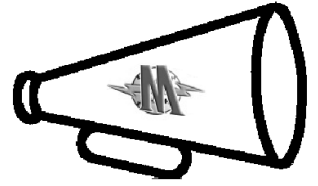




# Megaphone



Extras Edition.

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## Awards Night 2013

On a cold Wednesday night after flag, all campers rushed down to the waterfront to sit around the campfire for awards night. The awards were hand made by each activity head, and ranged from the usual 'MVP' award to even awards based on effort.

When it came to the waterfront, BRANDON PTASZNIK picked up the kayaking award, and RYAN BLUM got the skiing award. JONNY BLOOM came home with an amazing wrestling belt when he won the award for World Heavyweight Champion, and ETHAN WAGMAN got the 'Stick of Heart' for his performance in wrestling this year. When it came to golf, ANDREW BLECHMAN came out on top with the MVP award; a well deserved plaque. Amongst tennis awards, JAKE FISHBEIN managed to score himself player of the year, and overall champion went to JONATHAN ROSENFELD.

In the climbing activity, a special award had been given to the best climber of the group, codenamed 'Mt. Everest Award'. The winner of the award went to JAKE ZWEIG, and he got a very special Mt. Everest replica made with rocks. Sharpshooter TODD LAZARUS got an award for his riflery skills, and his name now hangs in the Mess Hall. NATE FRIEFELD and LEVI PASIKOV scored 'Archer of the Year' awards for their archery skills. In Football award hand-outs, ETHAN SAKS came away with the award for best player, and NICK PUJOLES grabbed best quarterback. JAKE JONES was named the best passer in basketball, and JACKSON WEIL was honored as best defensive player. Team TKD came out victorious in softball for the second round of Twi-Light League, and won their trophy, alongside Team KOGEN for the juniors! It's been an incredible summer for sports, and the amount of awards given out on Wednesday night demonstrates the true sporting ability that Camp Menominee holds.



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By CHINMAY JAVERI

## Climb On!

Everyone loves a challenge. It doesn't matter what context it's in, whether its playing a game on a PS3 or facing off in a softball competition at college level, competition is in human nature. So when Camp Timberlane invited the boys from Menominee to a climbing regatta, it would be silly of us to decline. JACK FORMAN, JONAH GAGERMAN and MAX WEINGARDT formed the Menominee team and competed not only against Timberlane, but our neighbors Camp Chippewa. Three events were to take place. A traverse (boulder) climb, a designated hold climb and a speed climb. These three climbs were followed by a brief awards ceremony, in which JONAH GAGERMAN won an award for the fastest traverse climb on the difficult wall. MAX amazed everyone when he not only climbed and competed well against other camps, but tried out for two different events that he placed well in. Timberlane have an award for the highest standing climbing wall in North America. It was a great privilege for Timberlane to let us use their wall. We hope that with the huge success that this event was, we can continue competing against Timberlane in the near future in climbing related events.

By CALUM MAKIN

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## 12U Timberlane Baseball

The boys in green stepped off the Menominee vans after the lengthy service road leading to Camp Timberlane. Excitement was in the air as the boys were warming up for some baseball action.

With a defense that could arguably be the best in the Northwoods, the Camp Menominee team took confidence straight into the game. Using and utilizing planned strategy to get the first runner across the plate, JOEY HARRIGAN's single to the left field allowed WILL FRIEDMAN to make it home. When pitching, ETHAN SAKS made a few mistakes in the game. However, he ended up getting all 3 outs on strikeouts, 2 swinging and 1 looking. "I just had all my stuff working out there for me today" he told reporters after the game.

Team CM were very close with a scoring chance in the 2nd, but couldn't deliver with the bases loaded. Then, in the bottom of the 2nd inning, a hard hit line drive got caught by a diving split move from gold glove owner WILL FRIEDMAN. Arguably one of the best catches that I've seen this summer.

Despite some solid pitching from MATTHEW GLASBURG and SAM LICHTMAN, the Timberlaners pulled away with a five run rally in the bottom of the 3rd to win the shortened game 5-1. Honorable mentions go out to JONOTHAN LAZARUS, who did a fantastic job of catching throughout, and kept his team in the game.

By DAVID MIZOCK

## AWARDS 2013

### NATE WASSERMAN AWARD

ANDREW BLECHMAN

HEART - REID KANTER

DETERMINATION -

JUSTIN SCHOENEMAN

SPIRIT - TKD

LEADERSHIP - NATE FRIEFELD

ATTITUDE - TAYLOR BEAUSEIGNEUR

SPORTSMANSHIP - BRANDON PTASZNIK



JONNY BLOOM receives his award from COLE NEUMAN



JAKE ZWEIF gets his Mt. Everest Climbing Award

## Timberlane 12U Riflery

The boys from Camp Menominee have historically had a rough time to start with against Timberlane, and often the outcome isn't in our favor. However, today was a different matter in the under 12 riflery shoot-out. The competition was tough, but our boys played better. Lucky Canteen no. 133

Possibly the sharpest shooter at camp, TODD 'The Mighty' LAZARUS, scored a ridiculously high 46 out of 50 to begin the showdown. Following TODD's success were solid rounds from GUILLERMO GUEMEZ with a score of 38, ALEX RUSS with a score of 31, and a personal best of 36 by CALEB SAKS. The Menominee boys were keeping up with Timberlane! With both teams both scraping the score from their first rounds, it was down to Menominee's last two shooters. The pressure was on for JOSH GOODMAN and MAX BEERMANN, and they didn't fail. Both shot well, and scored a 39 and 28 respectively to end the hard-fought competition and bring home the win.

The final score was 218/300 - 215/300 to Menominee, a very close score! The CM boys took home the win in one of the best shoot-offs I have ever witnessed.

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