



The Camp Rosenbaum Fund is a community-building nonprofit whose mission is to provide life-enhancing opportunities for youth from low-income families through mentoring, camp, and athletic programs. Our programs are designed to instill good social responsibility, hope, and a sense that anything is possible with education, hard work, and good choices.

For over 55 years, Camp Rosenbaum has offered a unique experience to children from low-income families in Oregon and SW Washington. For one week every summer, campers, ages 9-11, travel to the Oregon coast where they ride horses, race pinewood derby cars, make new friends, and meet powerful role models. Camp Rosenbaum is free to the families who send their children and focuses on good character traits and the hope and support for a bright future.

We empower children to take responsibility for their lives, emphasize the importance of staying in school and making good choices, and most of all, remind each of our campers that they have the power to shape their future. All of this happens in the midst of non-stop fun and adventure, alongside staff and counselors who create a caring and safe environment.

Perhaps the most unique thing about Camp Rosenbaum is that all of our staff are volunteers, comprised of an extraordinary partnership between the Oregon National Guard, Portland Police Bureau, and Home Forward. Additional volunteers join us from other housing authorities, law enforcement agencies, and fire bureaus, rounding out a staff of amazing inspiration for our campers.



**Please join us at Camp Rosenbaum for our
Very Important Guest (VIG) Day on
Tuesday, July 28th, 2026!**



This is a gathering reserved for notable donors, partners, and supporters, as an opportunity to see Camp Rosenbaum in action. You'll get a chance to meet other supporters and Camp staff, take a tour of the camp, and see what a difference your support makes in the lives of our campers!

VIG Day and Dinner Events: Tuesday, July 28th, 2026
Camp Rosenbaum @ Camp Rilea, 33168 Patriot Way, Warrenton, OR 97146
RSVP Here: <https://forms.gle/k1SEym4KGuhqULpk8>

Camp Rosenbaum Tour 3:00-4:00pm

Meet at the Clubhouse, Bldg. 7022, and join our staff on a tour of Camp Rosenbaum and the different activities that the campers get to enjoy.

VIG Dinner and Social 4:00-5:45pm

We'll start with a social hour and dinner at the Officer's Club. You'll have the chance to meet Camp Rosenbaum staff and board members, as well as political and business supporters.

Clubhouse and Sandcastle Contest 6:00-8:00pm

Next, we'll head to the Clubhouse to see what goes on each evening and then head to Sunset Beach for the annual sandcastle contest. Every year, all of our campers and staff gather at Sunset Beach where each of the camper bays put their creativity to work to build (or dig) their best sandcastle. This is a unique opportunity to see all of our campers gathered in one place. For many of our campers, this may be their first time seeing the ocean!

Campsite Visit 8:00-9:00pm (optional)

Each night a group of campers visit campsite, where they sit around a campfire, eat s'mores, and sing campfire songs. It's a unique bonding moment for our kids, as they squeeze together on benches and listen to the different camp stories. The night ends as campers quietly listen to a bugle play TAPS in the distance.

Wednesday morning (optional)

Just can't get enough? Spend the night at Camp Rilea or in the Seaside / Astoria area and join us again Wednesday morning at 8:00am at the Clubhouse. You'll see how we start every day: as a family before we send our campers off to a day full of activities.

Camp Rosenbaum Open House **Wednesday, July 29th, 2026**



You are invited to join us at Camp Rosenbaum on Wednesday, July 29th, 2026, for our Open House! Every year we open our doors and welcome guests to see Camp Rosenbaum in action. You'll join our campers and staff for a day of activities and see what a difference Camp Rosenbaum makes in the lives of our campers!

Camp Rosenbaum Open House
Wednesday, July 29th, 2026 – 9:30am to 1:00pm
Camp Rosenbaum @ Camp Rilea
33168 Patriot Way, Warrenton, OR 97146

Clubhouse 9:30am-10:00pm

Upon your arrival, please check in at our Camp Rosenbaum Clubhouse, building 7022. After the campers have breakfast, they'll all gather here for the way we start every day: as a family, before we send campers off to a day full of activities! If you stayed overnight from VIG Day, feel free to join us at 8:30am for the entire Clubhouse!

Camp Tour 10:00am-12:00pm

This is your opportunity to see a day in the life of a camper. You'll get a guided tour of the various activities happening around camp: arts & crafts, science lab, cardboard hill, fishing, Fire Dawg Challenge and so much more! This is the best way to see what Camp Rosenbaum offers our campers, to meet some of our amazing staff, and to watch the kids learning and having fun.

Lunch at Campsite 12:00pm-1:00pm (optional)

Join the kids at the campsite for lunch! Campsite is a highlight for many of our campers, where they eat a classic campsite lunch, ride horses, and make their way through our nature hike. When RSVPing, please indicate if you'll be joining campers for lunch when you register online so we've got a proper head count for food.

To learn more or RSVP for the Open House, please register by Friday, July 4th on our website: www.camprosenbaum.org/openhouse. If you have any questions, please email sarah@camprosenbaum.org