

History

Reverend Walter Thorpe and his wife Lavinia founded Camp Thorpe in 1927. Their vision arose from observing that the summer camp experience was only available to healthy children from well-to-do families. This sparked the idea to create a summer camp for underprivileged children with physical disabilities. Camp Thorpe has evolved through the years, but our commitment to those who may not otherwise have access to Vermont's beauty in the summer has remained our guiding star..



Camp Thorpe

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READY TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE?

Camp Thorpe.

Be part of something
much larger than
yourself.



Proclamations

Camp Thorpe is a magical place nestled in the mountains of Vermont. We are dedicated to helping children and adults with special needs have a joyful summercamp experience.

Here are three truths about working at Camp Thorpe:

1. You will grow as a person.
2. This service is reciprocal--you will learn and gain much from our campers as they do from you.
3. Your days will be long, but they will be the best ones of your life.



Statements

Here are the answers to questions we often get when hiring.

At Camp Thorpe you will...

...work with both children and adults that have special needs. and gifts.

...have breaks each day and on off weekends we often have an optional trip to a beautiful, local area.

... limited WiFi, but you will have some access.

...live with campers in the sweet cabins pictured at the top right. There is also a staff cabin for your break times and ample gorgeous locations to perch and take a breath.

...be asked to handle issues of personal care and behaviors. You will have lots of support in order to be successful.

