

2026 Moose Camp Schedule

"You will do foolish things, but do them with enthusiasm!"

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COLOR KEY

BLUE: Special Event	GREEN: Free Time	PINK: Meals
GRAY: All Star Clown Show	YELLOW: Course Work	ORANGE: Lab/Jam

Tuesday August 4th

TUESDAY

1:00 - 5:00 Registration, unload luggage, find your room	Front Desk Open	DeGross
Camp Tours: Group 1 @ 4:00 & Group 2 @ 4:15 (Mooseketeers)	Meet at Front Desk	DeGross
Video of Various Clown Shows (Continuous Loop)		DeGross Main Hall
2:00 - 4:30 Free Time - Dealers' Room (Sun Porch) & Prop Shop (Arts & Crafts) Open	Front Desk Open	DeGross
5:00 - 6:00 Orientation and Course Preview		DeGross Main Hall
6:00 - 7:00 Dinner		Dining Hall
7:00 - 7:30 Staff Makeup Demo		DeGross Main Hall
7:35 - 8:45-ish Staff Show		DeGross Main Hall
8:45 - 9:15-ish Photos with Staff		DeGross Fireside Room
9:15 - 10:30 This Year's Wind Down Video: Bill Irwin		DeGross Main Hall
9:30 - 10:30 C-Rave Braclet Make and Take Pajama Party		Arts & Crafts Prop Shop
10:00 - ? Snack Station		DeGross Fireside Room

Quiet Time begins at 10pm

All Jams are BYOE - Bring Your Own Equipment (EXCEPT Juggling Labs) - located in DeGross unless otherwise marked



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- Sidonie Gabrielle Collette

Wednesday August 5th

WEDNESDAY

7:30 - 8:00 Round Table Morning Chat - Brittany Allen	Sun Porch - A
7:45 - 8:00 Wake-Up Wiggles	Moose Play Place
8:00 - 9:00 Breakfast	Dining Hall
8:30 - 9:00 Juggling Lab - Rex and/or Christopher	Arts & Crafts Patio
9:00 - 11:00 COURSES (Once you choose, please do not switch)	
SUN PORCH A - DINING HALL	DeGROSS MAIN HALL
The Caring Clown (Starts at 8:30)	Be The Magic As A Clown
Brittany Allen	Steve Marshall
MUSIC ROOM (PROGRAM CENTER)	DeGROSS FIRESIDE ROOM
Exploring Clown Skills	Hometown Clowning & Magic
Rex Nolen	Sean Carlock
MEETING ROOM (PROGRAM CENTER)	ARTS & CRAFTS - ANNEX
Skits & Bits for Giggling Fits	Side By Side: The
Fred Baisch	Puppet-Clown Partnership
	Karen Hoyer
11:15 - 12:00 HOLY COW! What Did I Get Myself Into? 1st Timers - Julia & Rick	Activity Center - Dining Hall
11:15 - 12:00 Moose Camp Alumni Special Challenge - Brittany	Sun Porch A
12:00 - 1:00 Lunch	Dining Hall
12:30 Silent Auction Opens (items on tables around the room) Bid early, bid often!	DeGross Main Hall
Some Live Auction Items on Display	DeGross Main Hall
12:45 - 1:30 Free Time - Dealers' Room (Sun Porch) & Prop Shop (Arts & Crafts) Open	Front Desk Open DeGross
12:45 - 1:30 Get Ready For the CRave (Make a bracelet)/Make a Prop	Arts & Crafts Prop Shop
12:45 - 1:30 Juggling For Beginners - Christopher	Arts & Crafts Patio
1:45 - 2:30 EVERYBODY: Comic Movement with Karen	DeGross Main Hall
2:45 - 3:30 All Star Clown Show Casting and Infomercial	DeGross Main Hall

Wed. 4:00 - 5:00 WORKSHOPS

WEDNESDAY

Music Room - Program Center	DeGross Main Hall	Arts & Crafts - Prop Shop
Social Media For Funny Folks	Clown Magic 101	Props for Parades and Roving
Julia Swanson	Steve Marshall	Linda Hulet
Meeting Room - Program Center	DeGross Fireside Room	Make Up Lab - Dining Hall
Well, It Was Funny In Rehearsal...	Finding Your	Beginning & Intermediate
Fred Baisch	Clown Character	Face Painting
	Tricia Manuel	Annette Darragh
5:00 - 6:00 Midweek Madness and Mingle - Fun, Games, & More		Moose Play Place
6:00 - 7:00 Dinner		Dining Hall
Check at MEAL TIMES for any schedule changes and updates.		
7:00 - 7:30 All Star Clown Show PM Gag Rehearsals		Moose Green
Gag rehearsal schedules will be posted in the Prop Tent.		
7:00 - 7:30 Free Time - If you don't have a rehearsal	Front Desk Open	DeGross
7:00 - 7:30 Makeup Lab - on your own		Activity Center - Dining Hall
7:00 - 7:30 Prop Shop Open Linda or Greg		Arts & Crafts
7:45 - 8:45 Special Presentation: Guest Artist Steve Marshall		DeGross Main Hall
9:00 - 10:00 Moose Mingle NEON CRave: It's a Clown Rave - Music and Dance Party		Gym - Program Center
10:00 - ? Jam Central - Sign Up to Initiate a Jam or Drop In and join one		DeGross Main Hall

Quiet Time Begins at 10PM

Thursday August 6th

THURSDAY

7:30 - 8:00 Round Table Morning Chat - Steve Marshall	Sun Porch - A
7:45 - 8:00 Wake-Up Wiggles	Moose Play Place
8:00 - 9:00 Breakfast	Dining Hall
8:30 - 9:00 Juggling Lab - Rex and/or Christopher	Arts & Crafts Patio
9:00 - 11:00 Course Work - Once you decide please do not switch	101 & Caring Clowns start at 8:30
11:15 - 12:00 All Star Clown Show AM Gag Rehearsals	Moose Green
11:15 - 12:00 Free Time - if you don't have a rehearsal	Front Desk Open DeGross
11:15 - 12:00 Makeup Lab (for those in PM rehearsal) Annette	Activity Center - Dining Hall
11:15 - 12:00 Prop Shop Open Linda	Arts & Crafts
12:00 - 1:00 Lunch	Dining Hall
12:30 - 8:30pm Silent Auction is Open (items on tables around the room)	DeGross Main Hall
Live Auction Items on Display	DeGross Main Hall
12:45 - 1:30 Free Time - Dealers' Room (Sun Porch) & Prop Shop (Arts & Crafts) Open	Front Desk Open DeGross
12:45 - 1:30 Makeup Lab - Annette & Julia	Activity Center - Dining Hall

Thurs. 1:45 - 2:45 WORKSHOPS

Music Room - Program Center	DeGross Main Hall	Arts & Crafts Annex
Storytelling - Clown Style!	Mime: The Language of Clowns	All About the Red Nose Readers
Annette Darragh	Karen Hoyer	Jane Kinney
Meeting Room - Program Center	DeGross Fireside Room	Sun Porch A - Dining Hall
Puppets Alive!	Beginning Balloons - Part 1	Comedy Juggling
Brittany Allen	Basics: Inflate, Tie, & Twists	Rex Nolen
	Greg Seckora	

Thurs. 3:00 - 4:00 WORKSHOPS

Music Room - Program Center	DeGross Main Hall	Arts & Crafts - Prop Shop
Songs and Silliness	Going Placea and	Finding Work At Parades, Fairs,
For The Musically Challenged	Making Faces	Festivals, and More
Christopher Hudert	Steve Marshall	Linda Hulet
Meeting Room - Program Center	DeGross Fireside Room	Sun Porch A - Dining Hall
What's In My	Education Events For	VIC Special Workshop
Caring Clown Bag?	Your Clown Alley	(VIC Campers Only)
Brittany Allen	Elaine Vercellone	Tricia Manual

THURSDAY

3:00 - 4:00 Pie Fight Prep - Sean & Greg	Moose Green
4:15 - 5:00 All American Pie Fight - Clown Style!	Moose Green
5:00 - 6:00 Free Time - Dealers' Room (Sun Porch) & Prop Shop (Arts & Crafts) Open	Front Desk Open DeGross
5:00 - 6:00 Free Time - Makeup Lab - Open Lab	Activity Center - Dining Hall
6:00 - 7:00 Dinner	Dining Hall
7:00 - 7:45 All Star Clown Show PM Gag Rehearsals	Moose Green
7:00 - 7:45 Free Time - If you don't have a rehearsal	
7:00 - 7:45 Makeup Lab - on your own	Activity Center - Dining Hall
7:00 - 7:30 Prop Shop Open Linda or Greg	Arts & Crafts
8:00 - 9:15-ish Scholarship Auction Don't be Late, the Fun Starts on Time!	DeGross Main Hall
9:30 - 10:30 This Evening: Hangin' with Hoot (Q&A, Chat, Stories, & Stupid Stuff)	DeGross Main Hall
10:00 - ? Jam Central - Sign Up to Initiate a Jam or Drop In and join one	DeGross Fireside Room

Quiet Time Begins at 10PM

Friday August 7th

7:30 - 8:00 Round Table Morning Chat - Rex Nolen	Sun Porch - A
7:45 - 8:00 Wake-Up Wiggles	Moose Play Place
8:00 - 9:00 Breakfast	Dining Hall
8:30 - 9:00 Juggling Lab - Rex and/or Christopher	Arts & Crafts Patio
9:00 - 11:00 Course Work - Once you decide please do not switch	101 & Caring Clowns start at 8:30
11:15 - 12:00 All Star Clown AM Gag Rehearsals	Moose Green
11:15 - 12:00 Free time - if you don't have a rehearsal	
11:15 - 12:00 Makeup Lab - Julia	Activity Center - Dining Hall
11:15 - 12:00 Adv. Face Painting Lab (for those in PM rehearsal)	Activity Center - Dining Hall
12:00 - 1:00 Lunch	Dining Hall
12:45 - 1:45 Free Time - Dealers' Room (Sun Porch) & Prop Shop (Arts & Crafts) Open	Front Desk Open DeGross
12:45 - 1:45 Makeup Lab - Annette	Activity Center - Dining Hall
2:00 - 4:00 Field Trip (Caring Clown Course ONLY)	Off Campus

Friday 2:00 - 3:00 WORKSHOPS

Music Room - Program Center	DeGross Main Hall	Arts & Crafts -Prop Shop
Comic Movement	Using Puppets with	Flo's World of Wacky Walk Arouds
Through Skits	a Pre-recorded Script	Linda Hulet
Tricia Manuel	Sean Carlock	
Meeting Room - Program Center	DeGross Fireside Room	Sun Porch A - Dining Hall
Character CPR - Bringing Life	Beginner Balloons - Part 2	Clown Skits & More
To Your Clown Character	Creating Simple Balloons	Rex Nolen
Christopher Hudert	Greg Seckora	

Friday 3:15 - 4:15 WORKSHOPS

Music Room - Program Center	DeGross Main Hall	Arts & Crafts Annex
Birthday Party & Event Shows	Yes, YOU Can Make A Solo Show	Puppets For Young and Old
Elaine Vercellone	Sean Carlock	Karen Hoyer
Meeting Room - Program Center	DeGross Fireside Room	Sun Porch A - Dining Hall
Fun Stuff For Up Close	How To Make Your Funny A Business	Laughter Beyond Words
Fred Baisch	Rick Hoops	Steve Marshall

4:30 - 5:00 EVERYBODY: Clown Dance - Karen	The Gym - Program Center
5:00 - 5:30 All Star Clown Show Finale Rehearsal (EVERYONE!)	The Gym - Program Center
5:30 - 6:15 Free Time - Dealers' Room (Dining Hall) & Prop Shop (Arts & Crafts) Open	Front Desk Open DeGross
5:30 - 6:00 Makeup Lab - Annette	Activity Center - Dining Hall
6:00 - 7:00 Dinner	Dining Hall
7:00 - 7:30 All Star Clown Show PM Gag Rehearsals	Moose Green
7:00 - 7:30 Free Time - If you don't have a rehearsal	
7:00 - 7:30 Prop Shop Open Linda or Greg	Arts & Crafts
7:45 - 8:30 Special Presentation: ALUMNI'S GOT TALENT - Hosted by Ryan Weaver	DeGross Main Hall
8:45 - 9:45 This Evening With Ron Severini... (Q&A & Chat)	DeGross Main Hall
10:00 - ? Jam Central - Sign Up to Initiate a Jam or Drop In and join one	DeGross Main Hall

Quiet Time Begins at 10PM Get some sleep! You will need it!

FRIDAY

Saturday August 8th

SATURDAY

7:30 - 8:00 Round Table Morning Chat - Julia Swanson	Sun Porch - A
7:45 - 8:00 Wake-Up Wiggles	Moose Play Place
8:00 - 9:00 Breakfast	Dining Hall
9:00 - 11:00 Course Work - Once you decide please do not switch	101 starts at 8:30; Caring Clown at 9:00
11:00 - 11:15 Rest Recharge and Regroup!	
11:15 - 12:30 All Star Clown Show Cue-to-Cue walk-through	DeGross
During this technical run-through, we will be putting the whole show together.	
It gives us a chance to show you where to enter, exit, and strut your stuff.	
Be ready to hurry up and wait. No costumes needed.	
12:30 - 1:30 Lunch	Dining Hall
1:30 - 2:00 Dealers Room open in case you forgot something for show! (Sun Room)	Front Desk Open DeGross
2:00 - 4:00 Makeup and Costume for Show	
2:00 - 4:00 Makeup Lab open for Emergency Help - Julia, Annette, Rick	Activity Center - Dining Hall
4:15 - 5:15 Course and Group Pictures in Costume and Make-up	DeGross Main Hall
5:15 DON'T MISS THE BUS!!!!	
6:00 Meet & Greet, Facepainting, Set Props	Maple Lake High School
6:30 - 8:00 All Star Clown Show!	Maple Lake HS Gym
8:30 - ? Dinner & Afterglow Party upon your return! (You can come in clown)	Dining Hall & Sun Porch
Quiet Time Begins at 10PM	

Sunday August 9th

SUNDAY

7:30 - 8:00 Certificate Presentations	DeGross Main Hall
8:00 - 9:00 Breakfast	Dining Hall
9:00 - 10:00 Course Wrap-up	At last - 101 starts at 9:00!!!
10:15 - 11:00 Last chance in the Dealers' Room	Dining Hall - Sun Rooms B&C
11:00 All campers must be out of rooms by now. DON'T MISS THE BUS!!	
11:15 Bus LEAVES for airport! DON'T MISS THE BUS!!!!	
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See you next year! August 3rd - 8th, 2027

