



The Wigwam



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Greys Triple Lead

The Greys show no sign of weakening! During the summer's fourth week they boosted their lead by 510 more points. The total score read at the campfire by chief scribe Del Tracy was: Greys 5372; Maroons 4612. This gave the Greys a total advantage of 760, a trifle over tripling their lead as of the last tally. Every week since the first reading of the score has found them in the lead, and every week they have added to their advantage.

Not that the Greys had everything their way during the week! The Maroons built up a strong edge in Nature, where they gained 160 points (half by Bob Hershan), and were helped by small tallies in Boating, Athletics, and the fact that the athletic meet cut down the usual large victory margin of the Greys in the swim meets.

The Greys capitalized on a combined total of 245 in Wrestling, Shop, and Sailing. However, their great lead came in Tennis, where they gained a bit over 400 points.

In spite of the large number of campers away on the Monhegan trips and the mountain trips, the week was most productive in achievement levels. The Athletic Department had the busiest week, as 1935 points were recorded.

Achievement Levels, July 18-25

ATHLETICS: Junior C—First Level: Charles Cookman, Rex Coons, Frank Erickson, Stony Hinds, Gary Jolly, Keith Wolcott, Carlos Zapata, Tim Williams.

ATHLETICS: Junior C—Second Level: Charles Wight.

ATHLETICS: Junior B—First Level: David Allan, Jimbo Barnes, Greg Bishop, Mike Blaine, Chip Button, John Carrick, Mike Crane, Tim Dargusch, Hank Hiser, Andy Kauffman, Gary Lattimer, Bruce McEwen, Joseph Richardson, Hugh Richardson, David Romig, Dick Stowe, Steve Wilkinson.

ATHLETICS: Junior B—Second Level: Jimbo Barnes, Mike Blaine, Charles Brady, Mike Crane, Tim Dargusch, Jeff Harding, Hank Hiser, Bill Johnson, David Kaplan, Andy Kauffman, Rob Litwak, Doug Reed, Joseph Richardson, Hugh Richardson, David Romig, Dick Stowe, Linsey Valk, Mark Ward, Guerin Wilkinson, Greg Bishop.

ATHLETICS: Junior B—Third Level: Dale Bonnie, Tim Dargusch.

ATHLETICS: Junior A—First Level: Peter Albertsen, Dave Alexander, Martin Foss, James Gardner, Tom Grehl, Robert Hershan, Rich Jolly, Dave Lancione, Jon Lattimer, Tom Ruhle, Harold Schmidt, Phil Volk, Dale Bonnie.

ATHLETICS: Junior A—Second Level: Dale Bonnie, Jimmy Bou, Robert Brinkerhoff, Jock Cumberland, James Gardner, Robert Grosh, Robert Hershan, James McCrocklin, Tom Ruhle, Harold Schmidt, Phil Volk.

ATHLETICS: Junior A—Third Level: Scott Tracy, Bob Heintz.

ATHLETICS: Senior A—First Level: John Bacon, Miguel Bou, Phil Green.

BOATING: Junior C—First Level: Charlie Cookman, Craig Walcott, Keith Walcott, Timmy Williams.

BOATING: Junior C—Second Level: Charlie Cookman, David Smith.

BOATING: Junior B—First Level: John Carrick, Bill Johnson, Robby Litwak, Don McBride, Hugh Richardson, Mark Ward.

BOATING: Junior B—Second Level: Pete Langer, Mike Standen.

BOATING: Junior B—Third Level: Bill Pace, Mike Standen.

BOATING: Junior A—First Level: Dave Alexander, Bob Brinkerhoff, Scott Brubaker, Jock Cumberland, Bob Heintz, Dave Lancione, Jim McCrocklin, Bill Pace, Mike Reed.

BOATING: Junior A—Second Level: Andy Doyle, Bob Heintz, Mike Reed, Winsor Watson.

BOATING: Senior A—First Level: Dave Barnes, Bruce Cox.

BOATING: Senior A—Second Level: Bruce Leiper, Mike Meserole.

NATURE: Junior Cub 1—Jose Zapata.

NATURE: Junior B—First Level: Bruce McEwen, Charles Wight.

NATURE: Junior B—Second and Third Level: Robert Hershan.

NATURE: Junior A—First Level: Tom Grehl, Richard Kahn, Jon Lattimer, Larry Licht, Mike Pantelich, Randy Ziegler, Teddy Watt.

SAILING: Junior Cub—First Level: Charles Cookman, Frank Erickson, David Smith, Craig Wolcott, Jose Zapata.

SAILING: Junior B—Second Level: Robert Hayward.

SAILING: Junior A—First Level: Donald McBride, Joseph Richardson.

SHOP: Junior C—Frank Erickson, Stony Hinds, Gary Jolly, David Smith, Craig Wolcott, Keith Wolcott, Jose Zapata.

SHOP: Junior B—First Level: Mike Blaine, Robert Brinkerhoff, Mike Crane, David Epps, Jeff Harding, Andy Kauffman, Terry Kidder, Pete Langer, John Nolan, David Romig, Dick Stowe, Stewart Gordon, Rob Litwak.

SHOP: Junior B—Second Level: Mike Standen.

SHOP: Junior B—Third Level: Win Watson.

SHOP: Junior A—First Level: Pete Albertsen, Robert Grosh, Dave Cox.

SHOP: Junior A—Second Level: Tom Newbill.

SHOP: Junior A—Third Level: Bruce Cox, Mike Reed.

SHOP: Senior 1—First Level: John Bacon.

TENNIS: First Level: Bill Albertshardt, Pete Albertsen, Jimmy Bou, Scott Connery, Bruce Cox, Mike Crane, Andy Doyle, Billy Dargusch, Rich Fisher, Pete Frederick, Bill Johnson, David Kaplan, Bruce Leiper, Scott Leiper, Donald McBride, Thomas Steenland.

TENNIS: Second Level: John Bacon, David Cox, Bruce Leiper, Mike Meserole, James Proctor, Thomas Steenland.

WRESTLING: Junior C—First Level: David Smith.

WRESTLING: Junior C—Second Level: Timmy Williams.

WRESTLING: Junior B—First Level: Rex Coons, David Epps, Rick Fisher, Pete Frederick, Scott Leiper, Bob Litwak, John Nolan, Scott Patterson.

WRESTLING: Junior B—Second Level: Ford Schreiber.

WRESTLING: Junior A—First Level: Bruce Andre, Dale Bonnie, Bob Brinkerhoff, Bill Dargusch, Martin Foss, Rich Estabrook, James Gardner, John Lattimer, Jim Schmidt, Andy Williams, Ted Watt.

WRESTLING: Junior A—Second Level: Jimmy Bou, Andy Doyle.

WRESTLING: Senior A—First Level: Chuck Bittenbender, Bruce Cox, Phil Green, Mike Meserole, Jim Steenland.

WRESTLING: Senior A—Second Level: Bruce Leiper.

Range Awards July 18-25, 1964

Pro Marksman: Bill Albertshardt, Mike Blaine, Miguel Bou, James Fisher, James Gardner, Tom Grehl, Bob Grosh, Bob Haywood, Richard Kahn, Andy Kauffman, Tom Newbill, Hugh Richardson.

Marksman: Bill Albertshardt, Miguel Bou, James Gardner, Tom Grehl, Bob Grosh, Bob Haywood, Richard Kahn, Larry Licht, Tom Newbill, John Pettingill, Hugh Richardson.

Marksman First Class: Bill Albertshardt, Tim Dargusch, James Gardner, Larry Licht, Tom Newbill, Charles Wight. Sharpshooter: Jim Barnes, Tim Dargusch, Rich Estabrook, Larry Licht, Tom Newbill.

Bar 1: John Nolan, Dave Otto, Scott Pace.

Bar 2: Bob Heintz, Guierin Wilkinson.

Bar 3: Bob Heintz, Guierin Wilkinson.

Bar 5: Phil Moss, Win Watson.

Expert: Bruce Birch.

Archery July 18-25, 1964

Junior Yeoman Pin: Ted Watt, Rob Connery, Jim McCrocklin, Robert Litwak, Bruce McEwen, Mike Blaine, David Romig, Keith Wolcott, Robert Brinkerhoff, Craig Wolcott.

Junior Yeoman Arrow: Jeff Harding, Pete Frederick, Richard Fisher, Scott Paterson, Paul Bennett, Tom Heer, Gary Jolly, Jim McCrocklin.

Yeoman Pin: Bob Hayward, Tom Grehl, David Epps, Hank Hiser, Steve Wilkinson, Tom Heer, Scott Paterson, Richard Fisher, Jim McCrocklin.

Junior Bowman Pin: Randy Ziegler, Charles Brady, Bob Hayward, Bill Albertshardt, Larry Licht, Bob Grosh, Jock Cumberland, Rich Kahn, Tom Grehl, Miguel Bou, Richard Fisher, David Epps, Charles Brady, John Carrick, Scott Paterson.

Junior Bowman Arrow: Randy Ziegler, Bill Albertshardt, John Pettingill, Hal Schmidt, Bob Grosh, Tim Dargusch, Larry Licht, Tom Grehl, Charles Brady, David Epps, Dick Fisher.

Bowman Pin: David Epps, Ricky Jolly, Tom Newbill, Bob Grosh, Charles Brady, Larry Licht, Randy Ziegler.

Bowman First Rank: Nelson Lancione, Randy Ziegler, John Van Arsdale, Bob Lancione, Bob Grosh, Larry Licht, Chuck Bittenbender, David Epps.

Bowman Sharpshooter: Nelson Lancione, Bob Heintz, John Van Arsdale, Bob Grosh, Larry Licht, Bob Lancione, Scott Leiper, Phil Green, Scott Brubaker.

Archer Pin: John Van Arsdale, Bob Lancione.

For Parents — a Request for Co-operation

At the request of the Directors, the *Wigwam* reprints below a few remarks which have appeared to some apparent effect on more than one occasion in the past.

"The Directors wish to ask the co-operation of Kawanhee parents in a matter effecting both the health and the morale of the camp. The package problem is keeping the camp post office hopping, and the dispersal of these packages through the lodges is creating several regrettable situations."

"The majority of these packages, of course, contain candy and other sweets. It need not be pointed out how quickly an excess of such packages will scuttle the camp's plans for a balanced diet. Provisions are made for the supervised distribution of such extra sweets in reasonable quantities, but, when every boy in a lodge has a box to be passed around, the arrangements inevitably break down. The supplies of candy from home already on hand, plus the candy available in limited quantities in the camp store, are more than ample to last the remainder of the season. The Directors therefore believe it to be in the best interests of all concerned that an embargo at the source be placed on all further shipments of edibles except for birthday treats. Knowing that Kawanhee parents have the most immediate interest of all in the successful operation of the camp program, the Directors are confident of receiving the co-operation which they ask in the matter."

This year Kawanhee has instituted a substitute for the candy, which benefits the boy only by edging his appetite. Every evening before taps, a bell summons all the campers to the dining hall, where cookies and milk are served. By the amount consumed, it is evident that this is a satisfactory answer to the package plague.

Competitive Swimming

This year Camp Kawanhee has initiated a new swimming program for boys who are used to swimming competitively or who would like to learn how to swim this style. Unlike the nation-wide American Red Cross swimming courses, this class is a feature unique at Camp Kawanhee.

The course is designed to instruct the boys who are interested in the new aspects of swimming style as well as to condition them for swimming on teams. A normal day in the class consists of a 200 yd. warm-up (half speed or better), four 100 yd. kicks (three-quarter to full speed), and two 100 yd. pulls. The remaining period of the hour class is devoted to 33½ yd. sprints for a time by the stopwatch. In order to pass the course, it is necessary to be present for two-thirds of the class periods and demonstrate

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This newsletter is published weekly during the months of July and August for a total of eight issues. It has two main objectives: to furnish each camper with a record of his activities and accomplishments throughout the summer; and to supply families and friends with a comprehensive account of what happens in Camp Kawanhee. The staff centers around a try-editorship.

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considerable ability in three out of four competitive strokes (Breaststroke, Butterfly, Backstroke, and Freestyle). Pass or failure is also decided by the improvement in speed as shown by the stopwatch. The swimmers who are coached by Al Brenholts, co-captain of the Columbus Academy swimming team, are as follows: Dick Coons, Mike Crane, Bill Dargusch, Andy Doyle, Tom Heer, Bob Lancione, Nels Lancione, Scott Patterson, and Mike Reed. These boys, if they pass, will receive seventy-five (75) points for their team.

A. Brenholts

The Monhegan Island Trip

The Monday morning of July 20 started very early for the boys who were to go on the second Monhegan trip of the season. Bates, the leader of the expedition, was around at 5 A.M. to wake up the boys. But even at that early hour, most of the boys were already awake; their counselors having just returned in gay spirits from a typical night off. Everyone piled his gear into Bates' Bouncing Buggy and proceeded to the dining hall for an early breakfast. At 6:30 nineteen boys, the trip leader Bates and assistant John Fulda, and two counselors, Jeff Currier and Fred Heer departed from camp on the first leg of the journey. We arrived in Boothbay Harbor in time for the boys to look around in the gift shop at the dock, or to explore the town if they preferred.

At 10:17 we boarded the Balmy Days, the boat which was to transport us to Monhegan. The weather was perfect and Captain Wade piloted us smoothly on the calm water on the trip to Monhegan, while pointing out areas of interest. We arrived at the island at noon and took a picnic lunch to the far end of the island where the wreck of the T. S. Sheridan is located. The T. S. Sheridan was a tugboat which was smashed on the rocks of Monhegan in a storm in 1948. The rusted hulk lies several hundred feet up on the rocks and pieces of the wreckage are strewn all over the area. After lunch some of the boys explored the Sheridan, while another group headed by Chic Ford collected marine specimens. Then we split up into three groups. One headed by Jeff Currier went out deep sea fishing and the boys were very successful in landing cod, pollack, haddock, and dog fish. The rest of the troop settled down the camp on Lighthouse Hill.

We all got back together again for dinner at the Trailing Yew for an appetizing meal, which featured fresh cod if so desired. After dinner everyone relaxed by playing horseshoes and then got to bed early, as it had been a long day.

The following morning we ate breakfast at the Trailing Yew at 6:45 in the morning and spent the remainder of the morning fishing. It was at this time that our record catches were pulled in. Phil Moss was the most successful in quantity of fish caught with a total of seven, but the real honors go to Tom Heer, the youngest and the smallest member of the trip. Tom hauled in a 35 pound cod, the biggest fish caught on either of the Monhegan trips. It was debatable for a while who had caught who; whether the boy had caught the fish or the fish had caught the boy. Tom finally won out. He was tired but happy. The fishing had been very good, and we literally caught a barrel full of fish.

That afternoon we went over to Manhana Island which is just across the channel from Monhegan. We visited Ray Phillips, the island hermit. Ray built his own split level house on the island, and he has a herd of sheep which he tends. Ray who is now 67 years old came to the island

34 years ago when he became tired of the outside world. He is a well educated man, but just chooses this kind of existence. He was happy to talk to us, and he answered any questions we asked. He then showed us through his house.

On Wednesday afternoon at 2:45 we boarded the Balmy Days again and departed from the island. We had a rather rocky voyage on the trip back to Boothbay. At 3:24, Mark Halstead captured the annual Discharger's Trophy. The boys were glad to put their feet down on solid ground again. We rolled into camp at about 9 o'clock and the memorable trip came to an end.

Fred Heer

Mt. Blue Trip

Friday, July 23rd, was the date on which the Panther and Polecat lodges, containing some of the hardest boys in camp, attained the summit of majestic Mt. Blue, located at Mt. Blue State Park, Maine. While leaving camp at 10 A.M. in Bates' notorious "Bouncing Buggy," their Ka-Wan-H-EE cheers were heard throughout the area. Upon arriving at the mountain's base, after a jarring ride up the backwoods roads, the boys and the counselors were wide awake and ready to begin the mile and a half trek to the top.

Forty-five minutes of traveling brought the "mountain men" to a cool spring where they stopped for a refreshing break before starting up the rougher part of the trail. During the 2 hours of the ascent, the group encountered steeper and rockier country and was forced to take a few more short breaks on the way. To the delight of everyone, especially the "old men" on the trip, the mountain travelers finally reached the summit of Mt. Blue; where they immediately decided to satisfy their appetites. Since no fires are permitted on the mountain, the meal consisted of ham sandwiches, peanut butter and jelly sandwiches, oranges, cookies, and chocolate bars. After finishing lunch, the boys climbed up to the top of the ranger tower, where they saw and photographed some of the most breathtaking sights in New England. Included in the scene was a bird's eye view of Lake Webb and the Camp Kawanhee area. The "men" took a well deserved rest period and then started down the mountain. The trip down was much quicker and the group was envied by many who were on their way up. After stopping at the spring once more the party finished the descent and eagerly climbed into the Bouncing Buggy for the ride home. The trip home was interrupted by a short bubblegum stop, courtesy of John Fulda the group's leader and his assistants were Jim Freed and John Raker.

As they arrived back home, the group was much more tired but none the less enthusiastic than when they left, as their cheers were once more heard again by all in the Camp Kawanhee area.

Jim Freed

Little League

On Monday the 20th, the Kawanhee Koliseum witnessed the first defeat of the Black Giants this season at the hands of Falcon Lodger Greg Walcott and the Green Goliaths. Greg tossed a 5-hitter and struck out 7. The Goliaths got a run in the first on a home run by Scott Brubaker with the help of an error in right field. Pitcher Walcott scored

in the second to give the Goliaths a 2-0 lead. The Giants came back in the 3rd with 2 runs. With the bases loaded, Walcott walked Rich Stowe and Linsey Valk. The Greenies also got 2 runs in the 3rd with Mark Standen and Jim Proctor, singling and tripling, respectively. Bob Grosh knocked Proctor in with a double. The Giants vainly tried to come back again but fared only one run in the fourth. They scored on a hit by pitcher to Charlie White who scored on a single by Jimmy Bou. It wasn't enough as the first major upset of the season catapulted the Goliaths into a first place tie.

						R	H	E
Black	0	0	2	1	0	3	5	2
Green	1	1	2	0	x	4	5	3

Standings

	W	L	T	PCT.	RF	RA
Green	2	1	1	.666	16	15
Black	2	1	0	.666	8	6
Blue	1	1	1	.500	6	6
Red	1	3	1	.250	14	17

Grey-Maroon Athletic Contests

Due to unsuitable weather conditions, the weekly water frolics gave way to an athletic meet. It consisted of a baseball game for boys of little league age, a basketball game for the Seniors, and tennis for Jr. B's, A's, and Seniors.

The baseball game was highlighted by a pitching duel between Jock Cumberland, tall, Grey righthander, and Lindsey Valk, Maroon hard-throwing lefty. In the first the Greys were held scoreless. After 2 outs in the bottom of the first inning, Lindsey Valk got on base as the result of an error by the Grey shortstop. Bob Grosh followed with a single and the ball bounced past the center fielder, this allowing the only run to score. The one serious threat by the Greys was in the fifth inning. Tom Ruhle walked, and got all the way to third on two errors made by the Maroon catcher. The Grey hopes were spoiled when Lindsey Valk struck out the last three batters. The terrific pitching of both Lindsey Valk and Jock Cumberland held the score down. Lindsey Valk hurled a no-hitter in which he struck out eleven out of 18 batters, and walked only two. Bob Grosh spoiled Jock Cumberland's chance for a "classic" with the only hit of the ball game. Jock had excellent control giving away no free passes and striking out 6. Another reason for the low score was sensational fielding by both sides.

							R	H	E
Greys	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Maroons	1	0	0	0	0	x	1	1	3

For the Maroons, the basketball game was a sad story. Grey play was led by the sparkling maneuvers of Sunny Dargusch, Grey captain, who gunned 27 points. The Greys held the lead throughout the entire game. The Maroons came within one point of the Greys in the second period, but failed to go ahead. The final score was 49 for the Greys and 38 for the Maroons.

Greys

	F.G.	F.T.	
Bacon — F	3	0	= 6
S. Dargusch — F	11	5	= 27

	F.G.	F.T.	
J. Estabrook — C	6	0	= 12
Halstead — G	1	0	= 2
B. Leiper — G	0	0	= 0
A. Doyle — G	0	0	= 0
Birch — G	1	0	= 2
Total	22	5	= 49

Maroons

Ball — F	1	0	= 2
D. Saunders — F	2	2	= 6
Green — C	6	1	= 12
N. Lancione — G	2	4	= 8
M. Bou — G	1	2	= 4
B. Doyle — G	2	1	= 5
Steenland — G	0	0	= 0
Total	14	10	= 38

The third event of the Maroon-Grey competition was tennis. There were three singles matches and the Greys won all of them. In the Junior B division, Tim Dargusch defeated Chuck Brady 6-3, 6-2. The best match of the day was between two Junior A's, Win Watson and Andy Williams. Watson's greater size and strength were the determining factors in the hard fought match. The final result was 5-7, 6-3, 6-0. Phil Moss overpowered Jim Proctor in the Senior Division 6-3, 6-2.

As it turned out, the Greys got 25 points for winning the basketball game and 45 points for winning the tennis matches. The Maroons received 25 points for winning the baseball game. The total for the afternoon: Greys 70 and the Maroons 25.

Babe Ruth League

The Babe Ruth League has been conceived for the campers too old to play Little League and who want exercise and fun during the evening. The League features Softball, Basketball, and Touch Football. Due to the weighty writing hand of this reporter, the first two weeks of the season have not been recorded. Three teams have been formed with Bruce Leiper, Bill Doyle, and Mike Meserole as captains. The three teams strive to win and never give up which exhibits the Kewanee stick-to-it-ive-ness.

The lone game this past week had Meserole's "Amazing Mets" smashing Doyle's Bambas 15-4. Met hurler Bruce Cox, twirled a 6-hitter while clouting a bases-empty circuit smash into tennis courts. The "New Breed" scored five runs in the first and sixth innings. Every Met got on base twice as they roared along on their come-back streak. Tom Borghi, Phil Green, and Harold Schmidt each scored twice as Bruce Cox and Capt. Meserole crossed the plate 3 times. The Bambas never recovered from the first inning. Mike Reed, Bamba shortstop, who scored twice and Dave Palmer, who hit a triple, seemed the only offensive highlight in Doyle's defeat.

							R	H	E
Mez's Mets	5	1	3	0	0	5	1	15	14
Bambas	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	4	6

Standings

	PCT.
Leiper's Lumbermen	3 1 0 0
Doyle's Bambas	2 2 0 0
Meserole's Mets	1 3 0 0