



Camp Suisse

SOUVENIR BOOK

SUMMER 2017





A LETTER FROM THE DIRECTORS

Another great summer at Camp Suisse 2017.

To all our parents and wonderful campers,

A lot has changed in the world between closing our doors in 2016 and re-opening in summer 2017.

One thing that remains the same is our unwavering determination at Camp Suisse to maintain a safe, positive, fun and energetic educational environment where children and teenagers from all over the world can come together, make new friends and share amazing adventures away from the distractions of their modern world.

This summer we welcomed campers from 37 different countries spanning 6 continents. From Australia to Albania, Canada to Cameroon and Peru to Poland, the cultural and ethnic diversity of our camp is something we as camp directors are very proud of and will continually strive to encourage and broaden.

After 15 years, the Camp Suisse programme continues to improve, evolve and lead the way as a uniquely personal, great fun, safe and pedagogic experience. This summer we introduced paddle boarding on Lake Geneva for the first time and revisited some of the old favourites such

as the Caillers Chocolate Factory and the Parc Aventure high ropes course. Creating an activity programme that is flexible and adaptable is of paramount importance to us and when there was no snow left on the glacier in late July and August for husky dog sledding we introduced the Snow Bus and Canirando activities as new and alternative adventures for our glacial experience.

In addition to our incredible campers, the Camp Suisse staff play a huge part in the overall experience each summer. This year's team have been phenomenal in looking after the health and welfare of our campers and ensuring each and every youngster is provided with the opportunity to make the most of their time at Camp Suisse. Their tireless efforts and unwavering positivity make them fantastic role models for our campers.

We sincerely hope you enjoy this summer's souvenir book. We are already looking forward to summer 2018 and to having the opportunity of welcoming many more fantastic children, teenagers and young adults to Camp Suisse.

Best wishes,

Julie Tyler & Richard Young, Camp Directors



NATIONALITIES

We've been lucky enough to make friends with people from all over the world this summer, bringing together campers from 37 different nations - this diversity is something we really pride ourselves on.



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SESSION 1

SNAPSHOT





< **LEFT:** Who wants another ride on the banana boat? The Blue Group girls do!

> **RIGHT:** From Glacier 3000 to lakeside pool: the Blue Group boys get elevated & Yellow Group girls make a splash!





< **LEFT:** International Camp Suisse Olympics Day 2017!



> **RIGHT:** Bianca loving the trails at mountain biking!





> **RIGHT:** The topsy turvy world of Bouveret Beach, Lake Geneva.

< **LEFT:** "Moooooove over!" Greens & Yellows meet the locals on their Alpine hike.





> **RIGHT:** “We made it!” Greens & Yellows hike to the Franco-Suisse border.



< **LEFT:** Group leader Bido jumping for joy at Maison Cailler.



> **RIGHT:** Session One 2017 campers and staff go crazy.



> **RIGHT:** Session One 2017.



SESSION 1 RED GROUP



< **LEFT:** Alice's Red Group.



< **LEFT:** Ray's Red Group.



SESSION 1 BLUE GROUP



< **LEFT:** Bea's Blue Group.

> **RIGHT:** Carolina's Blue Group.



< **LEFT:** Seb's Blue Group.



SESSION 1 GREEN GROUP



< **LEFT:** Karl's Green Group.

> **RIGHT:** Kristin's Green Group.



> **RIGHT:** Sophie's Green Group.



< **LEFT:** Sarah's Green Group.



SESSION 1 YELLOW GROUP



< **LEFT:** Louis' and Rosie's Yellow Group.



SESSION 2

SNAPSHOT





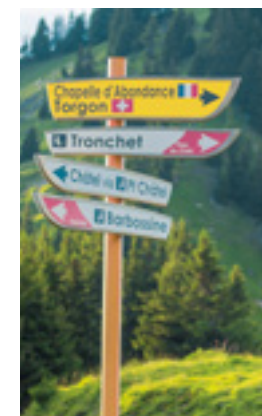
< **LEFT:** Rayaan 'hanging out' at Parc Aventure.

> **RIGHT:** Vittorio problem solving on the climbing wall.





< **LEFT:** “Mmmmmm”
Rishaad chocolate
tasting at Maison
Cailler.



> **RIGHT:** Red & Blue
Groups have Sumo
fun at Labyrinth
Adventure!





> **RIGHT:** Smiles all round!



< **LEFT:** All in at banana boating!





> **RIGHT:** The Lion King performance for the languages talent show!



< **LEFT:** Ready for Prom!



> **RIGHT:** Session Two
2017.



> **RIGHT:** Session Two
let loose.



SESSION 2 RED GROUP



< **LEFT:** Bea & Alice's Red Group.



SESSION 2 BLUE GROUP

> **RIGHT:** Seb's Blue Group.



> **RIGHT:** Karl's Blue Group.



< **LEFT:** Sophie's Blue Group.



SESSION 2 GREEN GROUP

> **RIGHT:** Louis'
Green Group.



< **LEFT:** Carolina's
Green Group.



> **RIGHT:** Kristin's
Green Group.



SESSION 2 YELLOW GROUP



< **LEFT:** Charlotte and Bido's Yellow Group.



SESSION 3

SNAPSHOT





< **LEFT:** Rocco getting some air at mountain biking!



> **RIGHT:**
"Waaahhhooooo!"
Riding the Alpine Coaster at 3000m!





> **RIGHT:** Green & Yellow Groups basking in the evening sun at the French border - with a snowy Mont Blanc in the background!

< **LEFT:** Abdullah getting ready to aim and shoot!



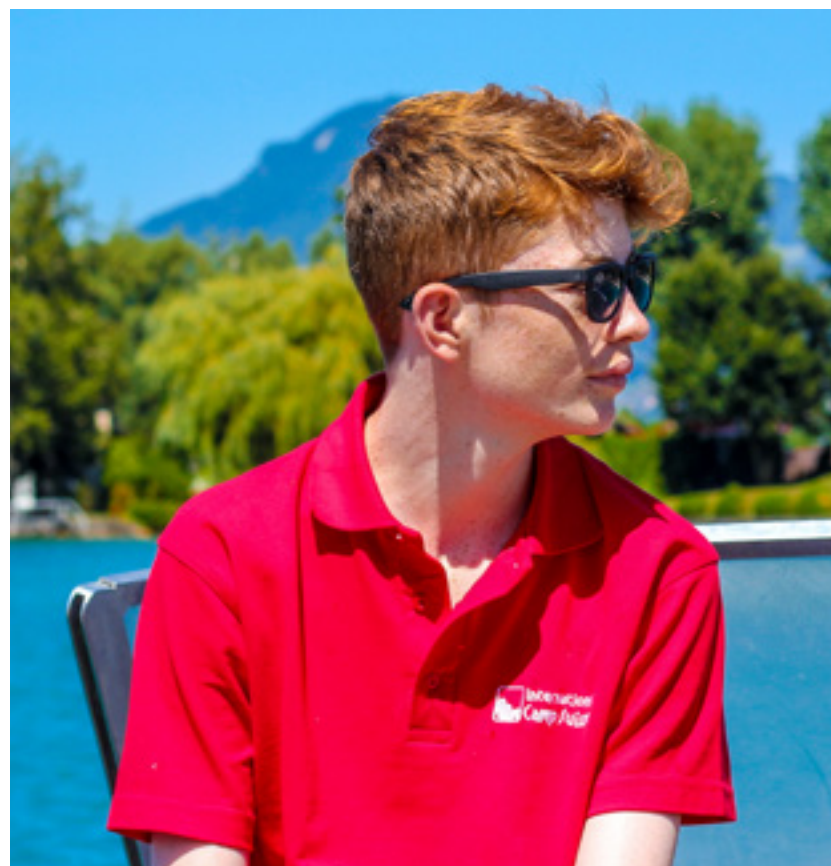


> **RIGHT:** Who loves chocolate? "WE DO!" Green & Yellow Groups at the Maison Cailler.



< **LEFT:** Cooling down after the Camp Suisse Olympics, with a water fight of course!





> **RIGHT:** Another amazing Olympics Day!

< **LEFT:** Rhys loving the sun-filled days by Lake Geneva.



> **RIGHT:** Session Three 2017.



> **RIGHT:** Jump for joy Session Three.



SESSION 3 RED GROUP



> **RIGHT:** Karl and Charlotte's Red Group.



SESSION 3 BLUE GROUP



> **RIGHT:** Carolina and Elsa's Blue Group.



SESSION 3 GREEN GROUP



> **RIGHT:** Sarah and Myriam's Green Group.



SESSION 3 YELLOW GROUP



> **RIGHT:** Sophie and Louis' Yellow Group.



SESSION 4

SNAPSHOT





< **LEFT:** Canirando
Huskies at Glacier
3000 - they're so
FLUFFY!



> **RIGHT:** Caspar
having a splashing
time at banana
boating.





< **LEFT:** Up in the Clouds! Peak Walk at Glacier 3000.

> **RIGHT:** Sticking together at Ghyll Scrambling.



> **RIGHT:** Our Session Four Campers.



> **RIGHT:** Clowning around with Session Four.



SESSION 4 RED GROUP



< **LEFT:** Sarah's Red Group.



SESSION 4 BLUE GROUP



< **LEFT:** Karl's Blue Group.



SESSION 4 GREEN GROUP



< **LEFT:** Carolina 's
Green Group.



SESSION 4 YELLOW GROUP



< **LEFT:** Elsa's Yellow Group.



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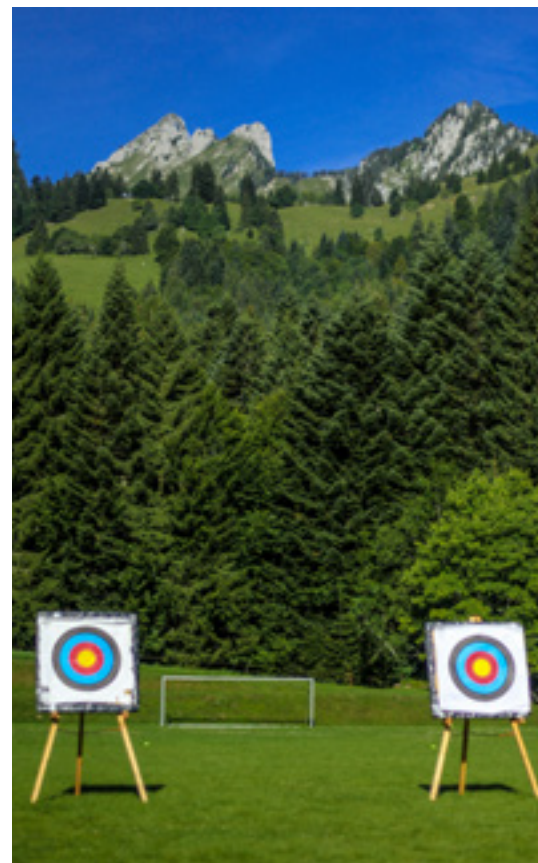




< **LEFT:** "Gooooo!"
Straight shooting
by Maria!



> **RIGHT:** The
stunning backdrop
to our archery
range.



BANANA BOATING





> **RIGHT:** Lake Geneva at its beautiful best is the backdrop for our watersports.



< **LEFT:** Haya beaming with enthusiasm for banana boating.



CAILLERS CHOCOLATE FACTORY

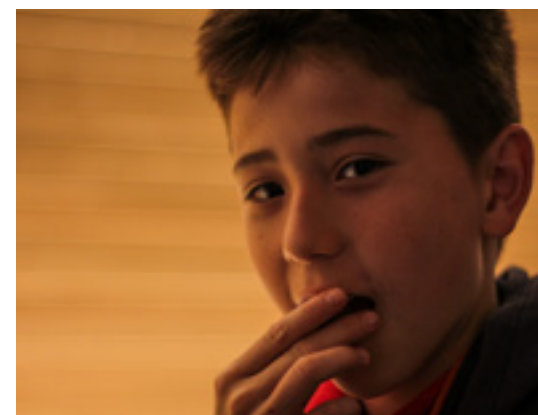




> **RIGHT:** Exploring the medieval town of Gruyères.



< **LEFT:** Lewis shows off his chocolate collection!



CAMPING





< **LEFT:** Joe loves our fresh mountain water - best way to cool down after a hike!

> **RIGHT:** Hikes to camping through a picturesque postcard setting.



CLIMBING WALL





> **RIGHT:** Going down is almost as much fun as going up!



< **LEFT:** Working out a way to the top!



GHYLL SCRAMBLING





> **RIGHT:** Over & Under - tackling the river obstacles!



< **LEFT:** Just. Too. Much. Fun.

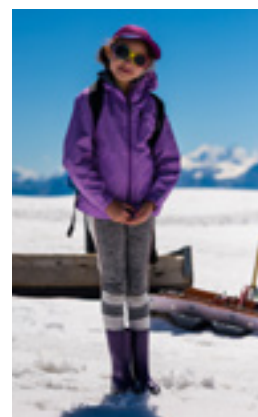


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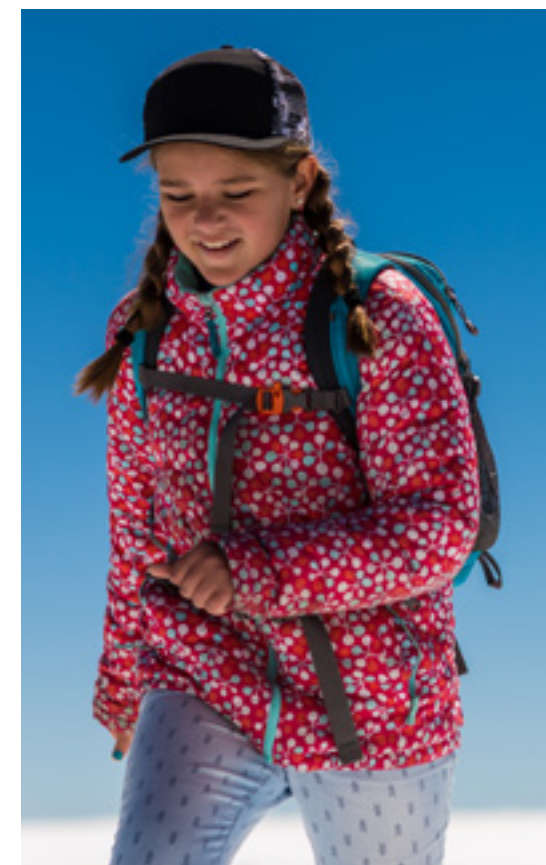




< **LEFT:** "Cheers for snow!"



> **RIGHT:** Ready, set, GOOOOOOOOO!



LABYRINTH ADVENTURE





> **RIGHT:** Blue sumo,
Charlotte, wins!



< **LEFT:** LEAP!
Bouncy castle fun!



MOUNTAIN ADVENTURE DAY





> **RIGHT:** Water filtration sensations with activity leader Siobhan!



< **LEFT:** Learning key survival skills in the mountains!



MOUNTAIN BIKING





> **RIGHT:** Riding over the Torgon suspension bridge - don't look down!



< **LEFT:** The Blue Group boys are ready to roll!



OLYMPIC DAY





> **RIGHT:** The Camp Suisse Olympic Flame.



< **LEFT:** Let the games commence!

PARC AVENTURE





< **LEFT:** Patrick hanging out in the trees!



> **RIGHT:** Thumbs up from Giole!



PROM EVENING





< **LEFT:** All hail Queen Aesha, newly crowned Queen of Camp Suisse!



> **RIGHT:** Transforming camp into a sea-themed dream!



STAFF





> **RIGHT:** The staff enjoying Camp Suisse life - they love sharing their love for learning and the mountains with our campers!

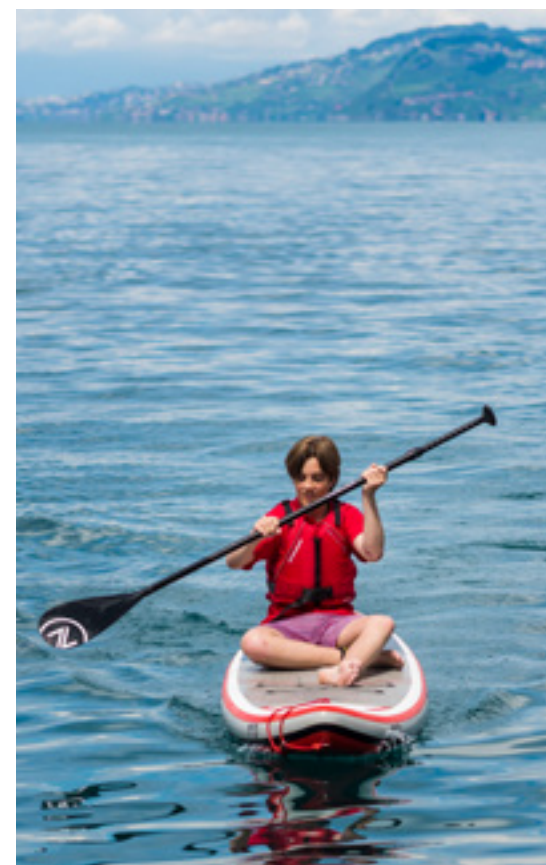


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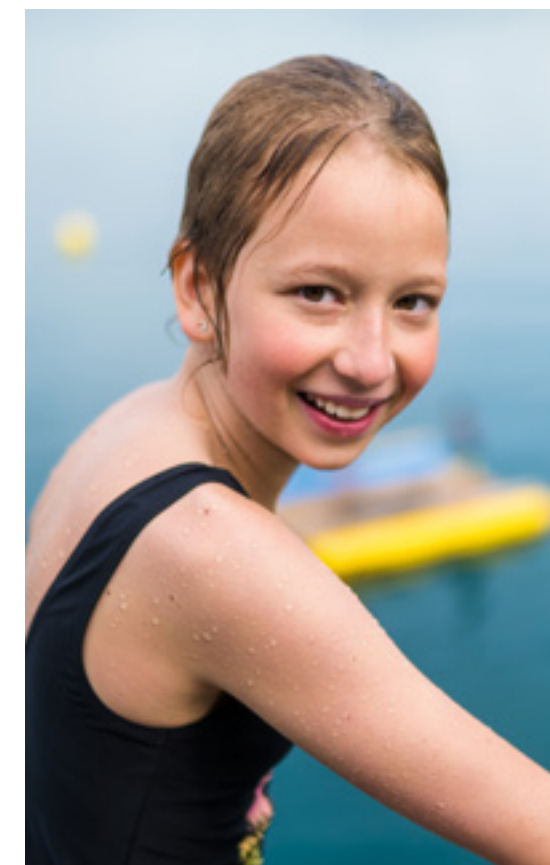




< **LEFT:** Sunshine & friends - a winning combination!



> **RIGHT:** First one to the pontoon's a winner!



TEAM BUILDING





< **LEFT:** Stack the crates to ring the bell!



> **RIGHT:** Best mode of transport? Wheelbarrow!



SEE YOU ALL NEXT YEAR!

TWO-WEEK PROGRAMMES 2018

SESSION 1
Saturday 30th June – Friday 13th July

SESSION 2
Saturday 14th July – Friday 27th July

SESSION 3
Saturday 28th July – Friday 10th August

ONE-WEEK PROGRAMME 2018

SESSION 4
Saturday 11th August – Friday 17th August

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