

# Nassau Scout Camp Starts Peak Season

## Registration for Wading River Retreat Hits New High

Mineola, July 9—The blare of bugles, the splashing of eager young swimmers, the dip of canoe paddles and the myriad other sounds to be heard at a busy Summer camp echo again in the pine woods surrounding Camp Wauwepex, at Wading River. For today marked the opening of the 11th season for the camp.

Groups of youths, under the direction of capable directors recruited from various Nassau County troops, are again receiving practical training in nature study, handicraft, swimming, diving, boating and other outdoor activities, in addition to music and drama.

### Registration Runs Ahead

F. Howard Covey of Great Neck, camp director, commenting on the large number of registrations received this year, said they are "Running way ahead of last year. I predict the greatest season in the history of Camp Wauwepex."

Members of the staff, who worked at the camp for the week previous to the opening today, and their assignments are:

- Irving F. Southworth, Mineola, assistant camp director.
- Gerald Sealy, Lynbrook, and Al De Clue, Hempstead, unit directors.
- Eugene DeClue, Hempstead, secretary-bookkeeper.
- Sanford B. Elias, Hewlett, bugler.
- Rudolph Axelson, Hempstead, editor and publisher.
- Dr. John Scharf, New York City, physician.
- Richard Müller, Cedarhurst, hospital orderly.
- Earl Hilfiker, Freeport, nature study director.
- Earle Brown, Freeport, and Charles Werner, Malverne, nature study helpers.
- Louis W. Felner, Orlando, Fla., handicraft director.
- John C. Wolff and Edward N. Hoffman, Woodmere, handicraft assistant directors.
- Joseph Oppenheimer, Woodmere, W. Robert Lotz and Carlton Heeseler, Lynbrook, Donald Lord, Port Washington, and Robert K. Fairlie, Great Neck, handicraft helpers.
- Jack Rogers, Mineola, dramatics director.
- Emory Sholund, musical director.
- Ed Stanley, Rockville Centre, Waterfront director.
- David Lord, Port Washington, and William P. Cook 3d, Garden City, assistant waterfront directors.
- William Travis, Great Neck, and George Schutte, Freeport, waterfront helpers.
- Herbert Grace, Wading River, quartermaster.
- Wilbert J. Schultz, Hempstead, adjutant.
- William Hale and John E. Roserson, Floral Park, Jack Knight, Great Neck, Walter C. Hewitt Jr., Garden City, and Theodore Gregory, Port Washington, division leaders.
- T. Yurkiewicz, Mitchel Field, chef.
- Robert Allen, Locust Valley, and Lawrence Müller, Cedarhurst, cooks helpers.
- Hugh Orth, Rockville Centre, and Rodman Reilly, Mineola, stewards.