Alberta Aspiring Intermediate Member Camp July 23 to 28, 2017 Judah Chepil, Anola Norther Lights 4-H Club

Hi my name is Judah Chepil and I went to the Alberta AIM camp. Some of my favorite parts of camp are playing games such as gagaball which is a game where you hit a ball at other players in a large fenced in area.

Another game we played was called navy seals where all the campers would start at the bottom of the hill and you would have to make your way to the top without getting caught by a counsellor



Judah leading a song at the campfire on the beach

that had a flashlight and would shine it on you. If you did you would have to go to the bottom of the hill and restart. I won one round by getting to the top without being seen and turned off the large flashlight at the top aka the beacon.

I took arts and crafts as my learning session where every day for around two hours or so I get to take part in that session. There is also other session you can take such as outdoor living where the main event is canoeing to an area and camping there overnight. Also, there is healthy living which is just like cooking but in a healthy way. I took art because I am a very artsy person and I knew I would enjoy it a lot. You get to do lots of things such as painting, soap making, buttons, galaxy pillow cases and so much more.

I really enjoyed the food it was a range from Mexico to Italy and lots in between. We also got skill sessions, where you got to learn about mentorship and how to be a mentor and teamwork was a major thing for the sessions to complete tasks in games you had to trust, work together and understand one another to succeed in the game you were trying to complete.

When you stayed at the camp you slept in dorms which was two floors with a large hallway on each floor going into rooms where usually up to six people could stay in one room. My roommates where Foster, Corbyn, Tim and Wylie.

You were also put into color groups which is your group that you do all events and most games with. We had to come up with a chant and paint a flag for our group the chant for our group was: "What are we" "BLACK" "Who are we" "JACKS" "WE ARE BLACK JACKS"!!!! What a nice chant we had.

Over all my aim camp experience was one of my favorite 4-H camps I've been to and I hope to see all of the new friends I made soon.

