



# FALL 2004 SURVIVOR

## Incredible!

This year was a terrific celebration of Camp BUCKO's 10<sup>th</sup> Anniversary! So many exciting things happened at camp but the most important is how you all pulled together to make sure everyone was enjoying the celebration. I have heard from so many cabin leaders that they are so proud of you. Way to go campers! I hope you enjoy this edition of **SURVIVOR** full of stories and pictures of our incredible camp week!

*Nancy*

## Ultimate Camp BUCKO SURVIVOR Challenge

This special activity day at camp was awesome! Cabin groups tried their best at different activities and cheered each other on in the first Ultimate Camp BUCKO **SURVIVOR** Challenge. Congratulations to the Frogs Pad cabin for showing great team spirit and becoming the Ultimate Camp BUCKO **SURVIVOR** Challenge Champs! Way to go!

The event was planned & organized by our VIT1s. Fantastic job!

The Frogs Pad Cabin, Richard, Calvin, Derek, Tyler, Skye, Alex, Jason, Dustin, Martin, Janet & Rob with Tyler and Kyle



## BUCKO Spirit Contest Winner

Camp BUCKO is special because you can try new things and make new friends. Everybody encourages each other to have fun. That is what the BUCKO spirit means to me.

*Bill*

Here is Bill with his prize, a fishing rod and tackle set, and Nancy at camp



**Congratulations Bill!**

## "What I love about Camp BUCKO"

To enter this draw, make a list of 5 things you love about camp. Your entry must be in by November 1<sup>st</sup>. You can mail it to:

**SURVIVOR**

c/o 107 Greybeaver Trail,  
Scarborough, ON M1C 4V4

Or email it to: [nancycampbucko@rogers.com](mailto:nancycampbucko@rogers.com)

You could win one of these fantastic prizes:

Fishing rod, bird house workshop, bead & hemp set:

### Nancy's List

1. making new friends
2. Canoeing
3. being challenged to the climbing wall
4. the dance
5. ALL THE HUGS I GET!



**Happy 10<sup>th</sup>  
Anniversary  
Camp BUCKO**



## Camp BUCKO Challenge Cup Winners

Wow! Camp enthusiasm over the Challenge Cup this year was outstanding! The challenges were awesome and cabin groups were very creative! Congratulations to the Owls Perch for winning the **2004 Camp BUCKO Challenge Cup**. The Owls showed good sportsmanship as they worked hard on their challenges. Don't forget campers, it's all about having fun and getting involved!

Special thanks to Keith, our Keeper of the Cup and referee, As the 2004 winners, the Owls will get to sign their names on the cup,

Here's the Owls Perch cabin: Corbin, Joe, Matt, Josh, Jerry, Colin, Evan, Jordan, Nathan, Pat, Ken & Dave, receiving the cup at closing camp fire from Keith



**Congratulations Owls!**



I had so much fun this year! I loved my cabin group. I wish camp was for 2 weeks! I hope to see you all next year.

*Nicole*



Being at Camp BUCKO is like the best thing that happened. I loved being in my cabin group, the cabin leaders were the best! I can't wait until next year. I loved the challenges and I love you all.

*Mary*



I had a really great time at camp this year! I met new friends and learned a lot of new things. I wish to stay longer at camp. It should be 3 weeks long! Well, maybe not that long but it would be better if it was.

*Maggie Z*

## Camper's Corner

I had a lot of fun at camp and the cabin leaders were very nice.

*Richard*



I loved camp a lot this year and I hope they make it 2 weeks next year! I liked my cabin leaders and cabin mates. I hope I'm in the same cabin next year.

*Harry*



At Camp BUCKO I have learned to never give up. I made lots of new friends that will last forever, just like the ones I made last year. **SURVIVOR** was the best and I had a great time. I am looking forward to next year and my reunion with my BUCKO family.

*Derek*



## We Will miss you Wendy Bird!



Wendy reading her card from campers.

We are sad to say that Wendy Johnson is moving from Ontario to Alberta and although she will still help with camp planning she will be missed. In honour of Wendy's dedication to Camp BUCKO and her hard work towards the program the **VIT** scholarship is now officially titled the **Wendy-Bird Johnson Volunteer In Training Scholarship**.

This scholarship is money available to our **VIT1**s for leadership training outside of camp.

We wish you all the best, Wendy!



Gwen, Wendy M, Wendy-Bird, Nancy, Chris and Beezer

## Volunteer-In-Training

Being in the **VIT** program is not only a privilege but an amazing experience. It is my personal chance to give back to Camp BUCKO what I got over the years from the camp experience. I don't feel like I could give as much as I have received because it has changed my life in so many ways. I see so many friends, and make new ones, every year. My 2 best friends from camp are my role models; people who I want to be just like and soak up as much information and advice as I can from them. They are all amazing people, every single person at Camp BUCKO: campers, staff, volunteers. Everyone is unique and very dear to me.

### *Shannel*

Here's Shannel, with fellow **VIT1**, Tyler



2004 **VIT**s receiving a completion certificate from Erin & Melissa at closing campfire.



The Owls Perch cabin had a special thank you for Nathan, their **VIT2** cabin mate.

## VITs

Here are the first graduates from our **VIT** program Kimie and Kim receiving a special pin from Melissa. Way to go girls!



## Camp BUCKO Roadshow

Camp BUCKO will be holding some information sessions at fire halls across Ontario. This will give you and your families an opportunity to come out and meet some BUCKO volunteers, ask questions, and see some awesome camp pictures. We are also inviting some burn survivors who have not yet come to camp. If you can make it, we would love to see you. Please watch for a schedule notice in the mail or call our toll free number for more information. 1-877- CPBUCKO (272-8256)