



Chelsea Meints
Camp Fire USA Orca Council
2004 Wohelo Award Recipient

Chelsea Meints, a senior at Peninsula High School, says she has learned the value of giving back to her school and community while pursuing her Wohelo Award. One of Chelsea's joys is working with children of all ages. She imparts her passion for sports by helping coach younger players in soccer. She also teaches elementary students American Sign Language, and is a mentor for the Peninsula High School "Ignite" program, helping incoming freshman transition into high school.

A 13-year member of Camp Fire, Chelsea served as Registration Chairperson for Camporee 2003: Treasure Island, and co-chairperson for Grand Council Fire, 2004. Chelsea has earned Torch Bearer Awards in cooking, sewing, money management, creative arts and investing. She co-led "Team Up For Sara", a successful drive that added hundreds of potential donors to the National Bone Marrow Registry. Chelsea also attended Washington Business Week at Western Washington University and was elected CEO of her company. She successfully completed the God & Church level within the God & Country program series.

“Being in Camp Fire has helped me to develop life skills; leadership, service and commitment. I use these skills daily as a member of my soccer team, my school community, and my family,” says Chelsea.

Chelsea, a committed athlete, is passionate about soccer. She has played Varsity Soccer for four years, and Club Soccer for thirteen years. She has traveled as far as Denmark and Sweden to participate in soccer tournaments.

Chelsea intends to pursue a career as an orthopedic surgeon with a focus on sports medicine. “Because I have always been active in sports,” comments Chelsea, “I would like a career that will allow me to continue my involvement in athletics.”