

# MA-KA-JA-WAN

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## SMOKE SIGNALS

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### EAST CAMP

#### Shorts From Mike -

- (1) ~~The~~ ~~Linington~~ Concord Pike is officially open. Limited access trail linking Mohawk, Delaware, Chippewa and Sioux to Ecology-Conservation.
- (2) Staff are reminded that Knarckles should be worn after Breakfast each Morning.
- (3) A campwide retreat will be held today at 5:45 in the Dust Bowl.

#### 2nd Annual 1st Period Critter Crawl Derby Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan Downs Track Results

- 2:30 p.m. Critter Crawl Derby:
- 1st place - Little Mike - Grant Rainford Stables (Troop 13)
  - 2nd place - Jumper - Dave Johnson Farm (Troop 242)
  - 3rd place - Spot - Bergmen-Spontak Stables (Troop 242)

#### Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan Downs, Wisconsin:

Today in the Derby "Little Mike", a budding tadpole out of the Rainford Stables, successfully outwitted a tough field of two other seasoned veterans to win with a new track time of 5 minutes and 23.5 seconds. "Little Mike" was a surprise to most of the track as odds were running 5-1 in favor of "Jumper" (Johnson Farm) a much larger and jumpier contestant. "Spot", a come-from-behind medium weight was unable to catch the Rainford Stables entry on the last turn. Its trainer contests it was bred for mud tracks and was unable to readjust to the sands of Ma-Ka-Ja-Downs.

Next race is Wednesday, July 9 at 2:30 p.m. Entries report to the Paddock in the Dust Bowl.

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Jamie Ploochi won the East Camp Potato Peeling Contest! His prize was a gift certificate to the East Camp Trading Post. The contestants peeled a total of 150 potatoes!

Dear Peppermint Patty,

I have been a scout for only a few months and I don't have many friends. I am at camp now and I don't know what to do. What can I do?

Friendless



Dear Friendless,

You obviously need help in finding friends. Why don't you go to the Trading Post and buy a Map and Compass? These will help you locate friends.

Peppermint Patty

#### BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH FROM EAST CAMP

Fred is back. Fred, the woodchuck, is around again to eat dining hall' leftovers. Last year, the wild animal became extremely fat by eating in the garbage room. He is back to get fat again. Remember, Fred is wild and must not be fed by scouts.

All Order of the Arrow members should be wearing their sashes starting with the noon meal today.

WEST CAMPBulletins From Barry:

All Master Pioneers - The "Sears" Tower is back under construction! We're tearing down the old tower at the east end of the big field and we need help in rebuilding it. Everyone is invited to join the Commissioner's Staff and those scouts taking pioneering merit badge. You can learn how to tie lashings and knots and have a good time, too! Come to the commissioner areas TODAY at 2:30.

~~FIELD~~ SPORTS - Silver Bullet - Larry Kamin, Troop 182 - Score of 48

There will be a formal retreat today at 5:45 p.m. Assemble at the flag pole.

Order of the Arrow - All troops are to assemble at the flag pole at 8:00 for the Order of the Arrow Ceremony.

Dear East Camp - We don't care about your horse sales. We sell less and therefore are nicer to the horses.

West Waterfront - Our congratulations to 13 scouts and 1 Incredible Scoutmaster for earning the Mile Swim BSA card yesterday. Our hats off to : Ed Outten, Kevin Shepard, Larry Kamin, George Fomby, Ed Macke, Chris Paulsen, Tim Plett, Rob Kerbs, George Strom, John Mason, Steve Sender, Dave Aschbacher, Ed Sankey and Mr. "C". Because of the OA tapout today's mile swim has been canceled. Check the Waterfront Bulletin Board for the next swim.

Scoutmasters - Sign-up for any activity you would like to do with the Waterfront Staff. (This includes afternoon troop swims.)

West Camp Waterfront Water Temperature - 75°F

West Eco-Con - The first winner at Ma-Ka-Ja-Downs was Fredick J. Albert, a turtle owned and trained by Chris Paulson of Troop 182. The next race will be next Tuesday.

Astronomy Merit Badge class will meet on the next clear night. Be ready to pass the requirements.

~~The WHATZIT winner from yesterday was David Parkinsin with 5 out of 6.~~

WEATHER REPORT AND FORECAST:

Station WWB  
High - 88°  
Low - 50°  
Humidity - 53 %  
20% chance of rain

Eastern M.E.S.H.  
Today - fair & cooler, Temp high 70  
Tonight - remaining great, low 50's  
becoming lighter at dawn  
Data - High - 84°  
Low - 68°  
B.P. - 30.2 " & steady  
Precip. - none  
Wind - NW at 2-7 knots

There will be a Jewish Service at 5:30 p.m. today. A special sunrise service will be held Saturday at 7:00 a.m. Meet at your camp office at