



The Menominee Megaphone



July 18th, 2017 - The Start of Twilight League Edition

It's Twilight League! By Editors

So many times at CM the surprise start of Twilight League is foreshadowed without the campers even knowing it. Such was the case this year, as seen by the start of this year's TLL. On the first night of camp, JEFF TOOMBS made an announcement recognizing WOODY's hard work in preparing the Gulley for a game of Capture the Flag by drawing the lines. The next night, as campers wondered what they would be doing after dinner, TOOMBS again directed everyone's attention to the Gulley to supposedly see WOODY drawing another field. Instead, JONAH WEISS, NOAH LAZARUS, and ANDREW BLECHMAN stormed the field with trophies and softballs in hand. Soon after, a gulley rush began and the captains and teams were announced on the field. The junior captains included AARON PELTS and SPENCER AUSLANDER. The intermediate captains are DREW BENJAMIN, ZACH MEYERS, MAX KIRSCH, JOSH BARSKY, GAVIN PICKLIN, and JEREMY ZELKEN. For the seniors, captains HARRIS GREENBAUM, TODD LAZARUS, CONNOR WALL, REMY DOYLE, WILL FRIEDMAN, and GAVIN MILLER. Now that we have a total of 14 teams in TLL, all of camp's fields are in use. Lucky Canteen Number 152. This is sure to be an action-packed and competitive session of Twilight League!

Food at the Friendly Confines

By Drake Elman

The food is great at Menominee! My favorite breakfast foods are the turkey sausage, M&M pancakes, and cinnamon buns. For lunch, I like hot dogs and hamburgers. My favorite dinner is noodles. I asked three other campers what their favorite camp meals are, and here is what they said:



Campers rushed into the gulley to join their TLL commissioners to learn what team they would be on for the session.

Tomorrow's Weather Report (7/19):
 Tomorrow will be sunny with a high of **83°F**
 with a low of **61°F**. Sunscreen and water!

Camper	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner
AARON PELTS	M&M Pancakes	Wings	Burgers
JACK FORMAN	M&M Pancakes	Grilled Cheese + Tomato Soup	Steak
COLE SOROSKY	M&M Pancakes	Tacos	Pasta

Song and Cheer Night 2.0 By Editors

Last night, the difference that a full Wasserman Hall can make here at CM was evident during Song and Cheer Night. The atmosphere was raucous and spirited, so much so that WOODY had to remind everyone to slow down during “Menominee, Menominee” so that the words could be understood. Returning senior campers and counselors led the Menominee Medley from the middle of the room while first-year campers toward the front of the room tried their best to follow along and learn the cheers, an effort that will surely continue in their future camping careers. Once the four-song medley (and the five or so more tacked onto the end) had concluded, it was time for the Senior Cabin to take the stage and lead the camp in eight more cheers. JAKE HOODACK started off the night with “Boom Chicka Boom,” followed by CONNOR WALL who got the camp to “Fire Up.” Next up, HARRIS GREENBAUM poured his heart into “Down to the River” and ROBBIE YASTROW closed the night with “Scat.” With a camp full of over 150 campers, the energy was awesome. But, as WOODY acknowledged, there is still room for us to grow before our competition coming up against the camp from the west.



Counselor Profile: Jonny Hughes

From: Ireland

Favorite Drink: Milk

Favorite Food: Pizza

Favorite Canteen: M&M's

Years at Camp: 1

Age: 19

Camp Activities: Photographer

Spirit Animal: Sloth



JOSH KRAVITZ, ROBBIE YASTROW, JOEY FINFER and the Senior Cabin cheering “2 Bits”

Intermediate TLL Opener By Jake Herman

Yesterday evening out on St. Germain Field (also known as the far soccer pitch), Team MEYERS’ Mighty M’s squared off with Team BENJAMIN’s Bench-Clearing Brawlers on Opening Day of intermediate twilight league. The game started out with both teams showing their offensive firepower by scoring 3 runs apiece in the first inning. From there, pitchers JOEY HOFFMAN and BRADY WEISS settled in nicely by striking out batters left and right. When the third inning was finished, BENJAMIN’s

team had taken a 5-3 lead thanks to a clutch RBI triple hit by MICHAEL O’KEEFE. Strong defense throughout the game by shortstop JACOB SCHNEIDER and first baseman ZACH BEN-ISVY helped BENJAMIN’s team keep their lead intact for a short while, however MEYERS’ team tied the score 5-5 after a rally in the fifth inning. In the bottom of the sixth, BENJAMIN’s team jumped back out to the lead thanks to a monster showing of offense in which they batted through the order in just one inning! In the end, BENJAMIN’s team prevailed by the score of 13-6 in an electrifying first game of the session!

Spirit

Determination

Heart

Leadership

Attitude

Sportsmanship