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Greys Leapfrog The Maroons And Take The Lead

The Greys leapfrogged over the Maroons to land 89 points in the lead when the second report on the summer's score was announced by head scribesman, Del Tracy, at the Saturday, July 20th. campfire.

The Greys had entered the preceding week of activities trailing the Maroons 1004 to 1230. They used the week well, however, to earn 1640 points while their rivals gained only 1325 points. This total not only wiped out the Maroon's lead, but gave the Greys an advantage of 89 points to hold a narrow edge on the current score. And narrow it certainly is as captain Tim McKee pointed out to his Greys. He reminded the Greys that holding on to the lead might prove to be more of a job than earning the current lead and he challenged each team member to work, work, work, this coming week in order to remain on top.

Tom Ruhle and his Maroons were not idle by any means this past week and you can be sure that this coming week will find Tom and his teammates working twice as hard as before in order to regain their lead of the previous week.

This change in the lead will no doubt be the "thorn in the saddle" to make both teams want to earn all the levels possible before next week's deadline. The score, Greys 2644, Maroons 2555, will no doubt be doubled, or even tripled, when the next score is read.

Kawanhee Glee Club

Kawanhee is fortunate in having a very talented men's chorus this season. The chorus was organized by Bruce Birch and is directed by Les Newton with John Staker as the piano accompanist. They have performed to perfection in our church services and vesper services, rendering selections such as "HOLY, HOLY, HOLY", "ONE LITTLE CANDLE", "WHERE HAVE ALL THE FLOWERS GONE", "SHENANDOAH", and "THE NAVAL HYMN".

The members of the chorus are Bruce Birch, Dave Bittenbender, Gary Gray, Tim McKee, Rick McBurney, Dick Morton, Les Newton, John Osborne, Jack Pray, Tom Smith, Tom Steeland, Tom Taylor, and Bob Ziechel.

"The Kawanhee Five"

Not all the talent at Kawanhee is in the vocal line. We have a group of young men who have formed a Kawanhee band and they have shown great promise in the music field. These boys are planning to play for the dances held at Camp Kineokatha for Girls every other Friday evening from 8 until 11.

These dances are arranged and supervised by Mrs. Billingham of the Girl's Camp and Del Tracy of the Boy's camp.

The dances between the camps have been greeted with enthusiasm by all concerned.

The boys in the group are: Rick Whitmyre, lead guitar; Gerard Wheeler, bass guitar; John Clausen, bass guitar; Bill Johnson, drums and Tim McKee, vocalist.

This group will also play for the Kawanhee stunt nights and other programs offered by the camp. The Rec Hall rafters ring when the boys and the campers get the beat.

Achievement Awards

July 15 - 20

ARCHERY

Junior Yeoman Pin: Lynn Baer, Tom Benua, Lee Bost, Paul Hargen, Bill Johnson, Ted Lenk, Hollis Macomber, Roberto Reichard, Mark Saylor, Lyman Smith, John Trayner, Bill Wambaugh, Jeb Zirato.

Junior Yeoman Arrow: Lynn Baer, Lorenzo Baker, Eric Etherington, Nick Gill, Paul Hargen, Bill Johnson, Hollis Macomber, Dick Palmer, Roberto Reichard, Mark Saylor, Ross Scribner, Jay Stephan.

Yeoman Pin: Lynn Baer, Lorenzo Baker, Russ Barnes, John Brush, Rich Darmanin, John Gill, Alex Hadden, Frank Hoster, Bill Johnson, Kurt Larsen, Scott McMinn, Mark Saylor, Mike Scott, Dave Scribner.

Junior Bowman Pin: Fred Abels, Chris Altmaier, Russ Barnes, Rex Coons, John Gill, Scott McMinn, Craig Miller, Bill Prescott, Gerard Wheeler, Steve Yale.

Junior Bowman Arrow: John Gill, Jim Keny, Craig Miller, Bill Prescott, Jorge Suarez.

Bowman Pin: Rafael Gonzales, Alan Hamwi, Craig Miller, Chris Schaefer, Carlos Zapata.

Bowman First Rank: Preston Crabill, Mark Schiewetz.

Bowman Sharpshooter: Preston Crabill, Peter Haines, Mark Schiewetz.

Archer Pin: Preston Crabill, Chick Myers.

Archer First Rank: Scott Leiper, Bill Williams.

RANGE

Pro Marksman: Dave Bury.

Marksman: Dave Bury, Mark Chapman, Eric Etherington.

Marksman First Class: Eric Etherington.

Sharpshooter: Eric Etherington, Bob Escher.

Bar One: Carlos Zapata.

Bar Two: Jim Estabrook.

Bar Three: Jim Estabrook.

Bar Four: Jim Estabrook.

SAILING

Novice: Stewart Beggs, Tom Benua, Bill Prescott.

Crew: Lee Bost, Mark Chapman, Alan Hamwi, Steve McDonald.

Bosun: Bob Escher, Keith Karr, Steve McDonald, Ross Scribner, Wally Whitmyre.

SWIMMING

Cove: Scott Allan, Mark Chapman, John Trayner, David Venditti, Jose Zapata.

Lake: Scott Allan, Mark Chapman, Andy Farley, Andy Jeffrey, Dave Scribner, Tom SiFontes.

Kawanhee Swimming Records

As of July 22nd, the following boys hold the KSR record for swimming:

Junior C: Tom SiFontes; *Junior B:* Alan Hamwi; *Junior A:* Frank Hoster; *Senior:* Freestyle, 400 IM., 800 Yd. and Cove; Bob Boles; *Senior:* 400 Backstroke, Tom Heer. Alan Hamwi, a *Junior B*, holds the records for swimming the lake with a time of 8:49.0.

Water Skiing

Due to the roughness of the water this past week, the water skiing department was not too active. However, Scott Tracy and Bill Proctor announced that many of the more advanced skiers were able to perform. Mark Saylor was the only skier of the week and Al Drewes was the only new slalom skier of the week.

Achievement Levels

July 15 - 20

ARCHERY

Junior C: First Level: Ross Scribner, Hollis Macomber.
Junior C: Third Level: Mark Schiewetz.
Junior B: Second Level: Keith Erf, Stan McCleave.
Junior A: First Level: Scott Leiper.
Junior A: Second Level: Scott Leiper.
Senior: Third Level: Hank Hiser.

NATURE

Junior C: Second Level: Charles Alwine.
Junior B: First Level: Doug Addison, Tom Benua, Dick Palmer, Carlos Zapata.
Junior A: First Level: Lorenzo Baker, Russell Barnes, John Brush, Frank Hoster, Raub Smith, Jim Keny, Jet Tremble.
Senior: First Level: Dave Allan, Jim Estabrook, Rich Lake.

SAILING

Junior C: Second Level: Mark Chapman, Ross Scribner.
Junior C: Third Level: Mark Chapman, Ross Scribner.
Junior B: First Level: Stuart Beggs, Tom Benua, Mark Chapman, Ross Scribner.
Junior B: Second Level: Bob Escher, Alan Hamwi.
Junior A: First Level: Lee Bost, Steve McDonald, Wally Whitmyre.

SHOP

Junior C: First Level: Scott Allan, Charles Alwine.
Junior C: Second Level: Peter Soons.
Junior C: Third Level: Roger Sweet.
Junior B: First Level: Fred Abels, Doug Addison, Peter Haines, Kyle Kauffman, Jon Kauffman, Chris Moore, Roberto Reichard, Mike Scott, Greg Swency, John Wambaugh.
Junior B: Third Level: Paul Doege, Bob Escher, Carlos Zapata.
Junior A: First Level: Rich Darmanin, Keith Erf, Alan Sweet.
Junior A: Second Level: Al Drewes, Kurt Larsen.

TENNIS

First Level: Doug Addison, Lorenzo Baker, Rex Coons, Brad Glick, Kyle Kauffman, Bob Litwak, Greg Swency, Bill Wambaugh.
Second Level: Bob Litwak.

WRESTLING

Junior C: First Level: Roger Sweet.
Junior C: Second Level: Roger Sweet, Gary Tremble.
Junior B: First Level: Fred Abels, Stuart Beggs, Tom Benua, Rex Coons, John Gill, Brad Glick, Alex Hadden, Jon Kauffman, Scott McMinn, Dick Palmer, Roberto Reichard, Mark Schiewetz, Mike Scott, Steve Yale.

Junior B: Second Level: Doug Addison, Keith Erf, Alan Hamwi, Kyle Kauffman, Chris Moore, Greg Swency.

Junior B: Third Level: Rafael Gonzales.

Junior A: First Level: Dave Allan, Chris Altmaier, Luis Benitez, Peter Haines, Keith Karr, Jim Keny, Tim Keny, Stan McCleave, Mark Saylor, Jet Tremble, Milton Zapata, Jeb Zirato.

Junior A: Second Level: Jack Abbott, Raub Smith.

Junior A: Third Level: John Clausen, Jim Estabrook, Scott Leiper.

Senior: First Level: Rennie Beetham, Hank Hiser, Bob Litwak, Dan Saunders.

Senior: Second Level: Bob Litwak, Dan Saunders.

Senior: Third Level: Bob Litwak.

Fishing

Gary Gray and his fishing department have been very active this summer as the campers are enthusiastic fishermen this season. Ross Scribner, of the Falcon Lodge, has the record for catching the largest wide-mouth bass in camp with his catch of a 13 inch, one pounder this past week. Tod Tremble, of the Bear Lodge, is still the champion in the pickerel field with his catch of a 15 inch, four pound pickerel the first week of the camp season.

Kawanhee Little League

Moody Blues — Captain: MARK STANDEN

Ass't Captain: MIKE STANDEN

TEAM: Fred Abels, Tom Benua, Richard Darmanin, Brad Glick, Tim Keny, Roberto Reichard, Mark Schiewetz, Mike Scott, Ross Scribner, Allan Sweet, Greg Swency, Jay Stephan, Jet Tremble, John Wambaugh, Tim Williams.

Black Death — Captain: RICK WHITMYRE

Team: Doug Addison, Doug Allan, Scott Allan, Chris Altmaier, Mark Chapman, Keith Erf, Pete Haines, Allan Hamwi, Lee McCleave,, Craig Miller, Chris Moore, Raub Smith, Todd Taylor.

Red Raiders — Captain: BOB BRINKERHOFF

Ass't Captain: NICK GILL

Team: Jack Abbott, Luis Benitez, Rex Coons, Eric Etherington, Andy Farley, John Gill, Gordon Glidden, Alex Hadden, Keith Karr, Jon Kauffman, Kyle Kauffman, Jim Keny, Hollis Macomber, Gary Tremble.

Altmaier Two-Hits Blues, 7-5

Chris Altmaier, kicking off the third week in the KLL's 1968 summer season, fired a multi-walk-whiff two-hit gem at the Moody Blues to pull the second place Black Death to within 1½ games of the front-running Red Raiders. Enroute to his 7-5 victory, Altmaier fanned fourteen and allowed eight walks. Brad Glick took the loss for the Blues, yielding to shoddy team fielding, giving up one hit and four team errors before being lifted for reliever, Jet Tremble.

The winning Blacks continued to mystify the experts with their anemic batting, succeeding only thrice to fill gaping infield holes. Alan Hamwi, Doug Addison and Bullet Bob Escher, all singled for the Death but the big blows were delivered by Black third baseman, Doug Allan, who knocked in three of the 7 deadly runs while Escher battered in one and the opposition let in three. Tremble led the offensive for the Blues doubling in a pair, forcing one run across with a walk and scoring once himself. Glick had the only other Moody Blue safety.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	R	H	E
MOODY BLUES	2	0	0	0	3	0	5	2	5
BLACK DEATH	2	4	0	0	1	x	7	3	2
Winner — ALTMAIER (2-0)	2B — J. TREMBLE								
Loser — GLICK (0-2)									

Blues Upset Red Undefeatedness

Newly acquired pitcher-third baseman Tom Benua became the first mortal to defeat the untouchable Red Raiders of first place fame as he turned the trick July 17, beating the Reds 5-4 on four hits for the cellar-dwelling Moody Blues. In winning, Benua fanned seven and issued five free passes. Kyle Kauffman and Johnny Gill combined arms in the losing Raider effort. Gill took the late inning losses, while the two struck out seven, walked five and yielded three safeties.

Moody Blue shortstop, Brad Glick, carried the momentum for his club, singling twice and knocking in two runs. Mike Scott got the other Moody Blue hit in the fifth. Charitable contributions by the failing Reds opened up the avenues for the remaining three Blue scores. Consecutive hits by Kyle Kauffman, Gill and Duke Karr enabled the Raiders to claim the scoreboard, or part of it, for two runs in the third. Gill also singled in the first. Karr and backstop, Alex Hadden, accounted for the other Raider runs in the game. But Jet Tremble won the fracas in the end for the Blues as he reached base on an error in the sixth's bottom half and stole his way home and swiped the victory as well from the greedy mitts of the Raiders.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	R	H	E
RED RAIDERS	0	1	2	0	1	0	4	4	4
BLUE MOODIES	0	0	3	1	0	1	5	3	2
Winner — GILL (1-1)	2B — KYLE KAUFFMAN								
Loser — BENUA (1-0)									

KLL Standings

	W	L	PCT.	GB
RED RAIDERS	3	1	.750	-
BLACK DEATH	2	2	.500	1
MOODY BLUES	1	3	.250	2

Seniors Up Spread To 6-1 Over Juniors In Weekend Classic

Over the summers at Kawanhee, Saturdays have always meant swimming meets, hot dogs and beans, the campfire and the Junior-Senior Counselor softball games. The franks and beans are gone and the swimming meets aren't so numerous, but the counselor games have not only remained solid but they have seen action on both Saturday and Sunday nights. In what might seem a fortunate shot in the arm for the Juniors has turned into a nightmare as the older men have thrashed the youngsters in six of seven encounters. Behind the consistently brilliant pitching of the senior counselors and the no less than outstanding double play combo of Les Newton to Dick Morton (or Jack Pray) to John Osborne, the Seniors have been able to thwart the frequent errors that plague the Junior squad. Behind the plate the Big Boys have been able to come from behind in the late innings almost at will and have forced the Juniors to beat themselves week after week.

This is not to say that the Seniors don't make their own breaks, far from it. The potent power of Seniors Osborne,

Pray, Newton, Meserole, McBurney and Morton has been more than enough to quell any thoughts of Little Boy upsets. Though the Junior Counselor array of Zechiel, Tracy, Williams and Ruhle is indeed impressive, the Seniors are not easily impressed.

The heat of these ball games has intensified over the years and this season is no exception. All calls on the basepaths are hotly debated and camper-umpires are frequently threatened. With the Tuesday night Weld dances now off limits, these weekend fracas are the big physical outlet for the Counselors. There must be one motto in all those sayings at Kawanhee that says "play your heart out, but don't leave it on the field or wear it on your sleeve".

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Kawanhee Inn Guest List

The Inn is happy to be host to the following guests for the first three weeks of the camp season:

MR. & MRS. EMERSON SMITH and Daughters, Bexley, Ohio; MR. & MRS. WALTER WHITMYRE, Mt. Kisco, New York; MR. & MRS. R. S. TREMBLE, New Jersey; Roland Tremble Jr., New Jersey; DR. & MRS. VENDITTI and Children, Beverly, New Jersey; MRS. STUART EAGLESON, Upper Arlington, Ohio; MR. & MRS. HENRY SENGLEMAN SR., Englewood, New Jersey; MR. & MRS. DAVID ALLAN, Pennsylvania; MR. & MRS. R. E. JOHNSON, Arlington, Virginia; MR. ROBERT ERF, Glastonbury, Conn.; MRS. WILLIAM COONS, Columbus, Ohio; MR. & MRS. B. W. ZIRATO, New York; MR. & MRS. L. N. ZECHIEL, Janet & Margaret, Reeds Ferry, New York; MR. & MRS. HERBERT BROWN, Columbus, Ohio; MR. & MRS. RAY BROWN, Columbus, Ohio; MISS ALVERTA MCGARITY, Levittown, Pa.; MRS. EDGAR C. BEKES, Pennsylvania; MR. & MRS. MITCH GREENAWALT, Gail and Beth, Cleveland, Ohio; MR. R. S. TREMBLE, New Jersey; MRS. E. HARKIN, New Jersey; MR. & MRS. STANLEY GOLDSMITH & Son, Dumont, New Jersey; MR. & MRS. J. D. LEHMAN & Family, Leonia, New Jersey; MR. & MRS. L. P. BENUA, Columbus, Ohio; MR. & MRS. KISSEL & Son, Dayton, Ohio; MRS. CELIA B. POWELL, Englewood, New Jersey; MR. & MRS. MORTIMER PRESCOTT, Upper Arlington, Ohio; MR. & MRS. CHRISTOPHER A. STALLMAN and four Children, Gahanna, Ohio; MR. STANLEY SCRIBNER & Son, Bridgton, New Jersey.

Saturday Evening Campfire

The huge campfire, prepared by Gerard Wheeler, under the supervision of John Willis, Head of the Campcraft Department, was the center of attraction for our usual Saturday night campfire on Council Point. Again the weather was beautiful and the ceremony was very impressive as the boys stood proudly before the blazing fire to receive credit for their accomplishments during the previous week.

Les Newton, our music director, again pitted lodges in a song fest. Fred Abels, Jon Kauffman and Pete Soons of the Panther Lodge roared like panthers as they rendered "I'VE BEEN WORKING ON THE RAILROAD". However, Milton Zapata, Hank Hiser and Jim Estabrook of the Wildcat Lodge didn't sound like kittens as they offered the boys keen competition during the selection.

Chuck Hoffhine and his Bears were healthier in their "Moos" this week as they sang the "cow" again in "OLD MAC DONALD HAD A FARM". Lee Bost, Bill Wambaugh and Ted Lenk of the Lynx Lodge were very loud

ducks as they "quacked" all through the selection, while Blas Reyes, Bill Prescott and Mark Sengelmann won the top spot on the fortissimo scale as they "oinked" their way to stardom.

The Eaglets, Falcons and Pine Trees won honorable mention during the program with their rendition of "ON TOP OF OLD SMOKY". The Eaglets, wrapped in a blanket, provided the harmony, while Ross Scribner, Chuck Alwine, John Trayner, Andy Farley, Mark Chapman and Allan Scott added the fortissimo to the selection. Kyle Kauffman, Todd Taylor, Doug Addison, John Wambaugh, Greg Sweney, Chris Moore, Raub Smith and Allan Sweet took top honors with sound and motion. I'm not too sure if they had the right melody but they certainly had the Kawanhee spirit as they sang.

Tim McKee told the story "The Most Dangerous Game" to conclude the program.

Sunday At Kawanhee

Sunday was truly a magnificent sabbath day. The sun was shining, the pleasant breeze gave a slight ripple to the lake

and a most welcome relief from the heat. This calmness gave added reverence to the Lord's day service presented by Mr. Birch. Del Tracy read the scripture from the book of Matthew the 25th. chapter. The sermon was taken from a book of sermons by Dr. Elmore, former Chaplain of Camp Kawanhee for many seasons. The title of the sermon chosen for today's topic was "How much is your life worth". The choir sang "Holy, Holy, Holy" as their special selection.

The Sunday afternoon entertainment was furnished by the barbers. They transformed 118 shaggy heads into neat, trim campers.

Sunday evening Vesper Services were held in the Rec Hall with special music by the Kawanhee Glee Club. Mr. Forrest Dexter, former Director of Nature, showed slides taken around the camp area during the winter months. The campers enjoyed seeing the lake frozen solid, snow on Mt. Tumbledown and their lodges blanketed with a white snow covering.

TAPS concluded the evening and another fun-filled week at Kawanhee on the shores of Lake Webb.

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