



# The Menominee Megaphone



*July 19th, 2017 - The Dance Night Edition*

## Dance Night 2017 By Editors

Last night was the first campfire of second session, Dance Night. The name is self explanatory, each cabin was tasked with crafting a dance and performing it in front of the camp in Wasserman Hall. Judges BRANDON PTASZNIK and SAWYER KROLL were tasked with evaluating each dance and to chose three winning cabins, one from each age group (juniors, intermediates, seniors). The night started off with a well-composed dance by cabin 3 to the tune of "Rolex". DRAKE ELMAN added his special touch to the dance with a killer dance solo. Cabin 4 got the whole camp up and moving with their dance to "Shut Up and Dance with Me". RYAN WEIL could be seen all around Wasserman Hall grabbing kids and counselors to join his cabin on stage. Cabin 6 took a more comical approach with their song, "Dead Skunk in the Middle of the Road". ASHER BERMAN acted as a reckless driver who hit the skunk while the rest of the cabin mourned the death of the skunk. HARRY STEINER went crazy in his dance, taking off his vest to reveal a pair of suspenders. He then danced across the stage while the rest of his cabin bowed down to him. Cabin 9 danced to a classic song, "Stacy's Mom". ETHAN MANN posed as 'Stacy' while ELLIOT ZELKEN stole the show with his impression of 'Stacy's Mom'. Cabin 13 used a remix of songs, including "Party in the USA". AJ GALFIELD and RJ TAYLOR got the crowd into it when they started belting the lyrics to "Party in the USA". Cabin 15 did a conga-line throughout Wassermann Hall. GEORGE NASSAR and the boys from cabin 17 put on a great performance. GEORGE showed off his moves while not one, not two but three of the GAU boys did the worm across the stage. After all of the cabins had performed, the judges deliberated and came up with the results. Cabin 3 won the junior age group. According to SAWYER he was wowed by their composition and "pizzazz". Cabin 8 took a victory in the intermediate age group due to the moves of HARRY STEINER. In the senior age group, cabin 17 came out on top due to a great performance by GEORGE, ALEC, PETER, and BENJI GAU. It was a great night of dancing and congratulations to the three winning cabins! Special thanks to BRANDON PTASZNIK and SAWYER KROLL for orchestrating the campfire.



DRAKE ELMAN busts a move as COOPER BORSTEIN, JJ BARBER, BENNY GOLDBERG, SIMON MANN, THEO GALPER, SAM WICK and JADEN DONSKY all dance in the background.



Cabin 13 members dance to the final song of their three song remix during Dance Night 2017. Joined by audience members, they finished their dance strong to the song, "Party in the USA" by Miley Cyrus.

## Penguin 13 and Over Volleyball By Jackson Weil

Yesterday marked the first day of a Menominee staple, MCAA leagues. For the second league of the day, Penguins, seniors flocked to the Harry Beam Volleyball Court for some volleyball action. The teams were assigned and the games began. The matches were best of three games with the first two games going to 11 and the third game going to 7. Down at the waterfront court, Team USA took on Team Latvia followed by Team Iran playing Team Russia. In a tight game, JOSH GOODMAN and AIDEN BRAMWITT led Team Latvia to a 2-0 victory over Team USA. In the second game at the waterfront, Team Iran faced off against Team Russia. At first glance, Team Iran seemed overmatched by Team Russia due to their lack of size. However due to the great play of BENJIE SOREN and ADAM MASSELLO, Team Iran took a swift victory 2-0. On the Harry Beam Memorial Volleyball Court, Team Greece faced off against Team South Korea followed by Team Argentina versus Team Canada. The matchup between Team Greece and Team South Korea was a great one with the teams splitting the first two games. With the series tied at 1-1, a third game to 7 was played. BRETT WEISS gave Team Greece inspirational words from the sideline going into game 3, but it wasn't enough as Team Greece fell to Team South Korea due to the great serving of KASE RATZLAFF. After the first match, Team Argentina took the field against Team Canada. Lucky Canteen Number 43. Led by JACK BEHAR, Argentina jumped out to a quick lead in the first game and never looked back. In the second game, Team Canada seemed poised for a comeback due to the strong play of duo NBI and GAVIN BRAMWITT. However, Team Canada fell short losing 2-0 to Team Argentina. It was a great first day of volleyball leagues, and hopefully many more games of yesterday's caliber will be played. Congratulations to the winning teams!



**Staff Profile: Max Weingardt**

From: Highland Park, IL

Age: 17

Favorite Athlete: Jimmy Butler

Favorite Canteen: 100 grand

Camp Activities: Maintenance

Favorite Movie: Backdraft

Dream Job: Police Officer or Firefighter



BENJIE SOREN sets up JAKE HOODACK for a spike during a Big Ten volleyball practice. These Big Ten practices taught players the skills that made the MCAA league games so fun to watch.

*Tomorrow's Weather Report (7/20):*

Tomorrow will be cloudy with a high of

**83°F** with a low of **56°F**. Sunscreen and

water!

Spirit

Determination

Heart

Leadership

Attitude

Sportsmanship