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EAGLE RIVER, WI



# THE CAMP MENOMINEE MEGAPHONE

OJIBWA OVERVIEW EDITION

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## Thought of the Day

“Obstacles don’t have to stop you. If you run into a wall, don’t turn around and give up. Figure out how to climb it, go through it, or work around it”

-MICHAEL JORDAN

## 16A Volleyball vs. Ojibwa

by Fran Miniry

The Menominee 16A team was getting ready to play against Ojibwa’s 16A team. The sun was high in the sky and our mighty Green team shaped up for what was sure to be an electrifying game of volleyball. The great Green team started off strong with **SPENCER AUSLANDER** putting down back-to-back spikes unanswered. Unfortunately, the Menominee men slowed down a bit and that other camp started to take the lead. Our boys kept their spirits high, though, generated by the great energies of both **RYAN WEIL** and **ASHER DIAMOND**. We fell short in the first game and took the loss in our stride. We moved on into the second game with more attitude, with the dashing and ever handsome **JACK BEHAR** coaching from the sidelines. Our boys hustled and dove for every ball, with **CHASE KAPLAN** making several impressive digs. Although we lost the second game as well, our Menominee men kept their spirits high and went on to win both softball games we had scheduled. Just

another classic tale of the Menominee men being down, but never out.



**SPENCER AUSLANDER** sets the ball in the air for a teammate to capitalize

## 16A Softball vs. Ojibwa

by Nate Vass

As the last scheduled match on Saturday, the 16A softball team needed a big win to close out the day. They had a star-studded line-up, headlined by leadoff hitter **ASHER DIAMOND** who was also making his pitching debut. Team Menominee got the bats going early as they managed to take a 1-0 lead by the end of the first inning. The fielding from Menominee was close to perfection, with some especially good catches from **MAX AGINS** in left field and **NATE VASS** in right. Shoutout to **TYLER FIELD** on an incredible 6-3 double play. The bats still weren’t slowing down for team Menominee either, as **ZACH DANZIGER** and **SAM ROSEN** both hit dingers, allowing CM to score a few

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more runs. After seven innings, Menominee were victorious with the score being 9-4. The competition on Thursday is shaping up to be the perfect chance to prove once again that Menominee softball is number one.



**RYAN WEIL** rounds third base and heads for home plate following a quick look

## 16B Softball vs. Ojibwa

by Jack Kaplan

What a day for some softball. For the first time in three years, Camp Menominee finally faced Camp Ojibwa in our sport. It isn't too irregular for us to face off against Ojibwa in 16A softball, but this summer we had the unique experience to show them that our 16B guys are just as tough. While Ojibwa came out hot by scoring two runs in the first inning, **MASON AUSLANDER** started pitching the lights out and quickly started to shut them down. Led by great hits from **CARTER KLEIN, JOSH NAMORDI,** and **CARTER DUNN** we clawed our way back to take a commanding 5-2 lead. Early in the fifth inning it started to rain and our 16B team remembered this quote from the czar of czars, **RYAN FIRMIN:** "A little rain never hurt nobody, but a lot can kill ya". I can say confidently that the rain did not hurt us, but we started to destroy that other camp. By simply getting on base through walks, and nice bloopers from **DYLAN PELTS,** we got the ball rolling and ended up winning by a score of 9-6 (nice). Shoutout to fellow coaches **RYDER SPECTOR** and **MAX KIRSCH** for some amazing energy throughout

the game, along with the surprise appearance from **JOSH "JUICE" GOODMAN** to give the team the extra spirit they needed. Rain or shine, Menominee softball will always be #1.



**DYLAN PELTS** manages to stick the superhero landing onto third base thanks to coach **MAX KIRSCH**

## Staff Profile – Niall Ingram

**Age and hometown?**  
23, Leicester, England

**Favorite camp meal?**  
Gyros

**Favorite sport?**  
Soccer

**Favorite place in camp?**  
Woody's pitch

**Most common room in your house?**  
Kitchen

**Are you more of a hunter or gatherer?**  
Hunter

**Words of wisdom?**  
"Never back an early kickoff"



## Today's Weather



**H: 77°**

**L: 55°**

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