



HELP REBUILD 4-H CAMP SHANKITUNK

Donations Welcome!



Costs are already into the thousands and thousands of dollars. The Ropes Course alone is \$10,000.



STORM OF ALL STORMS



SHANKITUNK

Monday, July 21, 2003

7:14pm



SHANKITUNK HIT HARD!

THANKS TO EVERYONE!

If we missed your name on our list, we are sorry. The response of the community in the wake of this disaster was tremendous. You need to know that no matter how small or large your contribution was to the clean-up of 4-H Camp Shankitunk, your efforts are very much appreciated and we 'thank you'. Without you, Camp would not have been able to reopen on Sunday, July 27th.

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**4-H
CAMP
SHANKITUNK**



Great Job!

The quick thinking of these individuals to get everyone into Rice Hall was a very smart decision.

The Aftermath of the Storm that hit on July 21, 2003 at 7:14 pm.



Sam Rose sits outside Cabin 14 which was completely crushed.



Cabin 12 was also destroyed when this tree toppled down.



Cabin 4 lost the roof and one wall.

Below was the home of the Ropes Course. The Stop Sign did not deter the storm.



Due to the quick thinking of the staff at 4-H Camp Shankitunk a disaster was diverted. When the storm warnings came across the Internet, the staff went into motion and had all the campers gather in Rice Hall. Minutes later the storm hit and left destruction like no other storm in camp history. 3 cabins were completely destroyed and 4 others had considerable damage. The ropes course was ruined with only one element left standing. Rice Hall was slightly damaged. The new Health Center and Science Center escaped with only minor damage.

By Tuesday morning volunteers started showing up to assist in cleanup and help campers and staff to collect belonging and return home. Thousands of man hours have been donated to cleaning and re-building the camp. The goal was to get 4-H Camp Shankitunk up and running by Sunday, July 27th for Week 5 campers. The job was done!!!

**Even though there are many changes,
the spirit of Shankitunk will remain!!**



Cabin 8 was in the wrong place when this huge tree blew over.



Cabin 7 is buried beneath the trees and needed a new roof. Below is Rice Hall which escaped with only minor damage.



The Clean-up of the Storm & The Rebuilding Begins



Volunteers from Medical Coaches start rebuilding Cabin 8.



Cabin 7 gets a new roof thanks to the volunteers.



Gary & Dennis Aikens, just a few of the hundreds of volunteers who showed up to help in any way they could



Floyd Vogt & friends start rebuilding Cabin 12.



Cabin 3 quickly on the mend thanks to Tamarack Construction.
Below, a view of the destruction from Arbor Hill.



Cabin 14 finally getting the debris removed.
Below, the 2 beautiful trees in front of Rice Hall are now gone.

