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Dear Mr. Sklar,

Thank you, so much for the experience you provided our son. When he arrived home it was 12:45 A.M. and we were all exhausted, but I did not get to sleep until almost 4 in the morning. Reason being - **our child's self-esteem was heightened beyond anything I could have ever imagined.** I stayed up listening to how much fun he had with Peter. It was Peter this and Peter that and what most impressed him was Peter's understanding of boys. To be honest this impressed me too.

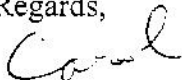
He talked non-stop about his teachers and everything he learned. He also discussed the food, but not how I would have expected. It was positive. This shocked me, because although he is not a fast food fan -- he does love his red meat. He stated, that everything he ate was good and that much to his surprise filling. We now as a family are expected by our child to have a healthy meal at least 3 times a week and to be honest it has made a difference in our energy levels.

As far as the course work he went on and on about the encouragement that he received by all his teachers. He was praised for the littlest things and his directions were all given with explanation and clarity. He was given room for self-expression and the growth experience was truly evident.

I know I had doubts about this trip and ability of my son to abide by all the rules in your handouts, but if any other parent reads this I want to put your minds to ease. My 15 year old had no problems and as a matter of fact he enjoyed the fact that the rules were all spelled out. He stated, that it made his stay easier, because he knew where he stood and what was expected of him.

I simply cannot express my gratitude to you and your staff enough and if any parent would like to call me and verify my letter or simply just talk feel free to call me.

Regards,



Carol Brace