

Winter Camp XXVII News

Traditionally Unconventional

December 31, 2003

Winter Camp XXVIII

By: Zachary Polifroni

Winter Camp XXVII was a big success, but next year Ricky Naida will take over as youth in charge and hopefully make Winter Camp the best it has ever been. On December 31, 2003 at 12:09 (WCST) Ricky volunteered as the new youth in charge. Ricky is now our Mahican Chapter Chief, and as he holds this position, I believe he will make me proud taking over Winter Camp next year. Good luck next year Ricky and hopefully it will be a big success.

Casino Night

Last night's event, the Casino Night and Snack, proved to be an awesome time. with games such as Blackjack, Roulette, and Chuck-a-luck. The night was topped off with the serving of the Casino Snack consisting of Butter Pretzels, Unsalted Peanuts, Chips and Cheesy Poofs. The best part of the night was being dealt to by Mark Bollman on his birthday.

Winter Camp XXVII DVD

Want to keep the memories of Winter Camp XXVII alive forever (or at least as long as a DVD lasts)? You'll have a once-in-a-lifetime chance to remember this great weekette through the Winter Camp XXVII DVD—including photos, *After the Apocalypse: A Parody*, alternate endings, bloopers, and commentaries. We're not yet sure about the price of the DVD, but we hope to have it ready by mid January. Check for updates at www.wintercamp.com

Today's Programming

(All times WCST)

9:00 A.M.—**Game Show Network**.....Jackpot Grits
10:00 A.M.—**Oxygen**.....Football
12:00 N.—**Sci-Fi Channel**..... Conglomerate Lunch
1:00 P.M.—**Discovery Channel**.....Pack your bags!
4:17 P.M. (EST)—**Travel Channel**.....Leave for Home

8-Year Time Capsule Yields Its Secrets

The year was 1995. Members of Mahican Chapter buried yet another time capsule at the CHR Memorial Site, fully intending to retrieve it five years later as the new millennium loomed close at hand.

Five years, however, became eight as the time capsule's precise location was not recorded and an interloper capsule was returned to the surface at Winter Camp XXIV. Winter Camp's container proved its worth by sealing the contents against the ravages of time and nature for three years more than originally intended. Interesting items in the capsule included a dollar bill sent into the future by Mark Hunt, letters to Winter Camp XXIV/XXVII sending greetings and making predictions for the next five years, an evaporation jar calendar placed by Jeff Rand which indicated that 3800 years had passed since the capsule had been buried, and a number of old photographs and newspapers.

Winter Camp Trivia

by Mark Bollman—>

Answers from yesterday:

1. Paul "No tree can contain me" Kupser
2. Gordon Draper
3. Chippewa cabin
4. Rob Hartwig, Steve Donohue, & Ryan Brake

Something to keep you busy until we meet again:

1. Who earned the first degree awarded by Winter Camp University's College of Winter Camping?
2. What song was sung in the penultimate scene of *After the Apocalypse: A Parody*?
3. What movie was shown during Dinner and a Movie at Winter Camp XXVII?
4. Which Winter Camp XXVII event passed through the highest point at D-A?
5. How many members of the Bollman clan invaded Winter Camp XXVII to celebrate Mark—>'s 40th birthday?

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"More Roman numerals than any previous Winter Camp"

December 27-31, 2004