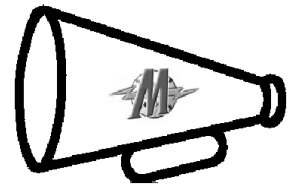


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FOX SOUNDS by Justin Leff

Last night, everybody was fortunate to be able to witness women of an acapella group called the Fox Sounds! Nurse Dawn was also one of the lead vocalists of this group and not one person at camp knew about this, and this is her fourth consecutive year here. Fox Sounds are a smaller group from Fox Valley Chorus who are a bigger group of more than forty women. They sang songs from all types of eras such as, "Rockin' Robin" by Michael Jackson, "In the still of the night" initially performed by Nelson Eddy in 1937, "What a wonderful world" by Louis Armstrong and The Lion King classic "Can You Feel the Love Tonight." Senior camper JOSH STONE said "They were pretty darn good!" MAX PTASZNIK was excited for the concert because he is part of a choir back at home in LA. Counselors JULIUS ONI and ANDY SCHOFIELD, especially, liked the show, and The Lion King song too. Nurse Dawn and her fellow group members all stayed behind to talk to us because we were all so excited to meet them and blown away by their exceptional pitch perfect singing. They also performed the "Star Spangled Banner" for us this morning just before they left camp, which was beautiful! Thank you Fox Sounds for entertaining us last night!

SHABBAT - Editor



Shabbat is the seventh day of the Jewish week and is the day of rest and abstention from work as commanded by God. All Jewish campers came into the Mess Hall just before dinner. They then ushered Shabbat in by lighting candles and reciting a blessing. The chefs made some top notch Jewish food as well! JAKE HERMAN shared his thoughts on Latkes, "They're one of my favorite Jewish foods; All Jewish food is delicious!" Latkes are potato pancakes that are perhaps best known as traditional Hanukkah food. Made with potatoes, onions and breadcrumbs! I'd never had them before, I didn't even know they existed, but they tasted so good!



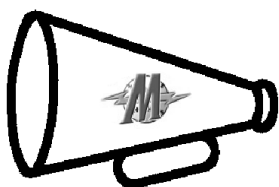
SPELLING BEE! - Editor



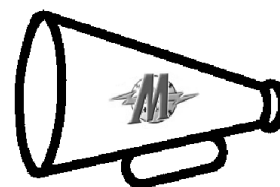
Yesterday morning everybody was asked to come into Wasserman Hall to play Spelling Bee! The counselors chose their top speller from their cabin to represent the cabin to win a price of a cabin pizza party! The game was split into three categories, Juniors, Intermediates and Seniors. In the Junior team, ZACH BEN-ISVY represented cabin three, AJ TURNELL for cabin four, HOLDEN SEURING for cabin five and MAX BEERMAN for cabin six! Max and Holden sadly got their words wrong quite early. AJ was very good but in the end it was Zach who won the Juniors round by getting all four of his words correct! ETHAN HASSON and ARMAN PETERS from cabins seven and eight competed against each other for the Intermediates. Arman ended up winning this round. Finally, the seniors, who competed against each other

for the Senior round, were ISAAC WEISS, JACK KLOEPEL, MAX WEINGARDT, JOSH STONE and JAKE ZWEIG. They all did so well, but in the end it was Josh Stone who ended up in the finals with Zach and A, but there could only be one winner. Arman was the first to get eliminated because he got the word "repetition" wrong. Now it was down to Josh Stone and Zach Ben-Isvy. Both cabins three and eighteen were *on the edges of their seats*, hoping to eat the best pizza in town. It was so close; the two boys were so confident when spelling their words out. There was no clear winner because they were both just as good as each other, but then, Josh Stone miss-spelt the word "aerial" wrong, which meant if Zach didn't get his last word correct, Josh

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Stone was automatically allowed to re-enter the competition. Zach ended up winning the prize because he won by spelling the word "special" correctly! WELL DONE ZACH! YOU DID IT FOR CABIN THREE, ENJOY YOUR PIZZA GUYS!

A cold one or a sweet one – By Steve Kanefsky

I am so happy to be back running the Canteen after a 22 year hiatus. It is one of the parts of the day that the campers really look forward to. My Canteen Zars this summer are JACOB CHORCHES and JAKE FISHBEIN "Cool Guy, Pop Guy!" I am so happy to say that this is the first time in Camp Menominee history that the canteen (as well as the camp) is peanut free. We still have a fantastic selection of "sweet ones" and, of course, our normal selection of "cold ones." Each camper can have their one canteen on their account and if they have a free one doing something rewarding at camp (win a camp fire, do a nice job on cabin clean-up etc) they can have a maximum of two. We have already had some fantastic helpers this summer: JACOB WANGER, BEN KAPLAN, MICHA SHULMAN, JOSH KENNEDY, EMMIT COZAD, SAM MILLER, JACOB SMITH and JOSH BELGRAD. We cannot wait for our next batch of awesome helpers. See you at the only red and white building in camp!

DODGEBALL TIME!

Yesterday, to gain more bonus points for Collegiate Showdown, it was decided that a game of Dodgeball would be played. For the 13 and over's Alabama and Wisconsin won and for the 12 and under's Arizona and TCU tied!

Collegiate Showdown 20/06/2014 results!

<u>Places</u>	<u>Trampball</u>	<u>World Cup Soccer</u>	<u>Rifely Shootout</u>	<u>Pass. Punt, Kick</u>	<u>Archery Shootout</u>
First Place	TCU (ZACH HOTT & ETHAN WEISS)	Colorado	Colorado (JUSTIN OLSON)	Arizona (JACK BEHAR)	Wisconsin (LEVI PASIKOV)
Second Place	UNC (REID KANTER & BENJI FREIDMAN)	Iowa	UNC (TODD LAZARUS)	Wisconsin (JACK FORMAN)	Iowa (AIDAN SHELLEDY)
Third Place	BYU (RYAN BLUMB & DANIEL BENOISVY)	Alabama (NOAH BEN-ISVY)	Arizona (EVAN HASSON)	UNC (MAX BEERMAN)	BYU (DYLAN SCHWARTZ)

Special shout-out: ARMAN PETERS for doing a good job for Colorado during PASS, PUNT, KICK.

BACKWARDS DAY by Benji Freidman

Yesterday was not like an ordinary day at Camp Menominee; it was backwards day! The entire day was planned backwards. We didn't have to do a cabin clean-up in the morning, but on the other hand it meant that we had to do it at night! All of the day's activities got changed; we ended up doing final four in the evening rather than the morning. Canteen was pretty much the first thing we did after taking the flag down, which wasn't too bad because I love canteen! Lucky Canteen Number 84. One thing that didn't change too much was the meals! I hope everybody had a really good Backwards day because I sure did!

Weather Report



77 F – Chance of a storm!
Humidity at 68%, use your sun screen!

PLEASE AND THANK YOU GO A LONG WAY!

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