

THE GAZETTE



Getting Ready for Spring!

It's hard to imagine with all of the winter weather we have had recently, but we are busy gearing up for our Spring Outdoor School season! We have an amazing spring staff hired, we have 13 schools and Spring Break Day Camp scheduled, and our year-round staff have been participating in many opportunities to further our work in this space.



In January Kathryn "KitKat" was able to attend the Washington Outdoor Schools Outcomes Development Workshop at Camp River Ranch. This two-day workshop focused on identifying and refining outcomes that Outdoor Schools in Washington are hoping to achieve with their programs for local 5th/6th grade students. 39 participants gathered from outdoor schools, public schools, and other engaged organizations such as the Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI), the Washington School Principals Education Foundation (WSPEF), and Outdoor Schools Washington (OSWA).



Riley "Fawnerfly" recently had the opportunity to attend Outdoor Schools Washington's Leadership Institute at Osprey Camp. This three-day intensive was an opportunity for a cohort of Outdoor School site leaders to come together to discuss program management, staff supervision, budget oversight and much more. This was a great opportunity for us to build connections with other Outdoor School Sites in the area!

OUR OFFICE HAS MOVED!

NEW LOCATION

Our office has moved from our King St. location, but our contact info has stayed the same.

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After 15 years at the King Street location, the Camp Fire Samish office has moved! Please update your address books accordingly. Our phone numbers and email addresses are not changing.

We look forward to continuing to serve and empower young people from this new office location. Thank you for your continued support of Camp Fire Samish & Camp Kirby!

Keep Connected!



ALUMNI MEET UP

Thursday February 27th, 2025

LARRABEE LAGER CO

4151 GUIDE MERIDIAN RD #100, BELLINGHAM, WA

5:00PM - 7:00PM

Join us for an evening at Larrabee Lager Company Thursday, February 27th from 5pm - 7pm! Larrabee Lager is family-friendly with a variety of food and has a wide selection of non-alcoholic and alcoholic drink options. Catch up, chat, and enjoy!

[Alumni Meet Up Facebook Event](#)



Discover the Kirby magic and join us Saturday, April 26th, 2025 at 4:30PM for our annual auction at Camp Kirby.

[Annual Auction Tickets & Info](#)

Spring Break Exploration Day Camp

April 7th - 10th, 2025
9AM - 4PM Daily



Join us for spring break at Camp Kirby April 7th - 10th from 9AM - 4PM. Our Exploration Day Camp offers the perfect blend of outdoor adventure, creativity, and traditional camp fun!

[Register Here](#)

Camp Fire National HQ Names New CEO

SHAWNA ROSENZWEIG

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CHIEF EXECUTIVE
OFFICER



As an inclusive national organization, Camp Fire intentionally creates safe spaces where young people can connect to the outdoors, to others, and to themselves. At this pivotal moment in our 114-year history, we are delighted to announce Shawna Rosenzweig as the new Chief Executive Officer of Camp Fire National Headquarters, effective January 1, 2025. A transformational leader with two decades of youth development experience, Shawna has been a driving force behind Camp Fire's evolution over the past decade and is uniquely equipped to lead the organization into its next era.

[Read the Full Article Here](#)

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Camp Kirby Spring Work Parties

SATURDAY, MARCH 15TH | 10AM - 4PM

SATURDAY, APRIL 19TH | 10AM - 4PM



[Opening Work Party \(3/15\)](#)

[Spring Work Party \(4/19\)](#)

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