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Here we are, half way through the first week of camp, already. Have your Scouts earned alot of badges so far? There are alot of them to be worked on here at Camp Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan, and alot of fun involved in the work, so we sure hope the boys take advantage of the opportunity that they have here. The time goes by very quickly, and before they know it, it will be time to head for home, so, get them going and learning and enjoying and earning badges!!!

WEST CAMP NEWS-All adults are invited to the Commissioner Site, today for lunch. 12:30 is serving time.

If you haven't noticed, the monkey bridge is well underway. All Scouts interested in pioneering merit badge - sign up now. All side-walk observers are welcome.

Tomorrow is Order of the Arrow Day. All Arrowmen are encouraged to wear their sash at all meals and during the day.

This is the time for ALL Arrowmen to help finish the O/A Bowl tonight after program. Come and work, let's make the first callout a success.

Retreat tomorrow (Friday) at 5:45--full uniform.

Walt's Rifle-Shotgun'Archery Emporium is going great guns-(no pun intended)-although there was a price increase due to inflation. Come down and earn those shooting ranks. Help lower the mosquito population, or at least spread the population around to more people.

The great Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan aquatics explorer, Eric Jensen, has been at it again. See Eric for canoeing merit badge, and hear all about the trip into the north wilderness.

Eco-Con-Our first wild food hike will be Friday afternoon at 2:00PM. There is an eight person limit. Sign up at the lodge. Don't worry if you don't get on this one. There will be more.

Eco-Quote-"If no one knows the importance of a beautiful place, that place is not likely to be preserved, but instead transformed into something else and probably something less." Ansel Adams

HEALTH LODGE-Hours for the Health Lodge are 7:30 to 8:00 AM for sick call. Emergency's contact your Camp or Area Director. ERIC JENSEN, NEIL CHRISTERSEN, KEN BEAUVAIS--0730 Friday morning at Health Lodge for physicals. Leadfoot

(More on the way)

EAST CAMP NEWS-Good morning!!! Remember, anybody in East who wishes to go horseback riding, see Tom after lunch. The cost is only \$3.00 per hour.

Hope one and all are having a good time--the staff loves ya'.

Mohawk Village has shower clean-up detail today.



There will be a brief Scoutmasters meeting after lunch today.

Trading Post-Starting today, the T.P. will open in the morning from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM. Candy or food will not be sold in the morning, but come on up to buy merit badge books, handicraft items, etc.

Q.M.-Yes, Scoutmasters, we have kerosene. But only a limited supply, so hurry.

Waterfront-Congratulations to Chris Peterson and Mr. George Peterson for becoming the first people to swim the Killian Triangle from East Camp. Willie Daye became a beginner yesterday, at the waterfront, after coming down for instructional swim. (Good for you!!!)

ORDER OF THE ARROW-There will be a work project at the O/A Bowl for all members and staff, tonight at 8:15 PM.

NOTICE TO ALL AREAS-FAMILY CAMP, TRADING POSTS, ALL AREAS INVOLVED IN SELLING ITEMS TO SCOUTS AND/OR SCOUTERS--We have our first report of a lost coupon book. The number is 1853. Please be on the alert for that book in your areas, and, if possible, post the number in a spot that will be easy for all to see. Again, it is #1853.

If anyone finds that book, please return it to the Ad Building, or either the East or West Camp Directors.

FAMILY CAMP-Families, don't forget that tonight is Family Night in the Dining Hall. Plan to meet your troop at 5:45 in front on the dining hall. Dinner is at 6:00. Adults-\$2.00 - Children-\$1.50.

If you have not had a chance to visit the Country Store, be sure to stop by and sample some of the goodies on hand for you. The ice cream is sweet, the pizza is super, the cold drinks are soothing, the magazines are stimulating and the service is "with a smile". Come on in and see Nancy, Phyllis, Barb and Angel.

In the meantime, have a really terrific day. The temp is supposed to go up into the 80's, at least that's what they tell me, so get out and enjoy life. It really is pretty great!!! Smile, darn you, smile!!

