

## **Camp GABIKA**

Intervention proposal: Plan Year 7

Funding level requested: \$6,000 (same level as Plan Year 6)

Chelsea Community Education and Recreation is scheduling and planning for the 2018 camp season! Camp GABIKA will be back for its fifth year, and will be led by a new director, who we expect to breathe new life into our camp. Camp has grown by leaps and bounds over the past four years. At the same time, though, we continue to strive for more, especially as we work to grow in the mission of the Chelsea Wellness Coalition and the 5HF. With our new leadership, part of the criteria will include better evaluation of data from Camp, which will enable us to document the extent of the impact we are having on Chelsea area families.

We will continue to partner with the Chelsea United Way to help fund camp scholarships, as well as continue to seek out other avenues of potential partnership for both funding purposes, and programming purposes. We have worked very hard over the past four years to be fiscally responsible with the budget from the District, United Way, and certainly 5HF.

We hope that the Coalition continues to find great value in our Camp GABIKA programming and partnerships. With our renewed focus on health and wellness in the coming year, it promises to be a big camp year. This will be a great year to spread the wealth of knowledge from the 5HF! Thank you for your consideration of Camp GABIKA for Plan Year 7 funding.