W3810 WET HOT AMERICAN SUMMER  (USA, 2001)

Credits: director, David Wain ; writers, David Wain, Michael Showalter.
Cast: Janeane Garofalo, David Hyde Pierce, Christopher Meloni.
Summary: Comedy set on the last day of camp, 1981, at Camp Firewood in the Maine woods. The elementary school-aged enrollees are getting picked up by parents the next morning, so the focus is on the teenage counselors, a mix of studs, hotties and nerds, very aware they have only got 24 hours to score with one another. The large supporting cast includes Beth (Garofalo) the wallflowerish camp director, and Gene (Meloni), the Vietnam veteran camp cook whose delusions and fetishes grow ever more outrageous.

Atkinson, Michael. “Creature comforts” Village voice 46 (Jul 31, 2001), p. 120.
Harvey, Dennis. “Wet hot American summer” Variety 381 (Feb 5-11, 2001), p. 43.

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