

SUN BEAD

Special edition 1



**At Tecumseh We Walk
Through The Rain**

Ramon Ros

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(Our lawyers make us include one)

Dear *Sunbeam* Reader,

It is with the utmost pleasure the Beam Team presents you with this edition! We have poured hours into this Beam so that you may be able to enjoy it during quarantine, or in 15 years when you want to reminisce about the “good ole days”. We have attempted to present you with a digital copy of memories, and an everlasting snapshot of Tecumseh when many of us may need it. It is the *Sunbeam* that brings together tradition and humor at Camp Tecumseh, providing you, our coveted reader, with entertainment throughout the summer and through times like these. Nevertheless, it does not come without the okassionell speling eror, badly, misplaced, comma; or grammar mistake. We hope you are able to look past these flaws and focus on the hard-hitting news and entertainmet we present. We promise you the creation of the Beam is one of our favorite activities. Nothing brings us more joy than seeing faces turn into smiles after opening the Beam. Once again, thank you for your readership, and best of luck and health to you and your loved ones.

Sincerely,

The Beam Team

Special Edition Dedication

This special edition of *The Sunbeam* is dedicated to the healthcare workers, first responders, and essential workers within the Tecumseh community. We are truly in the midst of an unprecedented and frightening time, but these members of our community, whether it be alums, employees, parents, friends, or benefactors of Tecumseh, provide us with hope. They are on the front lines of this battle, putting the needs of others ahead of their own. The Beam Team would like to extend our most sincere thanks to these heroes. They have truly answered the call, inspiring, protecting, and providing for us when it is needed most. Thank you all for your service to Tecumseh, to your families, and to our society at large. This too shall come to pass, but not without your personal sacrifices and impressive willingness to help others. Thank you.

Chris Bassett
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Jay Luff
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Mandy Weed
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With sincere gratitude,
The Beam Team

THIS SUNBEAM IS ALSO DEDICATED TO THE ALUMNI OF CAMP
TECUMSEH,

THANK YOU FOR SHAPING THIS PLACE INTO WHAT IT IS TODAY.
BECAUSE OF YOU, WE (CURRENT STAFF MEMBERS), ARE ABLE TO
WEAR THE NAME OF CAMP TECUMSEH ON OUR CHEST VERY PROUDLY,
IT IS TRULY AN HONOR. NOT OFTEN DO WE GET TO SEE YOU, THE
ALUMNI, BUT WHEN WE DO YOU ALL TREAT US LIKE YOU HAVE
KNOWN US FOR FOREVER. DURING ALUMNI WORK WEEKEND WE ARE
BESTOWED UPON US THE CHANCE TO WITNESS HISTORY UNRAVEL
BEFORE US. THE INTERACTIONS AMONGST ALUMNI IS LIKE NO OTHER,
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FRIENDS DON'T ALWAYS NEED TO BE RIGHT NEXT TO EACH OTHER.
BEING A BEST FRIEND IS MORE SO KNOWING THAT YOU'RE ALWAYS
THERE FOR ONE ANOTHER, WHAT A FINE EXAMPLE YOU ALL HAVE
SET. THE WORK THAT THE ALUMNI DO OVER THAT WEEKEND IS NOT
THE MOST FUN, BUT CAMP WOULD BE MUCH DIFFERENT IF THE
ALUMNI DID NOT SCRAPE THE TENNIS COURTS, CLEAR THE TRAILS,
PITCH THE TENTS, CLEAN CABINS, ETC. MOST ALUMNI WILL NEVER
BE ABLE TO SEE THE IMPACT THAT SHORT WEEK HAS ON THE LIVES
OF MANY BUT TRUST US WHEN WE SAY THAT IT GIVES US THE ONLY
VERSION OF CAMP TECUMSEH WE HAVE EVER KNOWN, THE BEST.
TECUMSEH IS UNLIKE ANY PLACE IN THE ENTIRE WORLD. THIS IS
BECAUSE PEOPLE KEEP CAMP AS A PART OF THEIR LIVES FOREVER.
SOME PEOPLE MIGHT NOT BE ABLE TO MAKE IT UP FOR THE WHOLE
SUMMER BUT A DAY OR TWO HERE, WITH US, MEANS THE WORLD.
MANY ALUMNI MAY HAVE NO CLUE WHAT TYPE OF IMPACT THEY HAVE
MADE ON YOUNG MEN THAT THEY HAVE NEVER EVEN MET. THE
STORIES TOLD, BEAM PAGES READ, AND TRADITIONS PRACTICED.
BECAUSE OF EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU, TECUMSEH LIVES ON
AND WILL CONTINUE TO DO SO. CAMP WOULD NOT BE THE SAME
WITHOUT THE ENGAGEMENT OF THE DEDICATED ALUMNI. AS
CURRENT STAFF MEMBERS, WE HAVE BIG SHOES TO FILL, BUT WE
HAVE BEEN TAUGHT BY THE BEST AND WILL STRIVE TO GIVE CAMP
EVERYTHING WE CAN. WE LOVE YOU; WE THANK YOU, AND WE CAN'T
WAIT TO SEE YOU SOON.

TRULY,

The Beam Team

Camp Tecumseh A Brief History (1903-2015)

In the early 1900's, three recent graduates of the University of Pennsylvania, Olympic athletes all, were counselors at Camp Idlewild on Lake Winnepesaukee. Apparently, the summer in New Hampshire was so salubrious that they decided to have a camp of their own. When the season at Idlewild was over, they began looking for a campsite with a local real estate agent. Idlewild had been located on an island, and they toured islands throughout the lake. None of these seemed comparable to Idlewild and their frustration grew. The agent, possibly even more frustrated, finally mentioned that he had a property which could be purchased at a very reasonable price, but it was not an island. Discouraged but persistent, they went to see it. It was on Moultonborough Neck and the old, and by then deserted, Moultonborough poor farm. The agent explained that the place was a real bargain because it was haunted. The land was practically treeless, and had two buildings on it, both in need of repair. One of these was the Poor Farm dormitory, now our lodge, and the other a cattle barn nearby, the Trunk Room. However, there was a sandy beach, a rare commodity on the lake, almost a mile-long shoreline within the cove seemed to promise some privacy. The property had possibilities. The original purchase extended from what we know as grant point to just beyond the junior cabins. The price for this extraordinary piece of land was "40 dollars in back taxes." As an additional incentive the agent said that he could have trees planted at no additional cost if that was desired. It most certainly was. The \$40.00 and back taxes ended up amounting to something around \$500.00. It was this that Camp Tecumseh was born!

Years later Alexander Grant, one of the founders remarked: "We got this place so inexpensively because it was supposed to be haunted, and over 40 years have yet to see a ghost." He seemed quite annoyed with this since he felt that the ghosts were included in the original price.

The three founding fathers were Dr. Josiah McCracken, George Orton, and Alexander Grant. Dr. McCracken departed early from directorate to become a medical missionary in China, and for the following 20 years Alexander Grant and George Orton ran the camp as a partnership. At the time, Mr. Grant was teaching at the Hill School and Dr. Orton was teaching at the Episcopal Academy.

The Opening season of 1903 had a camp of nine boys, probably selected to make up the first camp baseball team. During the season all hands turned out to help in the restoration of the sadly neglected buildings. The poor Farm Dormitory became the center of the Camp and was named The Lodge, in true camp fashion. Two of the original counselors who became well known to campers in the 20's and 30's were Walter Whittlesey of Princeton and Coleridge Stanton of Pomfret School in Connecticut.

For a camp that has always prided itself on itself on its non-regimented program, it will come as a surprise to learn that in early years the camp has uniform. The Jock Strap was worn at all times except at meals and during the colder days of August. Interesting tales surround this singular costume, especially when ladies suddenly appeared during a roof shingling stint. When ladies were spotted, the shinglers clambered over the roof to the other side, and respectability!

As it does today, all early activity of camp centered in the Lodge, although to a lesser degree/ The old chimneys carried away the smoke from the kitchen, which was in the Lodge, and the campers ate on a newly built porch on the tennis courtside of the building. The rest of the porch was constructed later. Dress for meals, if photographs are to be believed, consisted of a flannel bathrobe draped becomingly over the basic costume.

Originally inside the lodge there were partitions to separate the rooms of the inmates, and each of the windows represented them. In the northwest corner there was a dark windowless cell for the more recalcitrant inmates and, it is believed, that this was the last room occupied by the melancholy Mary Bewalladur, known familiarly as, "Mary B." These partitions were removed to obtain a reasonably large assembly area. The western section of the building, where the offices are now, was built something over 200 years ago. The eastern sections go well into the early years of the 19th century. The walls of the assembly sections were remained for many years in their natural wood until some campers in 1915-1918 decided to immortalize themselves in gaudy Technicolor paint. The original names were done in charcoal or burned into as many shades, now decorate the interior. However, one can still see some of the earliest names written onto the sloping ceilings, and there are those still around who can, for instance, tell us who "Sleeping Jesus" was. His signature appears in large letters, still highly visible. In many ways, this old building has served as a focal point of camp. Although now a days, it shares some of this with the new dining hall and the Opera House.

The barn was also put to use. In those days, marketing for food was a complicated affair and most of it was done by boat. Fresh meat, milk and vegetables, were somewhat hard to obtain. Hence, cows were installed in the barn where the old stall sides existed into the 1920s when the Hollingsworth property to the North was added to camp. Until that time, the cows roamed freely through the camp property, bestowing their fertilizing gifts whether they lighted. Those were the "good ole days" when one had to rise one's leg while sliding into second base, or any base!

In 1920, camp attained its full onshore geography with the Hollingsworth property, adding an additional mile of shoreline. The islands were still owned by Mr. Hollingsworth, who had moved to Meredith. Then in 1923, Mr. Hollingsworth wrote to Mr. Grant and Dr. Orton offering to sell the islands for a sum of \$1800 was forwarded to close the deal. Some months later, Mr. Hollingsworth tendered the island's lumbered and had received \$1400 in recompense and that the islands were not worth more than \$400. Diogenes could have stopped right there in his search for an honest man. All campers who attended before 1924 will recall Mr. Grant's warning that everyone enjoy the custom of nude bathing for as long as possible, for if the islands fell into non-Tecumseh hands, bathing suits would be required. In 1923, this hideous prospect passed.

Counting the original three directors, there have been ten men in charge of Tecumseh over the 113 years of its existence. The first important administrative change was the withdrawn of George W. Orton at the close of the 1923 session. At that time, Tecumseh became a legal corporation as Alexander Grant as its president. This corporation continued until Mr. Grant's death in 1947, when by testament, he directed that a non-profit corporation be established headed by a Board of Trustees. The Trustees chose Alvin S. Wagner as a director to succeed Mr. Grant, to be followed 5 years later to the appointment of George A. Munger. On Mr. Munger's retirement in 1976, Donald J. McBride was appointed to serve as director until 1983. Following McBride was Richard Roe, who served as Director from 1984-1995. In 1996, Hensch Murray took over until 2000, and Jim Talbot successfully guided camp until 2014. Doug Knight, the new Director, has captained camp since Talbot's departure, and will continue to do so for the future.

The change to non-profit status is probably the reason that camp has persisted and prospered. The selflessness of Alexander Grant in contributing his shares in the old corporation has turned out to be wiser than he could have imagined. This, Tecumseh continues! Down through the years, the heart of camp has waned with the campers and their wealth fare remains the principal concern of the capital Trustees and the management. It is now, and always has been, a place where boys could work hard, play hard, and mature into manhood. Friendships are formed here that endure long after the Tecumseh experience has ended.

Prayers in Review (From various years)

Mark Luff - The Relevance and Value of Our Learning

Effective learning must be relevant and valuable. Tecumseh campers must see the purpose of their learning and recognize how their learning impacts their growth as a talented athlete and sportsman of high character. Tecumseh coaches must state briefly and clearly how this lesson or practice will impact a player's talent, execution, and character.

Nicky Lamb 5 Values to Live by

Relationships are key. A college professor once said to me, "Tell me who your friends are, and I'll tell you who you are." It's true, you are the company you keep. **Expect to be successful.** Create your own luck. Are you going to work hard the first week of school? Are you going to fill up your planner? **What's constant is change.** Start treating the little things with respect. Change happens in small doses. **Make conscious commitments.** Tell others about your goals and write them down! **Contribute to bend history.** Indifference makes a difference. You cannot not matter. You have the most important gift in the world: contribution. Remember these things. Because at Camp Tecumseh, you are exactly where you need to be, to learn the things you need to learn, to become the person you are supposed to become, so you can give to the world what you're supposed to give.

Drew Erickson - Crisis Team

Camp Tecumseh is not a sports camp. We are a family who happens to excel at athletics. Sports offer a platform for friendships and bonds to form, relationships that are more powerful than you can possibly imagine. You may not realize it but the friends you make here during these 3 ½ or 7 weeks will be in your wedding and will be there for you in the time when you need them the most.

During the year I worked at a school for special needs children. Part of my job was being on a "Crisis Team" that responded to various issues on a daily basis. We didn't receive extra money or perks for being on the team even though it involved putting our own physical safety on the line – we did the job because it was the right thing that needed to be done to help someone else. I needed my own personal Crisis Team this year, and the people I called on when I needed them were Tecumseh people. These friends who I only see for 7 weeks during the year were the people I called on. Camp served as the platform for these friendships to form – without which I would be lost. Be that friend for someone, be there for them in times of crisis.

Matthew McMurdo - Life Glasses

Think that everyone has life glasses and each person will see each situation differently. Someone might be traumatized because of something that happened. Before you act and say something that might ruin a good relationship think about what the other person sees through their life glasses.

Poiesz - Time! (An excerpt)

"We fit a week of action into every day at Camp Tecumseh. Our perception of time "flying by" or "crawling by" changes frequently. It takes seemingly forever for the weeks before camp to go by, then the weeks of camp fly by.

So, what is time?

Some phrases about 'Time':

Steve Jobs – "My favorite things in life don't cost any money. It should be clear that the most precious resource we all have is time."

Goonies reference - We may not know what each day has in store for us, but we do have this moment. This is our time! Today. Right now. You can't have a better tomorrow if you are thinking about yesterday all the time.

Dalai Lama excerpt - There are only 2 days in the year that nothing can be done about. One is called yesterday and the other is called tomorrow. Do not wait to act; the time will never be 'just right.' Start right now, where you sit, and work with whatever tools you may have at your command, and better tools will be found as you go along.

Nick Sabin thought - When you invest your time in something, you are acting on a decision about something that you want to accomplish. Whether it's academics, athletics, community service, or mischief, whatever it is you choose to do, you're investing your time in that.

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Some fun numbers with 'Time':

-1 year = 365.25 days = (365.25 days) (24 hours/day) (3600 seconds/hour) = 31,557,600 seconds

-1,000 seconds is equal to almost 17 minutes. It would take almost 12 days for a million seconds to elapse, and 31.7 years for a billion seconds.

-If you could count one number per second until you reached 4.5 billion (Earth's age in years), it would take you 142.65 years – that's even older than VAUGHN! If you started counting in 1903, you still would have 25 more years of counting the seconds to get to that number.

-Just .006 seconds on a stopwatch in 2016 was the difference between someone going to the Olympics in the 200 meters for women—or not going. In terms of the distance between 2 runners, this translated to less than 1 inch.

-946,771,200 seconds = 15,779,520 minutes = 262,992 hours = 10,958 days = 30 years. WHAT I AM MOST PROUD OF - the amount of time Carolyn and I have been married! Not much longer to 1 billion seconds..."

Huddle in Review (From various years)

Rob Waters

Here at Tecumseh we do everything. Make sure to try your best in all sports. Give it all whether or not it is your "primary sport". Heart is more valuable than skill. The people around you are going to be your lifelong friends

Connor Gwynn

Sometimes in life it rains, and you can either complain about it and feel sorry for yourself, or you be wet and move on. Any questions?

Griffin Fraser

Be a great winner but be a better loser. It's easy to be a good sport when you are playing great or winning handily, but it's a lot harder to maintain your composure when you are playing poorly or losing. It is the mark of a true champion, a Tecumseh man has the same attitude, win or lose. As my dad always said, don't let the score dictate your attitude, let the attitude dictate the score.

Meg McMurdo

Build your mind. Everyone wants to become faster, stronger, and a better athlete, but not everyone focuses on the mental aspect. If you can shape your mind, then you will be able to become the best you can be, the most powerful thing you can tell yourself is "I can".

Dadd Poquie

Replace "I wish" with "Wouldn't it be nice". If you change your mindset, the things you want to happen will no longer become dreams. Rather, they will be things that you can accomplish if you put your heart to the test.

Jack Keffer

If you can positively impact even one person at camp, you've had a successful summer. Bill Keffer managed to turn one kid's summer around just by asking him if he wanted to play baseball. It's the little things at camp that can make a difference.

K-Doc

I haven't been back here in a while, but with years off I have come to realize what Tecumseh really means. It means that you must apply the characteristics that you learn here like being a good gentleman and going the extra mile and never backing down from any challenge back at home.

Matt McMurdo

"The problem isn't the problem. The problem is the attitude about the problem." Try to think of the problem in an optimistic sense rather than a pessimistic sense. In doing so, you will be better off than you would have been had you not encountered the problem entirely

Highly esteemed readers,

The circumstances surrounding this pandemic are truly unprecedented. I am sure you have heard it on the news, from your parents, siblings, and everyone else; we are truly living through a historic time. Never before has America, or most of the world, come to a complete halt in such a way. Never before has doing nothing been so critical. To be a patriotic, responsible citizen today is to sit on your couch and socially distance. We seriously cannot believe that we wrote that sentence, but we are in uncharted waters. So, what do we do?

We can choose to allow the circumstances to define us, or we can choose to define our circumstances. We have a unique chance to prove that Tecumseh does things differently. We will use quarantine as an opportunity for growth. Instead of binge-watching Netflix or playing Xbox all day, we will work out, line up trick shots, and inspire others to do the same. Instead of looking for excuses, we will search for ways to improve ourselves as athletes and human beings. Instead of coasting through our online semesters, we will attentively and actively pursue knowledge and advice from our instructors. Instead of allowing quarantine to limit us, we will view it as a challenge: how can we get stronger? How can we get bigger and faster? How can we improve as human beings? How can we take a situation that shuts down the world and attack it (safely and responsibly, of course) to improve ourselves? These are the questions that separate a Tecumseh man from all others.

In some ways, this situation gives us a rare opportunity to bring Tecumseh home. We can apply that patented growth mindset to a circumstance that almost every other human being on the planet views as extremely restricting. That is the silver lining in all of this. Nobody really knows for sure how long this will last or when this all will be a distant memory. But one thing that we know is that Tecumseh will not slow down, not even when the world around us hits pause.

In closing, we hope that you and your families remain safe, sane, and healthy during this quarantine period, however long it lasts. Take this time to reflect, to improve, and to grow closer with the people that surround you. Go out of your way to support the people that may need it most during these times not for recognition, but because it is the right thing to do. Take advantage of the Tecumseh network; get in touch with guys in your age group, get each other motivated, and, as Caleb Reynolds would say, "keep the furnace burnin'." We hope that you all enjoy this special edition. Keep up the good work, CT.

Sincerely yours,

The Editors

Mr. Jim Fraser started at Camp Tecumseh in 1948 and has been back ever since. Over the years he has become the standard for how to be a Tecumseh man, on and off the field.

The following is a reproduction of a letter written to Mr. Fraser in 2013. It was written by someone who had only met Mr. Fraser once...fifty years earlier in 1963!



Please read the letter and remember the impact you can make on someone's life with only one small act of kindness.

Bring Tecumseh home and be the best version of yourselves.

"Dear Jim (Mr. Fraser),

Congratulations on your honor at the Union League. I know it was well deserved.

You don't know who I am, but I always wanted to find you and thank you for your kindness many years ago. In December of 1963 my mother and I were flying to Philadelphia from my brother's wedding in Chicago. It was the first time I had ever been on a plane.

There was horrible weather and after circling Pittsburgh for 2 hours we landed there. We

were scared to death. But you called me "sis" and my mother "mom" and took care of us, as well as many other people on the plane. You could carry 5 suitcases with no trouble and were quite a vision in your cowboy hat and boots (you were playing for the Denver Broncos at the time).

We ended up in New York. From there we went to Pennsylvania Station and ended up at the North Philadelphia train station where your father picked you up and took us home, too (totally in another direction!).

I will never forget your kindness and strength of mind and body and I know you must be a role model to the kids at Camp Tecumseh. When I saw the article in the Philadelphia Inquirer, I had to take this opportunity. Please share this with your friends and family, although I am sure it will not be a surprise to them.

Sincerely,

Roberta Geske"

Transcript from Mr. Fraser's Huddle Talk at the Fraser Cottage

One of the many things that make this camp different is things like this. Someone is in trouble a little bit...camp takes it upon itself to come down and give me a group hug. I really appreciate it. I really appreciate you all coming down here.

The thing that is so different about this camp is the friendships that you discover here. You all now have a ton of friends that you didn't have before you came to Camp Tecumseh. You've got it all. All of a sudden, you'll get a phone call this fall from some guy from Tecumseh who was your bunkmate. All of a sudden you may get a card from someone. Make sure you answer it. That's why camp is different.

There is a bond that will be there for the rest of your life...it really will.

Long Live the Tecumseh Spirit!

Walk Together Forever in the Bond of Tecumseh!

Quotes to Live By

I fear not the man who has practiced 10,000 kicks one, but the man who has practiced 1 kick 10,000 times
- Bruce Lee

The firm, the enduring and the modest are near to virtue
- Confucius

I feel that it is healthier to look out the world through a window than through a mirror. Otherwise, all you see is yourself and whatever is behind you.
- Bill Withers

"Rules for Happiness: something to do, someone to love, something to hope for."

Immanuel Kant

Yesterday I was clever and tried to change the world. Today I am wise and try to change myself.

~ Rumi

"If you want to build a ship, don't drum up the people to gather wood, divide the work, and give orders. Instead, teach them to yearn for the vast and endless sea."
- Antoine De Saint Exupery

CHIEF TECUMSEH'S DEATH POEM

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The following are excerpts from founder Alexander Grant's Last Will and Testament, the single most important document in Camp's history. Mr. Grant ran Tecumseh from 1903 through 1946. He passed away shortly after the conclusion of the 1946 season.

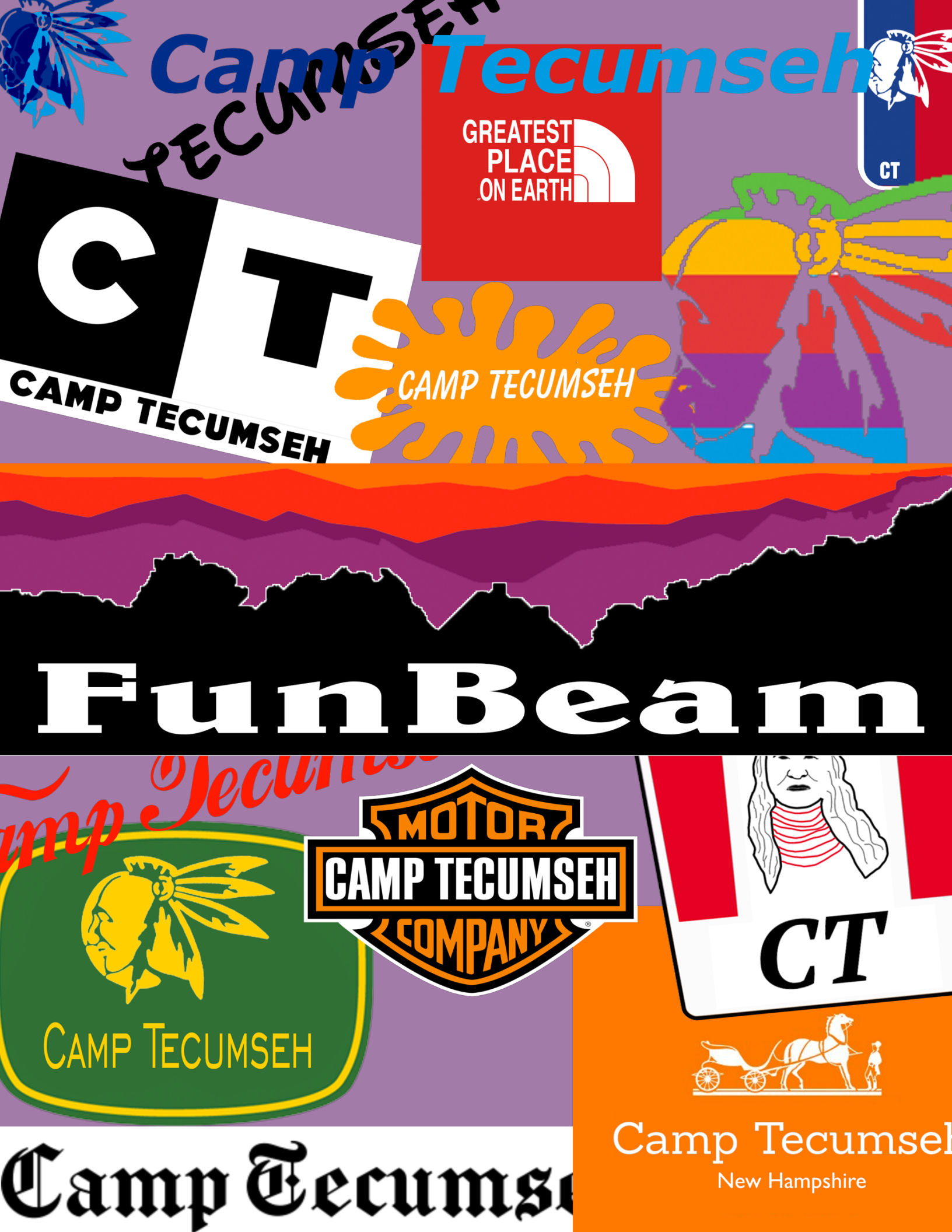
"...Over forty years ago I helped to establish Camp Tecumseh on Moultonboro Neck, Center Harbor, New Hampshire, and, through these years, I have believed in Camp Tecumseh as a great American institution for the development and training under ideal conditions of a boy's own best self and of his character, qualities of leadership and sportsmanship, and of his ability in various forms of athletic, aesthetic, and manly endeavor. In making the following gift, devise and bequest to the Trustees hereinafter named who have from time to time had many years of association with the Camp, are deeply interested in its problems and have shown a broad understanding and judgement in advising in their solution, I have absolute confidence that Camp Tecumseh will be perpetuated in the way that is best as a camp for boys.

I give, bequeath and devise all my interests and stock in Camp Tecumseh, a corporation of the State of New Hampshire, and in any property of mine or interest therein or about what is known as Camp Tecumseh, which interests are hereinafter referred to as "Camp Tecumseh", situated on Moultonboro Neck, Lake Winnepesaukee, Center Harbor, New Hampshire, except as provided in Article First hereof, to:

Arthur Armstrong
Walter E. Johnson
William E. Lingelbach, Jr.
David C. Spooner, Jr.
Henderson Supplee, Jr.
Lewis P. Tabor and
Henry B. Williams,

Their survivors and/ or successors, as hereinafter provided, absolutely, in trust, however, under the subject to the following terms and conditions which in my judgement seem desirable and advisable, namely:

- A. The Trustees aforesaid, their survivors and/ or successors as hereinafter provided, shall be known as "The Trustees of Camp Tecumseh", hereinafter referred to as "Trustees".
- B. Camp Tecumseh shall be known as "Camp Tecumseh" and shall be owned and controlled directly or indirectly by the Trustees.
- C. Camp Tecumseh shall exist perpetually.
- D. Camp Tecumseh shall not be run for profit, but for the purpose aforesaid; namely, as an institution for the development and training of boys' own best selves, of their character, qualities of leadership and sportsmanship and their abilities in various forms of athletic, aesthetic, and manly endeavor."



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Coach's Corner!



Pic 1) Aiden demonstrates two key points as he prepares to hit his two-handed backhand. The first is early racquet preparation and the second is shoulder turn.



Pic 2) As the ball approaches, Aiden continues to execute great balance and further prepares to make contact. To achieve this he begins to drop the head of the racquet as he tracks the ball to the ideal contact point.



Pic 3) Aiden here has made optimal contact with the ball. Out in front of the body. You can also see that he has rotated his shoulders and hips into stroke, and completed a perfect transfer of weight which adds power and depth.



Pic 4) Here Aiden demonstrates having the racquet head travel through the contact zone



Pic 5/6) Every good ground stroke has a follow through. Here Aiden also continues the weight transfer, evident by the back foot completely off the ground.



Pic 7) To finish off an excellent ground stroke, Aiden continues to allow the racquet to naturally follow through around his shoulder. Not the elbows finishing high, and the complete rotation of his shoulders.

10 THINGS CAMP TECUMSEH IS OLDER THAN

- 1.CAMP TECUMSEH IS OLDER THAN SLICED BREAD (1928)**
- 2.CAMP TECUMSEH IS OLDER THAN TEA BAGS (1904)**
- 3.CAMP TECUMSEH IS OLDER THAN PLASTIC (1905)**
- 4.CAMP TECUMSEH IS OLDER THAN THE BALLPOINT PEN (1938)**
- 5.CAMP TECUMSEH IS OLDER THAN CROSSWORD PUZZLES (1913)**
- 6.CAMP TECUMSEH IS OLDER THAN PETER PAN (1904)**
- 7.CAMP TECUMSEH IS OLDER THAN BOTH WORLD WARS (1914 AND 1939)**
- 8.CAMP TECUMSEH IS OLDER THAN THE POST IT NOTE (1974)**
- 9.CAMP TECUMSEH IS OLDER THAN THE FIRST BOEING AIRCRAFT (1917)**
- 10.CAMP TECUMSEH IS OLDER THAN NEW MEXICO (1912)**

What Your Lightning Shelter Choice Say About You:
(Shoutout Scuba Steve for this one)

Lodge: You can be found gazing at plaques in any weather, often times staying seated after prayers wondering how Maestro climbed up there to nail his in. Or, you just really like Lodgeball.

Atmosphere Rating: High

Chance of Being Struck: Low

Final Analysis: A fun, safe haven, all around good choice

Trunk Room: You were midway through a game of “quiet jump” when the bell rang. You can often be found taking sneaky munches creamery goodies stowed away in the back of your locker.

Atmosphere Rating: Low

Chance of Being Struck: Low

Final Analysis: Should be used for safety only, for fast approaching storms

Munger Hall: You were 3 points up on Larry or midway through a nutmegging of Ramon on the futsal court when the thunder rumbled in.

Atmosphere Rating: Very High

Chance of Being Struck: Very Low

Final Analysis: Insufficient Sample Size

Opera House: You feel most comfortable in a singlet or Finding Nemo makes you teary eyed every time you watch it.

Atmosphere Rating: Moderate

Chance of Being Struck: Low

Final Analysis: Great for the long-haul storms, but due to precarious location rarely used

Widdow: When Mike Doc says, “Basketball instruction first period”, you hear “Widow Hoops instruction double-period” or you ate too many chipwiches for dinner.

Atmosphere Rating: Very low

Chance of Being Struck: Zero

Final Analysis: Atmosphere cannot overcome the safety, avoid at all costs

Senior Tents: You consider Free Time “Tent Time” and watch idly as the High Noon Club jogs by you on a daily basis.

Atmosphere Rating: Dependent on Tent

Chance of Being Struck: High

Final Analysis: Ideal place for a lazy senior

Beam Shack: You were busy doing anything except working on the Beam or you just weren’t busy at all.

Atmosphere Rating: Off the Charts

Chance of Being Struck: N/A

Final Analysis: For the few and the proud

Weight Room: You were most likely involved in a free time quick dip or already halfway through a killer tricep session when the lightning bell rang. Either way you enjoy scenic views of Winnepesaukee while imagining Arnold saying, “ZE Pümp!!!”

Atmosphere Rating: Swoll

Chance of Being Struck: High (By McMurdo)

Final Analysis: For advocates of ZE Pump only

Creamery: You have perfected the art of speed walking or you volunteer to scoop regularly.

Atmosphere Rating: Creamy

Chance of Being Struck: Moderate/High

Final Analysis: Due to high levels of food rations, ideal for long-term survival

Dining Hall Freezer: You crossed Jay Luff one too many times or your search for the chipwich stash took a life-threatening turn.

Atmosphere Rating: Below 32 Fahrenheit

Chance of Being Struck: Sub-Zero

Final Analysis: Don’t hate it until

What if I told you Tecumseh Stops for nothing?



CAMP TECUMSEH

Tecumseh is more than a summer camp; it is a lifestyle. Technically, camp only happens for 7 weeks every year, but to many of us it affects our daily lives. We are constantly in contact with our best friends and are always putting in the work to improve ourselves academically and athletically. This time is an opportunity to outwork others who are taking time off. Use what you've learned at camp and apply it to these times to make a positive out of every situation

The Biggest Victories At Tecumseh Are The Smallest Ones

Waking up to the Lake sparkling

Walking to breakfast from intermediate campus and not getting
your socks wet

Getting hot on the basketball courts when creamery is on the line

Getting in on the last waterski run of the afternoon

Snagging the second to last roll in the basket

Getting prime real estate for the second act finale

JoJo's hoagie ready in 3 minutes or less

A late horn on a night with a beautiful sunset

Getting to the front of your line during cal's

When LogAt visits from Boston

When Billy fires up a Hokey Pokey in the Zoo

When the printer works exactly as it should

Hittin' the jackpot at FunSpot

CAMP TECUMSEH POP GRID

	Favorite spot on campus	Counselor I'm most afraid of	Ideal day of instructions	Favorite rainy day activity	Go-to creamery order	Favorite Cabin
Billy Harris Counselor	The Zoo	Ethan Sparks ... not	Soccer and screaming	Attempting to swim	The whole creamery	Mack Shack
Wes Ballentine Counselor	Cooper Court	Connor Gwynn	Any sport (on land) and biking long distances	Meditation	Salad	The Hooch
Ryan Bergin Counselor	Weight Room	R-Doc	Weight room, then weight room	Getting a nice pump in	Protein Shake	I sleep in the weight room
Paul Poesz Senior Staff	The Track	No one	Yelling at kids	Yelling at kids from the office porch	Bronto Burger	Tohkomeupog
Jim Lamb Alumni	Back porch of the lodge	Paul Poesz	Writing my new hit song	Giving pump-up speeches to kids	Skittles	Alumni
Griffin Fraser Counselor	Widow during Prayers	Luca Marano	Telling everyone about my frat	Putting on my windbreaker	Airhead Xtremes	Grandpa's Cabin

Tecumseh Quarantine Bingo

B I N G O

Competed in a @Tecumseh_cals Instagram Challenge	Watched Dr. Anthony Fauci on TV	Did Indoor Cals	Spent Quality time with your Family	Had Technical Difficulties in Online Classes
Rocked a Weird Hairstyle/Facial Hair Because No One Will See It	Checked your phone an excessive amount of times	Called your friends on Zoom (or any other video calling platform)	Started a New Hobby	Spent too Much Time on Youtube
Watched a Movie that Won an Oscar in 2020	Made Yourself a Sandwich for Lunch		Got Pumped for CT 2020	Got a text about Christian Wood
Read a Book	Thought About your Favorite Prayer Speech	Kept the furnace burnin'	Felt Very Mildly Sick and Googled Symptoms of Coronavirus	Got out of Bed After 12 PM
Watched a Sport You've Never Watched before just because it was on TV	Argued with your family about the duration of lockdown	Ran Out of Toilet Paper	Ordered an Item on Amazon, Saw the Delivery Date was 2 months away, Then Cancelled the Order	Visit Manchester, NH

All-Decade Blue vs Gray Counselor Line-ups

Basketball

Blues	Grays
PG- Kharon Randolph	PG- Dan Nedbal
SG- Nick Lamb	SG- Jonathan Price
SF- Chase Ruben	SF- Wes Ballentine
PF- Logan Atkins	PF- Blake Stabert
C- Coach Doc	C- Treshawn Felder

Football

QB- Tommy McNamara	QB- Wes Ballentine
WR- Nick Lamb	WR- Matt Campbell
TE- Anson Clough	TE- Chris Hupfeldt
DT- C-Doc	DT- Tristan Webster
LB- Dadd Poquie	LB- Matt McMurdo
CB- John Washington	CB- Owen Pighini
S- Phil Poquie	S- Blake Stabert

Futsal

GK- Sam Camp	GK- Sean Lyons
D- Drew Erickson	D-Brain O'Shea
M- John Falvey	M- Ben Sandalow
M- Brett Blackiston	M- Jack Keffer
F- Steve Szafara	F- Blake Stabert

This or that

Up-downs or sprints

Bring back the sunday bar or Post Lunch Dessert

Blue or Gray

Mud sliding or Quick dips

The Widow or a 20

Fishercats or 'Skrats or Red Sox

Blue Gray Tennis or Blue Gray

The Iron Man or The Mini

Sammy Griffin Day or 4th of July

The Float or Tubing

2-Ball or Knockout

Big Blue or Shmedium Green

Good move/answer or cyamike or attababe

The LITTLE THINGS

THE DISTANT SOUND OF WEED-WHACKERS
JAY LUFF GIVING YOU A HIGH FIVE
"SOPRANOS AND ALTOS, AFTER THE MEAL"
HONEY MUSTARD
"HAPP-AY REST HOUR!"
SOLID SALAD BAR TOPPINGS
COURTSIDE SEATS FOR ROOKIE LEAGUE
THE PEMI DAY ROAR
BIRTHDAY SPEECHES
CAMP CANINES
REST HOUR BLISS
TECUMSEH MIST
THE DUST OF TECUMSEH'S ROADWAYS
BELLS AND HORNS RATHER THAN ANALOG TIME
TECUMSEH MEETINGS
PADDLEBOARDING
VAN RIDES TO FAR AWAY TOURNAMENTS
PICKUP GAMES (ANY SPORT, ANY TIME)
MARK LUFF'S TRIVIA QUESTIONS
CLEARING 11 CUPS FOR THE LAST TIME DURING STACK
HEARING RAMON ROS SAY "BIG BOY"
DOWNHILL SKIERS
BUUUUUUUUUUUUUUDDHAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!!!!!!
MAKING NEW FRIENDS ON DAY ZERO
BUS RIDE PIT STOPS AT MCDONALD'S
WHOOPIE PIES
STEVE CLORAN ACCEPTING ANY AND ALL BAGGO CHALLENGERS
GETTING YOUR FAVORITE FLAVOR OF JUICE AT LUNCH

The NBA is sure to be back in full effect soon,
be sure to look out for this lethal starting 5

THE NBA IS BACK!



What's your favorite Disney and PIXAR movie? Which movie wins?

Disney · PIXAR

LION KING
TARZAN
THE PRINCESS
AND THE FROG
Lilo & Stitch
Tangled
Disney
BIG HERO 6
Disney
FROZEN
MOANA
Disney
Aladdin
HERCULES
Disney
The Little Mermaid
POCAHONTAS
MULAN
Disney
ZOOPIA
Disney
Beauty and the Beast
NIGHTMARE BEFORE CHRISTMAS

Disney PIXAR
BRAVE
TOY STORY
TOY STORY 2
Disney PIXAR
COCO
Disney
Toy Story 3
Disney
THE GOOD DINOSAUR
Disney
RATATOUILLE
Disney
bug's life
Disney
FINDING NEMO
Disney
INSIDE OUT
Disney PIXAR
MONSTERS, INC.
Cars
THE INCREDIBLES
WALL·E

Mikey's Word Jumbles

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LARTVUI MABE EEAMTAMB

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Send your answers to:

Bryan Colangelo
76'ers Front Office
Philadelphia, PA 19148

THE FAMED VIDEO BEAM OF THE LATE 1980s

The following excerpts from Tecumseh alums describe the humorous fall and rise of the Video Beam, the brainchild of the BeamTeam of the late eighties.

From Bob Gray, Summer of 1987:

"The members of *The Sunbeam* staff thought it would be fun to replace the standard, weekly printed newspaper one week with a special 'Video Beam.' The Video Beam was to be shown in the Opera House one Sunday evening in front of the entire camp, in lieu of the regular newspaper.

Tim O'Shea, Edwin Van Dusen, and myself had several creative ideas for the project but were not in possession of a video camera, clearly a crucial element if our plans were to be realized. There was only one guy on campus who had one, but he was somewhat protective of it, could be surly at times, and happened to be the Camp Director. Edwin and I decided that it would be a good idea if Tim, a natural salesman, were to approach "The Mayor" and ask to borrow his camera for the project. Tim would disarm Mr. Roe with his quick wit and natural charm, we would then film our segments and return the camera unharmed to its owner unharmed.

The first part of the plan worked. The Director approved the Video Beam and we were off and running. The first segment to be filmed was on location at the waterfront where we were filming some "quotable quotes."

Edwin, as always, played the host and did an excellent job talking into a stick, which was doubling as a microphone. Tim was the cameraman, a position I'm not sure he was qualified for, but he got us the camera so we let him run with it... and that is exactly what he did. The details are still unclear and contested to this day. The only thing I know for sure is that Tim was walking and filming at the same time, and he proceeded to walk...

From Bob Gray, Summer of 1987 (continued):

...himself and the Director's camera right off the end of the dock and into twelve feet of Lake Winnepesaukee.

Many campers were left unfulfilled that summer of '87, and they would have to wait until 1988 when the Video Beam made its debut... using my parents' video camera."

From Edwin Van Dusen, Summer of 1989:

"The Video Beam recovered from its brief hiatus in 1987 and was produced and well-received in the summer of 1988. The following summer, 1989, was probably the best edition of the Video Sunbeam.

Though there were many entertaining sketches in the 1989 Video Sunbeam, the most memorable was the "counselor car baseball" skit. The skit was conceived by then-counselor and current Board Chairman Bob Gray, and entirely shot in one afternoon's

rest hour. The skit was based on the satirical premise that Tecumseh counselors were so lazy that they would not even run the bases during a pickup baseball game. So, when a counselor hit a ball into play, he would get into his car-- conveniently parked next to home plate-- and drive around the bases.

There were various humorous applications of the premise. Bob Gray, in his Toyota sports car, was called out on a close play at first base. Pete Gillin was robbed of an extra-base hit when Gabby Roe made a full throttle catch way out in center field. Gabby caught the ball with his glove extended through his sunroof, while his other hand steered the car towards the fly ball. Edwin Van Dusen got a solid base hit, but got caught in an automotive rundown between first and second base when he got greedy and tried to stretch it into a double. Van Dusen could be seen shifting between forward and reverse on the basepaths during the pickle. And, in the grand finale, slugger Biff Sturla hits a deep shot, rounding the bases in the camp...

From Edwin Van Dusen, Summer of 1989 (continued):

...bus driven by none other than Jay Luff. Tim O'Shea, in full catcher's attire, is shown trying to tag the bus out at home plate. He gets run over, drops the ball, and Sturla is called safe for the decisive run.

When the Video Beam premiered in the Opera House one evening, the counselor baseball skit was a huge success. Bob Glascott later commented that he saw many different people laughing at it, from Maestro and Mrs. Csiszar who were well into their eighties at the time, to eight year-old rookies. The skit had truly universal appeal within the Camp community."

The Cast of Counselor Car Baseball:

Rich Baruch
Pete Gillin
Bob Gray
Brian Kammersgard
Jay Luff
Dave McMullin, Jr.
Tim O'Shea
Gabby Roe
Biff Sturla
Edwin Van Dusen

Ever wonder what the Beam Team and Friends are listening to? Well now you know

Song Title	Artist
Ain't no Sunshine	Bill Withers
Paris	1975
September	Earth, Wind, and Fire
Fly Like An Eagle	Steve Miller Band
A Wolf Wears Sheeps Clothes	Mac Demarco
This Life	Vampire Weekend
Girl	SYML
Free (with Drew Love)	Louis the Child
Bam Bam	Sister Nancy
Blue	SG Lewis
You've Got the Love	Florence + The Machine
Box of Rain	Grateful Dead
Lazy River Road	Grateful Dead
Bellyache	Billie Eilish
Lean on Me	Bill Withers

@tecumseh1903 SPIRIT WEEK CHALLENGE!!!!

Just like the 7th week, we encourage you to follow the following themes for the clothes you wear this upcoming week! Get in touch with your CT brothers, coordinate, encourage, and submit your best fits to the Tecumseh Instagram account. This is a great way to get in touch with your brothers and boost morale! As always, creativity is strongly encouraged.

MONDAY: Long Distance Twin Day

Find someone to twin with!

TUESDAY: Pajama Day

Fairly self-explanatory... get cozy!

WEDNESDAY: Halloween in April

Dress up in a Halloween costume... get creative with this!

THURSDAY: Flag Day

Represent your country by wearing your country's flag or its colors!

FRIDAY: Neon Day

If you can't be seen from space, you're doing something wrong.

SATURDAY: Jersey Day

Rep your favorite team or player!

SUNDAY: Tecumseh Day

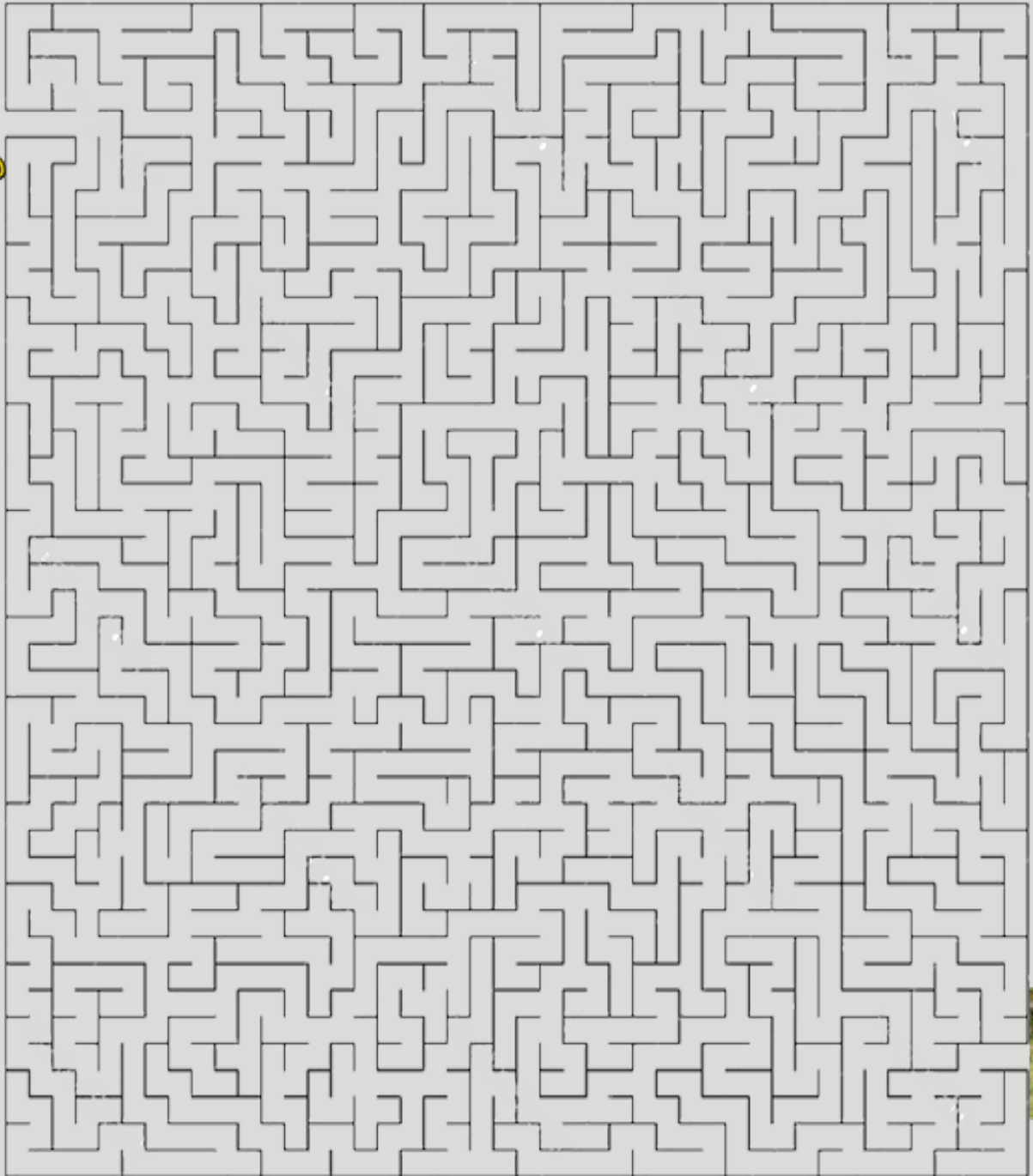
Wear Tecumseh gear! Feel free to represent your color or CT at large!

Best Games to rewatch in quarantine

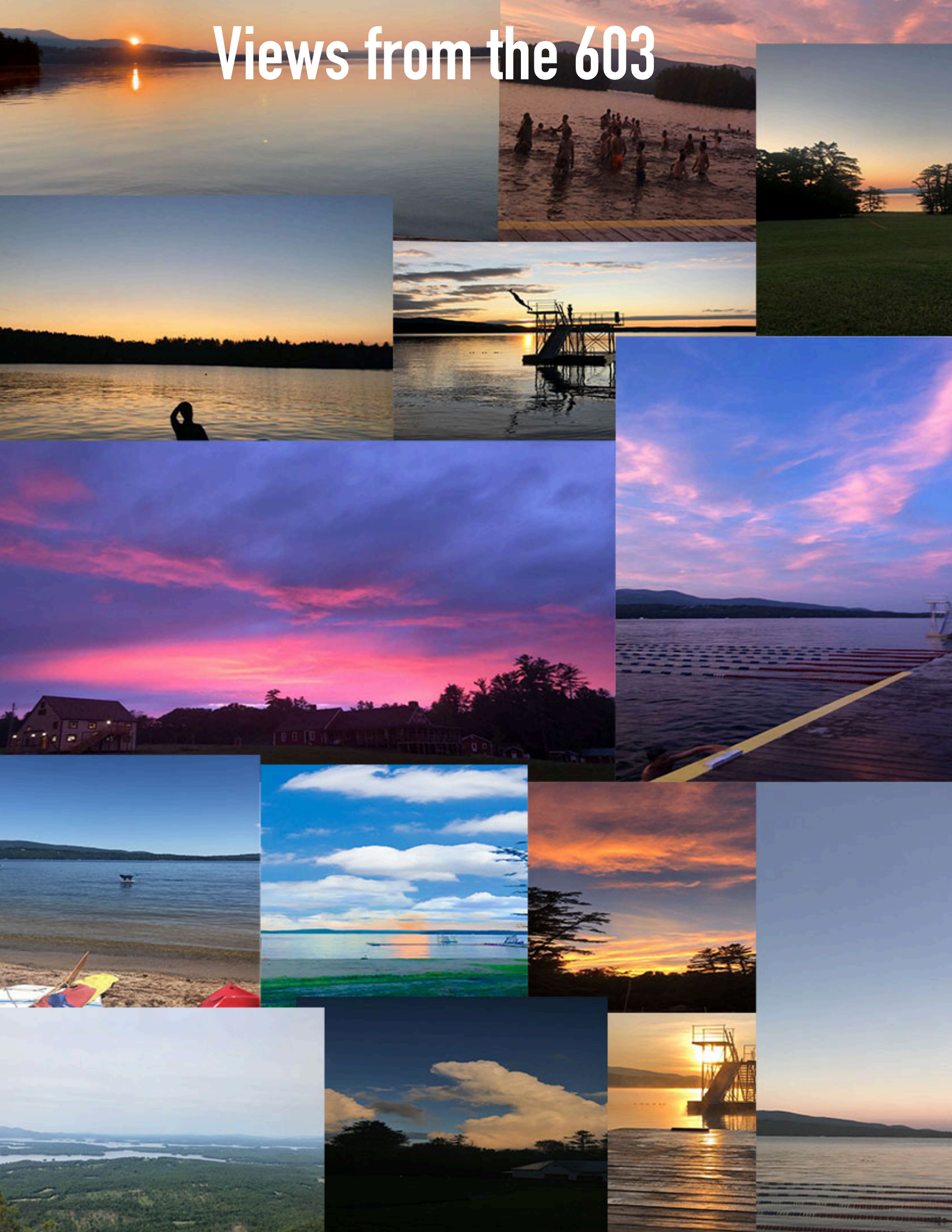


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J-Mo <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Eagles 38- Vikings 7 • Villanova vs UNC 2016 • UConn vs Syracuse 6 OT game • Malice at The Palace 	Strid Bros <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Game 7 2016 Finals • Kobe's Final game • Auburn vs Alabama Kick 6 • Kemba vs Pitt Game winner (Cardiac Kemba) 	Ruddy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Villanova vs Georgetown 1985 • Carmelo Anthony 62 point game • 2009 World Series Game 2 • Linsanity game
Wolfy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foles 7 TD Game • Villanova vs Oklahoma 2016 Final Four • Kobe's 81 point game • 2020 NBA All-Star Game 	Kenny <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2012 Giants SB • 2008 Giants SB • Rocky Drago • Mighty Ducks vs Iceland 	Cam <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ravens vs 49ers SB • Duke vs Butler 2010 NCAAAB Chip • Ali vs Fraser • USA vs Russia Miracle on Ice

Help the Blue Hen find his
henhouse!



Views from the 603



Billy's Sudokus

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COUNSELOR GOLF AT BALD PEAK IN THE 1980s

A few days after Camp had ended, several counselors were quite bored and decided to head over to Bald Peak to play some golf. The counselors met up with two acquaintances whose families were members at Bald Peak. Their friends were nice enough to lend their Tecumseh friends one set of clubs (which was shared by everyone). The counselors included Bill "Chickenhead" Keffer, John McGinley, Bob Gray, Biff Sturla, and Brian McBride, among others. The Tecumseh golfers were completely underdressed for Bald Peak. McGinley wore sneakers, shorts, a baseball catcher's chest protector and a motorcycle helmet, and nothing else. He was a sight to see. Some of the golfing was amazing. While in the middle of the fairway, McBride whiffed on the ball three consecutive times, prompting Keffer to yell, "STRIKE THREE! You're out Brian." On one shot, McGinley's ball landed near the tree line. His next shot quickly went off course, hit a sign located next to a tree, and zoomed straight back at him, barely missing his head. Good thing he was wearing a motorcycle helmet, or else he may have been in trouble had the ball come back at him a few inches to the side. After three holes, a Bald Peak golf pro came flying downhill in his golf cart. He got out and proceeded to grill the motley crew. He paused mid-sentence for at least five seconds once he noticed McGinley's peculiar golfing attire. The counselors informed the pro that they were guests of members, and therefore were permitted to play the course. The pro angrily replied that he would charge the hostess' families for their outing. Eventually, the counselors were able to reach a deal with the golf pro: they would vacate the premises so long as their friends at Bald Peak did not have to foot the bill for their unsanctioned match play. He wanted the counselors to leave above all else, and thus they obliged immediately. After all, the group had their fill for the day after three holes, especially since they took over two hours to play. They joyously careened across Winnepesaukee back to the much more welcoming grounds of the Greatest Place on Earth.

-Bill "Chickenhead" Keffer, Summer of 1983

Greater than, less than, equal to

Virtual beam _____ tangible beam
Red hill _____ push-ups _____ burpees
Cow tracks _____ coffee kisses _____ black raspberry
Ammo _____ Dodgeball
Whales Tales _____ Fishercats _____ Fun Spot
C-Doc _____ K-Doc _____ R-Doc
MJ _____ Logan _____ Connor _____ Trevor
Blue _____ Gray
Chipwiches _____ Pizza Bagels
Cold Cuts _____ Chicken Patties
Float _____ Watersports
Purple Juice _____ Red Juice _____ "Lemonade"
Pancakes _____ Waffles
Hoagies _____ "Subs" _____ 'Heros" _____ Sangwiches
Hotdog _____ Hamburger
Rock-stretcher _____ Left-handed smoke shifter
Water-front _____ Top Hill
Minute to win it _____ Talent Night
Clinic _____ Operetta
Grilled Cheese _____ Pizza
Two Feet _____ Two Inch
Down Hill Skiers _____ Buddha
Mike _____ Jim _____ Nick
Waterfront Staff _____ Terrestrial Staff

If everybody at camp received a stimulus package, what would it be spent on?

Assuming it is \$500 per person



Rookies & Juniors

- \$100 towards perishable goods from Jojo's
- \$20 towards a new wrist watch
- \$300 for Mike Lamb to turn a blind eye in Junior League reffing
- \$20 for extra Moose Tracks scoops for a whole session
- \$60 for a birthday shoutout

Intermediates

- \$100 for one day as Ramon's understudy
- \$400 towards Jojo's

Seniors

- \$200 to be exempt from specialty
- \$200 towards tape for tent seams
- \$50 to skip to the front of the Senior's Jojo's line
- \$50 for an extra social

Counselors

- \$100 for Sammy Griffin Day 2.0
- \$50 to skip the Mini
- \$50 for Hill Duty Coverage
- \$100 to catch the phone charger bandit
- \$200 for a working copy machine

Senior Staff

- \$300 to have dinner moved to 4:30
- \$50 for a day with EZ day
- \$50 for a quieter dining hall
- \$100 for everyone to put their hands down so we can take the camp photo in one take

Senior Senior Staff i.e. Vaughn Smith

- \$200 for Nolan Triolo to take a day off
- \$150 for more baseball outside comp
- \$150 for a day as the GM of the Muskrats



Second Option for Every Age Group

\$500 to Keep the Hat

Points O' Fun

1 point if you ran a high noon
3 points if you did a dining hall cheer
6 points if you jumped off the high dive
11 points if you got a CT shirt
15 points if you scored in rookie, junior, or senior league
27 points if you played ultimate on a rainy day
48 points if you can remember a prayers speech topic
74 points if you did the Iron Man
111 points if you won an outside comp game
234 points if you played a Pemi sport
429 points if you won your age group for 4th of July
647 points if you participated in fight night
1,305 points if you were in the Operetta
2,456 points if you swam to the island
3,700 points if hit a home run
5,431 points if you talked to a girl at a social or game night
7,948 points if you talked to Mr. Fraser
9,780 points if you played games with Grady or Nolan Stabert
13,457 points if you won the mini marathon
16,783 points if you spoke at Tecumseh meeting
23,498 points if you wore Sunday whites every Sunday
31,567 points if you went to specialty every day
39,854 points if you asked a counselor for extra help in a sport
54,390 points if you didn't ask a counselor to go to JoJos
87,045 points if you won the race to the creamery
103,457 points if you asked Mr. Luff for Tecumseh Lore
125,478 points if you swept Pemi
156,324 points if you tried your hardest this summer
198,576 points if you started a SUCCESSFUL dining hall chant
234,567 points if you dared to talk to Jay Luff
365,908 points if you woke up to see the sunrise
470,879 points if you stayed for 7 weeks
673,450 points if you brought a friend to camp this year
1,348,000 points if you wrote your parents a letter a week
4,568,219 points if you swept Pemi
8,329,120 points if you made a friend for life
Infinite ∞ points if you come back next year

Send all point totals to
Matt Reger
2005 Left is Really a Righty Lane
Barca, Spain

Which house are you staying in for quarantine?

<i>House 1</i> <i>Hunter Gillin</i> <i>Jake Camp</i> <i>Deb Smith</i> <i>Chaz</i> <i>R-Doc</i> <i>Jake Camp</i>	<i>House 2</i> <i>Ramon</i> <i>Paul Poiesz</i> <i>Vaughn Smith</i> <i>Coach Doc</i> <i>Mike Lamb</i>
<i>House 3</i> <i>Nolan Stabert</i> <i>Grady Stabert</i> <i>Duncan Stabert</i> <i>Connor Gwynn</i> <i>Travis Glynn</i>	<i>House 4</i> <i>Wes Ballentine</i> <i>Billy Harris</i> <i>Heather Erwin</i> <i>Charlie Erwin</i> <i>C-Doc</i> <i>Pancho</i>
<i>House 5</i> <i>Mark Luff</i> <i>Jay Luff</i> <i>Nick Lamb</i> <i>Jim Lamb</i> <i>JP Price</i> <i>Kent Chance</i>	<i>House 6</i> <i>Scuba Steve</i> <i>Dave Rosenfeld</i> <i>Matt McMurdo</i> <i>Anthony Fomin</i> <i>Drew Erickson</i> <i>Brian O'Shea</i>

Where are they now - Boomer



7th WEEK GOGGLES



AS CHIEF TECUMSEH

Can anyone rock the mullet
better than Slick Wick?



We'll let you decide...

Tecumseh Sunbeam's Infoodgraphic

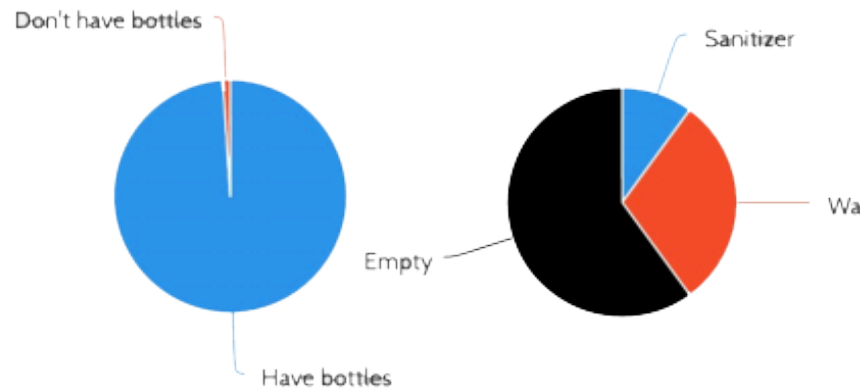
Favorite Meals Ranked



Sanitizer Availability

Tables that have
Hand Sanitizer bottles

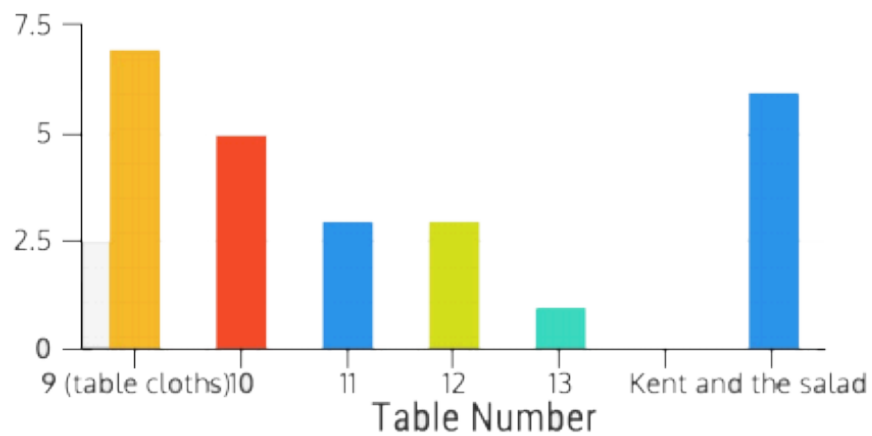
What's in those
bottles?



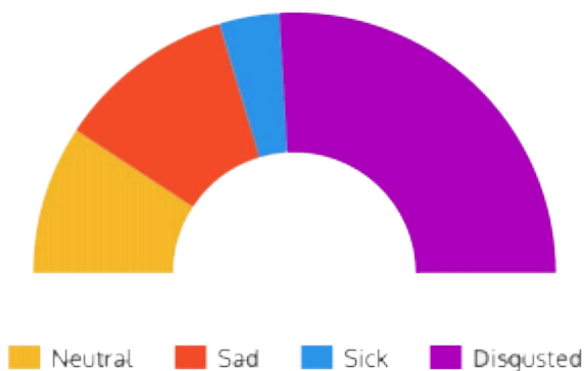
Favorite Dininghall Chants

Ooo Sa Sa Sa
Boom chicka boom
Repsch, Scissors
Yes! Nick flames' sausage
Vowels Blue/Gray Letters
Beat Pemi Numbers
Keep the Hat Hokey Pokey
We will rock you Eya Mike
Vikar coaster
Viking Thunder Clap All righty then
John Jacob Jingleheimerschmidt

Where does the "real zoo" Start?



How do you feel about Mixed Milk?



Knife Availability

Campers and counselors alike feel
that their place setting is missing
a knife of the time

73%



HOT

SOOT



2006 Subaru WRX

Joseph Scott

Red and Yellow

TradeMarks

Don Corleone

Bird Law

Croutons

Opera House Lawn

Wick

\geq \$300

Mitchell

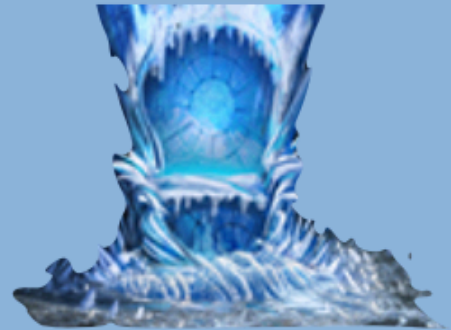
Weight-room

Cold-cuts

Factory



COLD



Alumni

Bubbles

Dave Delaney

The Browns

artists.edu

Manchvegas

Sushi-burritos

Doves

RBIII

Hiccups

Seth Bott

Brian O'Shea

Ickey Woods

Bo Redpath



EXCERPTS OF 1960'S TECUMSEH LORE

"The sixties were definitely a great period in Tecumseh history. George Munger was a tremendous role model and a tremendous leader... Munger cared about the people at Camp. He took a personal interest in everyone. Unfortunately, he wasn't very good at names. He would call someone "Squire" whenever he couldn't remember someone's name. Tecumseh during the Munger years had very few rules, but you did not dare break the few rules that were in place. Almost everyone who was at Tecumseh when George was in charge will forever have the highest respect for the man and have some fantastic memories of a tremendous place.

"Happy Rest Hour!" "Hi, Hi Squire" "Now boys, please don't wreck the counselors"
"Awwwwright!" "Way down, way back!" "OK, you little cherubs!" "Fire!"

Ed Lawless was pretty much "second in command" at Tecumseh in the 1960's. He often organized interesting, spontaneous events in the evening hours. One of the more memorable events he set up was to get about two dozen campers to sit on the benches by the tennis courts, facing the Trunk Room. Each camper would have a football, soccer ball, or something similar hidden away. When an unsuspecting counselor would walk by, Lawless would pretend that he was giving a lecture on the proper throwing technique for a quarterback. He would ask the passerby to catch his pass so that he could demonstrate the technique. As he threw the ball high in the air to the unsuspecting victim, all the campers on the bench would immediately get up and throw their ball at the person who was waiting to catch Lawless's initial pass. The person would be on the receiving end of a barrage of balls. Immediately after the ambush, all of the campers would run to retrieve their ball, return to the bench, and wait for the next unsuspecting counselor to stroll on by. And so, the cycle would repeat itself.

Peter Von Muar wrote the following poetic story as a Junior III in 1969. He wrote the story as part of his tutoring program that summer under the watchful eye of Pinky Shover.

"Life at Camp is one big mud puddle on a football field. You come down in it and gush, splash, wham!

Life at Camp is tough. You wake up in the morning to first bell with the booming voice of the counselor yelling, "Everybody Up!"

...

Life at Camp is wet. You walk out on the dock, the next thing you know, you're being thrown in by a big, gigantic counselor. Then you hear in the distance a couple of laughs. You say the next person gets it."

Tid Bits

Seen Around

Calisthenics
Blue-Gray Competition
Outrageous Fun
Darius Slay
Zoom
2+
Virtual Beam Team
Delivery Orders
Virtual Concerts
Grit and Delight
Red Hill
Repetitions
Hygiene
Jared Leto
TCU
Ryan Bergen
Dr. Fauci
The Bassett Boogie
Video Games
Dolphins
Banana Bread

Wind-Up

Chief Tecumseh and he endorses social distancing
Uncle Sam and he wants YOU to socially distance
The Stabert boys and they're beasts
CT '20 and we'll find a way or make one
Shannies and he's off beat
Time and it's relative
ACA and Bam!
The DeMilt brothers and they're getting it done
Multiples of 6 and they're back
The Buffalo Bills and nobody circles the wagons
The shield and its protected
Jello and it's airborne
The printer and it's not an issue

Not Seen Around

Bad Attitudes
Haircuts
Spring Sports
Pollution
Classrooms
Meese
Fun Spot
Complacency
Toilet Paper
March Madness
Hurricanes
Canines
Dooley
Professional Sports Leagues
Tactile Sunbeams
Weight Rooms
Pyramid Schemes
Congregations
Buoys
Gwendolyn
Stoanna

We're Wondering

Who will win the CT Cals series?
Who will the Eagles draft?
How hard are you workin'?
Will the dunk tank return?
Does Pauly really have a wife?
Will the 'Skrats let us throw out the first pitch?
If we'll keep the hat?
What's your career high?
What's Jay Luff up to?
Who's on the fringe?
Will the 'Skrats bring home the hardware?
What room is Bassett building?
Who dunnit?

QUOTABLE QUOTES. A Blast from the Past

"We have clean dirt here at Camp Tecumseh"- Mr. Munger, 1970

"We will play fifteen two minute halves" -Mike Lawless, 1972

"Why do I get all the hogs?"- Gary Cooper, 1971

"The Junior II's will have touch football on Franklin Field" - Mr. Munger, 1973

"Where do they store cabins in the winter?"- Lee Allman, 1975

"I'm not gonna run in the track meet, I think I'll just do the hurdles"- John Manwaring, 1975

"May I have a piece of milk?"- Morty Fertel, 1976

"It is physically and mentally impossible to stack soccer balls" - Jim Collins, 1979

"She is a middle distance shot putter" - Jim Fraser, 1979

"My nose isn't broken, but I do think it's sprained" - Lee Allman, 1980

"What is an undefeated season, and how do I get one?" - Corny Merlini, 1980

"Hey Doc, you and I are a one man team" - John Bachman, 1981

"What is a Pemi?" - Bill Clough, 1981

"Can you really change the temperature of the lake?" - Pete Gillin, 1982

"If I soap up, will my tan wash off?"- Bill Keffer, 1981

"Did you used to be big when you were little?" - Rob Warth, 1981

"Can you get rabies from freshwater?"- Mike Dougherty, 1983

"How long is the 60 yard dash?"- Tom Rooney, 1983

"I can't use this lacrosse stick, it's left-handed"- Fraser Curry, 1984

"Is *The Sunbeam* sold in Philadelphia?" - Joe Connelly, 1986

QUOTABLE QUOTES: A HISTORY, CONTINUED

"Where's the Widdow?" - Don Triolo, 1986

"I know I had a take sign. That's why I swung at it" - Darren Hunter, 1983

"Did President Reagan ever break dance?" - Mike O'Shea, 1984

"I'd rather be lazy than dirty" - Mike Jannetta, 1986

"Don' jump wit' me"- Guiseppe Mazza, 1986

"Hit it Richard"- Maestro, 1988

"Was Maestro here last year?" - Drew Guzy, 1989

"My social security number is 1-8-5-1. At least that's what I put on the envelope when I write home." -Conor Miller, 1989

"Two feet, two foot!" - Jim Fraser at clinic, 1989

"What are bacon bits made out of?" - Clark Farley, 1995

"When you don't know where you're going, any road will take you there" - Bill Keffer, 1990

"It's not the crime, it's not the thought. It's if you get caught! Now you behave!" - Bob Glasscott, 1990

"You could kill someone doing that. But, more important, you're using someone else's equipment." - Jim Fraser, 1990

"I didn't see that shot, but it sure sounded out" - Tim O'Shea while playing tennis, 1991

"Is Al Piper a stud?" - Pete Wegener, 1991

"Here's to the greatest sunset that just was been" - Brett Miller on top of Red Hiill, 1991

"I came to Tecumseh when I was twelve years old and forgot to leave!" - Jim Fraser, 1997

"Fifty years here? No way. I don't want to be like Pinky Shover, Ed Flintermann, Mr. Gager or Jim Fraser"- Bob Glascott, 1999

THE BEAM TEAM

Dan McNamara - Mike Doc

Nick Pope - Blake Stabert

Mike Lamb - CDOC

Liam Crenny - Jim Fraser

Ramon Ros - Pancho Schroeder

Cam McKhann - Hank Hoke

Zach Crump - Rob Waters

Luke Wolfington - Chris Bassett

Liam Ruddy - Brandyn Bassett

Bobby Bohner - Charlie Erwin

Hunter Gillin - Steve Cloran

Michael Jameison - Paul Poiesz

Andy Clough - Mark Daugherty

Nolan Triolo - Vaughn Smith

Wes Ballentine - George Orton

Mark Luff - Josiah McCracken

Alumni - Alexander Grant