

Barry Conservation 4-H Camp!

2024 Schedule

Barry Conservation 4-H Camp is great for kids who love the outdoors, enjoy hands-on learning in environmental and conservation programs and can benefit from participating in a small camp. Our staff takes pride in creating a special community where kids can discover their individual strengths. Each week has a theme, but also includes a generous complement of traditional camp activities such as swimming, hiking, campfire, canoeing, skits, fishing, archery, and more. Join us and make new friends as you unplug and enjoy the outdoors!

Barry Conservation Camp is operated by the UNH Cooperative Extension 4-H Program in cooperation with the N.H. Fish and Game Department. Located in the scenic White Mountain National Forest, Barry Conservation Camp provides a small close-knit community for its 40 campers and 11 staff. Small, cozy cabins house 7 campers and a counselor. Campers are grouped by age and gender. There are new and modern central toilets, shower facilities and a beautiful dining hall complete with a great kitchen which produces legendary meals.



Learn more about Barry Conservation 4-H Camp by visiting our website. Be sure to check out the slide shows to get a glimpse of the setting and of the fun and magical atmosphere at camp. We hope that you will consider giving Barry Conservation 4-H Camp a try! <https://extension.unh.edu/new-hampshire-4-h/barry-conservation-4-h-camp>

4-H Shooting Sports	June 23 - 28	Ages 10-16	\$600	Activity Scale 2
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Join us for a week centered on the NH 4-H Shooting Sports program. Certified instructors will help youth learn marksmanship, the safe and responsible use of firearms, and the basic principles of hunting. Previous shooting sports experience is preferred, but not essential.

Mini Camp	June 30 - July 3	Ages 8-12	\$400	Activity Scale 1
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Mini-Camp is perfect for first-time campers and younger children! This abbreviated session will include 3 nights and 4 days. Campers will enjoy our caring staff who will introduce them to many fun and exciting camp activities. Learn about nature, try your hand at crafts, explore outdoor games, sing around the campfire...this week has it all.

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Fish Camp	July 7 – 12	Ages 10-16	\$600	Activity Scale 2
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Come along and catch the big one! Novice anglers will learn the basic skills and equipment needed to get started fishing while campers with more experience will work on improving their fishing skills and exploring the finer details of the angling world. Campers will also hike, swim, canoe, create campfire skits and enjoy a host of other great activities.

4-H On the Wildside	July 14 - 19	Ages 10-16	\$600	Activity Scale 2
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Experience nature and reunite with the great outdoors. Paddle a canoe, fillet a fish and cook it over an open fire, sleep under the stars, learn how to observe nature, climb a mountain, swim in a pond, create nature crafts and more. Truly experience the great outdoors. Sounds like fun!

Hunter Education	July 21 - 26	Ages 12-16	\$600	Activity Scale 2
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Join NH Fish and Game Department Hunter Education staff, volunteer instructors and camp counselors to learn and practice safe, responsible, and ethical hunting. If a camper wishes to be eligible for hunter education certification at the end of the week, then some homework must be completed prior to coming to camp. (This will be provided by the Fish & Game instructor ahead of time.)

North Country Adventure	July 28 – Aug 2	Ages 12-16	\$600	Activity Scale 3+
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Get ready for a fantastic week of exciting outdoor adventure. This week will focus on building your woodcraft skills. Campers will track wildlife, go on a canoe or backpacking adventure, learn about trapping, practice survival skills, navigate with compass and GPS, practice hunting skills, and more. There will be plenty of fishing and shooting sports too.

Junior Conservation Officer	August 4 – 7	Ages 14-17	\$400	Activity Scale 3++
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This session is for older campers who are interested in learning about outdoor careers. New Hampshire Conservation Officers will be at camp all week and will be teaching a host of fun, exciting and interesting sessions. In addition to traditional camp activities, topics will include search and rescue, crime scene investigation, firearms safety, tracking, surveillance, night vision technology, wildlife laws, arrest procedures, K-9 techniques, and much, much more.

*The **Activity Scale** estimates the level of challenging physical activity each week.

1 = Some

2 = Moderate

3 = Lots

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Registrations will open in mid-February

