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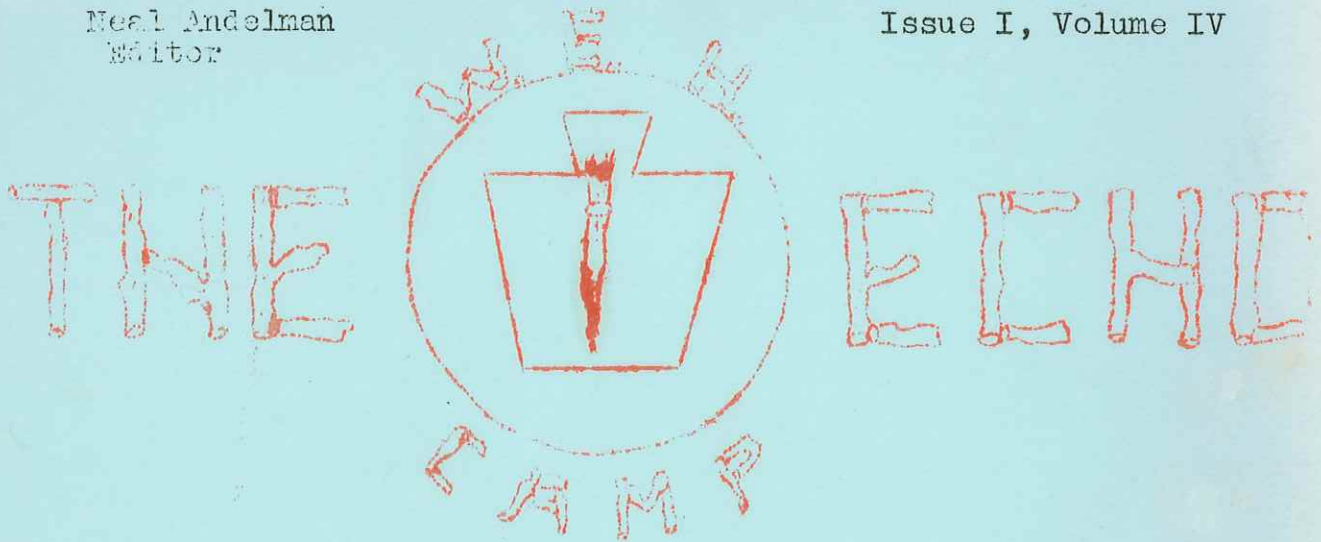
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TRACK MEET AND APACHE RELAY HIGHLIGHT THE 4th

by Steve Rubin

Get wet, run to the ballfield,
roll a potato, carry water ----
What's this all about? Read
about the Apache 4th of July
Relay on page 2 and find out.

On July 4th the WEH Camp held
their annual track meet. It con-
sisted of the high jump, shot
put, relay, distance race and
others.

In the high jump there was a
great upset when Frank Mantia,
using a very unusual form of jump-
ing, defeated last year's champ
Bob Aisner. Mantia jumped 4' 10"
to win the event.

Joe Petrazzeli ran a semi-final
heat in the 50 yd. dash in 6.8
seconds. The pace didn't hold,
however, as Barry Kesslet won
the finals in 6.9. Alan Kawadler
ran a 6.3 sec. dash in the senior
division heats for the day's
fastest times.

The relay races were very
exciting events. Bob Aisner's
team from 4B held on to win
the senior division relay. The
Junior Division relay was won by
the team from 1B. The counselor
relay team won a close race over
the CIT team.

This annual track meet was
a great success and a very
enjoyable part of the weekend.

HELP WANTED

The ECHO is your newspaper,
and it will only be as good as
you make it. Any boy who wants
to write for the ECHO is welcome
to attend the first meeting of
the ECHO Reporters Club. The
time of this first meeting will
be announced in the mess hall in
the near future. Boys from both
divisions are welcome to partici-
pate.

HELP WANTED

This year there are 139
campers in camp. This is a
record number! There is a
new bungalow, Cabins 5A and
5B. The old Gottlieb and
Bancroft bungalows were combin-
ed into a new building with
modern facilities.

OUR BUS RIDE UP

by
DAVID SHAPIRO

Well, we're on our way to camp. The buses are great, and we are all eager to go. First Allie Coles divided all the boys into four buses. The luggage was packed in the sides of the buses, and we started our trip.

The first hour of the ride was boring and it wasn't what we had expected. The second hour or two got a little better as everybody got to know each other, make new friends, and meet old ones. Some of the boys had games to play, and some were trying to figure out what camp would be like.

A very unusual thing happened to a camper. He was holding a five dollar bill in his hand when a sudden gust of wind blew it to the door of the bus and out through a hole in the bottom of the door.

After a while we found that we were lost and that we had taken the wrong road. It took us a little extra time to get to camp.

We finally reached the camp and got out of the buses. All in all it wasn't a bad ride up.

J.V. BASKETBALL TEAM PRACTICES

by
Lewis Spatz

Bob Gordon, coach of the JV basketball team, thinks that the team with a lot of practice and sticking to the fundamentals will have a successful season. Bob is still making up the schedule, so we won't find out who we're playing right away. Bob said we will play about four games this year. We will probably play camps Kingswood, Wingo Robin Hood and Cody.

Harry Krivan is also a coach on the team and is doing a very good job.

The following boys are being considered for the team before the final cut: Larry Taylor, Alan Lewis, Peter Gordon, Steve Rubin, Barry Kessler, Tony Alessi.
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APACHE RELAY

by
DONALD HURWITZ

Last Tuesday the whole camp was divided into seven groups. Each group had approximately twenty kids in it, and each group tried to win the delicious watermelon that was first prize. Every person had to do a different task. The first and second persons had to piggy-back up to the ball field after the entire team did a tunnel-ball relay. When the piggy-backers got to the ball field they had to tag the next men who ran a three-legged race the small diamond.

Some of the other stunts were carrying a cup of water down to the rec. hall without spilling any, rolling a potato from first to second base with your nose, whistling the "Star Spangled Banner" with a Bulkie Roll in your mouth, and many others.

There was a mystery event in the rec. hall. This event was to write in three sentences what your favorite camp activity was without mis-spelling a single word. (Of the seven teams two representatives voted for baseball, two for basketball, one for football, one for swimming, and one for softball. —Ed.)

The team that completed all of these tasks first wins that delicious, delicious, mouth-watering watermelon. It's a shame I wasn't on the winning team.

The CIT's were the captains of the teams, and they appear in the order in which their teams finished: 1st Marinella and Barr. 2nd Bennet and Bloom. 3d Tibbets and Shopnick. 4th Becker and Jacobs. 5th Rosenberg and Schlosberg. 6th Alessi and Kessler. 7th Lipof and Levin.

The winning team of Marinella and Barr had a record time of 39 minutes. The second place team was only a few seconds behind. Win or lose we all had a lot of fun.

WATERMELON LEAGUE

By
Eliot Sherman

Louis Newman

Wednesday night we began this year's Watermelon League. The League Head is Bobby Gordon. The captains this year are Charlie Ayvazian, Harry Krivan, Bobby Gordon, Charlie Hennekins, Ralph Santoussouso, Bernie Kaufman, Bucky Caron, and Al Garsys.

The games will be played every Wednesday night, and each team will get to play all the others. In a game of watermelon softball, everybody on each side gets up every inning. It doesn't matter how many outs a team gets each inning. The team with the best record at the end of the year wins the watermelon.

At the end of the first week here are the standings:

Team	W	L	T	RUNS
Ayvazian	1	0	-	10
Gordon	1	0	-	10
Garsys-Siegal	1	0	-	9
Santoussouso	1	0	-	8
Hennekins	0	1	-	7
Kaufman	0	1	-	6
Caron	0	1	-	4
Krivan	0	1	-	2

JV BASKETBALL (con't)

Mike Krantz, Reggie Bird, Bruce Feldman, Pat Bicchieri, Steve Bicchieri, Jason Tobiás, Dave Shapiro, Ron Cancilleri, Joe Purpuro.

AN OPEN LETTER BY SAL VINCI

Dear Fellow Campers,

I thought the West End House Camp was wonderful until I went water skiing; now it's great! My two friends helped me learn water skiing; Paul, the life-guard of the camp, and Lou, the Head Counselor. I was scared the first couple of times. I didn't get up on the skis for a couple of hours, but finally I was upon the skis. Barry, who drove the boat, didn't go too fast. After that time I was never scared to go on water skis again!

The night of the 4th of July the WEH Camp had its annual horribles parade. The first prize went to James Cuchinata, Second to Frank Cogliano, third to Stanley Douytas, 4th to Steve Fuccillo, 5th to Bryant Passarello, and some kids dressed as a dragon got sixth. Everybody had a good costume. Next year we will have an even better horribles parade.

BOXING

by
Chuck Holtzman

Thursday night we had our first boxing matches of the year. The first match was a slow one at the beginning, but then both fighters really started to box. Mike Gordon and Aldo Ghisalberg boxed to a draw. The second fight was very fast in action. Joe D'Ambra won a decision over Chuck Saia. The third was also very fast. Dave Levenson won over Alan Shapiro. The Fourth match was a tremendous one. The fighters got smacked in the kisser. Frank Puopolo beat Bob Naso. In the fifth fight the boxers really went at it. Tim and Teddy Baker had a draw. In the sixth fight it was very hard to judge, and everyone had their own opinion about the fight. Stanley Douytas won over Ron Cancilleri. The seventh match was really action. Fast you say. Boy, was it fast! Frank Conner beat Al Spizio. The eighth fight looked like a draw, but Mike Krantz beat Skip Stearns. In the ninth fight Johny Moore was best over Bobo Pasarello. Rudolph Szegda won in the tenth match over Frank Cogliano. The eleventh was really something. Pow after pow and Frank Mantia beat Mark Dunay. The last fight was one of the best. The fighters were both very good and Steve Brown won over Alan Kawadler.

TRACK MEET RESULTS

JUNIOR DIVISION

High Jump	
1st	Steve Bicchieri (3' 8")
2nd	Steve Lampert (5' 6")
3d	Marc Lewis (3' 4")
4th	John Parker (3' 2")
Shot Put	
1st	Richard Wynn (25' 11")
2nd	Walter Dorsey (22' 2")
3d	Tony Alessi (21' 3")
4th	Steve Lappen (20' 11")
50 Yard Dash	
1st	Barry Kessler (6.9 sec)
2nd	Richard Wynn (7.0 sec)
3d	Joe Petrazzelli (7.2 sec)
4th	Michael Krantz (-)
100 Yard Dash	
1st	Joe Petrazzelli (13.9 sec)
2nd	Tony Alessi (14.5 sec)
3d	Richard Kess (15.8 sec)
4th	Louis Spatz (-)
Distance Race	
1st	Joe Petrazzelli (1:35.0)
2nd	David Levenson (1:38.5)
3d	Jeff Thaw (1:40.0)
4th	Richard Wynn (1:40.0)
5th	Steve Lampert (-)
Relay Race	
1st	Jason Tobias (33.0 sec)
	Barry Kessler
	Wayne Olem
	Hank Lewis

CAMP DIVIDED INTO TWO DIVISIONS
by

Steve Lampert and Jason Tobias

This year the camp is divided into two groups, a junior and senior division.

The best part is that everyone gets equal competition. The seniors think the division is great because it makes them feel superior to the juniors. Some of the juniors said that it is a good goal to try and work into the senior division. Almost all of the juniors would rather be seniors!

Charlie Ayzavian is the head of the junior division, Ralph Santossouso is the head of the senior division.

This is Paul Levy's 12th year at the WEH Camp.

TRACK MEET RESULTS

SENIOR DIVISION

High Jump	
1st	Frank Mantia (4' 10")
2nd	Bob Aisnor (4' 8")
3d	Joe Bona (4' 6")
4th	John Moore (4' 4")
Shot Put	
1st	Steve Brown (32' 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ ")
2nd	Jerold Holtzman (32' 1")
3d	Alan Kawadler (31' 9")
4th	John Moore (28' 3")
50 Yard Dash	
1st	Alan Kawadler (6.6 sec)
2nd	Mike Hancharyk (6.7 sec)
3d	Barry Zeitman (6.9 sec)
4th	Ralph Ferrara (-)
100 Yard Dash	
1st	Alan Kawadler (12.8 sec)
2nd	Mike Hancharyk (12.9 sec)
3d	Ralph Ferrara (13.0 sec)
4th	Bob Aisnor (-)
Distance Race	
1st	Steve Foster (2:25.0)
2nd	Frank Mantia (2:32.0)
3d	Frank Jackman (2:36.0)
4th	Alan Lewis (2:45.5)
5th	Larry Taylor (-)
Relay Race	
1st	Bob Aisnor (29.0 sec)
	Hal Sneider
	Chuck Hamburg
	Dick Foster

TUG-O-WARS ON THE 4th

After supper on the 4th of July we had a Horribles Parade and then the annual tug-o-wars. 4B beat 4A (2 out of 3). 3A beat 3B (2 out of 3). Gottlieb beat 2B. 1B beat 1A. 5B beat 5A. 1A beat 2A.

INSPECTION PRIZE

This year the inspections will be based on 100 points on such items as beds, closets, bathroom and floor.

At the end of the week the bunk with the most number of first places will win one of Ralph Haliburton's extra special supper dupper, delicious upside down cakes.

There will be a prize in each division.