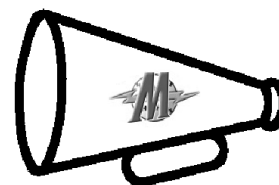


# Megaphone



The Last Day Edition

Wednesday 12th August 2015

**Green & White Relay 2015 by THE COUNSELORS**

The Green & White result meant the Relay could change everything. There were enough points on offer for the Green team to snatch the win even at this late stage. There were 51 events and tasks in total around camp to complete in consecutive order. Here are a few highlights of what happened. **Running/crawling around the back-stops** started with JONNY BLOOM vs JEREMY ZELKEN on all fours. JONNY took the lead with JEREMY very close behind, giving the White team a slight advantage. Then the White's took off, storming around the back-stops, taking the competition firmly into their own hands. The sprint was on between ISAAC MILLER and GAVIN BRAMWIT for the White's against TJ MOCK and CALEB SACKS for the Green's but the White's took the victory in the end. **Speed-climbing** took place mid-relay. DANIEL GOLDSCHMIDT from the White's arrived first and raced up the wall in blistering speed giving the White team some breathing space. JACK FOREMAN of the Green team got to the wall to see GOLDSCHMIDT had finished and was running to the next activity. With his sock, FOREMAN blitzed the wall and went off in pursuit of the White's. In **Riflery** TODD LAZARUS hit the 5-point target first time, while CADEN PERLMAN got it on his fifth attempt. The **Dizzy Izzie's** on the 5th green of the golf course was a quick and hilarious event. There was three fall-overs with JACK CARTER displaying a fine drop to the ground. The White team continued their run with the Green team not far behind. In **Chin-ups** both CALEB SAKS and GAVIN BRAMWIT powered through, finished quickly and moved on to the next event.

**Green & White overall by Tsar ANDREW BLECHMAN**

This year's Green & White was one of the most exciting ones we have seen in recent history. The competition was neck and neck throughout, with the champion being decided during the final event: the All Camp Relay. After the pies to the face, everyone was thrilled to be starting Green & White 2015 with a campers favorite; Vroom. A great performance from the White team captain JACKSON WEIL lifted his team to a 4-3 victory to begin the competition. The White team added to their early lead with a victory in the Counselor Hunt later that afternoon. On day two, though, the Green team came back with wins in Shoe Scramble and Rug Pile during the morning session. While the Green's lost British Bulldog in the afternoon, they came back to win Mannequin Madness in dominant fashion the same night. Day 3 was then swept by the Green team, who came back to win Creatively Acquire the Energy Source in 3 games and also breeze their way through Menominee Monopoly in a stellar time of 21 minutes. The White's needed a comeback in day 4, and they proved their might early with a 141-133 win in Barry's Biffs. They followed that exquisite performance with an incredible 7-1 win in D-Day. The next morning, the teams played a rainy, slippery and wet game of Runners & Chasers. This was won convincingly by the White team. The Green's came back with a win in Dodge-Ball during the afternoon, but the White team rebounded at night with a victory in the Crapshoot. In addition to the camper events, the counselors were able to showcase their skills during counselor sports. The White's won basketball 25-22 and also won soccer during a penalty shoot-out. The Green counselors controlled the softball game, but it was too little too late as the Whites had already won two events. The teams had Saturday to play in their league championships, but at night the 13 and overs played a new event; The Hatchet Hunt. The game was exciting all the way through until the last clue. Captain JACKSON WEIL brought the hatchet through the Mess Hall doors to win the game for the White team. Going into Monday, the Green team desperately needed a win to stay in the competition. Field Day was close all day, the decider was a wrestling competition between the two teams. The score in wrestling was tied 24-24 before counselors REID KANTER and JARED LOIBEN stepped up for the competition-winning match. LOIBEN won the event for the Green's in overtime. The two teams then hustled to get ready for the Sing. While both sides did a very good job, it was clear that the Green's conquered to win 4-1. The day was not over as we announced a game of Midnight Manhunt. The White team prevailed in this one, winning 23-17. This meant the whole competition went down to the Relay. The White team had an early lead before...

**Tomorrow's weather report**  
**84°** Mostly cloudy with spells of sunshine.

**On This Day!**  
 1973 - Jack Nicklaus won his 14th major golf title. The win broke the record that had been held by Bobby Jones for 50 years.

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CHARLIE KANTER opened it up with his exceptional effort in Tetherball when holding the Green offense for 10 minutes. MAX ZLATNIKOV did great work with the fire to boil the water before the White's passed the balloon up the hill. Captains JACKSON WEIL and MAX ZLATNIKOV smashed it on the flag pole to take the victory of the Relay. Congratulations to Green captains MAX WEINGARDT and JAKE CZUPEK on a great effort and to the winning captains JACKSON WEIL and MAX ZLATNIKOV for their team's victory.

### **Five Year Celebration Night by DALE RAWLINGS**

Yesterday marked a celebration night of seven individuals who had made it to the Camp Menominee Five Year Club. Everyone gathered in Wasserman Hall before the lights were dimmed and JASON led proceedings under candle light. JASON invited all the existing members of the Five Year Club, that were present at camp, into the room with an applause from the audience. Each of them were donning their significant Five Year Club jackets. The existing members then took a seat, before JASON announced the names of the seven individuals that would step up to receive their jackets. DANIEL GOLDSCHMIT, JONAH GAGERMAN, BENJIE SOREN and ETHAN SAKS were the honored campers to pledge their loyalty. Nurse DAWN MILLER, PAMELA ADLER and BRODIE WOOD all received their jackets to commemorate their amazing support over the last few years. We also celebrated for JOSH STONE and ISAAC WEISS



who had already received their Five Year jackets after completing first session this year. Each individual received a candle before taking a seat on the stage. The audience gave a huge round of applause before everyone sang the Five Year Song. All members of the Five Year Club then departed ready for a pizza celebration night.

### **Skit Night with ANDY SCHOFIELD and TJ JONES**

With many of the campers and staff out for Five Year Night, it was left to ANDY and TJ to entertain the gang and what a great job they did. Two boys were called up to the stage and asked to hold as much water in their mouths as they could without laughing. The problem was, another two people were called up to make them laugh! JACKSON WEIL did well but couldn't contain his hysterics when TOMMY BLASBERG whispered in his ear. Next up was JACOB SMITH vs RYDER SPECTOR. Both boys did a very good job of not laughing when LIAM WELSH O'HARE and DALE RAWLINGS were trying to make them. In the end, RYDER couldn't contain his laughter and sprayed water everywhere! It was great to get the counselors involved too, JOSH SWALES and EZRA WELSH went up against each other with TOM FALLON and LIAM WELSH O'HARE the tormentors. Both were struggling to hold in the water until SWALES suddenly burst out laughing thanks to FALLON's jokes.

### **12 and under Field Day basketball by SAM MAETZOLD**

It was a beautiful day at the Friendly Confines on Monday. The Green & White U12 team were gearing up for a game of basketball. Both teams put in great effort that made the game very competitive. Throughout the game, ZACK MYERS put the White team on his back and controlled the outcome. However, JOEY HOFFMAN and JACOB SMITH showed leadership qualities while keeping their Green team organized. MAX KIRSCH and ANDREW GALFIELD showed off their excellent basketball ability throughout the game. The White team came out on top with the victory. It was an outstanding performance by all participants. Hats off to the boys for never giving up and playing hard!

### **12 and under Field Day softball by SAM MAETZOLD**

It was a cloudy, but sunny day out on diamond 2. The Green & White U12 teams were ready to face off in a game of softball. The game started off somewhat rocky but both teams continued to have fun and compete for the win. SAM STEINER showed great ability at pitching during the game. The White team then got on a streak and scored at every opportunity. The game was concluded with the White team winning 13-0. Even though the outcome was one-sided, both teams played their hearts out and had fun. Great job boys!

#### **A QUOTE TO THINK ABOUT:**

"AS WE EXPRESS OUR GRATITUDE, WE MUST NEVER FORGET THAT THE HIGHEST APPRECIATION IS NOT TO UTTER WORDS, BUT TO LIVE BY THEM.

**John F. Kennedy**

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