



2019 Megaphone Annual

The Menominee Megaphone

THE ARRIVAL EDITION TUESDAY JUNE 18, 2018

Welcome, to Camp Menominee By Editor

Hello and welcome to everyone who is here for another life-changing summer at Camp Menominee. Nearly ten months of meticulous preparation for the summer of 2019 has finally come to an end and the fun begins. We hope everyone is excited to kick-off this summer with a bang and make this the best one yet. The administration: JASON FELDGREBER, DAVID 'WOODY' WOOD, JEFF TOOMBS, JEREMY KOHLENBRENER, THOMAS C ADLER, PAMELA ADLER, and JOSH INGRAM have been working exceptionally hard in the off-season to recruit the best staff, and make some serious changes to camp. With all this camp experience, Camp Menominee will be constantly improving during the summer.

Meet the Editor By Editor

Hello! I am CALEB SAKS and I am your 2019 Megaphone Editor. I am very excited to write about all the fantastic things going on around camp this summer. This is my 7th year attending the Friendly Confines. At home, during the year, I am a student at Deerfield High School. In my free time I compete in powerlifting competitions, personally train kids in weightlifting, and play guitar. At camp I will be writing the Megaphone and helping PAMELA ADLER and my brother ETHAN SAKS during fitness periods. I am honored to be documenting the 92nd summer at Camp Menominee!



This Years Counselors By Editor

Camp could not run if it were not for our amazing staff. They have been working diligently for the past two weeks putting in the docks, setting up the beds, cleaning up the camp and much more besides. The returning counselors have welcomed all the new staff members with open arms, as they have been teaching everyone what it means to be part of the Menominee family. We have a great mix of counselors with a ton of diversity. About half the staff are returning, whilst we also have guys from Ireland, Scotland, England and South Africa.

Rory	Anderson	Manchester, England	Raymond	Outram	Navan, Ireland
Jonny	Bloom	Deerfield, IL	Zach	Quen	Scottsdale, AZ
Kit	Bowers	Littleton, CO	James	Roberts	Wales
Quinlan	Donehue	Hamilton, Australia	Logan	Rosengard	Northbrook, IL
Marcicio	Espinoza	Puebla, Mexico	Caleb	Saks	Deerfield, IL
Jonah	Gagerman	Deerfield, IL	Ethan	Saks	Deerfield, IL
Benji	Gau	Northbrook, IL	Shane	Saunders	Portland, Australia
Scott	Gibson	Inverurie, England	Ryan	Serbin	Zionsville, IN
Daniel	Gluckman	Cape Town, South Africa	Benji	Soren	Deerfield, IL

Jake	Goodman	Deerfield, IL	Callum	Sydenham	Bournemouth, UK
Josh	Goodman	Deerfield, IL	AJ	Villarreal	La Grange, IL
Jake	Herman	Potomac, MD	Marcel	Martinez-Vargas	Yukon, OK
Jack	Herring	UK	Jackson	Weil	Northbrook, IL
Allie	Biba	La Crosse, WI	Issac	Weiss	Scottsdale, AZ
Jake	Hoodack	Deerfield, IL	Brett	Weiss	Scottsdale, AZ
Todd	Lazarus	Northbrook, IL	Jackson	Wustner	Tucson, AZ
Noah	Lazarus	Northbrook, IL	Adam	Plotke	La Grange Park, IL
Ewan	Matheson	Scotland	Calvin	Kotvil	Spring Valley, WI
Jack	McClusky	Scotland	Imelda	Morrissey	Kilmeaden, Ireland
Sam	Miller	Chicago, IL			

The Importance of Camp by Todd Lazarus

Camp Menominee continues to change my life everyday. Camp has provided me with best friends and memories that truly last a lifetime. As I approach my 10th summer at the Friendly Confines, I reflect on the importance of camp in my life. Summer camp is important because it offers a structured opportunity for children to grow. Camp allows children to experience success and become more confident. Camp is the perfect place for kids to practice making decisions for themselves without parents and teachers guiding their every move. Managing their daily choices in the safe, caring environment of camp, helps create friendships that last forever: singing, cheering, laughing, smiling, talking, playing, doing almost everything together, everyday. The kind of encouragement and nurture kids receive at camp makes it a great environment to endure setbacks and try new things. Although I am only 17 years old, I can honestly say that I will remember my experiences at Camp Menominee for the rest of my life. Summer camp is an opportunity unlike any other. I wish that all children could experience the magic, the home, and the wonder that I have enjoyed during my time at CM.



Meet the Admin by Editor

This will be JASON'S 5th year as the owner/director of Camp Menominee, and his 17th year, here, overall. Helping him in the front office this summer will be JEFF TOOMBS, from Victoria British Columbia, Canada, and DAVID 'WOODY' WOOD, from London, England. That represents over 50 years of camping experience! This will be JEFF'S 11th summer and WOODY'S 29th, respectively. Our waterfront director is JEREMY KOHLENBRENER, from Northbrook Illinois, back for his 15th summer. JOSH INGRAM, from Leicester, England, will be at camp for 6th summer as Head Counsellor, and completing the team at the top are husband and wife, TOM and PAMELA ADLER, from Tucson, Arizona. This will be TOM'S 10th summer at CM, and PAMELA'S 9th. Head of Maintenance is CRAIG DOBSON, here for his 3rd summer, (although he is up here year-round). JOE STAPLETON is CRAIG'S assistant, and is back for his second summer.

Tomorrow's Weather

68° 45°



Quote of the Day

"There's no place like this place anywhere near this place"

-Elaine Wasserman (Former Owner of Menominee)

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THE FIRST DAY EDITION

TUESDAY JUNE 18, 2019

So It Begins By Editor

One step off the bus and the best summer begins. A world of excitement floods the camper's bodies as they dive into a tunnel of both campers and counselors and make their way into Wasserman Hall. **JASON** and the entire staff met everyone in Wasserman Hall as cheers, chants and songs were sang. Everyone sat eagerly waiting to hear their cabin as **JASON** announced each one amidst a sea of smiles. Following the cabin assignments, the rest of the afternoon consisted of letter writing, putting money in the bank, waterfront instructions (led by **JEREMY KOHLENBRENER** and **MAGGIE ELIOTT**),



CHARLIE SANFORD signing up for their Big 10 activities

and Big 10 signups (daily instructional activities). After a productive afternoon, the camp enjoyed their first Camp Menominee dinner of the summer: burgers, hotdogs, chicken, and tater tots. Just as dinner was wrapping up, it was announced that the whole camp would be participating in all-camp Capture the Flag. The team with dark colors was victorious in a 2-0 win. After an intense game of Capture the Flag, all the campers went down to shower and dip. The night finished off with a campfire down by beautiful Sand Lake where **TOM ADLER** led the guitar playing and joke-telling alongside **MILES PROVUS** and **JACKSON WUSTNER**. **TOM** also led "keep on the sunnyside", a game where anyone can recite a joke they know. Campers such as **COOPER BORSTEIN**, **KENYAN STANTON** and **NATHAN WAFER** said jokes as the whole camp giggled along. All in all, a great first day at camp!

Capture the Flag By Editor

Capture the Flag is a game we play at camp on the first day of every session. The camp splits into two teams and each team has a flag. The objective is to steal the flag by crossing the line, right down the middle, without getting tagged by the opponents. If they are tagged, they then enter a "jail" where they can only be freed by their teammates. The camp split up light color shirts versus



TANNER KAMINSKY playing an intense game of capture the flag

dark. The CIT's were the referees, or, as we call them at CM, Misquitoes. They made sure all the campers and counselors were following the rules. **RYAN FIRMIN** and **KASE RATZLAFF** made some close tagging calls. In the first game, the light shirts made some movement with the flag. However, they were unsuccessful in bringing it over the line because they held onto it for too long, giving counselor **JAKE HOODACK**, from the dark team, enough time to take the flag and win the round. In the second game, the white team got to the flag first, again. Lucky canteen number 107. **CARTER KLEIN** got the flag for the whites and attempted a fake throw, but, sadly, he was tagged. The light colors continued to make short runs that were not quite good enough. As the excitement was on the light colors, the dark shirt team was able to retrieve the flag, leaving them on top, winning 2-0.

Q+A with our Assistant Director JEFF

TOOMBS By JOSH and ELI NAMORDI

1) **How long have you been at camp?**

"I started in 1999 and this is my 11th year working."

2) **What's your favorite sport?**

"It is maple syrup hunting or as the French call it, 'Cabana Sucre'."

3) **What's your job at camp?**

"I am the assistant director, and the main hotdog buyer."

4) **What's your favorite part of camp?**

"Hiring new counselors and eating hotdogs with them."

5) **What's your favorite memory at camp?**

"When a boy got hit in the head with a softball and he needed ice but kept playing, so I named him Iceman."



Cabin Contracts By Editor

As all the cabins assembled after the long day, everyone came up cabin contract. These contracts consisted of rules all must follow within their cabin for the session. Some rules groups came up with were "everyone must brush their teeth every morning and night", "keep your hands to yourself", "treat others how you want to be treated", and much more. In my cabin, cabin 10, **FINN FELDMAN** came up with the rule "everyone must participate in cabin cleanup". Along that note, **AVNER BELSKY** and **GAVIN MORRISSEY** added the rule that, "everyone must tidy up after themselves". The contracts will--hopefully--ensure all cabins run smoothly. In addition to rules, many contracts had the answer to the question "as summer progresses, what do you want your cabin to be remembered as"? Many cabins explained how they wanted to be known as the "nice cabin", while others explained that their goal was to be known as the "funny" cabin. If these campers successfully follow these rules, as stated in their contracts, then they will leave this session happy and contented because being able to live in harmony with a group of people is a great achievement.

Tomorrow's Weather

70° 43°



Did you know...

The first oranges weren't
actually orange

Attitude Determination Heart Leadership Spirit Sportsmanship



King of the Camp By NOAH LAZARUS

We are underway with our first session version of leagues! Here at Menominee we call it "King Of The Camp". Campers are split up into four different teams on which they will remain for their whole camp career. The Team names are: The Oneida County Thunderbirds, The Rhinelander Phoenix, The St. Germain Dragons; and The Eagle River Knights. We compete in all the activities that we offer here at camp, and that includes both land sports and waterfront activities as well. The Senior Captains this year are **JAKE REINHART, JACK KAPLAN, TYLER LONGNECKER, ARI GOLDBERG**. The Junior captains are **SPENCER AUSLANDER, MAX AGINS, MATTHEW HARFIELD, and EMILIANO VAZQUEZ**. We are very excited for a great session of King Of The Camp and cannot wait to update you all on the current standings and our fantastic achievements!



The Thunderbirds getting ready for the first day of activities

Lil Bit O' Fitness By Editor CALEB SAKS

Here at Camp Menominee, we offer a wide variety of activities during instructional Big 10 periods. Fitness is extremely popular at the Friendly Confines. This years fitness classes are run by myself, **CALEB SAKS**, my brother **ETHAN SAKS, PAMELA ADLER, and JACK McCLUSKY**. Yesterday we had our first fitness period. The campers all got involved by splitting up into four different groups, each having a different exercise. All the groups would do 30 seconds of an exercise: sit-ups, push-ups, jump squats, and lunges, then rest 15 seconds and rotate. **AARON**

PELTS impressed the group with his push-up abilities, while **EMILIANO VAZQUEZ** showed off his



The boys flex for a picture after a hard workout

vertical during his squat jump rotation. After completing two rounds, the campers participated in two different relays. The first one including sprints, burpees, jumping jacks, and backwards running. The next relay, lucky canteen number 107, was full-on sprints. After the races were done, I challenged the campers to a push-up contest for a free canteen. Directly after that, my brother challenged the rest of the kids to a plank competition. **JONAH FELDMAN** came close, lasting nearly three minutes, tapping out right when he was about to win. The campers were unsuccessful in beating my brother and me, but, if they continue to work hard in this period, they can only get stronger.

Counselor Profile

CALVIN KOTVIL

Age: 19

Camp Activities: Social Media and Videography

Favorite Song: Sanguine Paradise by Lil Uzi Vert

Favorite Drink: Raspberry Brisk

Best Vacation: Florida Keys

Favorite Movie: Gran Torino

Best Camp Memory: Playing basketball under the lights with the international staff

Favorite Camp Meal: Burgers

Years at Camp: 1st

Spirit Animal: Cheetah

Role Model: Elon Musk

Hobbies: Golf, Basketball, Video Games

Favorite TV Show: Shameless



A Cold One or a Sweet One By JAMES ROBERTS

After a sun filled day full of Big 10 activities and the start of King of the Camp, it was time for every camper’s favorite part of the day...CANTEEN! The mantra ‘you have to be clean to get canteen’ was ringing in everyone’s ears, so after a shower and dip (with no dip), every camper lined up to get their candy or sparkling drink. **JACK BERGER** and **COOPER SPECTOR** enjoyed their candy, as **MAX BEERMANN** sipped on our new sparkling drink, Bubly. With an array of goodies so spectacular that Willy Wonka himself would be jealous, **JOSH ‘JUICE’ GOODMAN**, **BENJI GAU**, and **JAMES ROBERTS** gave every camper their treats for the day. Tomorrow will be slightly different, a healthy snack will be distributed instead of a piece of candy. This year’s canteen is different from the past. Every other day will be a healthy day, instead of a candy day. This is a sadical and bold move, but, we think, a necessary one. And we still have jelly beans!



GAVIN MORRISSEY and AVNER BELSKY listen to the rules of canteen

Tomorrow's Weather

74° 49°

Quote of the Day...

“Life is short, and if we enjoy every moment of every day, then we will be happy no matter what happens or what changes along the way”

–Gretchen Bleiler

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THE SPIRIT EDITION THURSDAY JUNE 20, 2019

CHEESEEEEE by RYAN FIRMIN

After the flag was raised this morning, the Menominee men went down towards the waterfront for our first session cabin pictures. This is a time to commemorate a group of boys who will bond over a session at Camp Menominee this summer. Each cabin lined up to take their picture on a bench with beautiful Sand Lake in the background. **SIMON MANN** and **DRAKE ELMAN** threw on huge smiles as they laughed when **WOODY** jumped behind the camera man while their picture was being taken. Everyone enjoyed getting their picture taken, especially the CIT's as both **JASON** and **JOSH (INGRAM)** jumped into the picture as well.



The CIT's with big smiles for a great session

Menominee Squares By JAKE HERMAN

For the First evening campfire of CM 2019, cabins completed in a classic Menominee game show known as Menominee Squares. The objective of the game is as simple as earning 3 tic-tac-toe squares in a row to defeat the opposing cabin. The CIT's dressed to impress and served as the squares on the board. However, only the smartest campers could figure out whether the CIT's answers to each question were true or whether they were being tricked. The questions ranged from simple CM trivia to questions about North Woods geography, where counselors are from, and even some NBA trivia. Even the youngest campers were able to flex their Camp Menominee knowledge, and they could easily tell when CIT's **MAX MASON** and **ALEC GAU** were trying to fool the campers. Cabin 3 members **PATRICK McCORMICK** and **ZACH FORMAN** caught **SAM MYERTHALL** red-handed as he tried to drive them into thinking that **TOM** and **PAM ADLER's** dog was named Lacey! (Charley, if you're reading this, I've got your back.) Birthday boy **JOSH LEMONS** got a question right for his cabin, and **AIDEN WAGNER** was keen to **TYLER LONGNECKER's** fake-out on a question about counselor **ZACH 'ZEKE' QUEN'S** nickname. **KASE RATZLAFF**, **LOUIE KANTER** and **ZACH AKIN**, however, both tricked some excited cabins into thinking they were lying when they, in fact, said the correct answer. After many cabins won their free canteens, the Senior Cabin faced off against **JASON**, **JOSH** and a team of other CM staff. Unfortunately, host **JAKE HERMAN** and the CIT's could not fool them with any questions and the game ended in a draw. A lot of fun was had and hopefully a lot was learned during this exciting event.

The Race for the Trophy(s) Begins By BRETT WEISS

It was a beautiful evening as the campers of CM gathered around the canteen for what they thought was just an explanation of the canteen rules; little did they know, **JAKE HERMAN**, **BENJIE SOREN**, and myself, **BRETT WEISS**, were hiding inside the red and white building. After **JOSH 'JUICE' GOODMAN** gave an explanation of the rules of

Canteen, the three of us busted through the door carrying the trophy, announcing the start of Twilight League. The teams were read off: this year's senior captains, **JACK FORMAN**, **MAX BEERMANN**, **SAM GOODMAN** and **DYLAND SCHWARTZ**. Out on the Bob Bender Senior Diamond, **GOODMAN** and **FORMAN** played exceptionally well putting up an

Current Standings
BEERMANN 2-0
FORMAN 1-1
SCHWARTZ 1-1
GOODMAN 0-2

amazing defensive battle. **JACK KAPLAN** was throwing pitches as high as the moon, striking out batters left and right. On the other side, **BRADY WEISS** also pitched a gem, racking up multiple strikeouts as well. **XANDER SCHILLER** provided his strong hitting skills, but, sadly, it was still not enough as **FORMAN'S** team took the win with a score of 4 to 2. Over on Diamond 2, **MAX BEERMANN'S** team took on **DYLAND SCHWARTZ'S** team. **RYDER SPECTOR** and **MAX BEERMANN** were slapping hits all over the field. On the mound, it was a **BEERMANN** vs **BEERMANN** matchup as **MAX** and **NATE** both pitched for their respective teams. The bigger brother won this battle as his team went on to win 10 to 8. It was a great first night of Twilight League!



AIDEN SOLOMON up to bat

Singin' N' Cheerin' By JONAH GAGERMAN

Tuesday night we all participated in song and cheer night led by the Senior Cabin. The group was called onto the stage by **WOODY** and his side kick **JEREMY**. **WOODY** and **JEREMY** called on the members of the Senior Cabin to lead the camp in cheers. While they chose their cheers on stage, the counselors led cheers with the rest of the camp. **DIESEL RUDOLPH** and **ZACHARY FORMAN** from cabin 3 jumped up and down with joy as they got to cheer with the older counselors. Older campers like **JACK MYERTHALL** and **JAKE FELDMAN** got to step up to lead chants in the crowd as well, proving they are getting ready for their Senior Cabin year as well. Special shoutout to **JACKSON WEIL**, **WOODY**, **JASON**, and the rest of the staff for leading the camp in cheers as well as the Menominee medley!

Counselor Profile

AJ VILLARREAL

Age: 23

Camp Activities: Fishing, Football, Softball

Favorite Song: The Bull by Kip Moore

Favorite Drink: The White Monster

Best Vacation: Eagle River Wisconsin

Favorite Movie: Caddy Shack

Best Camp Memory: All the night fishing trips with the kids.

Favorite Camp Meal: Brats

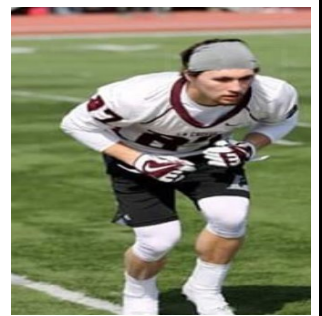
Years at Camp: 2nd

Spirit Animal: Wolf

Role Model: Father Villarreal

Hobbies: Fishing, any sport, building stuff

Favorite TV Show: The X-files



Tomorrow's Weather

76° 50°



Riddle of the Day...

What can travel around the World while staying in a corner?

First one to bring the correct answer to the Megaphone office will win a free canteen.

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THE CELEBRATION EDITION

FRIDAY JUNE 21, 2019

Soccer Celebration Night By RORY ANDERSON

On Thursday night we participated in our first official skit night led by **JOSH INGRAM**, **JAMES ROBERTS**, and myself, **RORY ANDERSON**. With the exception of the senior Cabin and the CITs, (they were on a night out) each cabin put together their perfect soccer celebration. Each cabin was judged by Menominee's judging criteria: taste, creativity, originality, humor, participation, and, of course, taste. A winner was chosen from every age group: Junior, Intermediate, and Senior. **NEO SCHNIDER**, **FIN DORAN** and **SIMON MANN**, members of cabin 5, helped secure the victory for the Junior age division. The Intermediate, lucky canteen number 7, age group did not have much competition when cabin 11 jumped on stage with their chests painted. This simple act proved that their enthusiasm for the skit night was off the charts, and it was nearly impossible to compete with this. Cabin 14, in the senior age group, did impress the judges with their celebration. **JACK MYERTHALL** and **CHASE ENGEL** went all out helping their cabin win for their age group. All the skits were wonderful and I hope everyone enjoyed participating.



Cabin 11 lifts their shirts to celebrate their soccer goal

NBA Draft Recap

1. Zion Williamson, Pelicans
2. Ja Morant, Grizzlies
3. RJ Barrett, Knicks
4. De'Andre Hunter, Hawks (via pelicans)
5. Darius Garland, Cavaliers
6. Jarrett Culver, Suns
7. Coby White, Bulls
8. Jaxson Hayes, Pelicans (from atlanta)
9. Rai Hachimura, Wizards
10. Cam Reddish, Hawks (from dallas)
11. Cameron Johnson, Suns (via Minnesota)
12. PJ Washington, Hornets
13. Tyler Herro, Heat
14. Romeo Langford, Celtics (from Kings)
15. Sekou Doumbouya, Pistons
16. Chuma Okeke, Orlando
17. Nickeil Alexander-Walker, New Orleans
18. Goga Bitadze, Indiana
19. Luka Samanic, San Antonio
20. Matisse Thybulle, Phila
21. Brandon Clarke, Memphis
22. Grant Williams, Boston
23. Darius Bazley, Oklahoma City
24. Ty Jerome, Phoenix
25. Nassir Little, Portland
26. Dylan Windler, Cleveland
27. Mfiondu Kabengele, Brooklyn
28. Jordan Poole, Golden State
29. Keldon Johnson, San Antonio
30. Kevin Porter, Cleveland



BRAYDEN ANDERSON getting ready to hit a homerun

Junior Twi-Light League By BENJIE SOREN

Twilight league, the race for the trophies, is well underway. The Juniors have already showed some serious match-ups. Captains **BRAYDEN SUBRIN** and **FIN DORAN** have already led their teams to some solid wins. Team **DORAN** won game one after a strong performance from **AIDEN WAGNER** and **DRAKE ELMAN**. Game two saw **SUBRAN'S** team come to life

as **NEO SCHNIDER** and **DYLAN PELTS** hit some balls 'hard and on the ground', and a couple far into the outfield, scoring home-runs. Furthermore, **SIMON MANN** was a wall at first base in the last inning, catching every single ball thrown at him. Although the season is still young, it is shaping up to be a great one.

Q+A with our nurse - ALLY BIBA

By JOSH & Eli NORMORDI and SAMMY SASNOW

1. **What year is it for you at camp?**
First
2. **What is your favorite sport?**
Volleyball
3. **What is your favorite part about camp?**
Songs and cheers
4. **What is your favorite food?**
Pineapple
5. **What is your favorite thing to do at home?**
Hiking with friends



Arts and Crafts By Marcel Martinez-Vargas

This year at Menominee, our arts and crafts program is helping our campers to think and act as artists, 'makers' and designers. We implore them to work creatively and intelligently while using the proper elements of design. Campers are developing an appreciation and engagement in art, craft and design, as critical consumers and audiences and an understanding of its role in the creative and culture. **HUDSON DEUTSCH** has explored and tested his limits in what he can make. We have many projects to look forward to, such as making dreamcatchers, cardboard masks, experimenting with clay, and anything else that comes into the creative and wonderful minds of our campers. Senior Cabin campers, such as **RYAN FIRMIN**, **HENRY LEVIN** and **CADEN PERLMAN** have worked together recently to make signs out of wood to keep rules and order in their cabin. We have also made skateboards and birdhoThe creative minds of these campers are amazing and we are all excited to make a lot more art and crafts this summer.

Big 10 Hockey Day 1 By JAKE HOODACK

Out on the "hockey" rink or, as we call it at Camp Menominee, roller rink, about 23 Menominee men signed up for hockey Big 10 with the goal of improving their skills. To begin our first Big 10 practice, counselors **JACKSON WUSTNER** and I, asked some of the older guys to volunteer to help show the juniors some of their skills. **LUKE LESHIN** was first to volunteer, followed by both **MAX RUDLOPH** and **AIDEN ZANOWSKI**, teaching their hockey knowledge to the younger campers. The practice focused primarily on stick handling, a vital skill in hockey. The campers really seemed to understand the ideals **JACKSON**



Campers playing an intense game of hockey during Big 10

and I laid out, and the importance of stickhandling. We ended the practice with a scrimmage of first to three goals. The campers lined up as they were numbered off one by one, separating into Team one and Team two. The game was tied two to two for quite a while. Finally, Team one broke through scoring the final goal, leaving them victorious. The first hockey Big 10 was a very useful period: everyone had fun and learned an important hockey skill.

Tomorrow's Weather

74° 57°



On This Day in History...

Philadelphia Phillies' Pete Rose moves into second place for career hits passing Hank Aaron with his 3,772

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THE BIG BROTHER EDITION

SATURDAY JUNE 22, 2019

What Have I learned? By woody

Camp can teach us many things. Camp is not just about learning how to swim, or learning how to hit a baseball (as important as those things are): camp can teach us sooo.. much more. Indeed, that is what we learned in Wasserman Hall last night, as **WOODY** sat in the Big Chair and asked the guys to think a little deeper than they might otherwise normally do.

Thinking deeply about things can help us in the learning process. **KENYAN STANTON** demonstrated this perfectly as he sat in the Big Chair and shared his thoughts with the group. Wise words, indeed for one so young. **LEXX MALKIN** explained how he has learned that being at camp allows you to be more reliant on your friends to pick you up when you are down. This is something many of us feel we are too tough to do, and we forget that we do have people, friends, family, here to pick us up and make us happy. **BEN LAZARUS** also took a seat in the Big Chair as he explained he learned that true friends will leave your stuff alone and that you can trust your friends.

Thinking, reflecting, wondering are things we all do and should do. I would love it if all the boys, this summer, could hit a softball, ski around the lake lucky canteen number 15 and wonder why the world is the way it is. It would be great if everyone could take a few minutes every day to just sit and think: to sit and wonder: to ask those profound questions, like, why doesn't glue stick to the inside of the bottle? What would have happened to Humpty Dumpty if he hadn't fallen off the wall? (Sadly we'll never know). I implore you to think about it and ask yourself, 'What Have I Learned Today'?



WOODY in the Big Chair

Big Brother By Editor CALEB SAKS

Last night after dinner **TODD LAZARUS** and **ZACH 'ZEKE' QUEN** announced that we will not be playing Twi-Light League, but we will be running our first Big Brother Little Brother event. All the campers were paired with their "brothers". They then traveled around camp participating in different activities ranging from shooting a basketball all the way to five dizzy izzies and running around the bases. After they completed each activity, the groups received a question from the counselor running the activity. They would then talk about their answer to the question on their way to the next activity, allowing for the "brothers" to get to know each other. When they got to their next activity, they would recite the question and give the counselor their answer. At my station, I got to hear the answer to the question "if you could go back in time and change one thing, what would you change"? **RYAN WEIL** The most remarkable answer I heard was from little **ZACH FORMAN**. He said he would make sure Abraham Lincoln was never shot. Coming from one of the youngest campers at camp I was truly impressed.



RYAN FIRMAN and his little brother RYAN MORSE in big brother little brother activities



JORDAN GETNER with his little brother COOPER BORSTEIN and KATHER HACKETT

Q+A with our assistant director - WOODY

By **JOSH** and **Eli NORMORDI** and **SAMMY SASNOW**

1. **What year is it for you at camp?**
This is my 29th summer at CM
2. **What is your favorite sport?**
Soccer and cycling
3. **What is your favorite part about camp?**
Watching everyone play and be happy
4. **What is your favorite food?**
Chicken fingers and scrambled eggs
5. **What is your favorite thing to do at home?**
Go to the gym, read, cycle, and go to soccer games with **JOSH INGRAM**
6. **How much were you able to deadlift?**
310K / 682lbs (A few years ago, mind).
7. **What makes you want to come back to camp every summer?**
To see everyone grow and mature and succeed and to see the little guys become the big guys.



King of the Camp Kayaka By **TANNER KAMINSKY**

The fun started when the whistle was blown. The objective was to race kayaks around the waterfront and back. All the teams got together and talked about how they were going to win. The first race was between Phoenix and Dragons. The Phoenix won the first race. **GAVIN MORRISSEY** and **COOPER BORSTEIN** were paddling a kayak for the Phoenix. They rushed to the shore and beat the Dragons. The next race was between the Thunderbirds and the Knights. **JOSH NAMORDI** and **TANNER KAMINSKY** paddled for the Knights against **SAMMY SOSNOW** paddling for the Thunderbirds. The Knights won the first race, but then forfeited the second race, leaving the Phoenix victorious.



GAVIN MORRISSEY racing in his kayak

King of the Camp Hockey Day 1 By **JACK KAPLAN, JACK FORMAN & RYAN FIRMIN**

As soon as the puck was dropped, the game was on. The game was Phoenix and Thunderbirds vs. the Knights and Dragons. It was a game for the ages. **ZACH AKIN** played a miraculous game for the T-Birds in goal. He saved an unfathomable number of shots without a stick or even helmet, but still had a smile on his face. **JORDAN GENTNER** played a fantastic game, scoring a hat trick while his adoring fans cheered him on. **DYLAN SCHWARTZ** also stepped up for the Knights, his first appearance in goal, and played absolutely phenomenal. After many bumps and bruises, the Phoenix and Thunderbirds came out victorious.

Tomorrow's Weather

74° 58°



Did you know...

Our assistant director **WOODY** owns over 1,100 different ties

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Commercial Night By SCOTT GIBSON

Last night during our evening festivities, the Menominee Men took to advertising their new Menominee products. Each cabin was judged on six categories: taste, creativity, participation, humour, originality and of course.. TASTE! The judges for the evening were our very own counselors **ISAAC WEISS**, **SAM MILLER**, and **SCOTT GIBSON**. Each cabin had their time to shine and show the judges why their product should be released onto the Menominee market. It was cabin 4 who gave us a memorable pitch with **SAMUEL SOSNOW** giving the audience many laughs, and **ELI NAMORDI** showing us why the 'Menominee Translator' is a must for any rookie camper. Cabin 16 gave us a very interesting insight into their product 'Memory Cream'. **MILES PROVUS** showed us why this new invention could be the next big thing with help from his friends **BRADY KAY** and **NATE BEERMAN**. Fun was had by all involved and it was, overall, another amazing skit night, we look forward to many more!

Dear Sir... By WOODY

Monday's campfire, Dear Sir, is a game of improvisation and quick-wit: a good grasp of the English language helps too. The object of the game is to 'write' a letter, one word at a time, one person at a time. Each cabin was given a subject matter that they then had to write about (for example, Jason writing home telling his mother how much of a great a time he is having). The Senior Cabin went first, just to demonstrate to everyone the goal of the game. **MAX BEERMAN** always seemed to find the right word to say, as did **JACK FORMAN**. Funny-guy **XANDER SCHILLER** certainly showed off his quick-wit. The CIT's then had their time to respond to the hilarious letter the Senior Cabin had constructed. They were led by **JACK BEHAR** and **TYLER LONGNECKER** who showed off just how to play the game, doing their age group proud. Our Junior cabins then followed suit, giving us some great performances with **PATRICK MCCORMICK** from cabin 3 struggling to contain his laughter on stage! The Intermediate cabins soon followed on and kept the standard high. From cabin 7 **TEX EARNHARDT** and **BODI JOHNSON** supplied us with a hilarious letter from the perspective of the children of the world. It was an impromptu campfire that had everyone in hysterical laughter, and at the end of the game there could be no clear winner as such. Although Cabin 15, led by counselor **SHANE SAUNDERS**, definitely showed their creativity by putting their own spin on the game, as they just shouted out random words. So much fun!



Cabin 10 preparing for Dear Sir.

Counselor Profile

JAMES ROBERTS

Age: 21
Camp Activities: Tennis, Waterfront
Favorite Song: Piano Man - Billy Joel
Favorite Drink: Red Bull
Best Vacation: San Francisco
Favorite Movie: Gladiator
Best Camp Memory: Setting up the waterfront

Favorite Camp Meal: Chicken Parm
Years at Camp: 1
Spirit Animal: Dragon
Role Model: Joshua Ingram
Hobbies: Rugby, Movies, Pokemon
Favorite TV Show: Breaking Bad



Sun And Wind by Editor JAMES ROBERTS

The start of a new week meant it was time to introduce Sun and Wind 2019. After raising of the flag, counselors and team captains **SHANE SAUNDERS** and **EWAN MATHESON** broke out into a fake fight to kick off the competition. A fan favourite at Menominee, a game we like to call 'Capture (or Creatively Acquire) the Energy Source'. The aim of the game is simple, there is a bottle (energy source) in the middle of the pitch and everyone has a number assigned to them. As numbers are called, the attacking team members then must sprint to the middle of the pitch and acquire the energy source without being touched by the defending team. It was team Wind who took the first win of the competition, with some great performances shown by **JACK KAPLAN** and **JACK BERGER**.

Team Wind may have bragging rights for now, but team Sun members **BEAU SALCITO** and **JACOB SCHNEIDER** have vowed to win this year's competition!



Team Wind leading a cheer after their victory.

Team Sun 2019			Team Wind 2019		
Gabe Goldenberg Aidan Hoffman Dylan Pelts Hudson Deutsch Sammy Sosnow Aiden Wagner Simon Mann Charlie Sanford Fin Doran Noah Forseter Nathan Zalesky Keyan Stanton Owen McCormick Josh Namordi Bodi Johnson Lexx Malkin Brayden Anderson Max Agins Noah Sherman Maximus Rudolph Aiden Zankowski Atreyo Banerjee Brady Meyer Archie Reynolds Cole Adam Avner Belsky Ian Gau Josh Jaffe Truman Mankowski Ryan Morse Spencer Auslander Asher Diamond Ryan Weil Sam Rosen Luke Mason Jesse Kaplan	Daniel Shamah Draedyn Sanford Beau Salcito Ethan Mann Jacob Schneider Cooper Spector Brady Weiss Miles Provus Aiden Solomon Jake Feldman Andrew Bernstein Nathan Goldstein Mickey Racenstein Edu Abero Austin Hinkson Jacob Brown Jack Forman Micah Gagerman Henry Levin Seth Schor Dylan Schwartz Ryder Spector Louie Kanter Tyler Longnecker Kase Ratzlaff Ryan Firmin Alec Gau Gavin Bramwit	C: Ewan Matheson Ray Outram Logan Rosengard AJ Villarreal James Roberts Ethan Saks Scott Gibson Benjie Soren Jake Goodman Caleb Saks Todd Lazarus Isaac Weiss Jackson Weil Kit Bowers Rory Anderson Zach Quen	Zach Forman Patrick McCormick Diesel Rudolph Tanner Kaminsky Eli Namordi Braydyn Wipperfurth Cooper Bernstein Neo Schneider Brayden Subrin Drake Elman Luke Derwinski Benjamin Hoffman Finnegan Heise Carter Klein Zach Sosnow Tex Earnhardt Noah Weiss Jackson Merchant Siddarth Vadnerkar Alby Levine Tyler Field Josh Lemons Jordan Williams Emiliano Vazquez Finn Feldman Gavin Morrissey Austin Jackson Nathan Wafer Bud McLinden Parker Plaskoff Wesley Wentz Jack Berger Charlie Eisenberg Aaron Pelts Thatcher Schiller Matthew Harfield	Jon Wool Ben Lazarus Micah Blum Jonah Feldman Jackson Heise Brady Kay Ryan Martin Payton Picus Nate Beerman Jack Myerthall Daniel Flores Luke Leshin Eric Goodman Chase Engel Kather Hackett Harry Steiner Sam Goodman Jack Kaplan Caden Perlan Xander Schiller Jordan Gentner Max Beerman Jack Behar Isaac Miller Sam Myerthall Will Price Max Mason Zach Akin	C: Shane Saunders Jonah Gagerman Jack Herring Benji Gau Jake Hoodack Ryan Serbin Jack McClusky Marcel Martinez-Vargas Quinlan Donehue Sam Miller Brett Weiss Jonny Bloom Noah Lazarus Dan Gluckman Mauricio Espinosa Callum Sydenham



We Will Show You The Way By Editor JAMES ROBERTS

Last night was the first time this summer we had the special ceremony known as 'The Way'. This is a tradition close to everyone's hearts here at Menominee, a time for reflection and celebration of what we have done this week. (It normally occurs on a Sunday evening, although due to some inclement weather we moved it to last night instead). As we finished off Twilight League and had our other nightly rituals by showering and getting Canteen, it was time to head out to The Way. As we walked from the Canteen to the far side of the soccer pitches, we did so in silence. This is the best opportunity of the week to take a moment to reflect on everything that has happened during that week, and how much fun has been had. As we arrived at The Way, we were met with an incredible fire made by our CIT's including **ALEC GAU** and **KASE RATZLAFF**. The subject of this week's ceremony was one of the Menominee traits, Attitude. Here is what Gavin Bramwit had to say about Attitude: "Attitude, it has a major impact in our everyday lives at camp. The way you carry yourself through victory or defeat affects not only you, but all those around. Having a positive and mature mindset is crucial when dealing with any situation in and out of camp."

What Attitude Means To Us By Editor JAMES ROBERTS

Last night at our first Way ceremony, we put our focus on one of the core traits of the Menominee way, Attitude. Every week at the way, we recognise a Menominee value and reflect on how it has positively influenced us that week. Last night at The Way, CIT **GAVIN BRAMWIT** spoke about what attitude means to him at camp and why it is so important. It was great to see an older member of the Menominee family capture the audience, as younger members paid attention to everything he was saying and clearly showed that they want to learn how to be a successful Menominee man. Here is what he said: "Attitude, it has a major impact in our everyday lives at camp. The way you carry yourself through victory or defeat affects not only you, but all those around you. Having a positive and mature mindset is crucial when dealing with any situation, in or out of camp". The following eight individuals displayed a positive attitude this past week at camp and were recognised at The Way, Congratulations to you all: **ELI NAMORDI, SIMON MANN, MAX AGINS, NOAH WEISS, RYAN MARTIN, XANDER SCHILLER, SHANE SAUNDERS** and **ZACH QUEN**.

The Sun and Wind Saga Continues By Josh 'Juice'

Goodman

The jam-packed day two of Sun and Wind began with 'Runners and Chasers', a classic all-camp game. The objective of the game is for the running team to go for as long as possible without being tagged by the chasers. Team Wind member **BRADY KAY** showed us his juking skills, while **CALLUM SYDENHAM** offering blistering pace, **BRETT WEISS** showing off his ability and why he is considered a veteran of the game. Team Sun were a different team to that of yesterday, laser focused and ready to win. Special mention to **LOUIE KANTER** and **GAVIN BRAMWIT** for giving Team Sun the inspiration they needed. However, it just wasn't enough to beat Team Wind as the Sun came up two minutes short Team Sun still had enough time for



Big smiles for Team Wind after their victory.

redemption, though, as the second activity played was the 'Pursuit Relay'. [This game consists of every member of the team running half a lap around the soccer field, in a relay style fashion. The quickest team wins]. Stars of this event include awesome speed from Intermediates **TYLER FIELD** and **RYAN WEIL**, and counselor **JONNY BLOOM**. It was Team Sun who were able to enjoy the sweet taste of victory for the first time in this competition coming away with a three person lead. Both teams showed great attitude and determination in these challenging events.



GABE GOLDENBERG, HUDSON DEUTSCH and AIDEN WAGNER with big smiles

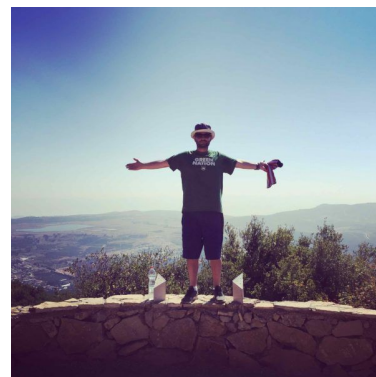
Rainbow Over Sand Lake By Editor JAMES ROBERTS

After a day full of awesome activities, sunny skies and some of the best liquid sunshine around, we got an insight into why the North Woods is one of the best places to be, by showing us its beauty with an incredible rainbow over Sand Lake. Times like these are the perfect opportunity to really appreciate the place we get to spend our summer, and to not take any second of it for granted. The Friendly Confines really is the best place to be, right here at Camp Menominee!

Q+A With Our Waterfront Director - Jeremy Kohlenbrener

By JOSH & Eli NORMORDI and SAMMY SOSNOW

- 1. How many years have you been at camp?**
15 years as a camper and staff member and 28 years as a post camper.
- 2. What is your favourite part of the waterfront?**
Allowing campers the freedom to do as they please and learn new things.
- 3. What is the hardest part of your job?**
The slide... one at a time people!
- 4. What is your oldest memory of camp?**
Walking down Old Counselors Road with my Dad hearing about the meat man story when I was just six years old!



Counselor Profile

Josh Ingram

Age: 26
Camp Activities: Soccer, Head Counselor
Favorite Song: Benny and the Jets - Elton John
Favorite Drink: Vanilla Coke
Best Vacation: Majorca 2006
Favorite Movie: Star Wars Episode IV
Best Camp Memory: Beating Kawaga in 2016

Favorite Camp Meal: Roast Beef
Years at Camp: 6
Spirit Animal: Dog
Role Model: Woody
Hobbies: Soccer, Football, Movies
Favorite TV Show: Game of Thrones



Tomorrow's Weather

83° 62°



Did You Know...

The average lifespan of an MLB baseball is just 7 pitches.

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THE BULLDOG EDITION

FRIDAY JUNE 28, 2019

Big 10 Archery

By Editor **JAKE GOODMAN**

There has been a lot of great shooting out at the archery range during Big 10 activities so far this summer. Everyone who has come out has shown tremendous improvement. My Illinois Archery Big 10 period is only four people, but those in it, **ELI NOMORDI**, **JOSH JAFFE**, **TEX EARNHART** and **BENJAMIN (PAXTON) HOFFMAN**, have all shown their growth-mindset through their perseverance to get better. Although we've only got two periods together, they seem to be improving by the minute. I am extremely excited to get to work with the campers, improving their archery skills through out the rest of the session. I also have another period with many Senior Cabin members. They have a bit more experience, but, it is just as enjoyable, watching them shoot and get such high scores.



MICAH GAGERMAN practicing his Archery

Soccer Field Day

By Editor **DAN GLUCKMAN**

The Sun and Wind Junior soccer field-day was truly a thrilling encounter. The first half was neck and neck with both teams having great opportunities to get on the scoreboard. It wasn't until late into the first half, when the Wind took the lead, thanks to an incredible performance by **FIN DORAN**, who also went on to score another in the second half. With a one goal advantage going and thanks to some great interplay between **NEO SCHNEIDER** and **DRAKE ELMAN**, the Wind capitalized on the momentum and went on to score three more goals. Shoutout to both **SIMON MANN** and **CHARLIE SANFORD** from team Sun for putting their bodies on the line on both defense and offence, playing right up until the final whistle. A great effort was shown from both teams. The final score: Wind 4 Sun 0



KENYAN STANTON getting ready to play an intense game of soccer

Cabin Feud

By **BENJIE SOREN**

Last night everybody in camp played Cabin Feud, hosted by yours truly, **BENJIE SOREN**. This campfire mimicked the game show "Family Feud" where people are asked a question with many answers. Cabin Feud featured questions such as: "name what countries the CM staff are from". **MAX AGINS** and **TYLER FIELD** were quick on their feet to answer and help their cabins. Cabin Feud was followed by "best moments of the day" where campers shared their best moments of the day. This included **LEXX MALKIN'S** rendition of "New York, New York" as well as participants from **CARTER KLEIN** and **ZACH FORMAN**. It was a great night of Menominee fun.

British Bulldogs By Editor JONNY BLOOM

It was a great day out at Woody's Pitch at Camp Menominee. Campers and counselors participated in British Bulldogs for Sun and Wind during morning activities. British Bulldogs is a game where each team lines up on separate sides of the soccer pitch. Everyone has a long sock hanging from the back of their waistband, long enough for someone to see and pull. All the participants are given a number. In the middle, multiple "bulldogs" stand their ground with their socks in the front of their waistbands. These bulldogs chase down the players from the opposite team whose number was called. If your sock is pulled then you become a bulldog for the following round, if it is not pulled, you score a point for your team. The game is played two out of three. The first two games were played first to 21, while the third game was to 15. Team Sun's **ALEC GAU** had an impressive run against five Wind bulldogs to help the Sun take game one. Both teams raced to switch sides where **JOSH 'JUICE' GOODMAN** called all members of **JOEY MATGOUS'S** age group to the field to be the bulldogs. Game two ended quickly with the Sun team's bulldogs struggling to pull the Wind's socks. The Wind were just barely able to push the Sun to a third game. The third game had both teams on their feet. **ASHER DIAMOND** showed his true speed during the first round to sneak past the Wind's defenders, putting the Sun ahead. Game three came to an abrupt halt when **JACKSON WUSTNER** called everyone across. In a close finish the Wind ended up on top, making the ending of the Sun and Wind competition ever so close.

Sun Final Scores

Creatively Acquire the Energy Source
Runners and Chasers
Pursuit Relay
Dodgeball
Silent Meal
Midnight Manhunt
Field Day
British Bulldogs
Capture the Flag

Wind
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Sun
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Counselor Profile

Ewan Matheson

Age: 20

Camp Activities: Archery/Riflery, Climbing

Favorite Song: Bad Romance by Lady Gaga

Favorite Drink: Pineapple Juice

Best Vacation: Scottish Islands

Favorite Movie: Mamma Mia 2 Here We Go Again

Best Camp Memory: Pre-camp Beach Party

Favorite Camp Meal: Meatloaf

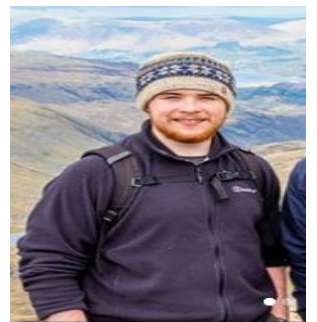
Years at Camp: 1

Spirit Animal: Pig

Role Model: Dwayne 'The Rock' Johnson

Hobbies: Hill walking, games, music, chillin'

Favorite TV Show: Spongebob Squarepants



Tomorrow's Weather

87° 60°



Did You Know...

The Hawaiian alphabet has 13 letters

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THE RACING EDITION SATURDAY JUNE 29, 2019

Horse Racing By TANNER KAMINSKY

Last night we had our annual Horse Racing competition. The “jockeys” were the members of Cabins 3 and 4 as they rode their “horses”, better known as the Senior Cabin members. Every other cabin placed their bets on which horse they believed would win. I rode lucky canteen number 55 on the back of **RYDER SPECTOR**. Sadly, we did not win. However, it was a thrilling ride being brought around the mess hall on the back of my favorite Senior Cabin member. **SAMMY SOSNOW** raced on the back of **RYDER** as well. They hopped around the mess hall, winning the third race. This run had the most intense laughs and screams, as the entire mess hall wanted to see **SAMMY** win. **DIESEL RUDOLPH** rode on the back of **CADEN PERLMAN**. They named their horse ‘Sour Diesel’ and actually won the fifth race. This race put cabin 15 on top, winning more chips than cabin 12 (the CIT’S). At the end it was easy to tell that everyone had a blast.



ARI GOLDBERG and SAM GOODMAN
ready to take bets for the races

Ping Pong with Woody By JACK FORMAN

Last week, **DAVID “WOODY” WOOD** challenged me to a ping pong match. Unbeknownst as what was to come, I accepted the challenge and met him atop of Wass Hall. We began the match with a practice rally. Neither of us had played in a while and it was apparent. We looked sloppy as can be, but, in short time, we had found a groove and got right back into it. The first game went back and forth, ending in a 21-19 win in my favor. Eager to play again, we started another game. Most points went by fast, but one point noticeably lasted much longer than the others at around three minutes. The second game ended in my favor once again with a score of 21-17. We kept on playing until the series was held at a 3-3 tie. Unfortunately, we were unable to keep playing, delaying our tie-breaker. We will play soon and shall finally declare a winner.



JACK FORMAN sitting on the Top of Wass
reflecting on his game with **WOODY**

Big 10 Soccer By JACK McCLUSKY

It is now nearly two weeks into camp which means our Big 10 instructional activities are well under way. Here at soccer we have had fantastic periods with the campers. Both **JOSH INGRAM** and I have helped improve three core soccer skills: dribbling, passing and control. We have seen the progression from each period and it’s been a pleasure to help coach the kids. **AVNER BELSKY** has showed exemplary passing each period. **TYLER FIELD** has demonstrated persistence and dedication through our drills, and such willingness to improve. **IAN GAU** has led by example through each period by showcasing the Menominee way through leadership, attitude, and spirit. I am excited to start our next few weeks with lessons on heading, shooting and defending.

Q+A With Our Director/Owner - JASON FELDGREBER

By **TANNER KAMINSKY** and **LUKE DERWINSKI**

1. **How many years have you owned CM?**
This is my fifth year as the owner
2. **What's your favorite camp meal?**
Chicken Fingers
3. **How long do you plan on owning the camp?**
Forever
4. **What are some changes you want to see at camp in the near future?**
I have some stuff in mind but that a surprise
5. **Do you plan on expanding the camp in the future?**
No
6. **What is your favorite activity to run as the owner?**
Hatchet Hunt
7. **If you were a camper, what sports would you participate in?**
Softball for both Big 10 and Tennis for King of the Camp
8. **What was your favorite thing about camp when you were a camper?**
The Green and White competition
9. **Who started the 'All Hail Jason'**
That was all **JOSH INGRAM**, I did not have anything to do with that.
10. **Do you have any regrets from buying camp?**
Not a single one and I never will. I have the greatest job alive.



Capture the Flag By **JACKSON HEISE** and **JON WOOL**

The deciding Sun and Wind event of 2019 ended with a 3-0 sweep by the Wind. It was a true nail-biter watching this game. Campers like **BEN LAZARUS** and **TRUMAN MANKOWSKI** wrestled on the line, attempting to pull one another over. At the same time, counselors and campers were sprinting to the other sides, attempting to steal their flag. By utilizing different strategies, like an all-out rush, or a scatter, using the younger campers as bait. The game was at a stalemate for a while during both games until **BRETT WEISS** and **JACK KAPLAN** rushed the middle on two separate occasions, both successfully being able to get their flag, and return it to their sides. The Sun and Wind competition was intense this year, and this was the perfect way to finish it off. The Sun will rise again but the Wind prevails for now.

Counselor Profile

TODD LAZARUS

Age: 17

Camp Activities: Archery/Riflery, Softball, Hockey

Favorite Song: Tiny Dancer by Elton John

Favorite Drink: 2% Milk

Best Vacation: Los Angeles California

Favorite Movie: Miracle

Best Camp Memory: Beating Kawaga for the first time

Favorite Camp Meal: Burgers and fried

Years at Camp: 10

Spirit Animal: Monkey

Role Model: Steve Jobs

Hobbies: Watch movies and workout

Favorite TV Show: Chicago Fire



Tomorrow's Weather

85° 65°



Did you know...

In Switzerland it is illegal to own
just one guinea pig.

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The Way: Heart By LOUIE CANTER

This Sunday, we focused on Heart out at The Way. **GAVIN BRAMWIT** explained the meaning of Heart at Camp Menominee. He said: "Heart, it is the most important organ in the body. Much as the heart helps the body run and preform, the heart of a team-member helps accomplish the team their goals. The heart of a team holds everyone. The heart of a team shows passion, enthusiasm, and positivity". Six campers and two counselors were then called forward, guys who have shown their willingness to do anything to win and always try their best. Campers **DYLAN SCHWARTZ, AIDEN SOLOMON, RYAN WEIL, BRAYDEN SUBRIN, AIDEN WAGNER, IAN GAU** and counselors **JAMES ROBERTS** and **JACKSON WUSTNER** were all honored for showing true heart.

Spelling Bee By CALLUM SYDENHAM

Monday night, we saw the return of a camp favorite - The Menominee Spelling Bee. The evening was split into three sections: Junior, Intermediate, and Senior. Every cabin had two participants competing to win the Bee. It was a very exciting event and the crowds were going wild after every word was spelled. With the help of **QUINLAN DONEHUE** giving the definitions of the words, the night was run very smoothly. In the Junior section, the final two spellers were **HUDSON DEUTSCH**, representing cabin 4, and **NEO SCHNEIDER**, representing cabin 5. Cabin 5 took the win by spelling the word 'opposite' correctly. In the Intermediate section, our two finalists were **SIDDHARTH VADNERKAR**, from Cabin 8, and **LEXX MALKIN**, from Cabin 7. Cabin 7 took the advantage when **LEXX** spelled his word correctly, meaning **SIDDHARTH** had one shot to his next word correctly to stay in the game. Unfortunately, for Cabin 8, the word 'vociferous' proved to be their undoing, handing Cabin 7 the victory. Finally, in the Senior section, the final was a battle between our CIT's, for whom **ZACH AKIN** was the representative, and our Senior Cabin, represented by **JACK FORMAN**. After a few correct spellings on the bounce, Cabin 12 correctly spelled 'accomplish', which proved to be the winning word. It was a great evening with everyone having fun and joining in. The three winning cabins will receive a pizza party for their achievements.

Hockey Trip By COLE ADAM

During rest period, **JEFF TOOMBS** decided to take campers to the Rhinelander ice rink, in honor of Canada Day (where **JEFF** is from). Everyone started to skate around and shoot pucks in the open net. **SAMMY SOSNOW** skated for his first time! While he was learning how to skate, **JACK FORMAN, MILES PROVUS** and I, the experienced skaters, played a game we like to call "Ice Soccer". Ice Soccer is pretty simple; it is just soccer, on ice. This sport was 'invented' by **JONAH FELDMAN** in 2019. When we played soccer, **JESSE KAPLAN** and **FINN FELDMAN** were the goalies, while everyone else was split into two different teams trying to score on one another. The beginning of the game was intense lucky canteen number 236 and team Feldman was winning. However, after a bit, Kaplan's team was able to turn the game around and catch up. With just 30 second left, **IAN GAU** had a break away and scored to make it 2-1 to Feldman's team. Overall, it was an exciting day at the ice rink. Big shoutout to the Rhinelander Hodagers for letting us skate.

Q+A With Our Head Chef - RICK CULTON

By JOSH NAMORDI, ELI NAMORDI, and SAMMY SOSNOW

1. **What is your favorite meal to cook?**
Bacon wrapped cinnamon rolls
2. **What is your favorite part about the kitchen?**
Catching-food
3. **What do you do in your free time?**
Catch fish and play with my dog
4. **Where do you work outside of Menominee?**
I have multiple jobs in the off-season
5. **How long have you been cooking at Menominee?**
I've been working here for three years
6. **Where are you from?**
I am from Missouri
7. **How old were you when you learned to cook?**
I learned to cook when I was 10
8. **What is your favorite type of food to cook and eat?**
Fried Chicken



Maggie's Ski Show By JACK HERRING

On Saturday, we had our first summer camp outing. After a great beach party, courtesy of the waterfront team, it was time to go and see the show we'd all been waiting for. Everybody was filled with excitement as the buses arrived and took us over to the show where our expectations were surpassed by the incredible display. The Aqua Devils left us in awe as they created human pyramids on the skis, completed flips and 360 degree turns off a 12 foot tall ramp. One particular crowd pleaser was the wakeboarder who used the wake to do all sorts of tricks. **BUD MCLINDEN** and **WESLEY WENTZ** clapped in joy as they watched our favorite Aqua Devil, **MAGGIE ELLIOTT**. She started to ski using canoe paddles instead of skis. This was something many of us had never seen before, and found it truly astonishing. Overall, the trip was a great surprise and an incredible way to finish the second week of camp.

Counselor Profile

CALEB SAKS

Age: 17

Camp Activities: Megaphone, Fitness

Favorite Song: Ghost by Kid Cudi

Favorite Drink: Diet Pepsi

Best Vacation: Cleveland

Favorite Movie: Westside Vs. The World

Best Camp Memory: Air Squats in the Senior Cabin with Jack Sacks

Favorite Camp Meal: Eggs and hashbrowns

Years at Camp: 10

Spirit Animal: Wolf

Role Model: Woody or Jay Cutler (bodybuilder)

Hobbies: Lifting weights, chillin'

Favorite TV Show: Dave Tate: Table Talk



Tomorrow's Weather

88° 60°



On This Day...

In 1962, Jackie Robinson became the first African American to be inducted into the National Baseball Hall of Fame

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THE TRIPS AND 4TH EDITION

FRIDAY JULY 5, 2019

Marimeta Fourth of July Social By Editor **CALEB SAKS**

Continuing our long Fourth of July Tradition, last night we enjoyed our first social of 2019 with Camp Marimeta. We were informed of this information, as a surprise, after we finished dinner. Following **JASON'S** announcement that we have an hour to shower and get ready before we go over to Marimeta, a rage of excitement flowed through the mess hall. The Senior Cabin stood up and led a "Marimeta" cheer that campers repeated for nearly a couple minutes. We arrived around 7:30 where campers and counselors walked around meeting the girls of Marimeta. To our surprise, Monster Entertainment was also there DJing for us as campers from both camps danced together.

JOSH JAFFE showed off his breakdance moves so successfully that he won not one, but two shirts. If the music wasn't your thing, plenty of campers were found outside the rec hall socialising, playing games, or eating cookies. **SAMMY SOSNOW** had plenty of girls around him at all times, impressing all the campers of Cabin 4. **BUD MCLINDEN** also showed the boys in the 12 year old age group his ice-breaking skills as he met and talked to plenty of the girls around the camp.



The **WEILS** smile for a family picture

LEXX MALKIN showed the girls his singing skills as he cleared his throat and sang Frank Sinatra's, New York, New York. Just when people were starting to get tired, a whistle echoed through the sky, followed by a large pop, scaring almost everyone at the social. We looked up and fireworks were exploding in a beautiful formation. Campers and counselors took their seats as they enjoyed the next twenty minutes of a wonderful firework display. After the fireworks, we were all surprised as music played cutting off the director of Merimeta. Counselors from both camps swarmed in from lucky canteen number 16 the sides, dressed up in British and American apparel, introducing the start of the British and American competition. After a long night, we were all ready for bed. **JASON** led taps for the Menominee boys and Marimeta girls, finishing off a marvelous night. We boarded the buses, went back to camp and went right to bed. What an amazing way to celebrate the Fourth of July at Camp Menominee.

The Wisconsin Dells By **BRETT WEISS**

It was a beautiful Tuesday morning as Cabins 13 & 16 departed for the world famous Wisconsin Dells. Upon arrival, we quickly dropped off our belongings and headed to Mount Olympus for some rides. Naturally, everyone decided to ride "Hades" first. **ETHAN MANN** conquered his fears of the ride. The crowd cheered him on as he stepped into the cart and he ended up loving it! **COOPER SPECTOR** and **BEN LAZARUS** quickly discovered a new love for roller coasters as they rode "Zeus" over and over again. After the park, the group headed to the theatre to see "Spider-man: Far From

Home” which turned out to be a great movie. On Wednesday, the boys got up bright and early to assure we got to Noah’s Ark Waterpark right when it opened. Rides such as Black Anaconda, Time Warp, and Scorpions Tail were the main favorites. After a long day at the park, the group gathered at Pizzeria Uno for dinner, followed by the always wonderful Tommy Bartlett Ski Show. After a lazy-day-morning Thursday, the boys headed back to CM. What an amazing trip!

The Mall of America By SHANE SAUNDERS

We started the journey in the CM van. Though this van drove very well, it lacked one essential part of an amazing road trip, bluetooth. We had to think on our feet and improvise. Thankfully, we had a good ‘ol speaker that allowed us to listen to music the whole trip. On the way down, **LUKE LESHIN** and **NATHAN GOLDSTEIN** would not stop talking. Though sometimes this gets frustrating, this time, it was actually good for me because I was the driver, and they entertained me the whole drive. On Wednesday, we went to a theme park and where we rode on a lot of roller coasters. **CHASE ENGEL** felt sick from one while **ERIC GOODMAN** faced his fears and went on and enjoyed it. We then made our way to The Mall of America. This mall was something I had never seen before: it had its own theme park built within. We walked around and shopped at different stores like Lids, Pacsun and American Eagle. After our shopping spree, we ate some food in one of the gigantic food courts. We decided it was time to leave and walked out to the van. To our surprise, the battery was dead and we were unable to start it back up. Luckily, a kind stranger jumped it for us, allowing us to continue our travels which taught us to always stay optimistic. Though we had a very long day at the mall, there is no better way to finish off a night than with pizza and swimming. The next day we went back to the mall and decided to try out their theme park. After some fun rides, we began our journey back to CM as we talked about our amazing trip the whole way back.

Canoes With the 11 Year Age Group By ETHAN SAKS

The campers have not stopped talking about their amazing camping experience. The 11 year old canoe trip started on the beaches of Sand Lake and continued into Dam Lake and beyond. As we paddled to the beautiful campsite. **JOSH LEMONS** and **TEX EARNHARDT** were unbelievable canoers! They both showed determination and heart as they paddled through the rough winds and intense heat. After arriving at the campsite, we ate a delicious dinner provided by our wonderful chefs **RICK** and **MIKE**. After we ate, we were all knocked out and decided it was time to go to bed. We entered our tents and slept until we woke up from the smell of fresh food. We circled around the fire as Chef **RICK** began to make us his ‘world-famous’ eggs, bacon, and potatoes on a skillet that he ‘threw’ over the fire. After that, we canoed to Elmers for some ice cream and mini golf. There, **CARTER KLEIN** got two holes-in-one along with **NOAH SHERMAN** who got one on the 18th hole, winning himself a free scoop of ice cream. We then paddled back to camp for nearly three hours. Overall, it was a memorable experience for everyone.

Counselor Profile

ETHAN SAKS

Age: 18

Camp Activities: Fitness, Wrestling, Football

Favorite Song: Baby are you home by Lil Uzi Vert

Favorite Drink: Diet Coke

Best Vacation: Maine with my family

Favorite Movie: Django

Best Camp Memory: Beating Kawaga in 2016

Favorite Camp Meal: Grilled Cheese

Years at Camp: 7

Spirit Animal: Dragon Fly

Role Model: Jimi Hendrix

Hobbies: Hanging with friends, running, music

Favorite TV Show: Naruto



Tomorrow’s Weather

78° 47°



On This Day...

In 1946, the bikini was introduced

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Canoe Trip With the 12 Year Olds By ISSAC WEISS

The 2019 Canoe Trip was one for the books! It started on Sand Lake and we paddled our way into Dam Lake and through the portage. From there, it was a little scenic path to the campsite. Special shoutout to **JACK BERGER**, **IAN GAU** and **JACK McCLUSKY** for finishing every leg before everyone else. **BERGER** took the position of lead steerer over the counselor in his canoe. At the campsite we were greeted by **JOE STAPLETON** who put up all our tents and started a great fire with the wood that he chopped. **JOE** is one of our groundskeepers here at CM. He is one of the sole reasons everything at camp seems to be so beautiful all the time. (We had made burritos in the mess hall before we left). When the fire started, we laid the burritos around the fire to cook for a couple minutes before we devoured them. We sat around the fire as counselor **JAKE HERMAN** led camp favorite game, Mafia. We ended the night with s'mores and a little rock band show with **CALEB SAKS** and **JACKSON WUSTNER** who played the guitar. It was a fabulous night sleeping in the North Woods.



Campers setting up their sleeping bags
for their night at Copperfalls a

White Water Rafting By JACKSON WEIL

It was a beautiful Tuesday morning at the Friendly Confines when the boys from the Senior Cabin piled into the van and embarked on their trip. For day one, the group headed to Green Bay where we ate dinner with a river view. Later we all went go-karting where **ARI GOLDBERG** and **JACK FORMAN** could be seen taking first place in their respective heats. Once again the boys piled into the vans and headed to the first white-water rafting. The first day of rafting was in large groups with the cabin splitting into two groups. The rafting began with a game called, 'king of the raft' where two competitors would try to be the last one standing. **HENRY LEVIN** and **JAKE REINHARDT** had an especially epic battle which ended with both of them in the water. This game was very fun; however, the highlight of the first day was the gorge which consisted of some massive waves and strong currents that almost claimed **DYLAN SCHWARTZ**, but the whole cabin ended up staying on the raft. The day concluded at the Chalet with a legendary barbeque and a fire down by the river. The second day was a fan-favorite among the boys as each of them got to conquer the rapids in their own single kayaks. **MICAH GAGERMAN** could be seen slaying the biggest rapid of the day despite going down it backwards. **JORDAN GETNER** went down perfectly on the day, never falling out of his boat despite some tough, technical rapids. Once the rafting concluded, the boys piled into the van one more time and headed back to camp to spend the 4th of July with the girls from Camp Marimeta.

Archery Vs. Timberlane By JAKE GOODMAN

It was a close match between Menominee and Timberlane in the 13 and over archery division. Menominee archery, led by coaches **JAKE GOODMAN** and **EWAN MATHESON**, consisted of **DYLAN SCHWARTZ**, **MILES PROVUS**, **HENRY LEVIN**, **CHASE ENGLE** and **JORDAN GETNER**. **MILES** led the team into the competition as the first shooter, scoring 36. Sadly, their shooter shot a 45. We were behind for a minute, but not for long. **DYLAN** took a substantial lead, bringing Menominee's score 15 points above Timberlane. Menominee's next three shooters, **HENRY**, **CHASE**, and **JORDAN** all scored 41, bringing Menominee to a score of 197 compared to Timberlane's 176. In the end, Menominee took the victory over Timberlane with a lead of 21 points. It was a great day at the archery range!

13 and Over Tennis at Timberlane By KIT BOWERS

The Menominee tennis team easily defeated Timberlane in some intense tennis matches. Although Timberlane only had half the number of players as Menominee, they still played some great matches. To start things off, Menominee #1 singles player, **LEXX MALKIN** whooped his opponent in a 6-1 set victory! Shortly after, the #1 doubles team for Menominee of **SIMON MANN** and **MAX AGINS** crushed Timberlane's #1 doubles team. As the afternoon progressed, the heat reached a peak. These playing conditions made it much harder for the players. However, **SAM GOODMAN** was able to capitalize, roundly defeating Timberlane's player 6-0. On the other courts, **NATE BEERMANN** and **XANDER SCHILLER** played a doubles match, along with **HARRY STEINER** and **SETH SCHORE**. Both groups tried very hard and did not give up the whole game. The last match was **CADEN PERLMAN** in a singles match. He won with a 6-1 victory, leaving Menominee victorious. Although the sun was beaming down the entire day, the boys were still able to play their hearts out and bring home the W for Menominee.

12 and under Riflery against Timberlane By TODD LAZARUS

Camp Menominee Riflery is supreme! It was a glorious day out at the CM riflery range and the campers were eager to begin. Following a tedious round of try-outs lucky canteen number 25 to attain a spot on the five-man shooting roster, the boys were ready to compete. On the home front, all five 12 and under Menominee shooters rose to the occasion. **Thatcher Schiller** scored an impeccable 43 out of 50. Timberlane's marksman struggled to compete as the Menominee men won in an outstanding fashion. The final score was Timberlane 125, Menominee 198. Thank you to everyone who came out to tryouts. Keep working hard fellas!

Counselor Profile

BRETT WEISS

Age: 18

Camp Activities: Softball, Basketball, Baseball

Favorite Song: That's Life by 88-Keys & Mac Miller

Favorite Drink: Cool Blue Gatorade

Best Vacation: London

Favorite Movie: Step Brothers

Best Camp Memory: Winning 16A Football as a CIT

Favorite Camp Meal: Burgers and Dogs

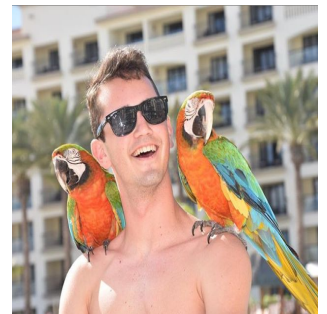
Years at Camp: 11

Spirit Animal: Dog

Role Model: Mom and Dad

Hobbies: Listening to music, playing sports

Favorite TV Show: The Office



Tomorrow's Weather

78° 50°



On This Day...

In 1933 - The first All-Star baseball game was held in Chicago. The American League beat the National League 4-2

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The Way: Heart By **GAVIN BRAMWIT**

This Sunday, we focused on Sportsmanship out at The Way. **GAVIN BRAMWIT** explained the meaning of Sportsmanship at Camp Menominee. He said: "Sportsmanship, the element of life that separates the men from the boys. After a long, grueling competition, only the most mature are able to look their opponents in the eye, shake their hand, and say, 'good game'. Good sports never taunt the opposing team, nor do they exhibit malicious behavior towards them. Good sports always respect their adversaries, and hold their heads high through victory or defeat. It is not always easy to show good sportsmanship. Through spirited games against rivals, it is important to keep your composure. Those whose dignity always prevails have the best sportsmanship". Six campers and two counselors were then called forward; guys who have shown they have been able to keep their composure no matter the outcome of the game. Campers **ZACH FORMAN, DYLAN PELTS, SID VADNERKAR, CHASE KAPLAN, ERIC GOODMAN, SAM GOODMAN**, and counselors **BENJIE SOREN** and **RAY OUTRAM** were all honored for showing true sportsmanship.

Copper Falls By **RAY OUTRAM**

The trip to Copper Falls started with great excitement from the Junior campers. The campers were very eager and excited to get to their campsite, and get going on the trip. They were ready to set up their tents and spend the night in nature. As soon as we got there, the campers and counselors began to put up their tents for the night. Big shoutout to **BRAYDEN SUBRIN, ZACH FORMAN** and **FIN DORAN** for the extra help in putting up our tents. Once the tents were put up and everyone had moved in, both the campers and counselors were hungry and began making a fire to cook our already prepared burritos wrapped in tinfoil. Night was starting to fall and the campers enjoyed some of our favorite games we play at camp. Capture the Flag was the most popular, when voting on the game we were going to play, and everyone participated with great enthusiasm and a big smile. After the game, we were all very tired and had, lucky canteen number 223, an early night. The next morning, the campers woke up to the smell of donuts, a quick bite to eat before the big breakfast. Once they finished up, we began to put down the tents. When we concluded our clean-up session, we ate a marvelous breakfast, hosted by Copper Falls, of pancakes, sausage and orange juice. After we finished, we went on a hike around Copper Falls where the campers got the opportunity to see the beautiful natural landscape and nature. We finished the trail and were all very worn out so we went to the lake and cooled off for about an hour before we got in the vans and stopped at McDonalds for lunch. We all enjoyed a burger, fries and a nice cold soda. We then returned to camp later that afternoon before dinner. All the campers said they had a great time!

Where Does Woody Get His Jokes? By **BINGO BOB**

Where does **WOODY** go to get his jokes? At the gym, the barbershop, the optometrist, the flower shop, the pet shop, the barber shop, the doctor, the hospital, a bar, a restaurant, at the airport, in the park, a car showroom, in fact anywhere where humor can be found: and you can find humor everywhere and in everything. Indeed, it is the reason why big cats are always smiling and laughing: they have a sense of 'puma', ha ha.

Town Day, Town Day By Editor **CALEB SAKS**

The last Sunday of the session, the best Sunday of the session. At CM, we have a tradition for the final Sunday of every session: after lunch, we board the buses and go into the town of Minocqua. Every camper was in a group of at least one counselor and multiple campers. The special part about Town Day is the fact that you do not need to be with people in your cabin or even your age group. Your group can be with the youngest camper in camp, all the way to the oldest, and even the counselor of your choice. In town there are a ton of different stores, dessert places, minigolf and restaurants. Some of the popular places are: Glicks (clothing), Minocqua fudge (fudge and toffee), Packerland (sports gear), The Toy Store (an abundance of toys), Kilwans (ice cream and fudge) and many more. My group decided our first stop would be Packerland. In this store you can find an endless amount of sports gear. **COLE ADAM** was nearly in heaven when he came across the Chicago Black Hawks hats.

Debating between three different hats, he finally decided which one was perfect for him. Wearing the hat for the rest of the day, it was obvious he made the correct purchase. As my group, **BUD MCLINDEN, WESLY WENTZ, COLE ADAM** and **TODD LAZARUS** was leaving the store, we waited for a minute as we watched **MICAH GAGERMAN** spin a wheel for just one dollar a spin. The wheel gave you the opportunity to win either a big prize, like a hat or shirt, or just sports cards. He won a hat his first round, and a deck of baseball cards his second spin. Our next stop was Kilwans where we all enjoyed a nice scoop of ice cream. It was magnificent and very filling. We decided we needed a food break, so we walked into The Toy Store. Though there was not anything we wanted to buy, it was fun to look at all the different toys. After viewing a couple more stores and spending more money, we got hungry again. That's when we decided to enter Kobe Sushi for dinner. All of us ordered two rolls, and they were devoured in a matter of minutes. We also enjoyed watching **JOSH 'ICE-MAN' NAMORDI** munch on his five rolls all by himself. So much sushi for such a little guy! Finally, we went to Alexander's Pizza where we played arcade games and met up with the rest of the camp. We walked for about ten minutes until we arrived at the Minocqua Bats Ski Show. This was quite an experience, especially for the first year campers and counselors. These skiers were able to do insane tricks like landing jumps, crazy 360 turns and barefooting. We got back on the bus and headed back to camp after a long afternoon and evening. What a great day!



The Big Chair, a classic Town Day Picture

Counselor Profile

MAGGIE ELLIOTT

Age: 18

Camp Activities: Ski instructor, boatdriver, lifeguard

Favorite Song: Dirt on Boots by Jon Pardi

Favorite Drink: Lemonade

Best Vacation: Acadia Maine

Favorite Movie: Elf

Best Camp Memory: When **PAXTON** got up on skis

Favorite Camp Meal: Salad Bar

Years at Camp: 1

Spirit Animal: Honeybadger

Role Model: Brother

Hobbies: Eating ice cream

Favorite TV Show: Friends



Tomorrow's Weather

82° 66°



Did you know...

29th May is officially "Put a Pillow on Your Fridge Day".

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THE COMPETITION EDITION TUESDAY JULY 9, 2019

13 and Over Basketball V. Timberlane By JONAH GAGERMAN

On Friday, the 13 and over A basketball team took on Camp Timberlane in a hard-fought game. From the jump, the Menominee men controlled the momentum as their defense stopped nearly every drive. **JACK KAPLAN, ARI GOLDBERG** and **LOUIE KANTER** all played a key role in shutting down Timberlane's offense early in the game. **GAVIN BRAMWIT** and **ERIC GOODMAN** showed off their shooting skills by nailing multiple 3's throughout the game. **TYLER LONGNECKER** 'dominated the paint' by grabbing nearly every rebound that came his way. Huge shoutout to **JACK BEHAR** for getting everyone involved and for putting on a passing clinic before hand. CM ended up winning by double digits and it was truly an honor to coach this team. Well done boys: we are excited to see what is to come in future competitions next session!

12 and Under Floor Hockey V. Timberlane By JAKE 'HODAG' HOODACK

The hockey boys at CM take pride in being known as the best hockey players around. Their performance against Camp Timberlane certainly did not disappoint. The Menominee men, captained by **COLE ADAM**, took to the Menominee rink fully focused on collecting a win. The game got off to a roaring start as **COLE** broke the scoreless tie. **JACKSON MERCHANT** then piled on two more goals for team Menominee. Goalie **TRUMAN MANKOWSKI** was spectacular in net, only allowing one goal. To close it out, **CHARLIE SANFORD** tacked on another goal, thanks to a beautiful pass from **SIMON MANN**. Overall, the Menominee 12 and under hockey team played with class and sportsmanship. The final score was 5-1, Menominee.

The Start of British and America By EWAN MATHESON

Great Britain and America, two great nations who were once close allies have gone to war once again. This time, however, represented by the people of Camp Menominee. At the Marimeta social on July 4th, **WOODY** and **JAMES ROBERTS** and the international staff swarmed lucky canteen number 102 in to 'capture' our beloved leader **JASON**. Music was playing and the games were announced. Fast-forward a day and everyone is sitting in Wasserman Hall. Czars **BENJIE SOREN, SAM MILLER** and **ISAAC WEISS** announced the overall captains. The two captains **DYLAN SCHWARTZ** and **JORDAN GENTNER** reached into the hat to choose either British or America. This continued for every camper in camp. The competition kicked off with an intense game of Captain's Duels. In this event, the captains face-off against each other, throwing gigantic water balloons to get one another wet. It was a close and very intense game, as even the photographer **IMELDA MHUIREASA** got scared. **JEREMY BACH** and **JAKE FELDMAN** were the match of the century. The Americans won! Let's hope the Brits will take back their glory in the days to come.



British American Teams of 2019



Captains:

DYLAN SCHWARTZ
JON WOOL
JACKSON MERCHANT

JAKE FELDMAN
BUD MCLINDEN
DRAKE ELMAN

Members:

ELI NAMORDI
PATRICK McCORMICK
NEO SCHNEIDER
KENYAN STANTON

BODI JOHNSON
SID VADNERKAR
CHASE KAPLAN
AUSTIN JACKSON
WESLY WENTZ
AARON PELTS
WEIL
LUKE MASON
DRAEDYN SANFORD
HEISE
BRADY KAY
RYAN MARTIN
JACOB SCHNEIDER
LUKE LESHIN
HARRY STEINER
SPECTOR
JACK KAPLAN
SETH SCHORE
GOLDBERG
JACK BEHAR
SAM MYERTHALL
RATZLAFF

ZACH FORMAN
SIMON MANN
DRAKE ELMAN
OWEN
McCORMICK
ZACH SOSNOW
BRADY MEYER
IAN GAU
PARKER PLASKOFF
JACK BERGER
RYAN
THATCHER SCHILLER
DANIEL SHAMAH
JACKSON
BEAU SALCITO
ETHAN MANN
MILES PROVUS
AIDEN SOLOMON
NAHAN GOLDSTEIN
RYDER
JACK FORMAN
CADEN PERLMAN
ARI
JAMES POPLOWSKI
GAVIN BRAMWIT
KASE
ALEC GAU
WILL PRICE

Captains:

JORDAN GENTNER
BACH JONAH FELDMAN
MANKOWSKI ELI FRIEDMAN
COOPER BORSTEIN

JEREMY
TRUMAN

Members:

DYLAN PELTS
SAMMY SOSNOW
CHARLIE SANFORD

FIN DORAN

JOSH NAMORDI
TEX EARNHARDT
NOAH WEISS
TYLER FIELD
JORDAN WILLIAMS
FINN FELDMAN
RYAN MORSE

ASHER DIAMOND
EISENBERG MATTHEW HARFIELD
SAM ROSEN JESSE KAPLAN
BEN LAZARUS MICHAH BLUM
NATE BEERMANN COOPER SPECTOR
BRADY WEISS PAYTON PICUS
JOEY HOFFMAN
ANDREW BERNSTEIN

CHASE ENGEL ERIC GOODMAN
MAX BEERMANN MICAH GAGERMAN
SAM GOODMAN HENRY LEVIN
XANDER SCHILLER JAKE REINHARDT
ZACH AKIN LOUIE KANTER
TYLER
LONGNECKER ISAAC WEISS
RYAN FIRMIN
MAX MASON

HUDSON DEUTSCH
AIDEN WAGNER
BRAYDEN
SUBRIN
CARTER
KLEIN
LEXX MALKIN
MAX AGINS
FINN HEISE
JOSH LEMONS
COLE ADAM
JOSH JAFFE
SPENCER AUSLANDER
CHARLIE

Counselor Profile

NOAH LAZARUS

Age: 20

Camp Activities: King of The Camp, Softball, Hockey

Favorite Song: Dancing in the Moonlight by King Harvest

Favorite Drink: Blue Powerade

Best Vacation: Mexico

Favorite Movie: Merial

Best Camp Memory: This interview right now, right here, that everyone is reading right now

Favorite Camp Meal: Chicken

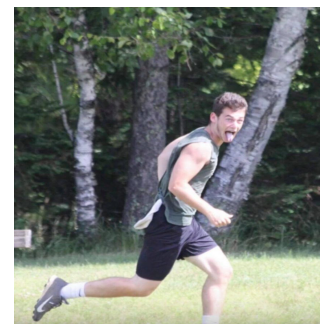
Years at Camp: 10

Spirit Animal: Chimpanzee

Role Model: Stu

Hobbies: Hockey

Favorite TV Show: The Blacklist



Tomorrow's Weather

83° 56°



On This Day...

The inventor of the Frisbee was
cremated and made into a



THE GOODBYE FIRST SESSION EDITION

THURSDAY JULY 11, 2019

CIT Trip to the Wisconsin Dells By KASE RATZLAFF

On Saturday morning, the CIT'S departed for their one night trip to the Dells. Upon arrival, the CIT'S made their way to one of the biggest Waterparks in the world, Noah's Ark. **GAVIN BRAMWIT**, **LOUIE KANTER**, **ISAAC MILLER** and **SAM MYERTHALL** enjoyed the waterslides. The CIT'S then headed back to the hotel to rest for the night. Everyone was woken up early the next day to check out of the hotel and head to Mt. Olympus, a theme park with a ton of rollercoasters. There, **TYLER LONGNECKER** and **MAX MASON** enjoyed roller coasters, especially the most powerful one there, Hades. After a long two days of waterslides and roller coaster, the CIT'S headed home to the Friendly Confines. A good time was had by all!

Rock Band By JACKSON WUSTNER

Wednesday's rock band was as rowdy as ever. Starting with **SAMMY SOSNOW** performing his own seven minute composition on the piano, the entire crowd was shocked at his musical genius. As the night went on, **LEXX MALKIN** performed a musical rendition of "Singing In The Rain" by Gene Kelly, then continued to play an amazing original on the piano. Coming back as a star from last year, **COOPER BORSTEIN** sang his song "Everyday We Go Around The Lake". From there, he performed a magnificent duet cover of "That's What Friends Are For" by Dionne Warwick. However, his version featuring **JACKSON WUSTNER** was called "That's What Camp Is For". Later, **JOSH JAFFE** beat-boxed saying "Youth Developer" at the base drop. Shortly after, **MILES PROVUS** and **BRADY WEISS** covered "Take Me Home, Country Roads" by John Denver. The entire camp followed **BRADY'S** voice in singing the chorus. Chef **MIKE TAYLOR** came out and played "God's Creatures" by These Idol Hands, where the audience quickly picked up on the lyrics and began to sing with him. As the night was coming to an end, **JACKSON**, the man running the show, performed "Gold On The Ceiling" by the Black Keys. The night ended in laughs as the CIT'S performed their dance to "The Lion Sleeps Tonight" by The Tokens, where **ISAAC MILLER** was painted as a lion and crawled around, roaring at anyone that came in his path. This long night was an amazing chance for campers to show talents no one knew before. From beat-boxing to piano creations, it was an excellent night that all enjoyed.

Chippewa Social By SAM MILLER

Just two days after our 4th of July social with Marimeta, **JASON** surprised the camp with another social-- this time over on Dam Lake with Camp Chippewa. Chippewa invited us in with a Hawaiian theme and had fruit skewers, cookies, and soda available to the boys, as well as some games and activities. **KENYAN STANTON** hit the ring shot on his first try. Cabins 13, 16, and 17 busted out jerseys for the ladies, and many CM boys-- and even staff-- got to see their sisters and cousins, including **CALEB** and **ETHAN SAKS**, **LEXX MALKIN** and **MICAH GAGERMAN**. **TOM ADLER** gave one of his trademark tours and the Chippewa girls were thrilled to see their former longtime owner. A great time was had and we look forward to seeing Chippewa second session!



The **SAKS** and **HOODACK** family reunited at Chippewa

Fare Thee Well

Thank you to everyone who is going home this session. We had an amazing summer with you and we are looking forward to seeing you all next summer! Remember, it is never too late to stay. Below are quotes of campers going home and the highlights of their summer.

Summer Highlights from first session campers

LEXX MALKIN: My favorite part about camp is that I can always spend time with my friends and learn special things about Menominee's traditions and activities.

CARTER KLEIN: My favorite part about camp was King of the camp, tubing and playing Timberlane.

AIDEN WAGNER: My favorite thing, this summer, was getting three homeruns in paddleball.

HUDSON DEUTSCH: My favorite part about camp was acing **THATCHER SCHILLER** in theatres ball.

FIN DORAN: My favorite part about camp was getting up on two skis for the second time.

ELI NAMORDI: My favorite part about camp was going to Town Day and hanging out with everybody.

KENYAN STANTON: My favorite part about camp was to swim, swim and swim.

BRAYDEN SUBRIN: My favorite part about camp was making more friends and Town Day.

PATRICK McCORMICK: My favorite part about camp was making new friends and family.

NATHAN GOLDSTIEN: My favorite part about camp was getting up on one ski.

JONAH FELDMAN: My favorite part about camp was tubing for the first time.

ERIC GOODMAN: My favorite part about camp was playing basketball against Timberlane.

JON WOOL: My favorite part about camp was skiing on Sand Lake.

AIDEN SOLOMON: My favorite part about camp was winning an arrow-head

MICAH BLUM: My favorite part about camp was winning King of the Camp.

PAYTON PICUS: My favorite part about camp was playing Twi-Light-League.

LUKE LESHIN: My favorite part about camp was winning greasy watermelon

TRUMAN MANKOWSKI: My favorite part about camp was Lazy Sunday

JOSH JAFFE: My favorite part about camp was getting to the top of the climbing wall on the hardest side

BODI JOHNSON: My favorite part about camp was having **ETHAN SAKS** as my counselor

JOSH LEMONS: My favorite part about camp was swimming in the deep end of the lake.

Counselor Profile

ZACH 'ZEKE' QUEN

Age: 18

Camp Activities: Basketball and yoga

Favorite Song: Under the sun/Sacrifices by Dreamville

Favorite Drink: Dr. Pepper

Best Vacation: Caribbean Cruise

Favorite Movie: Get Out

Best Camp Memory: Phoenix Winning King of the Camp

Favorite Camp Meal: Chicken tenders

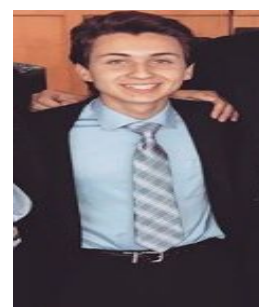
Years at Camp: 1

Spirit Animal: Lion or Chicken

Role Model: David Attenborough

Hobbies: Hanging with Brett and Isaac Weiss

Favorite TV Show: How I Met Your Mother



Tomorrow's Weather

82°F 27°C



Did you know...

A lion's roar can be heard five miles away

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THE 2ND SESSION EDITION MONDAY JULY 15, 2019

First Session Junior Twi-Light League Championship

By **BENJIE SOREN**

In Junior Twi-Light League, Subrin's Meme Team battled Doran's Fishies in a best of seven series. On Wednesday night, the Meme Team took game one after strong contributions from **SIMON MANN** and **NEO SCHNEIDER**. Doran's team took game two after **FINN DORAN** and **DRAKE ELMAN** led the way with great hitting and fielding. In game three **BRAYDEN SUBRIN** led his team to victory, letting no balls get past him in left field, while also hitting home-runs at the plate. Game four went to Surbin's meme team putting the series at 3-1. **AIDEN WAGNER** led the Fishies to a seven run lead in game five, yet, the Meme Team came back to win game five, and with it, Junior Twi-Light League.



The Meme Team honored by **BENJIE SOREN**

Keeping on the Sunnyside By **ZACH FORMAN, ZACH FIELD, BENNY GOLDBERG** and **BRANDON JOHNSON**

Last night, the first night of the second session, all of CM went down to the lake for a beautiful campfire. During this camp fire, **MILES PROVUS** and **TOM ADLER** played a tune we all know as "Keep on the Sunnyside". Along with this song, comes a game. Either **MILES** or **TOM** calls on a different camper to share a funny, clean joke. Following the joke, everyone sings while the guitarists play "Keep on the Sunnyside". We heard jokes from **COOPER BORSTEIN, ROBERT LOQUERCIO, ADAM 'NURSE ON WHEELS' PLOTKI** and **MAURICIO ESPINOSA**. After we played the game, **JACKSON WUSTNER** performed Sweet Home Alabama. The campfire was finished off by speeches from counselors explaining how special camp is. **SAM MILLER** explained how here at camp, "the days feel like weeks, and the weeks feel like days", so we should all cherish every moment. **RYAN SERBIN** explained how, even though it is his first year, he already feels at home and how amazing camp friendships are. Lastly, we heard from **JASON** explaining how excited he is for the session to start.

Dance Night By **JACK McCLUSKY**

What a spectacular night we had in Wasserman Hall for Dance Night! All the cabins created their own, original dance routine to a song of their choice, which they performed in front of the entire camp. And we sure did hear some classics. Cabin nine's routine to a Korean Pop song lucky canteen number 48 would have certainly had the *Dancing with the Stars* judges on their feet, as **TYLER FIELD, BRADY MYER,** and **RYAN SERBIN** strutted across the stage with elegant style. After long and careful deliberation, our three counselor judges announced the winners for Menominee's annual Dance Night. Cabin Four were victorious for the Junior Age Division, Cabin Ten held their own in the Intermediate Group, and Cabin Fourteen were dominant amongst the Seniors. Laughter abounded for the whole night, and we all cannot wait for a repeat of Dance Night during second session!

SECOND SESSION ARRIVAL By Editors CALEB SAKS & JACK SACKS

As the Lamers Buses arrived around 2:30 PM on Sunday, July 14th, campers on and off the bus were itching to reunite with their best friends for another four weeks of lasting memories. Campers swarmed into Wasserman Hall, where Jason proceeded to read off the cabin lists, as counselors and campers cheered and smiled for a photo. After everyone received their cabins, we all went around to different stations to get ready for the session. These stations were: letter writing to parents, goal setting, money for the bank, Big 10 sign-ups, leagues sign-ups, waterfront rules and health checks. It was a great start to an amazing session!



A full messhall for second session

Q+A With Our Maintenance Man - JOE STAPELTON

By ZACK FORMAN, ZACH FIELD, BENNY GOLDBERG and BRANDON JOHNSON

- 1. What year is this for you at camp?**
2nd year
- 2. What is your hardest job?**
Busting up concrete for the cement signing at the end of the summer.
- 3. What is it that you do at camp?**
A little bit of everything: lawn care, maintenance, garbage runs, filling the ice machine, running camping trips, help **CRAIG** winterize the camp and get camp ready for the spring.
- 4. Do you enjoy working here?**
Very much so. This is, hands down, my best job yet.
- 5. What is your favorite thing to do at camp besides work?**
Take some of the post-camp families out fishing.
- 6. What is the best part about your job?**
Knowing everything we do here will positively impact the kids.
- 7. What is your best camp memory?**
Being a part of my first Keylog Ceremony at the canoe trips during trip week.
- 8. What is your favorite camp meal?**
Chef Rick's meatloaf.



Counselor Profile

Jack Sacks

Age: 17

Camp Activities: Fitness, the Megaphone

Favorite Song: Friend of the Devil - The Grateful Dead

Favorite Drink: Water

Best Vacation: Japan

Favorite Movie: Jay Cutler: A Cut Above

Best Camp Memory: Skipping in Senior Cabin with **CALEB SAKS**, **ROBBIE YASTROW** and **ADAM MASSELLO**

Favorite Camp Meal: Oatmeal

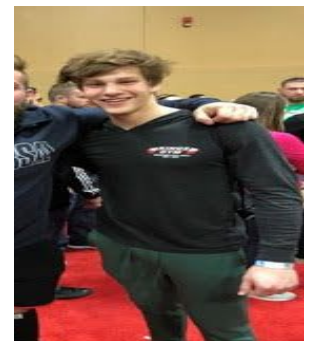
Years at Camp: 7

Spirit Animal: A supple water buffalo

Role Model: Jay Cutler (bodybuilder)

Hobbies: Lifting weights

Favorite TV Show: RX'd Radio



Tomorrow's Weather

85°F 29°C



Did You Know...

Movie trailers were originally shown after the movie, which is why they were called "trailers".

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THE BIG BROTHER, LITTLE BROTHER EDITION

TUESDAY JULY 16, 2019

Meet the New Editor By Editor JACK SACKS

Howdy campers, my name is **JACK SACKS**, and I will be the new Megaphone editor for the second session! I will be taking on the role of the incumbent editor **CALEB SAKS**, who will now spend more time running fitness Big Ten periods. I am from Cleveland, Ohio, and I am back for my seventh year at the Friendly Confines and my first year as a staff member. I am going into my senior year of high school at University School in Hunting Valley, Ohio. Caleb and I share a passion for fitness and weightlifting, and when I am not writing the Megaphone I will be joining him to instruct fitness Big Ten periods this summer. Moreover, we cannot wait to collaborate on Camp Menominee's historic newspaper for the next four weeks. This session, as always, will be packed with exciting activities, including the competition with Camp Kawaga, Twilight League, socials, and the intra-camp Green and White Competition, furnishing plenty of opportunities for engrossing journalism. At my high school at home, I have been a prolific contributor to the school newspaper since my freshman year, and in my senior year I will be the editor-in-chief, managing almost one hundred writers. It is truly an honor to document the second half of the 92nd summer at Camp Menominee!



Big Brother, Little Brother! By JAKE HOODACK

The boys at CM, after the all-camp photo, headed into Wasserman Hall, thinking they were to embark on another day of Big 10 activities. But suddenly, **JOSH INGRAM** walked in dressed as the Marvel character Thanos, accompanied by **JAKE GOODMAN**, saying they were going to take over the camp! This fictitious coup d'état was followed by **AJ VILLAREAL**, **ADAM PLOTKE**, and **AIDEN BRAMWIT** storming in and trying to stop Thanos from stealing camp. Big Brother, Little Brother czars, **JAKE HOODACK** and **TODD LAZARUS** took to the stage to explain that the camp



ADAM STEIN focused on the competition

would be split evenly between two teams: Team Thanos and Team Avengers. The objective for each team was to collect nine of the seventeen total "infinity stones" to save camp. There were seventeen small competitions dispersed around camp, and the winning team would be awarded an "infinity stone." The Big Brother, Little Brother pairs, such as **ELI FICSH** and **MICAH GAGERMAN**, went from competition to competition around the Friendly Confines. Eli and Micah were especially successful at the Mike Dunleavy Basketball Courts, where they swished a three pointer and a free throw to help the Avengers collect an "infinity stone." Teams ran to places such as Woody's Pitch to kick field goals, the pull-up bar to complete five pull-ups, and the hockey rink to hit the crossbar and

a half-court slap shot. **JACK SACKS** was the counselor stationed at the hockey rink, and he witnessed over thirty campers make half-court slap shots to earn a point for their respective teams. **RYAN FIRMIN, KASE RATZLAFF, JAKE REINHARDT,** and **JAMES POPLAWSKI** exercised impressive leadership, teaching their little brothers, many of whom have never played ice or roller hockey before, how to shoot. The Big Brother, Little Brother event was certainly full of "Menominee Firsts!" Team Avengers got off to a roaring start in the competition, but the mighty Thanos reigned supreme in the battle for CM.

Counselor Softball vs. Camp Ojibwa

By **KASE RATZLAFF**

Last Monday, July 8th, the CM counselor softball team departed for an exhibition game against a very talented Camp Ojibwa squad. The game began with Menominee scoring two quick runs in the first inning. Brett Weiss approached the plate and proceeded to demolish a three-run homer, sending the Menominee crowd, comprised of Senior Cabin and the CITs, into a frenzy. **SAM GOODMAN, ISAAC MILLER,** and **GAVIN BRAMWIT** showcased remarkable senior leadership and spirit, spearheading a number of camp cheers.

Despite CM's hot start and lively crowd, Ojibwa went on to rally and take a 6-5 lead late in the contest. Despite such a close loss, our campers and counselors cheered and competed the Menominee Way, and we are all looking forward to the upcoming counselor softball game against Camp Kawaga.



BENJIE SOREN at the plate

Song and Cheer Night By **BEN ZELKEN**

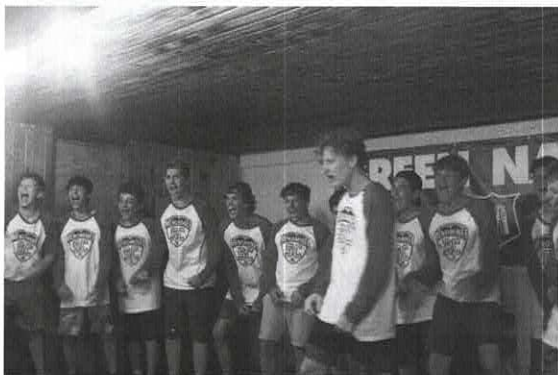
After the first full day of second session, all campers and counselors headed into Wasserman hall for the highly anticipated Song and Cheer Night. After **WOODY** guided the camp through an eloquent rendition of the Menominee Medley, Jeremy Kohlenbrener called upon the Senior Cabin to lead the camp in a variety of cheers. **DYLAN SCHWARTZ, HENRY LEVIN,** and **SAM GOODMAN** did a great job with their individual cheers, including "I went down to the river" and



"boom chicka boom." Lucky Canteen Number 35. Their energy quickly radiated to the younger

ETHAN SAKS excitedly awaiting the Senior Cabin's cheers

campers, who cheered and jumped along with great enthusiasm with the Senior Cabin and counselors. Wasserman Hall was packed to the brim with new faces coming in for second session!



JAMES POPLAWSKI and the Senior Cabin leading the camp in traditional cheers

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THE START OF TWI-LIGHT LEAGUE EDITION

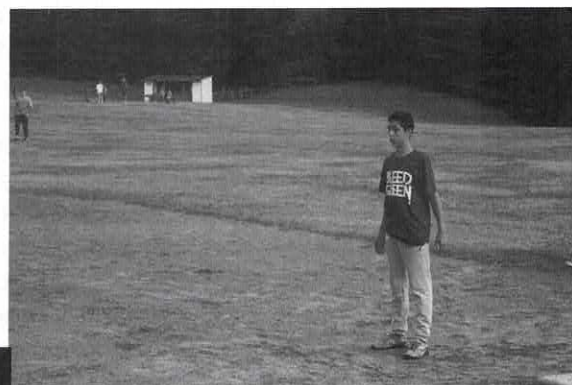
WEDNESDAY JULY 17, 2019

The Start of Twi-Light League By SCOTT GIBSON

Last night during dinner, Camp Menominee's nurse, **ADAM PLOTKE**, approached the microphone, ostensibly to make a brief announcement about sanitary measures. But the campers would quickly realize that this was merely deceit, as Adam went on to announce the beginning of the long-awaited second session Twi-Light League! Twi-Light League commissioners **BENJIE SOREN**, **JAKE HERMAN**, and **BRETT WEISS** took the microphone and announced the four Junior division teams, four Intermediate teams, and whopping eight Senior teams, making for likely one of the most competitive seasons to date. With the abundance of campers at CM this summer, it took ages just to announce the teams! Over at Bob Bender Senior Diamond, **CADEN PEARLMAN's** team faced off against **RYDER SPECTOR's** team with **BRETT WEISS** and **ISAAC WEISS** calling the balls and strikes. After some Derek Jeter-esque plays at short stop by **JACK FORMAN**, the game ended 14-3 in favor of Caden's team. Over at Diamond Four, with umpires **BENJIE SOREN** and **LOUIE KANTER**, teams captained by **SIMON MANN** and **NEO SCHNEIDER** battled in a nail-biting Junior Twi-Light League contest. The final score was 14-13, with team captain Neo Schneider hitting a walk-off single with two outs in extra innings.



JEREMY BACH ready to swing



COOPER SPECTOR playing first base in Senior Twi-Light League

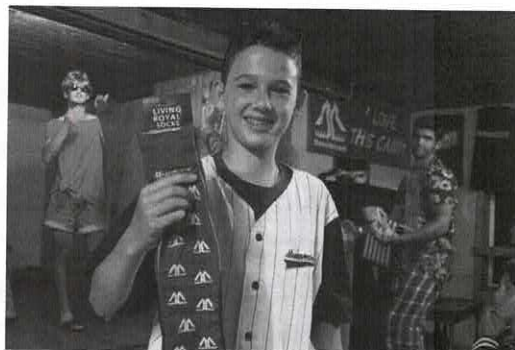


BENJIE SOREN, **JAKE HERMAN**, and **BRETT WEISS** announcing the slate of action

All campers demonstrated their remarkable softball skills, many of which they acquired during their Big Ten softball periods. **JOEY HOFFMAN** demonstrated what he learned with an impressive slide into third base! The first night of Twi-Light League was certainly an encouraging start to what should be a very competitive season.

“Let’s Make a Deal” By **BENJY TAYLOR** and **ADAM STEIN**

We were both very excited for the first “Let’s Make a Deal” of the session. **ISAAC WEISS**, dressed in a bright green suit jacket, and **SAM MILLER**, dressed in an oversized gray suit jacket, were the czars for the event. Isaac and Sam quickly opened the Wasserman Hall curtains on the stage to reveal **JAKE JONES** and **BRETT WEISS**, both dressed as women advertising the deals. Lucky Canteen Number 10. As we looked around Wasserman Hall, all campers were dressed in unique outfits, some including baseball mitts on heads, blankets tied like togas, and basketball jerseys. Isaac Weiss picked **LONDON DRAPATSKI** for the first deal because of his elegant Hawaiian purple lay, which coincidentally matched the one that Sam Miller was wearing. Isaac offered Landon a free canteen for his lay, but Landon shrewdly declined, awaiting a better offer. Then, Isaac pulled out a second free canteen from his pocket, an offer that Landon simply could not refuse. Crazier offers came along as the night progressed, such as the Menominee watch. **HARRISON HOFFMAN**, sporting his vintage Menominee baseball jersey, came off the stage with his own pair of Menominee socks! “It was filled with surprises and tragic losses. Some deals were real bargains, and others not so much,” said **JAKE PETERS** when asked to encapsulate the event. “Let’s Make a Deal,” as always, did not disappoint, as many campers walked away with great prizes and great memories.



HARRISON HOFFMAN with his brand new Menominee socks!

Senior Cabin and CIT’s Night-Off By **RYAN FIRMIN**

We were all excited when Jason called the Senior Cabin and the CITs down to the Green Benches, as Jason excitedly announced that we would be going on a night off. After intense dispute over what we should do on our night away from camp, we planned on going to the Chinese Buffet and a movie afterwards. However, **AJ VILLAREAL**, an expert when it comes to fun activities in the North Woods, suggested that we all go to the local car derby. Instantly, the Senior Cabin and the CITs alike were on board. Excited for such a unique experience, we all showered and changed quickly, heading off to get dinner. Instead of the Chinese Buffet, though, we opted for Tijan’s Twelve Pines because of its proximity to the derby. Even though we waited quite a while for our cheese curds and wings, **JAKE REINHARDT** and **XANDER SCHILLER** kept everyone entertained by cracking jokes. After departing from Tijan’s Twelve Pines, we eagerly headed to the derby, excited as we were not quite sure what to expect. Just as we stepped out of the camp van, we immediately heard the whizzing of the cars and the roars of the engines, causing **MAX BEERMAN**, **DYLAN SCHWARTZ**, and **ARI GOLDBERG** to take immediate interest. We had a great time cheering for the drivers and showing some CM spirit! Overall, it was a successful first night-off of second session.

Counselor Profile

Josh “Juice” Goodman

Age: 18

Camp Activities: Volleyball, football, tennis

Favorite Song: Foto by Kota the Friend

Favorite Drink: Water

Best Vacation: Mexico

Favorite Movie: Interstellar

Best Camp Memory: Clinching the 2016 Menominee vs. Kawaga Competition

Favorite Camp Meal: Grilled cheese

Years at Camp: 10

Spirit Animal: A domesticated baser

Role Model: Sal Goodman (Dad)

Hobbies: Video games, sports, yoga

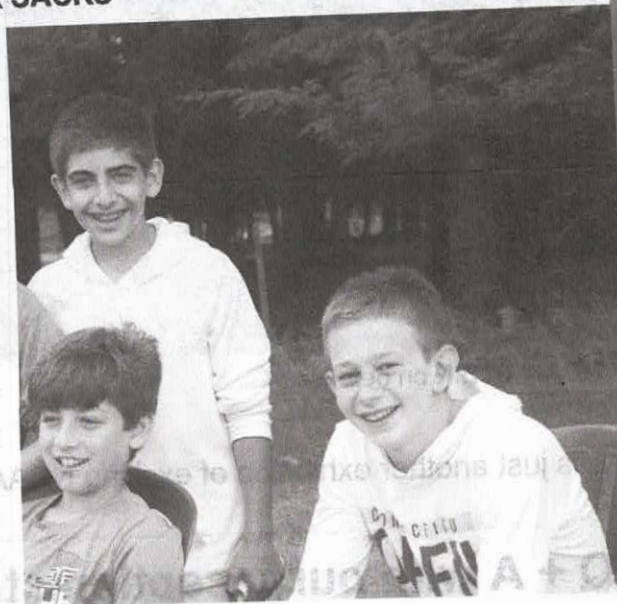
Favorite TV Show: Dragon Ball Z



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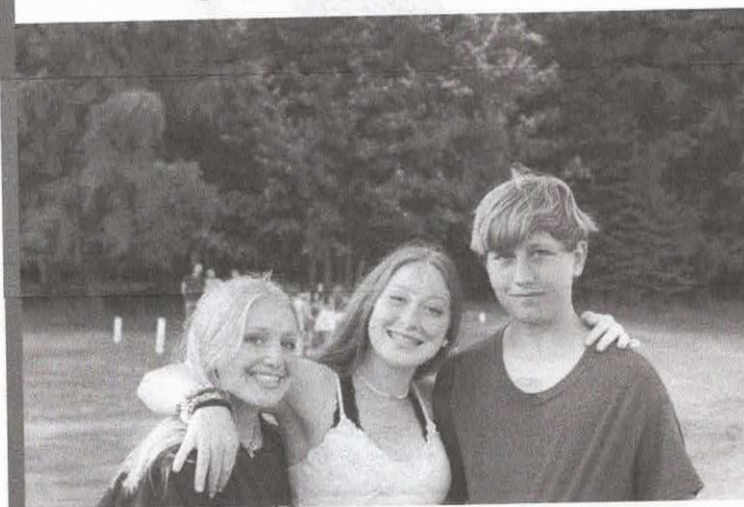
The Carnival-Themed Social! By Editor JACK SACKS

After yet another delicious lunch at CM, **JASON** announced that the girls from Camp Agawak would be traveling to Menominee for a social on Wednesday night! Cheers abounded from the campers, as the opportunity to interact with other females at camp is always a rare and cherished experience. However, this was no ordinary social. Jason went on to announce that each cabin needed to come up with an idea for a carnival booth. This meant that at the social, the girls would walk up to each cabin's booth and play their carnival games. Cabin 17 did not take long to come up with their idea: "Make Us Laugh!" Cabin 17 would sit behind the booth, and the girls would have fifteen seconds to make them laugh. If the girls succeeded, they would win a piece of candy or a prize. **JUSTIN MELL** and **NALIN KUNDU** were always quick to burst into laughter, but, given the amount of girls around the booth, "Make Us Laugh" was sensational! Several other cabins had great ideas that became big hits as well,



JEREMY BACH, BRADY KAY, and GRIFFIN BRAMWIT at their booth

such as bowling, water pong, and self-portrait drawing. The Senior Cabin and the CITs did not disappoint, demonstrating their idiosyncratic creativity and humor with their carnival booths as well. The Senior Cabin's booth idea was "Change Our Minds," which entailed the girls attempting to change the boys' mind on some supposed fact or opinion. Most notably, the girls from Agawak did change the Senior Cabin campers' minds on whether cereal or milk should enter the bowl first for most efficient consumption. The girls contended that putting milk after the cereal often causes it to splash, which changed the Senior Cabin boys' minds. The CITs were also successful with their booth: "The Crystal Ball."



ANTHONY CHEZ with a few of his lady friends

RYAN FIRMIN, GAVIN BRAMWIT, JACK BEHAR, and KASE RATZLAFF all predicted the futures of the girls. Their predictions were a perfect combination of realism and humor, and it was certainly a big hit with the Agawak girls. Beyond the carnival booths, the Men-Online served ice cream, cookies, and various other goodies. Some campers even played volleyball in the sand with the Agawak girls. Without a doubt the carnival social was a success!

NCAA Leagues Senior Soccer! By ARI LIBBY



ADAM STEIN on defense

During NCAA Leagues action yesterday, Senior campers flooded into Woody's pitch for some intense soccer matches. The pitch was divided with two 7 vs. 7 matches going on at once. On the far side, closest to the camp entrance, **LUKE LARAMORE** and **GRIFFIN FIRMIN** led a blowout exhibition with their impressive play as strikers. However, on the other side of the pitch, closest to the golf course, it was a close match between **ADAM STEIN's** Team USA and **NATHAN GELFGAT** Team Morocco. Nathan and **JUSTIN MELL** showed off some impressive footwork and took the victory for Team Morocco 4-2. Yesterday's Senior Soccer

was just another exhibition of exciting NCAA league action!

Q + A with our receptionist REBECCA WOMACK

By BENNY GOLDBERG, BRANDON JOHNSON, ZACK FORMAN, and ZACH FIELD

1) What year is this for you at camp?

My 1st year

2) How would you describe your job?

I answer phone calls and emails, ship packages, and cover all travel with the campers, making sure everyone gets home and to camp correctly.

3) What is the hardest part of to your job?

There isn't a hard to my job

4) What do you do in your free-time at camp?

I go to Eagle River

5) What is your favourite camp meal?

Biscuits and gravy

6) Where are you from?

Louisiana

7) What is your favourite part about camp?

The weather



Counselor Profile

Jake Goodman

Age: 18

Camp Activities: Archery, riflery

Favorite Song: Making Breakfast by Twin Peaks

Favorite Drink: Coffee

Best Vacation: Mexico

Favorite Movie: Yesterday

Best Camp Memory: Beating Kawaga in 2016, Senior Cabin year

Favorite Camp Meal: Reubens

Years at Camp: 10

Spirit Animal: Bear

Role Model: Sal Goodman (Dad)

Hobbies: Video games, music

Favorite TV Show: Criminal Minds



Five Year Night By Editor JACK SACKS

Each year, campers, counselors and staff are initiated into the Menominee's Five Year Club. The ceremony is held in Wasserman Hall, where existing members present Five Year Jackets to the incoming initiates. Members are recognized for their long-lasting commitment to CM. The members of this club have learned to call the Friendly Confines their 'home away from home' and their love towards camp is unwavering. Each member of the Five Year club has made their own mark on camp and for this the Menominee family is forever grateful. Welcome to the Five Year Club.



New Members

First	Last	First	Last
Spencer	Auslander	Max	Kirsch
Aaron	Pelts	Zach	Meyers
Griffin	Bramwit	Jack	Myerthall
Jack	Carter	Gavin	Picklin
Luke	Laramore	Caden	Perlman
Ben	Lazarus	Jake	Reinhardt
Ryan	Martin	Sam	Myerthall
Jacob	Schneider	Alex	Stelzer
Josh	Barsky	Jake	Jones
Drew	Benjamin		

The Menominee Five Year Song

*Here's to Camp Menominee,
May she live forever,
May we always faithful be,
And our bonds ne'er sever,
Though our troubles may be nigh' boys,
With our standards raised on high boys,
We'll be loyal to Menominee,
Ever loyal to our camp, Menominee.*

Existing Members

Nate Beerman	6	Benji Gau	7	Isaac Weiss	9
Harrison Hoffman	6	Jake Herman	7	Gavin Bramwit	10
Brady Weiss	6	Jack Sacks	7	Thomas C. Adler	10
Elliott Zelken	6	Caleb Saks	7	Jake Goodman	10
Joey Hoffman	6	Jonny Bloom	7	Josh Goodman	10
Jordan Gentner	6	Jackson Weil	7	Max Weingardt	10
Ari Goldberg	6	Cooper Spector	8	Todd Lazarus	10
Jack Kaplan	6	Ryder Spector	8	Noah Lazarus	10
Mickey Racenstein	6	Max Beermann	8	Jeff Toombs	11
Louie Kanter	6	Sam Goodman	8	Brett Weiss	11
Isaac Miller	6	Dylan Schwartz	8	Jonah Weiss	13
Kase Ratzlaff	6	Jake Hoodack	8	Jeremy Kohlenbrener	15
Joshua Ingram	6	Sam Miller	8	Jason Feldgreber	17
Ethan Saks	7	Logan Rosengard	8	Dr. Kenny Miller	18
Zachary Ben-Isvy	7	Benjamin Zelken	8	Dr. Trissy Miller	18
Jack Forman	7	Mike Taylor	9	Lee Libby	19
James Poplawski	7	Pamela Adler	9	Woody	29
Jack Behar	7	Jonah Gagerman	9	Dr. Danny Kniaz	30
Ryan Firmin	7	Benjie Soren	9	Lisa Brooks	30

Ultimate Frisbee vs. Camp Timberlane

By **ZACH "ZEKE" QUEN**

Ultimate Frisbee was a highly competitive game against Camp Timberlane. **JACK BERGER** was utterly dominant, dishing out passes and catching the frisbee with ease. **AARON PELTS** showed off his precise passes as well. Coach **BEN ZELKEN** used his years of Menominee Ultimate Frisbee experience and strategic genius to draw up plays for the team. The blistering heat and sun at Camp Timberlane certainly did not stop the boys from moving fast and throwing dimes on the Ultimate Frisbee field. **BRADY SPIGGOS** caught some clutch passes to help lead the team to victory. It was an incredible team effort all around!



AARON PELTS preparing to pass the frisbee

12U Tennis vs. Camp Timberlane By **KIT BOWERS**

The CM 12 and under tennis team answered the bell against Timberlane under the gray skies on Friday, July 19th. **LEXX MALKIN** defeated Timberlane's #1 singles player with ease, while **JACOB SCHNEIDER** looked like Roger Federer serving the ball to defeat their #2 singles. **CHARLIE JACOBS** and **WILL BAUMEYER**, despite being Menominee's #3 doubles team, pulled off a miraculous upset against Timberlane's #1 doubles. CM's 10-man tennis squad put together an impressive effort against Camp Timberlane in a victory.

12U Archery vs. Camp Timberlane

By **BENJI GAU**

It was a beautiful day for archery over at Camp Timberlane. The boys from Menominee were excited to give it their all for the competition. **NOLAN HEFTER** started off strong for Team Menominee, followed closely **ZACH DANZIGER** and **DANIEL GELFGAT** shooting bulls eyes. Camp Timberlane was down a few players, but they ultimately came back to win in a close one. Because the match ended early, the boys from Timberlane and Menominee came together to shoot some extra shots for a little while. It was certainly a great effort by both teams!



DANIEL GELFGAT shooting archery

Five Year Night Dinner By **CALEB SAKS**

Today when "Piggies" played on the intercom, the announcement was different than usual. Instead of calling the best cabin clean-up scores into the mess hall first, **JOSH INGRAM** invited the six-year-and-up members into the mess hall for first call. This is Five Year Night tradition at CM. After getting

our food, all the members of the six-year-and-up club sat in the middle section of the mess hall. Later, the rest of the camp came in, all sitting on the outer tables. Dinner was flank steak, fries, corn on the cob, a veggie assortment, and chocolate cheesecake. All of the campers in their sixth year, such as **ARI GOLDBERG**, **BRADY WEISS**, and **NATE BEERMAN**, were ecstatic to take part in the tradition for the first time. Former longtime CM counselor **BRIAN BULGATZ** joined us at the seventh year table, where he divulged lots of embarrassing and funny Five Year Night stories! Everyone enjoyed the meal, and the younger campers certainly got a taste of one of the many perks of being a Five Year Club member are!

16A Softball vs. Ojibwa By JAKE HOODACK

Rain cannot stop the Menominee Men. It was 1:30 when the boys from Ojibwa drove down the Service Road, ready to compete against our 16A softball team. The beginning of the game was favoring Menominee, leading 4-0 through three innings. **KASE RATZLAFF**'s pitching was flawless, as he was able to retire the side two times in as many innings. Though the boys from CM had them for a while, Ojibwa rallied in the third inning. Ojibwa took the lead 5-4, and suddenly we had an intense ball game. **NATE DUFFY** was covering the plate as an Ojibwa player sprinted to first on a ground-out, overlooking the safety base and decking **NATE** to the ground. The Menominee Men were outraged, only causing the 16A team to rally harder. In **NATE**'s next at-bat, he doubled into the centerfield and leftfield gap, scoring a run to give Menominee the lead by a score of 9-7. The sixth inning was wild, but Ojibwa came back swinging, tying the game at 9. **GAVIN BRAMWIT** got on base with a single in the seventh inning, giving us potential to score. **NATE DUFFY** played his heart out, legging out an infield single to keep the inning alive. **LOUIE KANTER** approached the plate looking to walk off Green Nation to a victory. He took the first two pitches, finally getting a strike. The Ojibwa pitcher pitched the ball, and **KANTER** eyed up the third base line. He ripped the ball up the line to score the winning run. The Menominee Men stormed the field, featuring **CALEB SAKS** and **JACK SACKS** shirtless, celebrating as brothers. As tradition calls for, the Menominee men cheered "Al Vivo" to the boys from Ojibwa. Even the fan section cheered "Al Vivo" to a stunned Ojibwa crowd, who scampered back to their vehicles. Best of all, the Menominee Men kept their composure throughout the closely competitive contest, putting on display the six traits of the Menominee Way.



The iconic scoreboard photo!



Some campers cheering on Team Menominee!

Week Five of The Menominee Way: Determination By Editor **JACK SACKS**

Every Sunday night, the Camp Menominee CIT's present The Way. It is truly one of the most unique features of CM, as the entire camp walks out to the golf course, together and in silence, to honor their best friends for their non-superficial achievements. Instead of honoring the best athletes or the cleanest cabins, Menominee gathers as one to honor the campers, counselors, and staff who are the most spirited, determined, along with four other adjectives that encapsulate Camp Menominee's ideals. Each week, The Way Ceremony highlights a specific pillar of the six characteristics that comprise The Menominee Way. This week's characteristic was "determination," certainly a timely quality to discuss just prior to this week's much anticipated competition with Camp Kawaga.

As **GAVIN BRAMWIT** put it on Sunday, "Determination, otherwise known as 'your will to win.' When you stand at the bottom of your mountain, whatever it may be, it is determination that shows you your path to the summit. It is determination that gets you past any obstacle, and it is determination that keeps you going. When you have exhausted all your resources, but you are only halfway through, it is your drive that allows you to complete any task. Determination keeps you going, even when you have been hit hard. The following eight individuals bleed determination everyday here at camp."

And those eight honorees were: **JAMES BYERS, JORDAN STEIN, EASTON NEWMAN, CHARLIE EISENBERG, NATE DUFFY, DANIEL SHAMAH, ISAAC WEISS, and DAN GLUCKMAN**

Congratulations to these individuals who were honored for exhibiting outstanding determination in their time at CM. Each of these honorees were called up to stand together around the fire, followed by a short speech by a CIT about the honoree. To furnish an example of a speech, **JACK BEHAR**, who spoke about **EASTON NEWMAN**, wrote, "In his second year at camp, **EASTON** consistently puts his best foot forward, and always keeps it classy through victory and defeat. **EASTON** is not only determined for his personal success, but also supports others in their victorious conquests."

In addition to the eight individual honorees, **JASON** also chooses an honor cabin, the cabin that best demonstrates all of the ideals of the Menominee Way. This past Sunday, **JASON** honored Cabin 19 for their ability to work together as the biggest cabin in camp. Congratulations to the Cabin 19, this week's Honor Cabin!

13U Archery vs. Camp Timberlane

By **JAKE GOODMAN**

It was a close match-up between Menominee and Timberlane in 13U Archery. The team consisted of **DYLAN SCHWARTZ, AUGIE FLICK, HENRY LEVIN, CADEN PERLMAN, MILES PROVUS, and MAX BEERMANN** as shooters, coached by **JAKE GOODMAN** and **EWAN MATHESON**.



SPENCER MARKS during the Timberlane competition!

Timberlane quickly set the tone for the highly competitive match, as their first shooter shot a 40/50. **MILES PROVUS** was able to answer back, shooting a 41/50 taking the lead for Team Menominee. As the match continued, the Menominee shooters shot consistently and confidently, shooting well enough to take the lead over each of the Timberlane shooters. With this, Menominee secured the victory after our fifth shooter, **DYLAN SCHWARTZ**. The final score was 206-164 in favor of CM. Special shout-out to **AUGIE FLICK** for shooting the best round on the team with a 44/50!

12U Soccer vs. Camp Timberlane By BEN ZELKEN

For the first block of Menominee vs. Timberlane, CM's 12 and unders took on Timberlane's soccer team. On the opening play, **GABE D'HARCOURT** scored a goal almost immediately, putting CM up 1-0. By the end of regulation, the game was tied 2-2, necessitating a shootout for the win. After an elite performance in goal by **CHARLIE EISENBERG**, **NICK BRIOCHE** scored the final goal for the win! It was certainly a great start to the day, giving Menominee's 12 and unders some momentum for the rest of the day.



JAKE AUSLANDER ready to compete!

12U Newcomb vs. Camp Timberlane By CALEB SAKS

Friday's newcomb game against Camp Timberlane initially seemed like it would be a dominant victory for CM after the first game of the series. We played two games, both of which ended in a victory, despite a nailbiting final few minutes in the second game. **NEO SCHNEIDER** never missed a serve, aching the Timberlane players several times. **GRIFFIN FIRMIN** was everywhere on the court, catching balls no matter where Timberlane threw them. **SIMON MANN** consistently set up his teammates to score on Timberlane with his selfless passing. The first game was a resounding 15-7 CM victory. Menominee went into the second game confident and with momentum. However, Timberlane rallied in the second game with impressive serves. The game shifted from a 10-7 Menominee lead to a 15-15 tie in a matter of minutes. Nevertheless, **JESSE KAPLAN's** menacing height allowed him to throw down some untouchable spikes to win the final two points, clinching the game for Menominee. What a great effort from the boys in green!



ELLIOT ZELKEN and **JESSE KAPLAN** after the victory in newcomb

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THE KAWAGA JERSEY EDITION

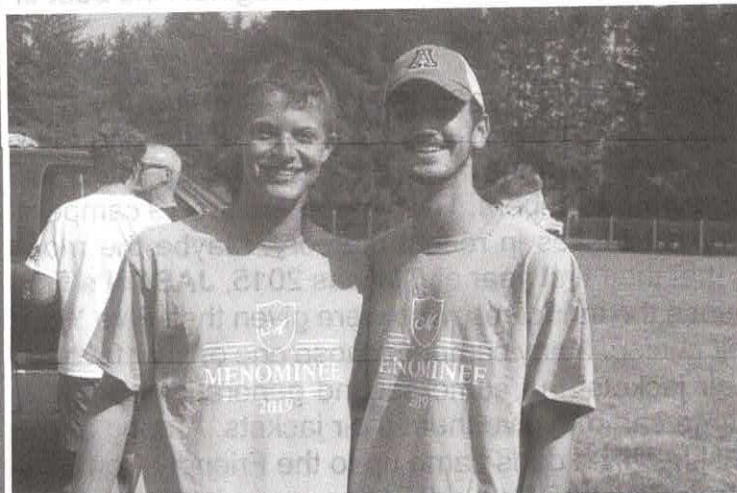
TUESDAY JULY 23, 2019

Kawaga Jersey Reveal By CALEB SAKS

It was a typical morning at CM: everyone was called to raise the flag by the near basketball courts. For some reason, however, the Senior Cabin was not there to raise the flag. Most campers, lost in their excitement for their Beat Kawaga Team Practices, did not even notice the abnormality. After raising the flag, **JASON** came out to the basketball courts to explain that Menominee was given a new flag, one that was passed down by some alumni. He directed us all to Al Louis Baseball Diamond, where he told us



JASON with the "new" flag



JACKSON WEIL and **BRETT WEISS** with their new jerseys!

that we would do a second flag raising for the new flag. As soon as we arrived, the flag raising music began to play, but nobody was raising the flag. As most campers stood scratching their heads for a moment, **JACKSON WEIL** flew down the zipline wearing our new lime green competition jerseys, featuring the vintage CM logo. **RYDER SPECTOR** drove in with **DAN GLUCKMAN** on the golf cart ready to hand out everyone's Kawaga jerseys. The Senior Cabin began to throw shirts out to each cabin, and every camper was ecstatic. Every camper felt united as one, ready to represent CM well

in the competition over the next two days in their new competition jerseys. Everyone concluded the reveal by going to their cabins and hanging their jerseys in the rafters. On the day of the competition, each and every camper will remove their jerseys from the rafters and put them on together, a competition tradition for Menominee. If campers and counselors were not already excited to compete against Kawaga, the jersey reveal certainly took their excitement to a whole new level.

Counselor Softball vs. Camp Kawaga By SAM MILLER

The CM counselor softball team was coming off a close 6-5 loss to Camp Ojibwa, looking to bounce back in dominant fashion against Camp Kawaga on Monday night. The counselors from Menominee certainly answered the bell. **BENJIE SOREN**'s pitching could only be characterized as dominant, making it difficult for Kawaga to get anything going early. **BENJIE** went on to strike out several batters throughout the game, including Camp Kawaga's director twice. Short stop **AJ VILLAREAL** made the space between second and third base impenetrable with his quick hands and adept

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fielding skills. **BRETT WEISS, JAKE HOODACK, JACKSON WEIL,** and **ISAAC WEISS** were impressive at the plate throughout the game, with **JAKE** even going a perfect 4-4 with a single, two doubles, and a triple. Simply put, the combination of Menominee's firepower at the plate and **BENJIE's** flawless pitching was unstoppable, resulting in a resounding 16-4 victory in favor of Menominee's counselors. It was quite the impressive effort from CM coming off a tough loss to Ojibwa two weeks ago.

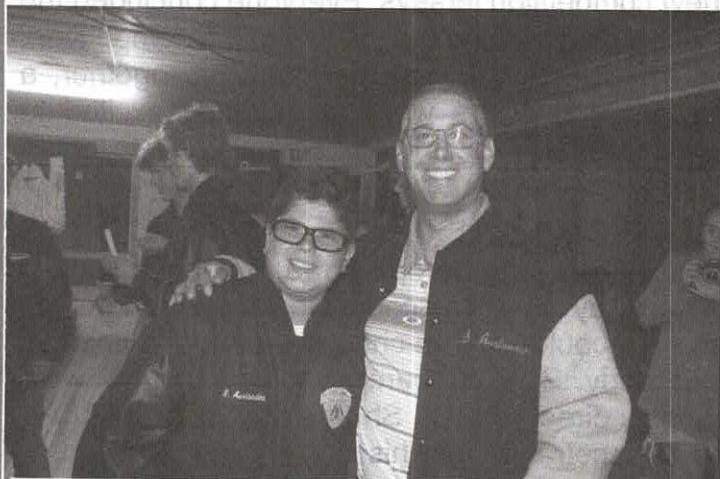


The team (**JASON, JONAH WEISS, ISAAC WEISS, BRETT WEISS, TODD LAZARUS, JONAH GAGERMAN, JAKE HOODACK, AJ VILLAREAL, BENJIE SOREN, NOAH LAZARUS, JAKE JONES,** and **JEREMY KOHLENBRENER**) after the victory!

Five Year Night Recap By Editor **JACK SACKS**

There is truly nothing quite like receiving your Five Year Jacket at Camp Menominee. It is a token of your loyalty to the Friendly Confines. It initiates you into a brotherhood of campers who love camp more than one can imagine. And best of all, it guarantees you pizza from DeNoyer's once every summer!

On Saturday night, **WOODY** called everyone into Wasserman Hall right after lowering the flag. However, all of the current Five Year Club remained outside of Wasserman Hall, dressed in their jackets and jeans. **JASON** went on to announce these current members, followed by the most exciting part of the ceremony: the induction of the newest members. This year, there are 19 campers in their fifth year at CM, one of the biggest fifth year classes in recent memory. Maybe the most special part about this year's fifth year class was that their first year at CM was 2015, **JASON's** first year as owner of camp. **JASON** went on to announce the inductees, who were given their Five Year Jackets by a member of the Five Year Club of their choice. Many campers chose one of their favorite counselors, or an older brother to give them their jackets, but some second generation campers were lucky enough for their dads make the trip up to camp to give them their jackets. Among a few others, **SPENCER AUSLANDER** and **DREW BENJAMIN's** dads came up to the Friendly Confines to give their sons their jackets and join the Five Year Club at DeNoyer's. After some delicious pizza, tasteful jokes, and toasts to former campers and counselors at DeNoyer's, everybody had an incredible time. It is really special to be part of the Five Year Club at CM!



SPENCER AUSLANDER and **DREW BENJAMIN** with their dads on Five Year Night!

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THE COMPETITION EDITION

SATURDAY JULY 27, 2019

MENOMINEE 34, KAWAGA 37

Menominee vs. Kawaga By Jake Goodman

It was a hard fought battle until the end between Menominee and Kawaga, but unfortunately Menominee was not able to get the 36 wins needed to overcome Kawaga, as the final score of the competition was 37-34. Going into the first day of the competition the consensus was that it wouldn't be hard to beat Kawaga this year. The first sport for the 11&U age group was hockey and losing both the 11A and 11B games set the tone for the 11&U age group for the entire competition. The 16&U age group began with tennis and battled to the end only to come up with a loss. While the 11&U and 16&U age groups were falling short over at Camp Kawaga, the 13&U age group dominated football at Menominee, winning all four games. As the first day of competition progressed, Menominee began to realize that after three years of losing, Kawaga would not be going down without a fight this year. After the 11&U age group only won 11A football and riflery, and the 16&Us only won 16D basketball, the 13&Us knew they had to pick up the slack. Their age group did just that after sweeping softball and taking a win in tennis carrying the momentum of the competition for their age group. The outcome of the first day of competition was surprising to say the least. It served as a wakeup call to most of the Menominee campers who had never experienced a loss to the other camp. After a long and tiring day of competition the score at the end of the first day was 18-14 in favor of Kawaga. This resonated strongly with the older age groups as they knew that they wouldn't have many more chances to compete against Kawaga as a camper. After a gathering by the campfire down at Sand Lake that night, Menominee would be ready to take on Kawaga with everything they had left and put it all out on the fields and courts. The 11&U age group fought hard and played the Menominee way in each of their newcomb games, but unfortunately got swept in all five of them. However, the 13&U age group was able to secure three out of the five basketball games and the 16&Us were able to win 16B soccer and our first 16A soccer game in a few years! The second day of competition was all about who wanted it more, who would win those 50/50 balls, who would lay out for that ball. The overall score was 31-31 when the final few sports for each age group were reached. There was still 11&U basketball, 13&U soccer, and 16&U softball. The 13&U age group persevered through the tough losses and won 13A, 13B, and 13C soccer, bringing Menominee to only one event behind Kawaga. The 11&Us were able to win at least one of their basketball games and the 16&Us won 16B softball but lost 16C in a close battle. It couldn't have been written any better, but the competition had come down to 11A and 11F basketball. Menominee would have to win both of these games and the competition would have gone down to 16A. Unfortunately, 11A and 11F lost and Kawaga had clinched their thirty sixth win bringing the competition to a close. We could not be more proud of the way every Menominee camper played and gave everything they had to support their camp in any way they could, whether it be cheering on their teammates from the side lines, or playing their heart out in each and every event. This competition could not have been possible without our head of competition **BRETT WEISS**. Thank you for the effort you put in to making this year's competition one to remember.



TYLER LONGNECKER, JASON ANDERSON and RUSSELL ROSENTHAL showing their support for Menominee.

Menominee vs. Kawaga Competition 2019

	11 & Under	13 & Under	16 & Under
Basketball			
A	Kawaga	Menominee	Kawaga
B	Kawaga	Menominee	Kawaga
C	Kawaga	Menominee	Kawaga
D	Kawaga	Kawaga	Menominee
E	Menominee	Kawaga	
F	Kawaga		
Football			
A	Menominee	Menominee	Menominee
B	Kawaga	Menominee	Kawaga
C	Kawaga	Menominee	Kawaga
D	Kawaga	Menominee	
Soccer			
A	Kawaga	Menominee	Menominee
B	Kawaga	Menominee	Menominee
C	Kawaga	Menominee	
Hockey			
A	Kawaga	Kawaga	Kawaga
B	Kawaga		
Tennis	Kawaga	Menominee	Kawaga
Archery	Kawaga	Kawaga	Kawaga
Riflery	Menominee	Menominee	Menominee
Volleyball/Newcomb			
A	Kawaga	Menominee	Menominee
B	Kawaga	Menominee	Menominee
C	Kawaga	Menominee	Kawaga
D	Kawaga	Kawaga	Kawaga
E	Kawaga		
Softball			
A	Menominee	Menominee	Menominee
B	Menominee	Menominee	Menominee
C	Menominee	Menominee	Kawaga
D	Kawaga	Menominee	

Camper Counselor Switch Day By Jake Goodman

Today was the annual camper counselor switch day in which the camp divides itself into two parties, the Bob Bender and the Al Lewis party. The camp divides so that the campers can become one of their counselors for a day. The process of determining which campers become counselors was done by having two campers represent each counselor with each of them on different parties, so if a cabin has two counselors then two campers will represent one party and two different campers will represent the other. While the campers are running to become their counselors, the Senior Cabin divided themselves and campaigned to be the administration, and craft their own schedule, however true it may be, in order to win over enough votes to be elected and run camp for a day. It was a close race this year with **JACK KAPLAN, SAM GOODMAN, XANDER SCHILLER, MICAH GAGERMAN, AND CADEN PERLMAN** representing the Al Lewis party, and **MAX BEERMANN, JACK FORMAN, HENRY LEVIN, JAKE REINHARDT, AND ARI GOLDBERG** running on behalf of the Bob Bender party. The Al Lewis party ended up securing more votes than the Bob Bender party and won the debate and election, which also means that any camper chosen to be their counselor for the Al Lewis party will also become their counselors. Congratulations to the Al Lewis party on their well deserved victory and a great job to **RYAN FIRMIN AND TYLER LONGNECKER** for hosting a well-run and entertaining debate.

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THE KAWAGA COMPETITION EDITION PART 2

MONDAY JULY 29, 2019

16 and Under A Soccer By Josh Ingram

Menominee 2, Kawaga 2 (Menominee win 3-0 on penalties)

It was a blistering hot Thursday morning and our boys travelled west to Camp Kawaga for the first event of the day, 16A Soccer. An intricate warm-up, led by **KASE RATZLAFF**, got our team ready for what was sure to be a tough game. The game started and Menominee instantly put Kawaga on the back foot. Fantastic plays by **JACK BEHAR** and **ISAAC MILLER** forced the Kawaga goalkeeper into making save after save. Against the run of an unexpected play, a Kawaga player scored a goal giving Camp Kawaga the lead with a score of 1-0. Menominee came back strong and some silky skills from **KASE RATZLAFF** leveled the score almost immediately. With the score 1-1 at the half, we knew we had to kick it up a notch in order to avoid going to a penalty shootout, as we had for the last three years in a row. With only ten minutes on the clock another goal was scored by Kawaga giving them the lead at a score of 2-1, backing Menominee into a corner. Although Menominee was put in a tough spot, superb defending by **JAKE REINHARDT**, **ALEC GAU**, **RYAN FIRMIN**, and **ALEX STELZER** meant that **KASE RATZLAFF** could move forward and shoot another goal for Menominee with the help of **THOMAS PORTMANN**. The referee blew the full-time whistle, calling the end of regular time with the score 2-2. This meant that there would be extra-time added to the game. However, a goal would not have secured the victory for either team as the other would also have a chance to score in the same allotted time. The extra-time passed without incident so the game was taken to penalties for the fourth consecutive year. The Menominee players knew that this would be their chance to break the streak for their camp and bring home the first 16A soccer win for over six years. Nerves were high for both the players and the coach as the penalty kicks began. The Menominee goalie **ZACH AKIN** pulled off a miraculous save to deny the first taker, with **KASE RATZLAFF** taking advantage for the greens scoring a penalty kick. Kawaga blazed one high and wide of the goal, keeping them with zero penalty kicks scored. **ISAAC MILLER** was up next and confidently slotted one in bringing Menominee to 2-0 in penalty kicks. **ZACH AKIN** saved Kawaga's third shot at goal using his legs, setting up **THOMAS PORTMANN** to score the final penalty. The Menominee campers cheering from the sidelines stormed the field and raised **THOMAS PORTMANN** on their shoulders for making that final shot not once, not twice, but three times! The soccer game was a hotly contested affair, but the better team came out on top in the end. I am immensely proud of all of the players and cannot wait to come back and not only coach them again, but be able to coach with the graduating players next year.



THOMAS PORTMANN being carried on the shoulders of his teammate.



The 16A volleyball team huddling in-between points.

16 and Under A Volleyball By Jackson Weil

Menominee 2, Kawaga 0

It was the morning of the second day of competition when the boys in green took the court for their volleyball match against Camp Kawaga. The Menominee players opened the game up strong when **LOUIE KANTER** made an insane block that was followed up by a barrage of spikes by **RYAN FIRMIN** and **GAVIN BRAMWIT**. The plays made by CM allowed them to take game one by a significant point difference. When game two began, Camp Kawaga fought back with a long service run, but the Menominee players wanted the game even more and got back into the game. With the setting skills from **JACK BEHAR** and the verbal leadership of **KASE RATZLAFF**, the

point difference quickly closed and Menominee was close to a second game point. **RYDER SPECTOR'S** serves were no match for the Kawaga defense and the greens were able to take game two, securing the match victory for a clean 2-0 sweep. The Menominee players showed some serious grit and leadership and set the example for future volleyball teams to come. Well done 16A Volleyball!

13 and Under A Football By Jake Herman

Menominee 13, Kawaga 8

The very first event of the competition for the 13 and under age group at CM was football, and the 13A football team helped set the tone for a dominating performance by the entire age group. In the first half, the men in green opened the scoring when **AARON PELTS** delivered a perfect pass to the tight end **JACK BERGER** in the end zone on a post route. After an interception by **JESSE KAPLAN** gave CM the ball back, **AARON PELTS** found **JACOB SCHNEIDER** over the middle for CM's second touchdown. After a goal-line stand stopped Kawaga, CM had the chance to take a three score lead, but were thwarted by penalties at the end of the half. Kawaga made the home team pay for letting them stick around, as they forced a turnover and scored to make the score 13-8. The green's offense was out of sync in the second half, but the defense of **JACK CARTER** in the secondary and the ferocious pass rush of **JERAM SALLES** and **SPENCER MARKS** helped to halt Kawaga's momentum. With two minutes to play, **GRIFFIN BRAMWIT** swatted away a fourth down Kawaga pass to give Menominee the ball back. **AARON PELTS** handed the ball off to **SPENCER MARKS**, whose shifty running forced Kawaga to burn their final timeouts. Eventually, the offense ran out the clock to seal their first of four 13 and under football wins in the competition. What a way to kick off the day!

13 and under B Softball By Jake Hoodack

Menominee 23, Kawaga 2

Going into the last event of day one of the competition, the Menominee men knew they had to finish strong. The guys, exhausted from a tough hockey loss, were instantly rejuvenated by warmups for a significant softball game. When the game began and **AARON PELTS** took the mound, it was lights out from then on. With a strikeout and two solid plays from 13B shortstop **CHARLIE EISENBERG**, Menominee was able to get through the first inning with three outs in a row. It was almost as if the Menominee guys were taking batting practice when **DYLAN COHEN** smacked the ball for a home run, and then hit another in the following inning. As the inning progressed, **JUSTIN MELL** tacked on a few more runs hitting a double in the second inning. Half way through the second inning, Menominee was up 23-2 so Kawaga wanted to forfeit the game. Menominee sportsmanship was on full display as the Menominee players wanted to give Kawaga the opportunity to hit again. However this ended with another 1, 2, 3 inning and that was the end of the 13B softball game. It was an impressive win for the 13B softball team as they competed following the Menominee way.



AARON PELTS high fives his teammate.

11 and under E Basketball By Logan Rosengard

Menominee 23, Kawaga 18

The competition was winding down and the both camps were getting very close to clinching the final event to win the competition. The green nation was looking for every win they could secure, including 11E Basketball. Basketball was the 11 and under age group's final sport and winning at least a couple of these games would have put Menominee in a good place as the end of the competition drew closer. This game was significant to both camps, so each side-line had their own crowd cheering on their players which lead to a very high energy game. The 11E team broke out to an early lead as the game began with the help of **TATE BUTLER** and **JUSTIN BERNDORF**. Despite how well the Menominee offense was playing, Kawaga was able to match it, taking the lead over Menominee by three points going into the second half. The break during halftime gave **SIMON CAREY** and **JENNER LADEN** the energy to be dominant on defense, blocking shots left and right. As the clock was running out, **JENNER LADEN** made a few clutch baskets at the end to secure the victory for Menominee.

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THE GREEN AND WHITE EDITION

TUESDAY JULY 31, 2019

Green and White has Begun! By Jake Goodman

After a rain delay on Sunday night, it was finally ready for Green and White to begin. Late Monday night, every camper and counsellor made the long and quiet walk out to The Way for the rescheduled ceremony lead by the CITs. After the eight individuals were honoured for Spirit, the trait being recognized during this past Way ceremony, **TOM ADLER** began to talk about the significance of the key log ceremony. However, before we was able to finish **JEFF TOOMBS** interrupted him explaining that there was a story that must be continued, the story of the Greenians and the Whithians. **WOODY** then answered back, explaining that the Greenians have the history all wrong. As **JEFF TOOMBS** and **WOODY** argued which of their histories held the truth, past Green and White captains paired up and began to re-enact the different stories in question at different places around the Way fire, such as Vroom, Creatively Acquire the Energy Source, and other



JEFF TOOMBS begins the introduction to Green and White.



SAM GOODMAN being branded with a green "G" as a newly nominated overall captain for the Green team.

Green and White events. While **JEFF TOOMBS** and **WOODY** continued to argue, the past captain backed up their Green or White representative and prepared to engage in battle. Before the battle broke out, a war horn could be heard from the distance played by none other than **BENJIE GAU**, signalling the commencement of Green and White! The czars for this year's Green and White, **SAM MILLER**, **ISAAC WEISS**, and **BENJIE SOREN**, were then announced as well as the previous year's overall captains for both teams. It was then tradition that the Green and White captains from the previous year nominate the overall captains for this year to take their place and brand them as members of either team. The former Green team captains **GAVIN BRAMWIT** and **RYAN FIRMIN** nominated **MAX BEERMANN**, **SAM GOODMAN**, and **ARI GOLDBERG** as the new Green overall captains. It was then the past White team captains **JACK BEHAR**, **LOUIE KANTER**, and **ISAAC MILLER** to nominate their new captains **JACK KAPLAN**, **JACK FORMAN**, and **DYLAN SCHWARTZ**. There was still one

more twist to this introduction, the new captains had to unearth a green trunk that contained plaques of wood containing the names of each camper and which team they were placed on! The nominated captains then read off their teams to the rest of the campers, and afterwards each age group captain ceremonially threw their plaque of wood in the fire. It was an exciting night and the campers couldn't wait for the many events to come in the next week. May the best team win!

Chippewa Social and Color Run By James Roberts

After a relaxing Saturday, it was time to welcome the girls from Camp Chippewa for the annual Color Run! The Menominee boys waited patiently on the Mike Dunleavy Basketball Courts, sporting their white Menominee shirts, as the girls from Chippewa rolled in van by van. The color run was hosted by the CITs who were throwing colors including red, blue, yellow, and green at everyone running by them. It was **DENYM WALLACE** who had taken on the Color Run first, closely followed by two junior campers **SIMON MANN** and **ETHAN GARCHIK**. The Color Run wasn't the only entertainment provided at the social, as immediately after it was over, the fourteen year old age group hosted a casino night in the mess hall! The fourteen year olds spread themselves out in the mess hall hosting different casino games

and the CM classic Plinko, run by DREW BENJAMIN. The night was finished with popcorn and ice cream, which proved to be very popular.

The Green and White Teams

THE GREEN TEAM

Captain: MAX BEERMANN

Captain: SAM GOODMAN

Captain: ARI GOLDBERG

HENRY LEVIN

XANDER SCHILLER

JAMES POPLAWSKI

JARED AGULIAR

KADEN LISKA

ALEX STELZER

TYLER LONGNECKER

RYAN FIRMIN

GAVIN BRAMWIT

14 Yr Old Captain: JOSH BARSKY

CHARLIE DUMO

JEREMY ZELKEN

EMILIO QUINTANAL

JAKE TOPEL

ZACH MEYERS

SHANE KOEHLER-DAVIS

JOSH COHEN

13 Yr Old Captain: DREW

HERZBERG

JESSE KAPLAN

BEN LAZARUS

ELLIOT ZELKEN

JACK CARTER

BEN MILCH

DRAEDYN SANFORD

MILES PROVUS

BRADY WEISS

JACOB SCHNEIDER

HARRISON HOFFMAN

BRADY KAY

ADAM STEIN

BENJY TAYLOR

JERAM SALLES

WYATT BAUMEYER

CHARLIE JACOBS

PRAVEEN CHAKINALA

Int. Captain: JACK BERGER

JADEN DONSKY

ROBERT LOCQUERCIO

JOSIAH GILMORE

CHARLIE TAYLOR

CHASE KAPLAN

BRODY SHEFREN

ELI FLAUM

BU MCLINDON

CHARLIE EISENBERG

AARON PELTS

NATHAN VASS

LUKE MASON

REED METZLER

JOSH PETERMAN

LANDON DRAPATSKY

BUD MCLINDON

Jnr Captain: BENNY

GOLDBERG

ZACH NEWMAN

NOAH SILVER

JAKE AUSLANDER

ZACH FIELD

MASON AUSLANDER

ETHAN SCHWARTZ

EVAN ABRAMS

COOPER BORSTEIN

SIMON MANN

CHARLIE SANFORD

SIMON CAREY

TATE BUTLER

THE WHITE TEAM

Captain: JACK KAPLAN

Captain: JACK FORMAN

Captain: DYLAN SCHWARTZ

RYDER SPECTOR

CADEN PERLMAN

JAKE REINHARDT

KASE RATZLAFF

ZACH AKIN

MAX MASON

WILL PRICE

LOUIE KANTER

ISAAC MILLER

JACK BEHAR

14 Year Old Captain: AUGIE

FLICK

NATHAN DUBINSKY

MAX KIRSCH

DREW BENJAMIN

NATHAN DUFFY

JEREMY BACH

ISAC MUWANGA

KJ MARKS

13 Year Old Captain:

DYLAN COHEN

JAKE MCDERMOTT

BODEN HOWELL

JASON NEIDER

CARTER ZIRLIN

NATE BEERMANN

ETHAN MANN

RYAN MARTIN

JOEY HOFFMAN

COOPER SPECTOR

GRIFFIN BRAMWIT

GRIFFEN FIRMIN

NATHAN GELFGAT

ANTHONY CHEZ

OWEN FITZGERALD

LUKE LARAMORE

ASHER BERMAN

WILL SIMKINS

Int. Captain: SPENCER

AUSLANDER

BRANDON JOHNSON

DANIEL GELFGAT

ZACH LIBBY

TYLER FIELD

EASTON NEWMAN

ELIJAH PENN

ASHER DIAMOND

BRADY SPIGGOS

RYAN WEIL

JASON ANDERSON

ZACH DANZIGER

MATTHEW HARFIELD

SAM ROSEN

BEN FLICK

SPENCER MARKS

Jnr Captain: JORDAN

STEIN

EVAN ROSENTHAL

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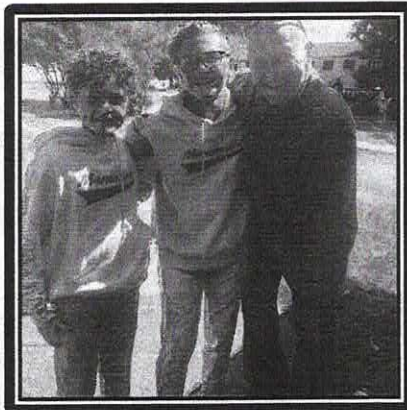
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THE GREEN AND WHITE EDITION PART 2

THURSDAY AUGUST 1, 2019



CHARLIE and DRAEDYN with WOODY after finding him.

Counselor Hunt By Woody

This was the day for **CHARLIE** and **DRAEDYN SANFORD** to shine. Indeed, they shone as bright as the sun, as they set about their task of finding counsellors. Both teams had to wait ten minutes in Wasserman Hall while the counsellors went and hid, before they were set loose to scour camp to find as many people as they could. Counselors are worth points, and those points relate to the number of years those individuals have been coming to camp. Thus Jason is worth 17; **WOODY** is worth 29 points and **JEREMY KOHLENBRENER** is worth 15. So those guys are worth finding. In all these years, **WOODY** has never been found, so you can imagine the surprise when word got out that he was in a tree on the golf course. **CHARLIE** and **DRAEDYN** had done the hitherto, impossible, and boy were they excited. This was big points for their team, the Greens. By now, people were being found all over the place (no mean feat when you have the whole camp to hide in.) The points were racking up, and by the end of it, it was the White team who were victorious. **JASON ANDERSON**

was simply amazed (and shocked) that **WOODY** had been found, but as a White team member he was excited to have won the day. Fun fact: counsellors were still emerging from their hiding places thirty minutes after the event had finished, as they did not realize it was all over. Just as well we found them, or they'd still be out there! New hiding places are already being talked about for 2020.

Circle Dodgeball By Jason Anderson

The first day of Green and White was action-packed with events all throughout the day. In the afternoon a game of circle dodgeball was played out on the athletic fields. The way circle dodgeball works is that one team begins in the middle of the circle while the other begins along the outer ring, throwing dodgeballs at the people in the middle. The objective is to get everybody in the center of the circle out in the least amount of time possible. The age groups are divided per game so that Seniors aren't throwing dodgeballs at Juniors. The Green team began on the inside of the circle while the White team began on the outer ring, ready to throw dodgeballs. During the senior dodge ball game most of the Green team got out pretty quickly, but not **DRAEDYN SANFORD**. He was able to stick around for a while, dodging balls left and right. After **DRAEDYN** finally got out, it was the White team's turn to enter the circle. **JACK FORMAN** was the first to get out for the White team, so losing an overall captain first was significant for the Green team. In the Intermediate dodgeball game, **JACK BERGER** made a powerful throw aimed at **ASHER DIAMOND** for it only to be caught, getting **JACK BERGER** out. It was a close game, but the Green team finished with a victory.



CHARLIE EISENBERG gets ready to throw a dodgeball.

The Cement Signing By Jake Goodman

On Tuesday afternoon, the concrete was being poured into the empty portion of the sidewalk by Cabins 12 and 13, ready to be signed by the entire camp. Every year, during the seventh week of camp, new cement is poured around camp to be signed by every camper, counselor, CIT, and staff member in camp. Signing the cement is a way for



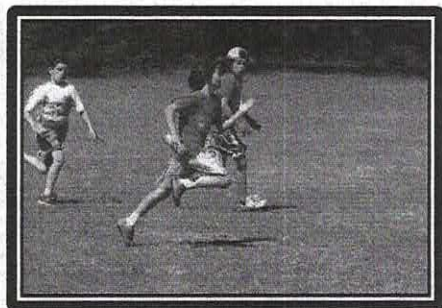
everyone in camp to, quite literally, leave their own mark on camp. It's a nostalgic feeling walking down the sidewalks at CM finding your name written, and it's important that everyone who was here have that experience in the future as well. The cement is divided into a grid, with each cabin having their own box to fill in their names and any inside jokes or other things they would like to record in the cement. It's not only the names that define that year at camp but also the other things that are written that help us remember what that year was like. The campers always love signing the cement and it looks great this year!

Vroom By Sam Goodman, Max Beermann, and Ari Goldberg

After a surprising introduction to Green and White, it was tradition that the first event of the competition would be a CM favorite, Vroom. Vroom is essentially an all-camp game of capture the flag with four flags and one secret flag on both sides of the service road. The objective is to capture as many flags as possible from the other team's side, with the secret flag being worth more points. Right off the bat, **JACK FORMAN** and **GRIFFIN BRAMWIT** of the White team quickly secured two flags, giving the White team a substantial early lead. The Green team answered back quickly when **JOSH BARSKY**, **MAX BEERMANN**, and **CHARLIE DUMO** relayed a flag past the line, bringing the score to 2-1 in favour of the White team. **CHARLIE EISENBERG** used this momentum and emerged from the woods with yet another flag, levelling the score at 2-2. The Green team rallied together to take one more flag, pushing their score up one to finally take the lead. As the time in the game was dwindling down, **JACK FORMAN** sneakily crossed the service road line once again, forcing a golden flag. After capture attempts from both sides, right before the game came to a close, **AARON PELTS** was able to close it out for the Green team with a captured flag and Vroom was over. It was a close game, but the Greens prevailed in the end. Great job Green team!



AARON PELTS with the rest of the Green team after capturing the last flag.



CHASE KAPLAN and **ELI FLAUM** running the energy source back to their side.

Creatively Acquire the Energy Source By Jack Forman, Jack Kaplan, and Dylan Schwartz

This afternoon all campers and counselors made their way on out to Woody's pitch for a game of Creatively Acquire the Energy Source. The game is played like Steal the Bacon where there is an object in the middle of the pitch, with both teams lined up along each goal line. Every player on the team is then assigned a number to listen for. Those numbers are then called out by the Green and White czars, letting the camper know that they are supposed to run and try to capture the object in the middle without being tagged by the other camper assigned that number on the other team. When the game began, the Greens took an early lead, with notable performances from **ZACH MEYERS** and **JAKE TOPEL** who were able to run the energy source back, allowing the Green team to take game one with a score of 22-

10. The White team came back fighting in the second game and evenly matched the will of the Green team. The score went back and forth as **CHASE KAPLAN** scored for the Greens and **SPENCER MARKS** for the Whites. It was a close game, but the White team took game two with a score of 21-18. The event had come down to third and final game, winner take all. The third game was first to eleven, not twenty one as it usually is. As the game continued, it seemed as if it would come down to the final play. The score read 10-9 and whoever captured the energy source would win the event. The czars knew this, so the numbers they called were all of the overall Green and White captains. **SAM GOODMAN**, **MAX BEERMANN** and **ARI GOLDBERG** rushed towards the energy source and were the first ones there. However, **MAX BEERMANN** decided to touch the energy source and attempt to pass it to **SAM GOODMAN**, but **JACK FORMAN** found himself caught up to **MAX** and got the tag before the pass was completed. That was the end of the game and the White team had won Creatively Acquire the Energy Source with the score of 11-9! It was well-fought but the Greens had fallen in the end. Congratulations to the Whites, but there are still plenty more events to be played.

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THE TEN YEAR EDITION

FRIDAY AUGUST 2, 2019



The new inductees of the ten year club being serenaded by **TOM** and **PAM**.

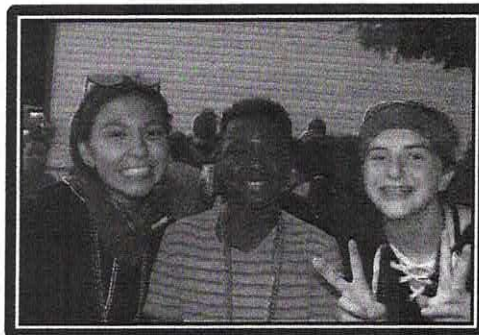
Ten Year Night By Jake Goodman

Yesterday was Ten Year Night, a ceremony similar to Fiver Year Night, which honors and recognizes those who have been coming to camp for ten years or longer. Loyalty is important to Camp Menominee and this ceremony recognizes those who have dedicated their time and effort into making camp what it is today. The new inductees into the ten year club were **GAVIN BRAMWIT**, **JAKE GOODMAN**, **JOSH GOODMAN**, **MAX WEINGARDT**, and **THOMAS C. ADLER**. Each of them were given a Menominee rain coat and a ten year shirt to honor their years of service. In addition, **PAMELA ADLER** wrote a verse, with the help of the inductee's friends, in a Ten Year song that was performed by her as well as **THOMAS C. ADLER**. Later in the ceremony the friends of those being inducted talked about each one individually while they were on stage

with them. Congratulations to those who were newly inducted into the Ten Year club, your unwavering dedication to camp is greatly appreciated by all.

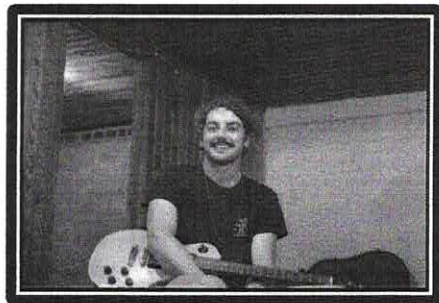
Mardi Gras Social with Marimeta By Rebecca Womack

For this week's social with Marimeta I personally felt right at home. Along with my co-coordinator **JONAH GAGERMAN**, we created a Mardi Gras festival in the middle of the North Woods, an impressive feat to say the least. Special thanks to chefs **RICK CULTON** and **MIKE TAYLOR** for making amazing King Cakes. The waterfront, as well as the golf cart and myself, was all decked out in the Purple, Green and Gold, in true Mardi Gras fashion it was a race to see who could catch the most beads. Although shouts of "Throw me something, mister" – the most heard phrase in New Orleans – were few and far between, there were still many necks full of beads. When the social was over, the fun that was had was evident by the beads, masks, and glitter all over the ground. I would have to say that bringing a touch of New Orleans to the North Woods was a huge success. Thanks y'all!



ELIJAH PENN showing his Mardi Gras spirit with some Marimeta girls.

Rock Band Night By Jackson Wustner



JACKSON WUSTNER performing a guitar solo for the camp.

Second session Rock Band, led by **JACKSON WUSTNER**, started off with **ZACH FORMAN**'s cover of "Barbie Girl." Shortly after, **COOPER BORSTEIN** sang "Every Minute We Swim Around the Lake." Next, **BRANDON "JAMIN" JOHNSON** performed a marvellous rendition of "When the Saints Go Marching In" with his trombone. The crowd exploded at the end of **JAMIN' JOHNSON**'s performance as everybody cheered. Next up was **MIKE TAYLOR**, and he required the assistance of the crowd to yell "woooo!" when they were directed to. After that **VICTOR MED-VILLEGAS** and **JACKSON WUSTNER** performed a cover of Enrique Inglesias' "Heroe" in Spanish. Menominee roared **VICTOR**'s name during the performance and praised him afterwards for his excellent singing. The Senior Cabin had decided to perform too as **XANDER SCHILLER** began to impersonate Matthew McConaughey

from the Wolf of Wall Street, humming a chant bringing the whole camp together. **GAVIN BRAMWIT AND BEN ZELKEN** then performed multiple piano pieces together, some as a duet, others individually. The CITs then came on stage to sing three songs off the top of their heads being the Johnny Test theme song, The Lion Sleeps Tonight, and the ABCs. **EMILIO QUINTANAL** and **JACKSON WUSTNER** then put on a show, playing a cover of Back in Black with **EMILIO** on the drums. He put all of his energy into playing and it showed. **SHANE SAUNDERS** then played a magnificent air guitar cover of a beautiful heavy metal song. As the night was coming to a close, **MICAH GAGERMAN** and **JOSH "JUICE" GOODMAN** covered Billie Eilish's "When the Party's Over," with **MICAH** on the piano and **JUICE** on vocals, sounding similar to a young Celine Dion. The last song was a cover of Bill Withers' "Lean on Me." It was played and sung by **JACKSON WUSTNER**, but with a twist. Led by **PAM ADLER** and a small group of Menominee campers; **JACK FORMAN**, **JACK KAPLAN**, **JOEY HOFFMAN**, **BEN ZELKEN**, and **NURSE JEN**, they signed the whole song. This took weeks of preparation learning and perfecting their sign language, and all the hard work payed off. It was an excellent night with smiles and cheers all throughout the night. **BRANDON JOHNSON** and **BENJI GAU** ended the night by playing taps on their brass instruments. It was an entertaining close to and entertaining night.



BRETT WEISS with **ZACH MEYERS**
after biffing him.

Bari's Biffs By Jake Jones

I woke up Thursday, August 1st with a big smile on my face knowing that after a good breakfast and solid morning of cabin clean-up, we would be playing Bari's Biffs. The game is played with different groups of 2-3 people running around camp trying to complete as many activities as possible for their respective Green and White team. The twist is that there are a few counselors running around camp with socks filled with flour, ready to smack, or "biff", the next camper they see and thus force them to sit down and wait for a medic to arrive on their bicycles. The medics will allow those who have been biffed to re-enter the game only if they perform a requested task. These tasks range from doing ten push-ups to running to a nearby counselor and giving them a high five. The biffers during this years game were **BRETT WEISS**, **ISAAC WEISS**, **SAM MILLER**, **AIDEN BRAMWIT**,

and myself, **JAKE JONES**. The biffers were given a few minutes to spread out throughout the camp and hide before the game began. I chose to hide behind the hockey shed with the plan of waiting for footsteps to come along. The first victim was **JACOB SCHNEIDER**, who didn't see me coming as I jumped out in front of him and biffed him hard. Later in the game I spotted **LUKE LARAMORE** waiting in line in the hockey rink. **LUKE** was known to be very fast so I decided to throw my sock instead of chasing after him. The flour filled sock flew through the air and landed on **LUKE's** foot, forcing him to take a seat and wait for a medic to arrive. He looked disappointed, but the job had to be done. Sorry **LUKE**! After the game had finished and many campers had been biffed, it was time to count up the score to determine the winner. It was a close match but the Green team came out victorious. Nice work Green team!

Runners and Chasers By Jake Hoodack

The Greens and the Whites took to the Athletic fields to play a Camp Menominee favorite, Runners and Chasers! The White team at this point were down a few events in the overall Green and White competition, so this victory would keep the competition close. The Green team, however, were not about to go down without a fight and were looking to take whatever they could from the White team. The way the game is played is that there is a diagonal line of people, alternating which way they face, across a square. The objective is for the runners to use the line of people to their advantage and weave in and out in an attempt to not be tagged, forcing them to sit down and have the next runner go. The chasers, who are lined up facing different ways diagonally, can only chase on the side they are facing. If a runner were to cross the line of chasers, the chaser on one side had to tag someone who was facing the side that the runner crossed over to. The White team were running first and had some spectacular runs from **KASE RATZLAFF**, **DYLAN COHEN**, and **DYLAN PELTS**. The Green team tagged a few runners in succession thanks to **JACOB SCHNEIDER** who was very efficient with his tags. After a respected run by the White team, it was the Green team's turn to run. **GAVIN BRAMWIT** and **RYAN FIRMIN** had very impressive runs, but the defense of the White team kept the Green team in check. After the times were compared, the White team had a longer run, taking the victory in Runners and Chasers! Although the White team won this battle, the war is not over and the Green team plans to come back stronger.

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THE EGG TIME EDITION

FRIDAY AUGUST 3, 2019

Gentlemen... It's Egg Time! By Jonah Gagerman

Gentlemen, it's Egg Time! Friday morning, campers participated in the first ever Green and White, Egg Time. Egg Time is a twist on an all-camp egg hunt, which involves campers searching for eggs everywhere around camp. Each egg color has its own point value, ranging from ten to five hundred. However, the point value of any egg will double if the person who finds it brings it to a farm without being squirted. There are five farms that are spread around camp that are each guarded by "yolkers," who have squirt guns and who attempt to squirt those who try to bring their eggs into a farm. If a camper is squirted trying to get into farm, his eggs are deemed out of play and he cannot return to that farm for the remainder of the game. To make the game even more interesting than it already is, hotspots are announced at different places around camp throughout the game where the density of eggs in the area is increased. When the game began, a hotspot near Old Counselor Road was announced, and everybody rushed towards it. However, **GAVIN BRAMWIT** and **ZACH MEYERS** were able to get there first, securing most of the eggs there, bringing them to the nearest farm at Bob Bender Senior Diamond, and earning their team a substantial number of. Once the next major hotspot was announced **RYAN WEIL** of the White team got there relatively quickly before anybody else and cleared out the hotspot. Shout out to **ZACH AKIN** for finding one of two Golden Eggs, which are worth five hundred points. There is an egg even more coveted than the Golden Egg, the Black Egg. The Black Egg, if found, allows the first person to touch it to be an offensive "yolker" who is able to wield a squirt bottle, and is also immune to other squirt bottles. If he squirts another player with eggs, they are forfeited to him. The Green team got very lucky as **JESSE KAPLAN** and **XANDER SCHILLER**, both Green team members, found the Black Eggs and turned the tide of the hunt. In the end, **MAX BEERMANN's** strategy to acquire a key hotspot at the beginning of the game lead to a Green victory with a final score of 12,310-10,540. Thanks to the staff, admin, CITs, and campers for putting your full effort into Egg Time. With a few tweaks, Egg Time will be going strong in the next few years. Congratulations to the Green team for winning the first ever Egg Time!



BEN ZELKEN, CHARLIE EISENBERG, GAVIN BRAMWIT, and MAX BEERMANN show off the eggs they found.



The Green team bulldogs **JOSH PETERMAN, REED METZLER, and BUD MCLINDEN.**

British Bulldogs By Ben Zelken

On Thursday morning, the slate for the next Green and White event was decided; British Bulldogs. The way the game is played is similar to the game Sharks and Minnows, but with a few different rules. The objective of the game is to cross from one end of Woody's Pitch to the other without getting your sock – or tail - pulled from the back. Before the game begins, everyone brings out the longest sock they can find to have hang out of their backside. Instead of getting tagged to become a bulldog, their sock must be pulled instead. To decide who is supposed to run across, every player is assigned a number that if they hear when it is called, it is their cue to run across. British Bulldogs is played two out of three with two games to twenty one and the tiebreaker to 11. When the game began, **JACK KAPLAN** was able to get across, scoring a point and earning the lead for the White team. The lead did not last long,

however, when the Green team took game one from the White team and it was time to switch sides. As game two progressed, it seemed evident that the Green team were going to take game two as well, clinching the event. While

the White team kept game two close, the Green team were drawing closer to twenty one. The score was pretty even towards the end, but **CHARLIE DUMO**, **CHARLIE TAYLOR**, and **ZACH FIELD**'s numbers were called and they all crossed the other side, still in possession of their socks, winning the event for the Green team! The Green team would now take an even bigger lead over the White team with only a few more events left in the competition. Great job Green team, and good luck to the White team attempting to close the gap in the overall score.

Imitation Night By Brett Weiss

It was a beautiful night at CM as everyone packed into Wasserman Hall for a Menominee skit night favorite, Imitation Night. The guidelines of the skit were as open as they could be, with the only thing that's required is a staff or administration impersonation present in the skit. It was the last skit night of the summer, and the campers were excited to do their best impersonations of their counselors and administration members. In the Cabin 6 skit, **ETHAN SCHWARTZ** did a great **JACKSON WEIL** impression, but it wasn't enough to beat Cabin 7, as they went on to win the Junior age division. **EASTON NEWMAN** came out with one of the best, if not the best, **JAKE HOODACK** impersonation I've seen. The comparison of **ELI FLAUM** to **ZACH AKIN** was a huge hit in the crowd as well as **JAKE HERMAN**'s famous **JASON FELDGREBER** impersonation, which both carried Cabin 11 to a victory in the Intermediate age division. **BENJY TAYLOR** played on his "Nintendo Switch" while attempting to impersonate **JOSH "JUICE" GOODMAN** in Cabin 17's skit. Cabin 19 shined bright with their staff meeting idea. **CHARLIE DUMO** as **WOODY** walking around with the biggest stick ever, accusing the staff of raiding the canteen was a huge hit, as well as **ZACH MEYERS** impersonating **JAKE HERMAN** got a good laugh from the crowd. **GRIFFIN BRAMWIT** of Cabin 16 did a spot-on impersonation of **AIDEN BRAMWIT** and **JAKE JONES**. **JACOB SCHNEIDER** also doubled-up and impersonated **MAGGIE ELLIOT** and **REBBECA WOMACK**. The winner of the Senior age division was Cabin 16 for having some of the best impersonations on stage. Thank you to everyone for an amazing skit night, Can't wait for next year!



The CITs perform their own skit in front of the camp.



RYAN FIRMIN with **GAVIN BRAMWIT** and **BENJIE SOREN** checking for any dye on his shirt in the Ring of Fire.

Midnight Manhunt By Zach Meyers and Jake Topel

Following Imitation night, Jason called up **SAM MILLER**, **ISAAC WEISS**, and **BENJIE SOREN** as the Green and White czars to have them lead Taps. Little did everybody else know that instead they would go up there and announce that we would be doing Midnight Manhunt! The crowd erupted with excitement and then settled down to listen to the objective and rules. Essentially, Midnight Manhunt is an all-camp game of hide and seek with a few twists. The game is split into two, twenty five minute rounds in which either Green or White will hide or hunt. There are two ways to earn points; one way is to hide for the whole twenty five minute round without being found and squirted and the second is to enter the Ring of Fire without being squirted. If a camper enters the Ring of Fire without being squirted they are worth five points instead of one point. The Green team began on offense, so they had ten minutes to leave from the canteen and hide anywhere in camp.

Early into the round, **XANDER SCHILLER** found a way into the Ring of Fire without being squirted, already counting himself as five points for the Green team. The strategies for the game in the past few years have been to send almost everybody to rush the Ring of Fire all together, but as the round continued it became apparent that the Green team had decided to take a different route and have everybody hide instead. When the White team defense went out to Woody's pitch to check for people hiding, they realized that there were a lot of groups of Green team members hiding in that area, so the White team squirted a lot of them. After the first twenty five minutes were up, it was time for the Greens and the Whites to switch. The White team took a slightly different approach with most of their team hiding and a few who rushed the Ring of Fire. In the rush **MAX KIRSCH** and **JACK KAPLAN** broke through the defense and got into the Ring of Fire. Towards the end of the round, **AARON PELTS** squirted four Green team members in the last few seconds. In the end those who were not found or made it into the Ring of Fire were counted for on both teams and it was determined that the Green team came out victorious with a score of 47-38. It was well played on both sides, and there are still a few more events yet to be played.

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THE DOC'S RUN EDITION

MONDAY AUGUST 5, 2019



DOC MILLER with his grandsons **AIDEN BRAMWIT, ISAAC MILLER, LOUIE KANTER,** and **SAM MILLER** finishing Doc's Run.

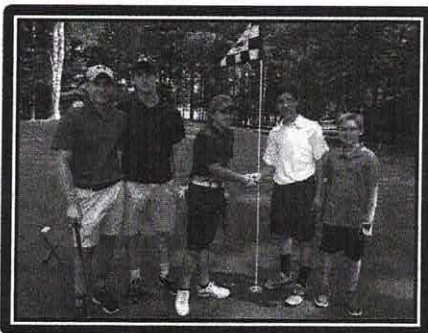
Doc's Run By Rory Anderson

Bright and early on Sunday morning a new camp record of 103 campers, staff, and CITs who all took part in the annual Doc's Run. With the race's founder **DR. KENNY MILLER** visiting CM during the final week to continue the tradition, the 4.5 mile run proved to be yet another great success. An early start at 7 AM saw the runners be taken to the starting point near St. Germain, where 70 meets County O. The race began at 7:45 AM with campers **NEO SCHNEIDER** and **JOSIAH GILMORE** starting alongside the faster runners **JACK FORMAN** and **ADAM STEIN**. **JACK** and **ADAM** continued their impressive early pace throughout the race, with a few closing in behind them, notably **DYLAN COHEN** and several counselors not too far behind. **JEREMY**



JACK FORMAN with his Doc's Run T-shirt after placing first.

KOHLBRENNER, REBECCA WOMACK, and **WOODY** ensured that the runners stayed healthy and hydrated along the course of the race with water stations set up along the route. As the leading pack came up to the final stage of the race, **JACK FORMAN** was able to push himself out in front, finishing the race first with a time of 32:08. Congratulations **JACK** and the rest of those who participated, even if they walked. As **DOC MILLER** says, "It doesn't have to be a race; Doc's Run is here to help people stay in shape through something as simple as walking."



The golfers pose for a picture after the masters.

Menominee Masters By Dan Gluckman

On Sunday morning, four of Camp Menominee's top golfers participated in the annual Menominee Masters. They wanted their name to be sewed into the prestigious Green Jacket hanging in the Mess Hall. The field consisted of **ETHAN MANN, WILL PRICE, JOEY HOFFMAN,** and **COOPER SPECTOR**. The opening holes proved to be challenging for all players with morning dew still lining the fairways and greens, affecting the roll of the ball. As the morning progressed, the golfers started to find their form as a number of great shots were witnessed. Hole three, known as "The Crater Hole," lived up to its name and proved to be an exciting hole with a number of par opportunities. However, unpredictable and fast greens prevented any pars from taking place. After five holes, **JOEY HOFFMAN** led the field with **WILL PRICE** in the hunt, just seven shots behind. **ETHAN MANN** and **COOPER SPECTOR**

demonstrated similar playing abilities on the day, both hitting some great shots off the tee box. However, thanks to **JOEY's** well deserved birdie on the seventh hole, where he chipped the ball in from fifteen yards out, his score seemed out of reach for the rest of the field. After nine holes and with a low score of forty two, **JOEY HOFFMAN** was crowned the Menominee Masters Champion! It must be mentioned that **JOEY** is the first golfer in Menominee history to win the Menominee Open and the Menominee Masters in the same year. Congratulations **JOEY** and all participants that took part in the 2019 Menominee Masters.

Doc's Run 2019 Results

1	Jack Forman	32:08	52	Josh Barsky	1:18:17
2	Rory Anderson	32:57	53	Scott Gibson	1:20:14
3	Adam Stein	33:23	54	Quinlan Donehue	1:20:15
4	Victor Med-Villegas	33:24	55	Charlie Jacobs	1:21:59
5	Dylan Cohen	34:26	56	Evan Rosenthal	1:22:16
6	Ryan Martin	37:28	57	Landon Drapatsky	1:23:11
7	Harrison Kestenbaum	37:51	58	Simon Mann	1:24:42
8	Jake McDermott	38:29	59	Easton Newman	1:24:52
9	Jake Herman	38:54	60	Brody Shefren	1:24:53
10	Ryan Serbin	39:58	61	Sam Myerthall	1:25:20
11	Jeremy Zelken	41:30	62	Asher Diamond	1:25:21
12	Charlie Dumo	41:52	63	Tyler Field	1:25:22
13	Nathan Dubinsky	41:59	64	Ryan Weil	1:25:30
14	Jake Hoodack	42:07	65	Spencer Auslander	1:25:56
15	Logan Rosengard	42:07	66	Eli Flaum	1:25:56
16	Miles Provus	42:08	67	Sam Wick	1:26:15
17	Jacob Schneider	42:09	68	Theo Galper	1:26:22
18	Jason Feldgreber	42:41	69	Tate Butler	1:26:40
19	Jake Topel	43:49	70	Simon Carey	1:26:53
20	Zach Meyers	46:23	71	JJ Barber	1:27:03
21	Nate Duffy	46:23	72	Allie Biba	1:28:02
22	Jack Herring	47:01	73	Rafy Evans	1:28:02
23	Drake Elman	47:47	74	Denym Wallace	1:28:43
24	Nate Beermann	47:59	75	Jack Berger	1:28:49
25	James Roberts	48:02	76	Jake Goodman	1:28:49
26	Ari Goldberg	49:31	77	Benjie Soren	1:28:49
27	Wyatt Baumeier	49:41	78	Aaron Pelts	1:28:49
28	Charlie Eisenberg	51:54	79	Dylan Pelts	1:28:49
29	Josiah Gilmore	53:48	80	Brady Spiggos	1:28:49
30	Ethan Garchik	53:54	81	Jeremy Bach	1:28:49
31	Charlie Sanford	53:57	82	Gavin Bramwit	1:29:47
32	Zach Field	54:03	83	Ben Zelken	1:29:47
33	Jake Auslander	55:34	84	Ryan Firmin	1:29:47
34	Carter Dunn	55:34	85	Noah Silver	1:30:07
35	Benny Goldberg	59:14	86	Max Rosen	1:30:07
36	Daniel Gelfgat	59:28	87	Matthew Harfield	1:30:34
37	Alejandra	59:29	88	Sam Goodman	1:31:34
38	Jordan Stein	1:02:55	89	Max Beermann	1:31:34
39	Cooper Borstein	1:03:34	90	Jack Kaplan	1:31:35
40	Kaden Liska	1:03:36	91	Chase Kaplan	1:31:35
41	Ryan Mahoney	1:09:43	92	Xander Schiller	1:32:04
42	Evan Abrams	1:09:44	93	Brady Weiss	1:32:12
43	Nathan Vass	1:12:12	94	Griffin Bramwit	1:32:12
44	Neo Schneider	1:12:38	95	Jaden Donsky	1:32:30
45	Giles Pilkerton	1:12:38	96	Elijah Penn	1:32:30
46	Jesse Kaplan	1:13:47	97	Zach Forman	1:32:30
47	Carter Zirlin	1:13:47	98	Robert Locquercio	1:32:40
48	Will Simkins	1:13:47	99	Sam Miller	1:32:40
49	Elliot Zelken	1:13:47	100	Isaac Miller	1:32:40
50	Jason Neider	1:13:47	101	Louie Kanter	1:32:40
51	Jack Carter	1:18:17	102	Aiden Bramwit	1:32:40
			103	Doc Miller	1:32:40

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THE LEADERSHIP EDITION

MONDAY AUGUST 5, 2019

The Menominee Way Trait Six: Leadership By Jake Goodman

The final Way ceremony was last night, and the CITs saved leadership to be the last trait recognized in the summer. Leadership isn't a trait that can be recognized early in the summer as it doesn't give time for those who lead by example and through their actions to be noticed. Leading isn't always about being the loudest and having people follow your directions, it's about setting the example and showing, not telling. The opening statement written by the CITs and given by **GAVIN BRAMWIT** will explain what the CITs believe Leadership truly is.

"Leadership, when demonstrated correctly, can change the mood and actions of hundreds of people. Strong leaders know how to engage their crowds, and guide their teams. Those who lead by example can be seen exercising all their energy into their activities. Those who lead vocally can be seen conducting others in a way that will benefit all. Leading hundreds of men into any sort of battle is no easy feat. The strength true leaders need to usher their men should never be underestimated. When a man leads a crowd, he carries on the same torch that Caesar himself did. The following eight individuals can be seen leading Camp every day here at Menominee."

Congratulations to the following eight individuals for their leadership qualities and contributions to camp.

SAM WICK

SAM is always present at his activities, both mentally and physically, showing everybody how to be engaged in whatever they're doing.

NEO SCHNEIDER

Even as a junior, **NEO's** leadership quality shines through as he is usually the loudest on the field and has a commanding, yet positive, presence where he is.

AARON PELTS

AP is a camper who loves camp and will do anything for it. He makes camp a better place through his leadership in everything by setting the example for everyone around him and using his voice for positivity and to uplift the team.

ELI FLAUM

In only his first year here at the friendly confines, **ELI** has been a leader through his actions and the way he competes.

MAX BEERMANN

Being one of the Green team overall captain, **MAX** has shown that he can lead to the fullest extent through his actions and his voice that's commanding and persuasive.

JACK KAPLAN

JACK is a White team overall captain and stands out among the others as a role model and someone for the younger campers to look up to.

JONAH GAGERMAN

JONAH has really stepped up this year, engaging himself fully into camp and with the campers as a great role model in the cabin and when creating and leading events such as the first Green and White Egg Time.

AJ VILLAREAL

This year **AJ** was the CIT director and the CITs looked up to him as their leader and guardian, as he always had their backs whenever needed and lead their transition from camper to counselor by setting the example.

Not only did these eight individuals get honoured, but there were two more staff members who were recognized for all of the hard work and effort that they put into camp. Both **CRAIG DOBSON** and **JOE STAPLETON** were awarded with a golden arrowhead, which are very rare and have only been awarded to a few people at most. **CRAIG** and **JOE** have gone above and beyond on maintenance with the new Way sign and the new putting green out on the golf course. Congratulations to **CRAIG** and **JOE** and may they be here for as long as they can.

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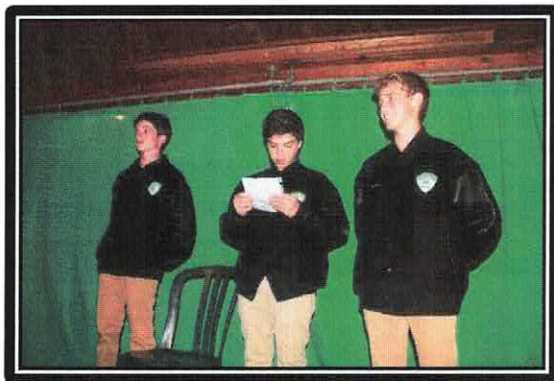
The Menominee Megaphone

THE GREEN AND WHITE FINALE EDITION

TUESDAY AUGUST 6TH, 2019

The Sing By Jake Goodman

It was that time of year again for the annual Sing as the end of the Green and White competition drew nearer. Both the Green and the White team have been practicing for a little less than a week and they were finally ready to present in front of the camp. The Sing is one of the final events of the Green and White competition and is worth a



JACK KAPLAN, DYLAN SCHWARTZ, and JACK FORMAN give their opening statement.

significant amount of points. This is the event that occasionally clinches the competition for a team, but it also has swayed the competition as well. It is treated very seriously as a Green and White event even though it isn't a camper favorite. In The Sing, both teams prepare to sing a few Menominee songs to the best of their ability, along with a fight song for their respective team. The songs that both teams sang were Hail to Menominee, Bright as a Sunburst, and Fill a Stein. The fight song that the White team chose was When Johnny Comes Marching Home, and the Green team fight song was This Old Man. Smiling from ear to ear, as they should be, the White team was the first to go up on stage to perform their Sing. The White team captains **JACK KAPLAN, JACK FORMAN, and DYLAN SCHWARTZ** began to give their opening statement as they described their uniform, white t-shirts and shorts. The reason for the attire was that running is essential to most, if not all, Green and White events and that they're the

team that is ready to make those hustle plays that decide events. After their opening statement was done, the White team began to sing loud and proud, without a hint of hesitation. Their singing was spot-on and the Green team would have to give their all if they intended to defeat the White team. The White team marched off stage after a large applause, it was time for the Greens to present their Sing. Once the Green team had situated themselves on stage, overall captains **MAX BEERMANN, SAM GOODMAN, and ARI GOLDBERG** gave their opening statement. The Green team's philosophy was about comfortability for this year's sing, as they believed that their boys would sing louder and better if they were more comfortable. The Green team then confidently introduced themselves and, after a few snaps to make sure they were paying attention, took it away. Their singing was clear, but at some points in the song they sped up a little too much. When they were done and sat down on their benches in unison, it was time for the CITs to perform their version of the Sing. While the campers take the Sing very seriously, the CITs tend to have fun with it and make fun of how serious the Sing is. Every year the CITs, as well as the counselors, write a parody to a few songs and roast each other on stage. The CIT and counselor sing are very light-hearted compared to the camper Sing and give them a nice break from the event itself. The CITs wrote a parody to two songs; Hot Shower by Chance the Rapper and Riptide by Vance Joy. They were very entertaining and got a good laugh out of everybody in the audience. The counselors then got up on stage and did their take on the Sing. They chose to do three parodies to fit in a roast for every single counselor which were Hey Jude by The Beatles, Walkin' by Thomas C. Adler, and You Belong With Me by Taylor Swift. After both the CITs and the counselors performed their Sings, to everybody's surprise the girls on staff had decided to do their own parody on stage to the



The White team waiting to sit down with their team after entering Wasserman Hall.

Cup Song by Anna Kendrick. It hadn't been done before and it was nice to see how much they cared about camp after only being here for one summer. Once all of the Sing groups were finished, the Green and White czars, **SAM MILLER**, **ISAAC WEISS**, and **BENJIE SOREN**, walked up to the front with their arms locked ready to deliver the news everybody was waiting for; The Sing results. The crowd was silent with anticipation, ready to hear if all their work had payed off in the end. **ISAAC WEISS** then opened the envelope and read, "With a score of 3-1, the winner of the 2019 Sing is... The Whites!" The White team erupted with excitement and relief that it was all over. The Green team, in Menominee fashion, gave a cheer for the White team and The 2019 Sing was over. However, the night wasn't over quite yet as there were cookies and milk waiting in the Mess Hall to reward the campers for all of their effort, patience, and hard work. Woody then told the classic Wide Mouth Frog bedtime story and from there we called it a night.



One of the Green team groups leap frogging to the flag pole at the end.



This group had to make a human period before continuing the game.

Menominee Monopoly By Josh Goodman

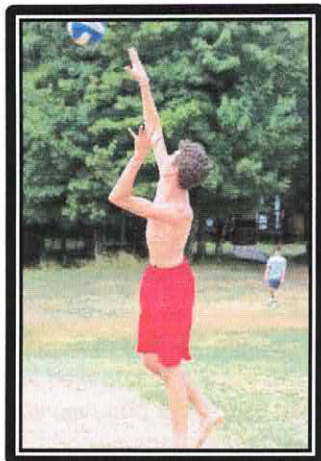
On Saturday afternoon, the camp got into some Menominee Monopoly action. In this event, campers run around camp on a predetermined route marked by Xs. The Xs are spaces, and to determine the number of spaces the group can move, a dice is rolled. The objective of the game is to run all the way from the flag pole, around the camp, and then back to the flag pole in the least amount of time possible. However, there are counselors in chairs along the route and every group has to stop at these chairs to answer the trivia question asked correctly, otherwise they have to do the task that the counselor requests of them. These tasks can range anywhere from running to a certain place near them and back, or doing a team building exercise. Before the groups reach the flag pole, they have to leap frog over each other from a specific point in the gully to finally touch the flagpole. It is Menominee Monopoly tradition and it must be done by every single group, Green and White. I had been honoured with responsibility of being a chair for Menominee Monopoly, which I appreciated a lot. My question was "How many years did Sal Goodman come to camp?" The answer to this question was twelve years, but only about half of the groups passing by were able to answer the question correctly. **JOSH BARSKY's** group, who were on the Green team, did not answer the question correctly and were forced to run to baggo, ask the score, and then come back and recite it to me. This took a good amount out of the groups run, which hurt the Green team in the long run. In the end, the White team came out victorious, catching up to the Greens in the competition. Congratulations White team, and good luck to both teams in the future events.

Hatchet Hunt By Sam Miller

On Sunday night, the Senior age division was called into the Mess Hall to play the annual Green and White Hatchet Hunt. The way the Hatchet Hunt is played is that one team, Green or White, will sit on one side of the Mess Hall, and the other team on the other side. The objective of the event is to determine where a wooden hatchet has been hidden around camp. There are twelve clues that will lead towards the hatchet's location. The clues are given to each team one at a time and the teams are then given one minute to attempt to solve the clue. Once the minute is up, two runners are sent from each team to where they think the hatchet is located. When the runners leave the Mess Hall, there must be complete silence so that the teams don't have extra time to discuss the clues. However, if a runner doesn't make it back to the Mess Hall before the two and a half minutes are up, that team would only be able to send the number of runners that came back from the last round. It wasn't until Clue 9 that the White team had figured out the location of hatchet. After Clue 9, the White team sent **LOUIE KANTER** and **JACK KAPLAN** to retrieve the hatchet from the sand trap by the putting green. **LOUIE** knew he wouldn't make it back in time, so he threw the hatchet underneath the porch of the Mess Hall and re-entered the Mess Hall without letting the Green team know what had happened. Because **LOUIE** and **JACK** got back late, the White team lost both runners for Clue 10. This didn't worry the

White team, as they knew the Green team would get to the sand trap and realize the hatchet wasn't there anymore. The Green team came back with nothing, and on Clue 11 the White team sent **KASE RATZLAFF** and **ISAAC MILLER** to get the hatchet from under the porch. They came back seconds later, wielding the hatchet, winning the Hatchet Hunt for their team. It should be noted that **JACOB SCHNEIDER** was working hard, writing down ideas on a napkin for the Green team and that **JOEY HOFFMAN** said the location early in the game, but nobody listened to him. Great job White team!

Field Day By Jake Goodman



RYAN FIRMIN about to serve in volleyball.

Monday was the day for the longest Green and White event in the competition, Field Day. Field Day is essentially a day where the Green team and the White team face off against each other in different sports. Those sports include soccer, volleyball, newcomb, basketball, and softball. For most of these sports, both the Greens and the Whites have an A, B, and, for a few of the sports, a C team. There were twenty five total events within field day, with the final event being a wrestling meet. Most of the campers were upset that Kawaga backed out of wrestling this year for the competition, so the wrestling meet was added to let the campers wrestle. However, if the score wasn't close enough by the end of Field Day, the wrestling meet wouldn't have mattered. The variety of sports that were played during Field Day gave everyone a chance to shine at the sport they are the best at. **RYAN FIRMIN** of the Green team was playing great volleyball with some ridiculous serves, as well as **JACK BERGER**, also on the Green team, who pulled off some crazy hits against the White team. By dinner time the Green and White Field Day score was counted up and the White team was ahead 13-10 with the Green team up by three runs in the 16B softball game that had been paused. It may have seemed over for the Green team as there was only the wrestling meet left, but that event was worth three points instead of one. If the Green team wanted to stay in the hunt, they needed to win the softball game. After

dinner everyone went out to Bob Bender Senior Diamond to watch the last few innings in the game. The pitcher and Green overall captain **ARI GOLDBERG** wasn't going to let the Whites take this game. The Green team ended up keeping their lead over the Whites, taking 16B softball. It was too late to wrestle at that point, so the wrestling meet happened on Tuesday morning. The next morning everyone was excited to both participate in and watch the wrestling meet. The highlight of the meet was the matchup between **AARON PELTS** and **EASTON NEWMAN**, where **AARON** was able to throw **EASTON** down within five seconds and pin him shortly after, earning six points for the Greens. It was very known that the Green team had the better wrestling line-up with **MAX BEERMANN**, **HENRY LEVIN**, and **JARED AGULIAR**, who all wrestle at home. They all performed very well, with each of them pinning their opponent. The last match-up of the meet were two CITs; **JACK BEHAR** vs. **TYLER LONGNECKER**. They are both big guys and while **LONGNECKER** for sure had the weight advantage, **BEHAR** was more nimble and some skills. The match lasted for a while and went back and forth, but **TYLER LONGNECKER** came out on top as he finished with more points than **JACK BEHAR** did. They shook hands, and it was official that the Green team had won the wrestling meet and Field Day! After the White team had won The Sing and the Greens won Field Day, the overall score of the competition was close enough for it all to come down to the Relay. Good luck to both teams, may the best team win!



ALEX STELZER and **NATE DUFFY** ready to wrestle.

The Relay By Jake Goodman

The Relay; The last Green and White event, and the one that (usually) decides the winner of the competition. This event is different from a lot of the other events because it requires the contributions of literally everyone on either team in order to pop the balloon on the flagpole. The Relay consists of 53 total events, some being longer and/or more difficult than others. In order for the next event to begin, there is a green or white sock that each team is

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passing to the next person. This year The Relay took about three hours to finish, if that isn't indicative of how long and complicated this event is. Throughout the Relay there are two counselors, one for each team, following the sock on bikes. The Green team counselor was **BRETT WEISS**, and the White team counselor was **JAKE HOODACK**. In order to fully encapsulate what The Relay was like, both perspectives are needed to understand what happened for both teams. It should be noted that **WOODY** actually guessed the winning time of two hours and fifty seven minutes correctly!

The Relay: Green Team By Brett Weiss

The Green team started out strong with **HENRY LEVIN** doing the crawl from the flagpole to Bob Bender Senior Diamond, giving them a lead into running the backstops. **BRADY WEISS** did an exceptional job on offense at tennis to catch the Green team back up to the Whites. At free throws **AARON PELTS** made almost all of his shots, however the Green team was down at this point in the Relay. **ZACH MEYERS** was doing very well at hockey trying to gain time on the White team. In Cabin 4 Benjy Taylor made a bed so quick that the Green team was able to keep up in the race. **XANDER SCHILLER** shot within the five ring at riflery on his first try losing no time at all for the Green team. After doing a great job at tennis, **BRADY WEISS** showed up again at the climbing wall and actually took the lead for the Green team! However the lead wasn't held for long as it was lost on the golf course not too long after. **SAM GOODMAN** was able to carry a ping pong ball down the hill with tremendous speed, trying to keep up with the White team. When the sock made it to **RYAN FIRMIN** and **TYLER LONGNECKER**, the firebuilders, they had trouble lighting the fire, costing the Green team a good amount of time. By the time the Green fire was started, the White team had already begun their balloon toss up the hill. Once the Green team's fire boiled the water over, it was too late as the White team got the balloon to the flagpole and ran down the hill to lake it. Although the Green team lost, everybody put in a valiant effort and congratulations to the White team.

The Relay: White Team By Jake Hoodack

When The Relay started, **DANIEL GELFGAT** started off the White team with the crawl from the flagpole to Bob Bender Senior Diamond. The White team was then down two minutes after running the backstops, but the lead was retaken by **SAM ROSEN** and **CARTER ZIRLIN** at tennis. The Whites increased their lead after **NATE BEERMANN** and **RYDER SPECTOR** did a spectacular job with potato on a spoon. **RYAN MARTIN** was able to easily take care of baggo, but the Green team came storming back at the climbing wall. However, thanks to **ASHER BERMAN**'s almost record breaking time, the White were back in the race. At tether ball it was battle between brothers **GAVIN** and **GRIFFIN BRAMWIT**, with **GRIFFIN** on offense for the White team and **GAVIN** on defense for the Green team. **GRIFFIN** was able to get a tether on **GAVIN** and lead the White team back into the lead. **WILL PRICE** and **MAX KIRSCH** did an amazing job canoeing from the boat landing and then the sock was handed off to **JACK FORMAN** and **CADEN PERLMAN**, who were on standby to light their fire to boil a can of water over, the second to last event in the competition before the balloon toss up the hill. The fire lit well and burned for a long enough time for the water to boil over and the White team rushed into a line to finish the Relay with the balloon toss. After a few trial and errors, the balloon got al the way to the top of the hill, where **DYLAN SCHWARTZ**, **JACK KAPLAN**, and **JACK FORMAN** were waiting to pop the balloon on the flagpole together, winning them the Relay and the Green and White competition!

Green and White Scoreboard

Vroom	Green	Menominee Monopoly	White
Circle Dodgeball	Green	Midnight Manhunt	Green
Shoe Scramble	Green	Runners and Chasers	White
Rug Pile	Green	Bari's Biffs	Green
CATES	White	Egg Time	Green
Mannequin Madness	White	Field Day	Green
Cheer Off	White	Hatchet Hunt	White
Counselor Hunt	White	The Sing	White
British Bulldogs	Green	The Relay	White

Final Score: 2000 – 1750, Whites Win!

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