

2023 Camper Debrief Notes

Question 1: How do you feel now knowing what your counselors do for a job?

- Not sure
- I don't know
- Weird
- Surprised x6
- Shocked x6
- Didn't expect staff to be "normal"
- Doesn't change much but it's really cool.
- It makes me feel safer knowing who could always be around.
- Cool x4
- Good x5
- Protected
- Safe/safer x3
- Fine
- Not believing
- Thought counselor was just a guy (not a cop – Rocket)
- Before didn't care for them (cops)
- They (counselors) should have told us when they (campers) got here because now it is hard to change their opinion.
- Loved police, now even more!
- No opinion before but now I love them (cops).
- Didn't know what to think.
- Disappointed they were not bartenders.
- Amazing
- Exciting
- Loved it
- Like it
- Would like to know they were police/military on day 1 but makes sense to keep a secret.
- Their names were surprising.
- I saw them and knew they were here but good surprise.
- I want to be a cop or military with my sister.
- Proud / proud of officers
- Comfortable
- Nervous with the mention of weapons
- Confused how you're all officers
- So happy

Question 2: What did you like about Camp Rosenbaum?

- Dodgeball x10
- Sports
- Humvee ride

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- Fishing x3
- Leather x6
- Horses x16
- Beach x5
- Campsite x6
- Meeting new people x2
- Arts & Crafts x7
- Flyby
- Ocean waves
- Seagull attacking the drone
- Making friends x3
- Maritime Museum
- Cardboard hill
- Food x5 (one said “the free food”)
- Spending time with counselors
- Ice cream
- Burgers
- Everything x6
- Being able to come to Camp again (Mercedes)
- Meeting Curb
- Cheese Touch
- Boogieman
- Talent Show
- Everything but the heat
- Amazing counselors, sad they had to leave.
- Bay Décor
- Everyone/the people x2

Things campers want:

- Longer Showers
- People to live here (Camp Rosenbaum)
- Have camp for 3 weeks not 1
- Later bed time

Other Notes:

- Camper learned that if you keep working hard and be a good person then success will come to you.
- He learned to not judge people by how they look.
- When I was homeless and living in an SUV with my dad for a year and a half, I was told that I wouldn't do well in life. Now I'm proving them wrong with my success.
- My mom will be so proud of me for all I learned.
- Some campers are rude / not happy.