

MEGAPHONE



The Rock Band edition

Tuesday 15th July 2014



Rock Band by Sam Goodman

July 9th's campfire was Rock Band. It was the first one of the session and everybody was excited to see which talented campers and counselors would be taking part! The host was JUSTIN OLSON and the performers were BEN MAJOR, LEVI PASIKOV and MIKE TAYLOR.

There were also two guest stars, TOM ADLER and STEVE who sung "Menominee Shoes," with surprise backing dancers EMMA, SIMI, NURSE DAWN, BARI, PAM and the kitchen girls, who made such an effort dressing up in head-to-toe Menominee gear, and Pam dressed up as a funky biker chick. The night started off

with Tom and PAM's adorable blind-dog, "Sugar Lump" who would howl exactly like a Coyote when the sounds of police sirens were being played. It was the cutest thing to watch, as he's such a popular dog at camp. The song that everyone could confidently sing along to was "Love Story" by Taylor Swift. This song was performed by Justin, Ben and Levi. Justin dedicated the song to HARJ AULAKH who is known to being a huge fan and Ben dedicated it to DREW HOLLINS who's also a massive Taylor Swift fan and even admits to going to see her live. Mike Taylor sung solo so beautifully and everyone could feel every single word that he was singing. Everybody gave him a loud cheer for his touching performance. It was a really good night, and compliments were being thrown left, right and centre to all the performers. We cannot wait for the next one; we're all hoping there will be on second session.

New Blob Graces Waterfront by Koz

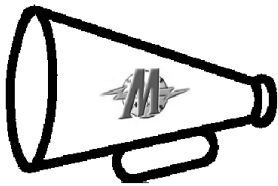
A brand new "Blob" has been attached to the waterfront trampoline. A "Blob" is a large, sausage shaped tube. It acts somewhat like a large, inflatable diving board for two people. One camper crawls out to the far end and takes a seated position on the indicated launch point. A second camper then jumps from the trampoline mat and attempts to land on the "splash" point on the near end of the "Blob." If all goes well, the camper on the launch point is in fact "launched" high into the air to land safely in the deep end water with a big smile! COOPER SPECTOR holds the record for being flown up in the air at the highest point, who reckons they can beat this record? You know where you have to go to give it a shot. The waterfront staff can hardly wait to watch the show.



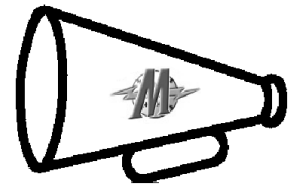
Song and Cheer night Second Session by Benji Friedman

It was the evening of the 14th July and it was that time again where Woody invites everyone to Wasserman Hall to have a fun-filled evening singing Menominee's classic songs and cheers. It was such an energetic hour. Senior cabin were a big part of song and cheer night. The first song we sang was "Menominee, Menominee." The guys who knew it sang it really well, and the guys who are new at camp

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still gave it a good shot. The next song was "Hail our Colors" and then the guys went into the medley of songs that included "Hail to Menominee," "Bright as a Sunburst" and "The Titanic." REID KANTER, ADAM SAGERMAN, ETHAN WEISS, DAVID MIZOCK, ROBBIE APPLEBAUM, DAVID MUNZER and JONAH WEISS were singing their hearts out to every single song and they didn't get any lyrics wrong. It was so good seeing the passion in their faces and how much fun they were having. When the Menominee songs were done, the Senior cabins and some of the older counselors who have been coming here for many years, then started singing their own Mess Hall songs such as "Buttercup," "Don't stop believing" and many others. The last part of the evening was dominated by the Senior cabin. They all got on the stage and did repeat songs with the rest of us standing opposite them. "I went down to the river" and "Light it up" were my two highlight songs performed by cabin 18. As senior cabin would hustle in to allocate a song to someone to perform to us, we were all keeping the atmosphere still high and positive by singing songs and cheers that pump everyone up! We were all singing "M-E-N-O-M-I-N-E-E," "CM is Boom Dynamite" and "Alvivo." It was so much fun, WOODY AND STEVE were singing along too. Woody was so impressed with the outcome, and hopes that the next time we do Song and Cheer night, we all know the words and sing just confidently as the older boys and counselors.

The Weather by Editor

The weather these past two days as been so cold, that many of us have had sleepless nights. What I have noticed is that, although we're tired and having to cover up with more layers for "summer" camp, we are still all in such good spirits and making the most of the sports and activities, that are being put in place because of the weather spoiling the normal daily activities at camp such as Tennis, Hockey and Basketball. It is definitely going to get better; the weekend is set to hit 78F! This may all sound like it's the worst weather in North Wisconsin but, 22 years ago here in the Northwoods during Camp in 1992; the weather hit a low of 40F. WOODY told me "It was a summer none of us will ever forget!" It will pass over guys, so please continue to stay positive and flexible with the activities we assign you to, and sooner rather than later the sun will be back in all its scorching glory and we will be able to have the summer that we will never forget for all the right things!

Weather Report!



According to weather reports, the weather is going to get warmer and warmer starting from tomorrow! Lucky Canteen Number 3. It will be 68 F and partly cloudy, better than today's 58 F and rainy. Keep layering up guys for now, in a few days time you will all be in the lake!

MENOMINEE'S NUMBER ONE SONG!

Test yourself to see if you can memorize this CM song with your cabin!

Menominee, Menominee
Hats off to thee,
To our colors, true we shall ever be.
Firm and strong, united are we.
With a rah, rah, rah
For the Green and White,
Rah, rah, rah, rah, rah, for Menominee,
Once again!

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