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The First Session edition

Friday 11th July 2014



First Session by Jake Herman

One June 16th, 87 boys were hyped to be starting off one of the best sessions ever at Menominee. A typical day during the first week of camp included Final Four and Twilight League with the senior team captains JOSH STONE, RYAN BLUM, DANIEL BEN-ISVY and LEVI SCHULMAN. There was also a new program introduced called Collegiate Showdown which was a substitute for leagues and featured almost every sport at camp. A social with the girls camp Chippewa capped off the fun week, but week two held more shake-ups and surprised too. One morning, we woke up to Taps playing and we learned that it was backwards day, which was just as cool as it was

confusing us all. Continuing to mix things up, we had camper-counselor swap day, in which DANIEL BEN-ISVY and MAX SHAPIRO won the right to switch roles with STEVE and WOODY. It was weird to have kids talking over the intercom and counselors playing Twilight League games, but everyone had a good time with it. There was also a competition against Timberlane. On an extremely hot day, the 12 and under age group won Baseball, Football and Tennis while the 13 and over's defended home field with wins in Tennis, Basketball and Riflery. Koz's birthday lands on the Fourth of July, and he was delighted to spend it with his closest friends, everyone at camp! Town day was lovely too; we all went into the town of Minocqua and bought some great things! Trip week was once again phenomenal. Everyone come back exhausted, but so fulfilled with joy and memories. One morning, British and American started, with the American team captained by BRANDON PTASZNIK coming out on top. One of the highlights of B&A was the new event "Reveres Ride" which lasted deep into the night and was won by the 14, 15 and 16 year olds on the British team, captained by KYLE GOLDMAN. Lucky Canteen Number 44. The night of July 4th was also very memorable. The whole camp went to Camp Marimeta for a social which involved a night of dancing and watching fireworks. The activities available for us to do here have been awesome as well. TY BORSTEIN. CHRISTOPHER ANDERSON and DANIEL GOLDSCHMIDT have been making the most of the Climbing Wall. The waterfront is always busy, especially during General which is where BENJI FRIENDMAN, JACOB WANGER, ETHAN WAGMAN, JOEY MATGOUS and JACOB SMITH can normally be seen doing water sports. Many campers were awarded with 3 year shirts and 2 year caps such as BEN KAPLAN and COOPER SPECTOR. Those are just some of the things we have done over the past four weeks. There is no denying that we have all had such a great time, and second session is most definitely going to be better!

12 and under Tennis Showdown Menominee Vs Interlaken by Sam Maetzold

It was a warm, cloudy day at Camp Menominee and the campers were to participate in both singles and doubles against Camp Interlaken. Coaches JAKE FISHBEIN and SAM MAETZOLD did a fantastic job! During singles, LEVI PASIKOV dominated his opponent 6-0, along with CHARLIE RATTERMAN, DANIEL MALIS and NATE BEERMANN sweeping every Interlaken competitor too. Every player gave an outstanding effort during singles play and never gave up. In doubles, Menominee showed both improvement and heart during the matches. JACK FORMAN and SAM GOODMAN won their match 6-2. Even though doubles went smoothly, all players gave off the

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impression of never showing mercy. Menominee came up with the overall win of 5-1. All players showed that fun can always come into effect with sports.

12 and under Menominee Vs Interlaken Newcomb Game by Jacob





It was a warm afternoon on July 9th, when the girls and boys of Interlaken came to battle the Menominee men in a game of Newcomb. Great placement by TODD LAZARUS and MAX BEERMANN gave Menominee the lead early, taking us to a 15-4 victory. JACK FORMAN started off game two with amazing serves that Interlaken simply could not handle. The Menominee boys followed behind his serve on the way

to a 12-0 lead. As the game came to a close, coaches ANDREW and DAVID BLECHMAN put in the teams ringer BEN KAPLAN. After a missed serve, Ben bounced back and got his next ball over. Ultimately the Menominee men outlasted Interlaken with strategy and lots of cheering and spirit from JACK SACKS and DOMINIC HAMILTON. The final score was 15-4 and 15-2 for Menominee.

12 and under Menominee Vs Interlaken Basketball Game by Jacob "Balls" Barstack



It was a brisk afternoon on Wednesday 9th July when the Menominee men took the court against a gritty Interlaken squad. ETHAN HOTT and JOEY FINFER lead the way in the first quarter with the tenacious defense as Menominee stormed out of the gates to an 18-2 lead. Menominee maintained its large lead in the second quarter thanks to great rebounding from RYDER SPECTOR and KYLE MION-SPIESZ as well as some strong post moves from JACK BEHAR. The men in green continued their strong efforts in the third quarter with some shut down defense from BENJI FRIENDMAN, TODD LAZARUS and MAZ BEERMAN. In the fourth quarter, JACOB WANGER lead the game with some clutch free-throw shooting as the Menominee men coasted to a 41-7 victory.

Weather Report!



There is a very high risk of a thunderstorm tomorrow guys, but it will still be boiling hot at 72F!

Goodbye by Editor

Today is the last day if the first session and I wish the guys who are leaving a safe journey back home. It's been a pleasure meeting you this summer and it's a shame you cannot stay longer. I have enjoyed writing the Megaphone for you and if your name was mentioned in any of them, then please do take your copies back with you to show your parents! Enjoy the rest of your summer, and be good!

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