

What was your favorite part of Camp War Eagle?

My favorite part of CWE was definitely the friendships that I made with the 35 other counselors and the staff. My other favorite part was the lifelong impression that I hopefully made on the freshman class of 2012. Whether it is a call from a camper still asking me for help, or some random freshman I've never met smiling at me on the concourse and saying " I remember you from Camp War Eagle", the feeling that all of my work actual made a difference makes me value my summer with CWE even more.

Ashley



The Tiger Talk following the Real World skit was the part I most looked forward to about Camp. This is when it is serious life conversation and you really get a chance to either impart any wisdom or share your mistakes regarding particular experiences you've had so far in college. In my mind, this is the time to have the greatest impact on their lives.

Josh



This past summer was the best summer of my life, hands down. Not just for the friendships, road trips, late nights, and games, but also the campers/freshmen I was able to meet. My favorite part of CWE has been the people I have welcomed into the Auburn family. The phone calls asking where buildings are on campus, the text messages asking about class loads, and the best of all, the thank yous for making them prepared. You get to spend the most amazing summer of your life with people who will become your new best friends and who you won't want to ever say goodbye to, but the most rewarding part will be knowing you made an impact and helped a fellow student out.

Lauren



My favorite part of Camp War Eagle was Tiger Talk 5. This was the time during each session when my campers really opened up. They shared things in our discussion that led to a meaningful conversation. I really enjoyed getting to know them on a deeper level and getting the chance to instill confidence in them in areas that they had doubts. This was also the time that they learned they can trust me, and now they call me all the time!

Erica



My favorite part of Camp War Eagle was getting the chance to work with the freshmen that was totally overwhelmed with all the new information, the campus or just the overall experience. It was these times that you knew that you were making a difference as a Counselor. A lot of the time the problems seemed insurmountable to the freshmen, but they were problems that could be relieved simply by offering the knowledge that one gains with their time as an Auburn student or through the amazing training that Counselors get during the spring. There is nothing like looking back on the day and knowing that because you spent some time with someone that they now feel that the next four years of their life is not only something that they can manage, but something that will be amazing.

John



The friendships I formed. No doubt. I never thought I would grow so close to the people that I was working with this summer, but when you put in the amount of work that we did, it's impossible not to. I don't think a day goes by that I don't talk to somebody from CWE.

Levi



My favorite part of CWE was the time I got to spend with my fellow Camp Counselors. I met some of my best friends through Camp and built some of the best relationships with the people I spent my summer with. I never thought such an experience could bring people together the way CWE does. I shared great memories that will last a lifetime with people I will never forget!

Leanne



My favorite part of serving as a Camp War Eagle Counselor was having the chance to share my passion for Auburn with incoming students. It was so neat to be, for some students, a first impression of the Auburn Family and the Auburn Experience. Having the responsibility to provide the necessary information about both academic and social life at Auburn was an adrenaline rush that could only be matched by my excitement to introduce the next class of Auburn men and women to campus and welcome them home!

Lesley



My favorite part about CWE was getting feedback from my campers, whether it was through text, email, phone call, or just telling me! This let me know I had impacted their life in some way, that I did the job I supposed to do, and I made a great first impression of Auburn! The feeling that this gave me is indescribable!  
Kendra



Definitely meeting all the freshmen. They are all so unique, fun, and have different things to offer Auburn. Working in the parking lot was also so much fun, don't believe the horror stories....hanging out with all the camp counselors is pretty great too!  
Abby



My favorite part about Camp would have to be the couple of hours we had RIGHT before a group would come in. Just to see everyone's excitement and how eager everyone was to get their new group made me so happy!  
Abbe



My favorite part of Camp War Eagle was the opportunity to be an influence on so many incoming freshmen. It was awesome being able to meet so many different freshmen from so many different places and being one of the first people they met at Auburn. I still love running into freshmen I had on campus and seeing how they're doing.

Kyle



The best part of CWE is being able to share your passion for Auburn University with an incoming freshman. Before Camp, I thought I knew the pure joy of being an Auburn Tiger was about, but I had no idea. Camp War Eagle gives you a better understanding and love for what this university is about, and then lets you share it with others. I cannot describe the feeling of having a freshman come into Camp not knowing if Auburn is the right place for them to leaving filled with the Auburn Spirit. Sharing your Auburn Experience with an incoming freshman is the greatest thing you can do as a student. Camp War Eagle does that and more.

Caleb

