



Where **RELATIONSHIPS** Grow

Colorado Youth Outdoors

Fall Newsletter 2018

Colorado Youth Outdoors is Where Relationships Grow! CYO exists to build relationships through traditional outdoor recreation.

Hello! Welcome to CYO's Fall 2018 newsletter. In this newsletter we will be talking about the significant impact we continue to have on our community in 2018. To start we would like to thank you for being a proud supporter of CYO which makes it possible for us to do what we do best, building relationships! We are excited to show you what we have been up to so lets jump right in!





Summer Camp

The last day of Summer Camp is our favorite day of the week, on this Friday campers get to show off their new skills to their parents. Campers and their parents participate in activities together while building relationships. This day is what CYO is all about. Time Well Spent is the unique gift we give to our community and when the time is spent together its even better!

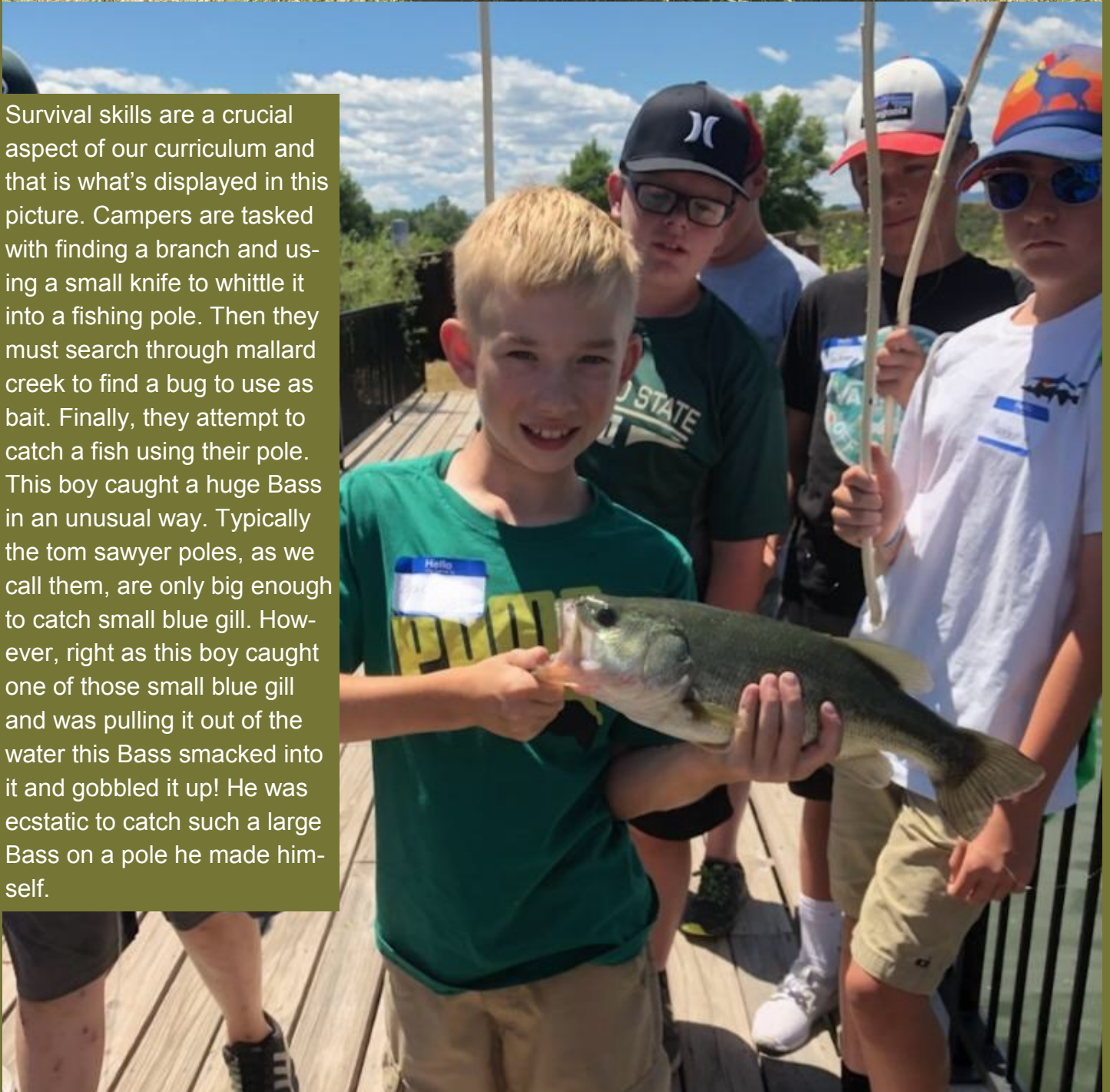


More smiles on parents day!





Survival skills are a crucial aspect of our curriculum and that is what's displayed in this picture. Campers are tasked with finding a branch and using a small knife to whittle it into a fishing pole. Then they must search through mallard creek to find a bug to use as bait. Finally, they attempt to catch a fish using their pole. This boy caught a huge Bass in an unusual way. Typically the tom sawyer poles, as we call them, are only big enough to catch small blue gill. However, right as this boy caught one of those small blue gill and was pulling it out of the water this Bass smacked into it and gobbled it up! He was ecstatic to catch such a large Bass on a pole he made himself.





Outreach and Partner Programs



CYO is proud to partner with Cooper Home, a program that helps eighteen to twenty one year olds with mild to moderate developmental disabilities transition into adult life. Our PACD model and the opportunity to learn traditional outdoor recreation skills are extremely helpful for them. Cooper home is only one of forty plus nonprofits we collaborate with each year but certainly one of the most impactful.



The Core Program

A picture can say it all. A proud father embracing his son who just caught his first fish. Colorado Youth Outdoors truly has the power to bring us together and teach us to cherish our relationships.



This Fall 's Core Program was the first to experience our brand new archery range which got a major update during our Energy Week 2018 volunteer efforts.



The Scoot

Over 450 people came out to The Scoot this year for a fun filled night of dancing and making new friends. Look forward to the last Saturday of September next year if you missed riding the bull this year!






Volunteerism



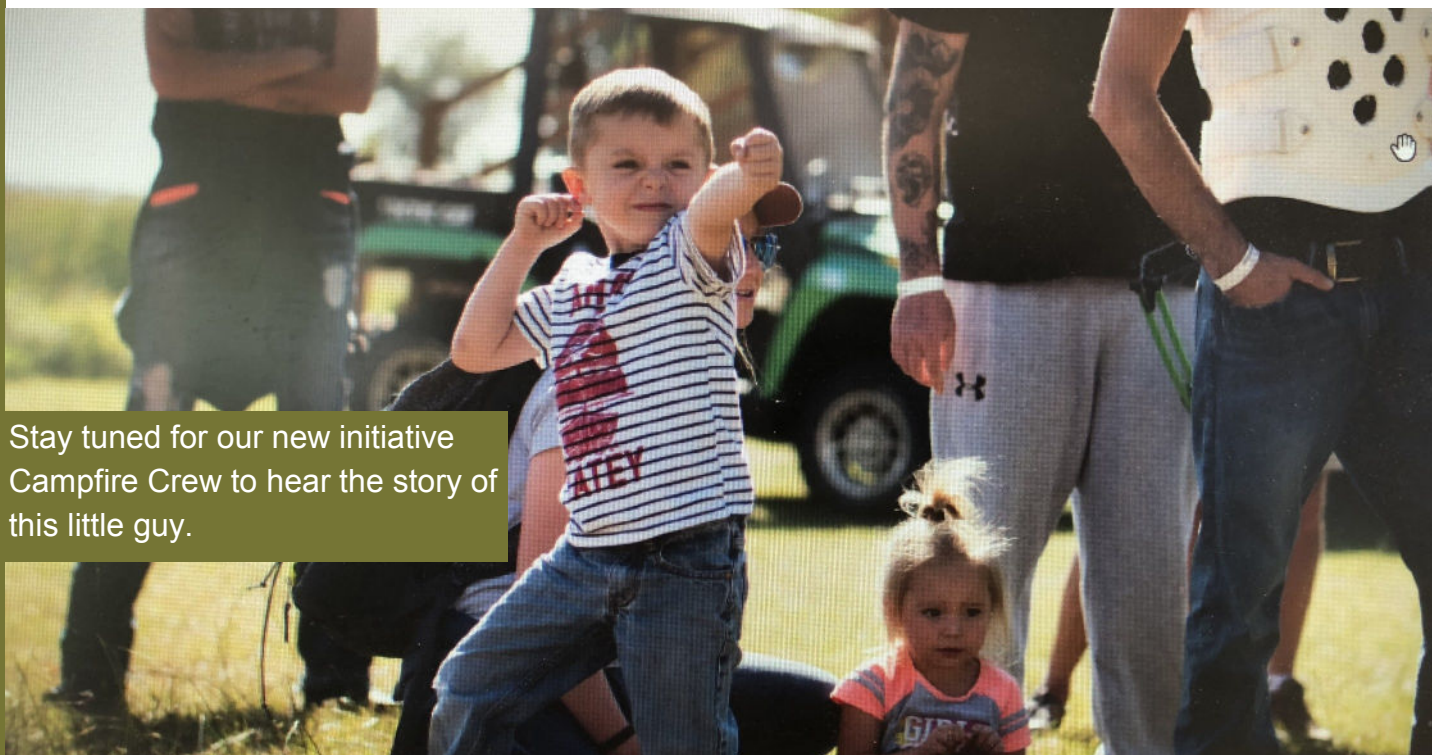
During Energy Week 2018 over 200 volunteers from Colorado's energy industry came out to CYO to help us complete large scale volunteer projects. These projects included building a fence, constructing new picnic tables, completely renovating our archery range, placing a bridge over Mallard Creek, and many more crucial activities.



A few guys from our Sportsmen's club also made an appearance at Energy Week 2018!



Thank you for being a part of the Colorado Youth Outdoors Family



Stay tuned for our new initiative
Campfire Crew to hear the story of
this little guy.

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We are so grateful for our CYO Family, Thank You. Bob Hewson, President and CEO.

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