  
music playing in the  
Village square.

(2x)

Tzena, Tzena, join the  
celebration! There'll be  
people there from every  
nation!

Soon we'll all be dancing  
in the sunlight, dancing in  
the village square!

Tzena, Tzena, Tzena,  
Tzena, Tzena, Tzena,  
Tzena, Tzena, Tzena Tzena  
Tzena, Tzena, Tzena,  
Tzena, Tzena

All the world's in love with  
Tzena Tzena!



**Garden Girls***By Claire M. Winnie M, Dottie O*

I know a place were the plants are really greener.  
 Sun, water, Rain there must be something in the soil.  
 You can travel BC but nothing comes close to  
 Mother's garden.  
 When you party at garden you'll be falling in love  
 loove loooooove.  
 Garden girls we are so unforgettable. Beets, carrots,  
 potatoes, on top.  
 Sun kissed skin so hot we'll need some lemonade.

**Trip report**

All over the world we flew  
 We wrote poems for you,  
 Now we are here to report on our trip. It was cool like  
 a pirate ship  
 We saw Judah go down to see the cats,  
 In the tree we saw bats  
 Baseball bats  
 Spa day was cute  
 Carmyn took off her boots, Rosie hooped  
 We snuck around lugged trees from the ground.

**Pirates of the Caribbean Theme Day!**

Saturday the Staf treated us to a swashbuckling pirate  
 theme day! It was amazing! These were some of the  
 fun activities: Sword fighting, Jack Sparrow Run-  
 Dodgeball, Walk the plank, Hat/Boat making, Boat  
 Race, Lemonade, Go Fish, Rope Tying  
 There was also a treasure map leading to a giant  
 golden egg hidden for us to find.  
 The Staf had the best costumes and turned the Lodge  
 into an undersea extravaganza. There were jelly fish  
 hanging from the lights and swirling waves on the  
 fans. Evening Program was a pirate version of soul  
 mates. A fun day was had by all!

**This is my Silent Rest Hour Rap***By Jane B, Deers Leap*

It's silent rest hour  
 And I look around  
 I notice nail polish  
 A- upon the ground

Lola and Natalie painted  
 their nails I found  
 And they did all without  
 Making a sound

And Zoe is dancing  
 She's stomping so loud  
 So Hettie shushes her and Zoe just frowned

The counselors are "sleeping"

Ellie is reading

Rosie's listening to music but keeping it quiet  
 And Mirabella's peepin at her pages  
 Hettie's still sleeping

Amara is painting Ruby's nails  
 She is wearing a mask like she's  
 in some Ninja tabs  
 Natalie's peering over my shoulder  
 Trying to see what I'm writing.  
 As Lola is close to getting older  
 Her birthday is in 3 days  
 Almost 12 ,she's the youngest here  
 But she's so mature its not clear

Hettie woke up we were too loud.  
 So now we must write  
 without making a sound  
 Now Zoe's writing to home  
 tho she doesn't miss it  
 But we don't really know that  
 Maybe she misses her sister  
 Probably not her brother but I can't assume  
 She's the most hyper one in the room  
 Now Ellie's sleeping and  
 Rosie staring at me

The comfy bunk lookin more  
 And more messy  
 Lola put her water bottle down so loud  
 But not as loud as  
 Natalie when she knocked mine down onto the ground

The Silence bothering me  
 Till I felt the breeze of the wind on my skin  
 Through the win-dow!  
 Mirabella went to the door  
 Who knows what for  
 She stood there for a while  
 Now I am starting to smile  
 Then she walked out  
 No warning but what about Ruby  
 She's sitting there focused and drawing  
 Amara is filing her nalls  
 I tell Natalie I'm sorry  
 She's so confused  
 But it was for the rhyme  
 And that is the end of this rap

Thank you for your time.





**Some Session 1 Fun!**





## Nature Moments!

Garder Snakes at tennis,  
Luna Moths,  
Eastern Striped Skunk  
Barred Owls– “who cooks for you?”  
The Full Moon on July 9  
**...to name a few!**

### **Sesh 1 2025**

*By Willow, Willa, Nora and Astrid*

Archery, with our bow in our hand,  
we aim high to make our arrows  
land

Arts and Crafts, create, paint, sew,  
there’s never a dull moment in our  
art studio.

BIRCH, fires we build, Mountains  
we climb, people of nature, our  
hearts always shine

Boating, on the water we glide,  
paddles in our hands while the sun  
shines high

Drama, where we have fun all day,  
acting and creating and putting on  
plays

Farm, with kittens and sheep, the  
animals are cute, especially when  
they sleep

Garden, is where we water and  
weed, knee deep in flowers, we  
plant all our seeds

Music, we sing all day long, play-  
ing guitars and making new songs

Pond, where we splish and splash,  
swim lessons and free swim are  
always a blast

Pottery, making new things with  
hands and wheel, cause molding  
the clay is the real deal

Riding, with saddles and tack, the  
horses prance along as we ride on  
their back

Tennis, we score our games with  
pride in our hearts, balls fly high,  
we’re off the chart

Weavery, making new things on  
the loom, weaving the string while  
our hearts bloom

Woodshop ,last but not least our  
screws and hammers are making  
new projects with the campers

These activities bring us back eve-  
ry year, trying new things without  
any fear.



### **I Believe in ME!**

*By Peter H. Reynolds*

I believe in me.

I promise to remember who I am

I promise to think about what I where I am,  
Where I’m going and where I want to be going.

And what I need to do to get there.

I promise to be a creative thinker,

A constructive problem solver,

A curious explorer,

A real listener,

A caring person,

An active citizen. I promise to help others.

To help others discover their own strengths

And be proud of who they are.

To Believe that with time, patience,

And positive energy,

We can move the world to a better place.