

The Mega Social edition

Monday 21st July 2014

The Mega Social at Camp Kawaga by David Munzer



It was the afternoon of the 19th July and as the Menominee men loaded onto the buses, TY BORSTEIN asked "Why is this social different from all other socials?" This was no ordinary social, because after years of joking and speculating, we finally got a "mega social!" The classy boys from

the Friendly Confines stepped off the buses around 2:30pm and were greeted by STEVE KANEFSKY and the CIT's, who had just got back from their trip to Minnesota. ETHAN WEISS was heard saying "Let's get

this party started!" and with that in mind, we stormed the Kawaga athletic field that had been transformed into party central. DANIEL DRISCOLL and TYLER ZWEIG took their "swagger" and made a rush for the snow cones. According to LEVI SCHULMAN, the blue raspberry flavor was the best followed by cherry as a close second. JAKE HOLECEK enjoyed the snow cones as well and was even spotted "double-coning" at one point. Next to the snow cones were miscellaneous inflatable games. JOSH INGRAM had a blast at the Quarterback Throw, showing the 11 year olds how it's done. JAKE HANSON and WILL FRIEDMAN went head to head in the obstacle course with Will coming out on top. JUSTIN OLSON said it was quite the display of athleticism. EMMA was seen drawing the Menominee logo on the basketball courts where other camps had drawn theirs, as a sign of appreciation for being invited at the mega-social. RYAN BLUM, CHARLIE KANTER, NOAH LAZARUS, NOAH KROSNICK, JUSTIN OLSON, CHARLIE PRICE, LEVI SCHULMAN, MAX SHAPIRO, JOSH STONE and ETHAN WAGMAN, the boys from cabin 18, were all seen hanging out together, roaming the grounds of Kawaga, socializing and having a good time laughing and joking with one another. AIDEN CAMPBELL and SAM BARTH from cabin 4 and best friends from home, were seen talking to girls from Marimeta and said they're hoping that they can have a social with them before they leave on Saturday 26th, because they got on with their new friends so well. ETHAN SAKS and JONNY BLOOM were seen on the dance floor and later making the most of the drinks that were provided by all the camps, as it was boiling hot that day. ROBBIE APPLEBAUM, TAYLOR BEAUSEIGNEUR, JAKE CZUPEK, ADAM SAGERMAN, MAX WEINGARDT, ROBBIE BRINGAS, JUSTIN SCHOENEMAN and JARED LOIBEN were all seen catching up and getting their pictures taken with their friends and family who go to the other camps that were there. ISAAC WEISS, SAM MILLER and ETHAN HOTT got down and dirty when "Wiggle" was played and there was a loud cheer that went across the camp when "Fancy" by Iggy Azalea was played. Later, Kasper the DJ gathered all the camps on the Tennis Courts and turned the dance floor into "Selfie" central! SAM KOGEN explained "I can't believe all these people fit on the courts!" After the pictures were taken,

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although there wasn't a "dance-circle," DOMINIC HAMILTON was still on fire showing everybody his favorite, improvised moves. LEVI PASIKOV was also seen briefly raising the roof. Overall, it was a glorious afternoon that will be remembered for years to

come.

Arts and Craft by Steve Edge



Lucky Canteen Number 7. The Arts and Crafts room is where people come to relax and build whatever their imaginations let them. We get a very diverse group of people who come into Arts and Crafts and it's lovely to see that we can build anything from clay work to working with wood. Not many people sign up for Arts and Crafts for Final Four, but during general, you always see the Arts room jam-packed with lots of creative ideas coming from the

boys. The Arts room has it's locals like JACK FORMAN who's always wanting to build something amazing, and TY BORSTEIN who enjoys working with wood and has made a chair that he can be seen sitting on during Sunday's Hotdog Cookouts at his camp site. I enjoy making the plaques that get given out for Twi-light League or

just hung up in the Mess Hall for years to come. I recently painted the Red and White bench down at the waterfront for the winning team in Collegiate Showdown. I am proud of my hard work and people are always complimenting me on how neat it looks. It feels good to know that the time and effort I put into making the bench look good will be seen and appreciated by many campers and counselors to come at Menominee. We also have paint, so you could just come in and sit down and paint anything. There are specialized kits that I have in there for you guys too. You can make your own necklace or your own dream catcher; the dream catchers are one of EVA's favorite things to make.

The most popular thing to make this year has got to be "The Woody Stick!" RYDER SPECTOR and MAX WEINGARDT have both got their own replicas of the renowned stick and even WOODY approved their hard work with their sand paper skills. Arts and Crafts room can be very loud at times but it is still a great place to relax, get out of the sun and to see how wild your imagination is. So feel free to come on in because the doors are always open.

Weather Report



The weather these past few days has been beautiful and it's not going anywhere! It will be raining tomorrow but with temperatures hitting 82 F and humidity levels at 71%, we definitely have nothing stopping the fun activities!

Kawaga Practice has begun and I will be providing you with more information on it, over the next few editions!

Useless Fact of the day!

Barbie's full name is Barbara Millicent Roberts

1 in 8 Americans have worked at a McDonalds Restaurant

The Human eyes never grow, but nose and ears never stop growing



Name: Jake Fishbein Age: 17 From: Highland Park, IL Activities: Tennis and Archery Favorite Sport: Softball Favorite Athlete: Roger Federer Favorite Film: The Star Wars Trilogy What do you want to be remembered for: I want to be remembered for being a fun and responsible counselor

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