

# The Menominee Megaphone

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## 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.

**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 **WEILS** smile for a family picture

## 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

Attitude Determination Heart Leadership Spirit Sportsmanship

