

Parent Newsletter, Aug 3, 2009

Dear Parents,

We're in the homestretch and it has been a most successful summer from every standpoint! Here is info for the final week-end.

First – **Closing Week-end Schedule:**

***The Mikado!* Thurs., Fri., Sat., Nights at 8 p.m. in the Opera House – Parents night is Sat., Aug 8.**

**Friday August 7** – Camper banquet at dinner 5 p.m., all campers required. Campers to operetta at 8 p.m. Cast at opera house by 6:30 p.m.

**Saturday August 8** – Clinic and exhibition for parents: 9:30 a.m. Grant Field  
11 a.m. Clinic ends  
12:30 p.m. Pancho Mazza Memorial Ceremony – Lodge, all invited  
1-2 p.m. Picnic Lunch – Dining Hall for parents and children

**Afternoon Activities:**

Parent- Child Tennis Round Robin at tennis courts w/Coach Aronson and staff after lunch – circa 2 p.m.

Walk/jog “High Noon” course w/Pete Shaifer – 11:30, after Clinic – meet at office.

After lunch on - Boat/Swim at waterfront w/waterfront staff (canoes, kayaks, sunfish, or swim in swim area under supervision of waterfront staff – no power boating or skiing please!) Canoeists Dave Henry and Josh Bills will lead an “**around the islands**” canoe trip circa 4 p.m. **Life jackets required for all boating activities.**

**5 p.m. Sat. dinner:** Beachfront will be available for BYO dinner. We will provide grill and charcoal. Please keep children on campus!

**8 p.m. Operetta in Opera House – Mikado cast to opera house by 6:30 p.m.**

**All Campers to sleep in their cabins after Operetta, Sat. nite.**

**Sunday Aug. 9:**

**Closing ceremony in Opera House 9-10:30 a.m. Sharp!**

**Campers luggage** (trunks, duffels, etc.) will be brought to the top of the hill starting Friday Aug. 8 for parent pick-up. **Do not drive to cabins** for safety of our campers. Be sure your son has his bathing suit from the waterfront, his athletic locker and lacrosse locker cleaned out!

**UPS service** available to ship luggage home. See Mr. Waters at the main office for info.

**Parking** – at top of hill all week-end please!

**No pets on main campus or waterfront. If you must bring a pet, use the fields by the farmhouse to exercise them. Preferably leave them home!**

**If your son is flying, be sure we have his flight info so we get him to the airport. Fee is \$45 for Manchester, \$80 for Boston. Checks payable to “Camp Tecumseh”.**

**Clothing Sale – both Friday and Saturday by the Lodge (indoors if raining). Plan to stock up for the winter and, at the same time, support the Blue Gray Fund that provides over 30 campers each summer with financial aid!!**

Other news: Oh, yes....

**Tecumseh Keeps the Hat on Pemi Day!** Final tally: 12-6-2 Details available in your final Sunbeam. Highlight was a 5-0 sweep by our tennis teams!

Until the Week-end!

Jim and Nina