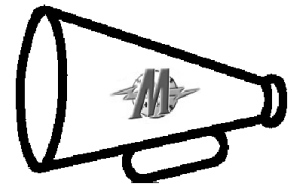


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FOURTH OF JULY by Taylor Beauseigneur

Last night's 4th of July celebration was certainly one to remember. As always, the Menominee boys joined the girls at Marimeta for a social. The night included high energy entertainment provided by "Monster." Several of the Menominee boys could be seen dancing up a storm to this year's favorite camp songs "Fancy" by Iggy Azalea and "Wiggle" by Jason Derulo. CHARLIE RATTERMAN made several appearances on the stage. ISAAC WEISS grooved to some of his favorite songs too. KYLE MION-SPEISZ even won a "Monster t-shirt." Suddenly, both

camps gathered around to witness Menominee bring home a dance-battle. Special thanks goes to cabin three counselor and our Megaphone editor HARJ AULAKH, for "twerking" his way to the final for us! Meanwhile, some of our other counselors exemplified spirit, JACOB SIMON showed us all how to dress "honky-tonk" and BEN MAJOR was socking some very patriotic American Flag shorts. As the sun set, the music continued and both camps kept the party alive. NURSE DAWN and SIMI busted out some impressive moves as well. As "Monster" finished up, both camps gathered on Marimeta's beautiful waterfront to enjoy a stunning firework display. There were red and green exploders and gold streakers. Every sort of firework was launched as both camps looked on in disbelief. BRANDON BELGRAD claims these were the best fireworks he had ever seen. But no one enjoyed the display more than KOZ. It was Koz's birthday yesterday and he found the display a spectacular finish to his day. Overall, the night goes down in history as one of the best socials we've ever had!

Sailing Success by Chris Anderson & Daniel Goldschmidt

"During General on July 1st, I managed to do the triangle for sailing for which I was awarded with a signed hat by KOZ. It is difficult to do because you have to travel upwind and sail by yourself. The boat almost tipped, but after a couple of tries I got it. I was so pleased with myself and so was PAM ADLER!" – Chris Anderson.

"During the morning General a couple of weeks ago, I decided to go down to the waterfront in hopes to learn how to water-ski. It was far too cold and I was unable to do this, so instead, I opted for sailing. Since that day, every chance that I have got during General I have gone down to the waterfront to improve on my sailing skills. On July 1st I finally did it, I got the triangle up and I was sailing all by myself. It felt so good, as I had worked hard over the past two weeks to improve my sailing abilities. For my hard work I was awarded with a signed hat by KOZ." – Daniel Goldschmidt

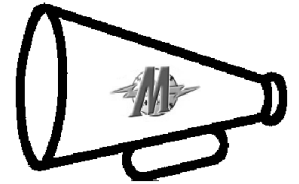
Skiing Success by Joey Matgous

On July 1st I went down to the waterfront and I asked PAM ADLER to help me ski. She kindly set me up with some skis and we hit the waterfront. Pam helped with my skis and I got in the water. Pam was telling me to sit in my chair and look at the tree line; the reason why she was asking me to look at the tree line is because, it helps you to get a steady, in-level position for you to ski correctly. I then said "hit it" and I got up. Pam was screaming and yelling the whole way around the lake for me, cheering me on as I was doing so well. The waves were really big and I stayed up through every single one of them. After my one lap around the lake, I let go of the rope and it took me a while to get my skis off and get back to the dock. At lunch the one and only KOZ introduced me to the Green Hat Club, along with my fellow campers JOEY FINFER, DANIEL GOLDSCHMIDT and CHRIS ANDERSON. It felt really good that my determination and hard work paid off.

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White Water Rafting Trip by Andy Schofield



It was a warm Monday morning at Camp Menominee, when DANIEL BEN-ISVY, RYAN BLUM, KYLE GOLDMAN, NOAH LAZARUS, JUSTIN LEFF, JUSTIN OLSON, BRANDON PTASZNIK, JARED POPLAWSKI, LEVI SCHULMAN, MAX SHAPIRO, JOSH STONE and ETHAN WAGMAN, the Senior cabin, loaded up the van and trailer to head for the Wildman Resort. The journey took two hours and when we got there, we had just enough time to settle into our cabin and get a quick bite to eat before we had to head down to the main barn, where we got

equipment with our life jackets and helmets. Before we knew it, we were kayaking down the river with many people getting stuck on the rocks, such as RYAN BLUM, who was stuck for what seemed like ten minutes. The first rapid which was pretty intense made me fall out and ETHAN WAGMAN found it hilarious. These set of rapids were really cool and seeing everyone fall out was funny. The next morning we were up bright and early. We all are at a breakfast of bacon & eggs, which I cooked, and I can proudly say that there was no sign food poisoning! We left Wildman and headed for the other location to take part in the rafting part of our trip. Around an hour later we arrived and again we had to get all the required equipment. Once we were ready with all our safety gear on, we split into groups and got into our rafts. These rapids were a lot more intense than the day before, as ROBBIE APPELBAUM and JOSH STONE were about to find out when they fell out in the middle of a class four rapid. I am happy to report that they are both fine and thought the experience was a lot of fun and one they'll always remember. Later that day, after we finished rafting, we headed to Green Bay where we stayed in a really cool hotel with a pool and hot tub. Just like the typical bunch of boys that we are, the first thing we did was hit the pool where MAX SHAPIRO, JARED POPLOWSKI and I made a human pyramid which was so cool. A short while after, we dried ourselves, went for dinner, went on a replica of Elvis Presley's favorite rollercoaster called "Zippin Pippin," watched a movie and then finally settled down and went to bed. The next day we all had a well-deserved lie-in, before heading down for breakfast. The main activity for the day was going shopping at Appleton Mall. We all loved it there and spent our money on some great things, but all the boys could really think about was going to Chipotle Mexican Grill. So, as soon as we were done shopping, we all ended up going to eat some Mexican food! We were all stuffed from the delicious food at Chipotle and got back into our van to drive back to camp, which was three hours away. Lucky Canteen Number 13. We arrived back at camp at seven o'clock to a warm welcome. It was a truly fantastic trip, and a memory that will be shared between a brilliant group of guys.

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