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A DAY AT WEST END HOUSE CAMP

by

Bobby Goober

Bach morning at 7:30 the bell rings and we wake up and get ready for breakfast. A second bell rings at 7:55, at which time we go to the Council Ring for the flag-raising ceremony. A 3rd and final bell rings at 8:00 and we go to the messhall to eat.

After breakfast we go back to the bunks and clean them up. Then we have either waterfront activities or (athletic) leagues. An optional general swim follows, or we have free play.

A lunch bell rings at noon, and a half hour later we go right to the mess hall. After lunch we have rest period, and then either waterfront or leagues. Next we have a general swim or free play.

At 5:00 o'clock the first bell rings, and upon second bell at 5:25 we go to the Council Ring for the lowering of the flag. At third bell (5:30) we go the messhall for supper.

After supper we have free play, and then a night activity. Afterwards we have cake and milk and then go to bed. Sometimes we play other camps in sports during the day, or if it is very hot we go to Kennard's!

. 5-Weekers' Trip Up To Camp

by Bruce Miller

Well, I am a five-weeker, and on the bus coming up it was fun. At the beginning it was very quiet, then we were getting restless and had nothing to do. So one of the kids found a Ring-a-Ding and threw it at someone, who threw it back. This started a small food fight. Chuck (Role) made us stop and clean up everything.

Finally we arrived at Camp and ran out to the Council Ring, where we found out our bunks ... and that is all.

THE COVER: This week's cover is of the old pump at Kennard's and was drawn last year by John Diem, with "ECHO" artwork by Bruce Miller. The nump no longer stands in the grove.

MISSILES

by

Tim Gordon

A new evening activity, imported from England, made its debut at West End House Camp 11 weeks ago. The game, called "Missiles," was introduced by our good friend and staunch ally, Dick Morton, who makes our mother country his summer home this year.

The game was rough and fastpaced, and to succeed, intricate strategies had to be employed. The camp was split into two teams, the English and the Germans. The Generals were a handpicked staff of military geniuses and planners who really knew their stuff. Bach team divided itself into defenders and attackers, so that each soldier had his own specialized job.

In order to win, a team had to drop a certain "poundage" of bombs or missiles on the other teams battleship and submarine. Camouflage was a major factor in the game, as both teams used the thick woods as a base for attack and spying

The battle raged fiercely for about an hour and a half. Finally, spurred on by patriotic shouts of "God save the Queen!" and "Get the Bloody Jerries!" , England mounted a daring last ditch suicide attack which outrageous ly succeeded in destroying the convoy of German ships.

The war ended with the fall of Germany, as the German generals hightailed it out of camp with everyone else in hot pursuit. + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + +

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12-and-under Softball (Marty Jacobs)

On Friday, July 24, the 12-and-under Softball Team clobbered its competition from Camp Marist by a score of 12 to 1. The Marist team was hurt by a complete lack of organization and coaching-which put them at a disadvantage from the very start. However, the strong showing by the West End House team should not be overlooked. All 14 members of the team played- and blayed well. The starting lineup was: Gerry Freid (p), Steve Berman (c), Steve Prelack (1b); Rico Gordon (2b), Mike Greenberg (ss), Tommy Regis (3b), Ron Cohen (1f), Mike Grant (cf), Doug Sheff (rf), Bruce Lappen (rover). Also getting into the game were Mike Eggert (p), Dave Barenberg (c), Scott Richman (rover), and Bruce Miller (rf).

Especially outstanding was the entire infield, as well as outfielder Doug Sheff, who led the team in hitting.

10-and-under Softball (chet Hurwitz)

The 10-and-under Softball Team has won its last two games against other camps. On July 16 we defeated Camp Robin Hood 2-1 in a rain-shortened home game. Everyone played well and displayed outstanding sportsmanship. Peter Nason and Chet Hurwitz coached.

On July 24 we beat Camp Marist on their home grounds by a score of 8-2. Steve Kalick and Mark Markell led the hitting attack, and everyone played a fine game in the field. Coaches were Chet Hurwitz and Neal Goldberg.

Thanks to all members of the team:
Peter Ster, Billy Stuart, Neil Silverston, Mike Patt, Mark Markell, David
Rosenberg, Bruce Balder, David Zack,
Dave Marcus, Jay Geller, Steve Kalick,
Howie Goldman, Eric Solomon, Paul Galaid, Andy Zaff, Jim Musiker, Jeff
Walker, and Howie Goldman.

RIDDLE: A man dying of thirst in the desert finds a bottle of water, but he has no corkscrew, and no knife to cut the cork out. If he breaks the bottle, the water will be lost. How can he get the water?

15-and-under Baseball (Chet Hurwitz) (July 22)

The 15-and-under Baseball Team lost its opening game of the season to Camp O-AT-KA,5-3. The boys played well and kept up their spirit until the last out. Mike Finn pitched a fine game, and Paul Maslow contributed three hits. Coaches were Chet Hurwitz and Peter Nason.

Other players included: Peter Kaplan, John Klapman, Jeff Swartz, Steve Taylor, Gordon Shrier, Bruce Lederman, Barry Lederman, Tommy Regis, Hed Cohen, Andy Rowe, Alan Jacobs, and Johnny Clem.

11-and-under Baseball (Larry Burrows)

In a game which saw outstanding individual play, as well as fine team effort, W.E.H.C. trounced Camp C-AT-KA, 6-O. Wayne Swartz pitched six strong innings, striking out 15 and allowing only one hit. David Geller caught a fine game, throwing out two runners, while he himself stole five bases off the opposing catcher. Bobby Shapiro and Lee Rittenberg contributed 4 hits, 2 of which were for extra bases.

Andy Silverston, David Zack, Bobby Musiker, Steve Shuman, Eric Weiner, Alex Berger, Mark Markell, David Michael, Steve Tarr, and Jay Geller also contributed to the victory.

Coaches Larry Burrows and Chuck Role extend thanks to all players.

(July 22)

14-and-under Basketball (Mitch Asch)

W.E.H.C. defeated Robin Hood on July 16 to win the 3 game series with the Hoodsies. West End rebounded from the previous 42-40 defeat by trouncing their nemesis 61-44.

TENUIS TEAM (Mark Blumenthal)

(match of Tuly 22)

Despite the loss of first and second singles matches by Stu Brightman and Rico Gordon, the West End House Junior Davis Cup Team swept third singles, first and second doubles matches to erase O-AT-KA's homeccurt advantage. Barry "Lob" Geller played two superb matches, first a 6-0, 6-0 conquest of O-AT-KA's Verity at 3rd singles. "Lob" later teamed with Mike Levine in a 6-3, 6-2 victory over Dunbar-Rogers. Eric Oldsman and Steve Slabine won an 8-6 pro set from Pinkerton-Somerville to clinch second doubles and the tourney for the Junior Davis Cuppers.

Wednesday afternoon also saw two very exciting losses by our 13-and-unders. After a first set thrashing by O-AT-KA's Houlihan, Rico Gordon struggled valiantly to a 5-4 second set lead, only to succumb ultimately 2-6, 5-7. Stu Brightman and O-AT-KA's Stevie Kujan jousted over two hours, exchanging the lead many times before Kujan outlasted Brightman in split sets, 3-6, 6-3, 6-2.

ARCHERY

Coach Jimmy "Luke" Gordon heads up the West End House Camp Archery Team. Members are as follows: Stu Kawadler, Andy Burnes, Brian Sherman, Jack Richman, Bob Goober, and Dave Weisman.

Jim Weinberg serves as manager, and the team is still looking for its first match of the season. 12-and-under Soccer (Dick Morton)
(Tuly 16, home)

Good soccer was played in both matches but the game was unfortunatelt rained out at the half with the score nil all. in each.

In the A Team match, the ball was kept mainly in the other end, thanks to the forwards, backed by a strong line of halfbacks- Rico Gordon, Andy Stern, and Steve Prelack (captain). The attack was spearheaded by Mike Greenberg at center forward, assisted by inside forwards Doug Sheff and Wayne Swartz. Lee Rittenberg as left wing showed some fine dribbling; Eric Oldsman, right wing. provided the best movement of the game by receiving a good pass from Rico and taking the ball down the wing- beating several people along the way. The run was ended by a good shot to the goala shot that just missed the far post. Our defense, largely untried, consisted of Steve Berman and Mike Grant as full-, backs and the capable Tom Regis in the

The B Team match was closely fought, with West End House showing slight superiority. There was good hustle from the team, and we could have expected some goals if the finishing were better. Of particular note were Mark Swartz (captain), Steve Shuman, Danny Alford, and David Geller. Other players were Gerry Freid, Scott Richman, Bob Cohen, Tom Slicklen, Bob Sudhalter, Scott Schlager, and Bob Gilman.

Both teams look forward to the replay against Robin Hood, when we confidently hope to score some goals.

Coaches: Dick Norton, A Team; Jack Ter Hellen, B Team.



WATERNELON LEAGUE STANDINGS Lost Won Team 3 1 Singer 3 1 Bird 3 1 Jacobs 1 3 Burrows 2 2 Sherman 1 3 Margolin

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Second Talent/Skit Night of 1970

by Doug Sheff

Bunk 4B won Talent Night on Yuly 22 with the original skit "Kublin's Restaurant."

Here is a list of what each bunk did and who participated:

5A- "Willy's Jokes" (Willy Gropman, David Rosenberg)

5B- "Pencils, Pencils" (Neal Shrier, Larry Leavitt, David Eagle, Andy Lennick, David Marcus, Paul Fritz, Jeff Walker)

1A-Eric Solomon sung 'Reasons to Believe."

1B-"Dracula" (Mitch Ginsburg and the whole bunk)

2A- "Commercial s" (whole bunk)

2B-"What We Do at Night" (whole bunk)

3A- "Street Fighting" (whole bunk)

3B- Eric Weiner sang "If I Had a Hammer."

4A- "Archie" (whole bunk)

4B- "Kublin's Restaurant" (Jeff Kublin and the bunk)

Gott- "A Social" (whole bunk)

Dick Sharnstein acted as a most able master of ceremonies. Jimmy "Sly Stone" Gordon did a set from "Woodstock," and Neil Goldberg accompanied on trumpet and Dick Sharpstein was on bass.

After the skits Mark Blumenthal sang a half dozen folk songs

ESTABLISHMENT LEAGUE

M.I.C.	40
Univ. Pres.	40
Pentagons	40
Hard Hats	25
Conglomerates	25
V.F.W.	25

RADICAL LEAGUE

Weathermen	51
Protesters	38
Black Fanthers	371
SDS	37
Yinnies	26
Crazies	201

Anyone interested in working for

CAMP SOCIALS

by

Howie Wynn (as told to S. Nilogram)

The 1970 social season came into full swing the week of July 19 with the seniors and some staff attending functions at two girls' camps.

On July 21 a group spent the after supper hours at nearby Moy-Mo-Dayo in Cornish. The campers all seemed to have an enjoyable night, and many addresses changed hands during the few hours that West End House was onethe offensive, Mark O'Donoghue should receive special mention for his chaperoning duties, while Billy Swartz received the MVP Award.

Two nights later a day-evening social was held with Camp Naomi in East Raymond, Maine, The indomitable Scotty transported about 40 campers and staff to this affair. The day turned out to be very enjoyable, and opnortunity was given the boys to go swimming and play tennis; many boys, however, proceeded along independent lines, but came together for the unforgettable supper.

The evening activity was daneing or "free play." MVP's went to Mike Finn and Chet Hurwitz.

Scotty's bus was filled with a variety of original songs on the way home- songs made up by Peter Kaplan, Rob Sharpstein, and Reggie Bird. For free reprints of these songs, please consult any of the above mentioned. (thanks to Peter Kaplan for help on this article)

The Marvin W. Sternack Award goes to:

Mitchell Asch, who received his own award this past week.

Peter Silberstein, who spends most of his waking hours pumping air into the tires of his bike.

????? for letting out the air in Peter Silberstein's tires.

Peter Kaplan, for his outstanding performance before, during, and especially after the Naomi social.

the ECHC is encouraged to get in touch with Bill Margolin in 5A or Wonderland.