



TOHKOMEUPOG

summer camp for boys



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..... 2021 Camp Tohkomeupog Recap

The summer of 2021 was quite successful despite the challenges that COVID-19 presented. Our 89th summer of outdoor adventure, friendship and opportunity began on July 3rd and wrapped up on August 14th. Because of the challenges of the Pandemic, we opted to shorten camp to six weeks.

We were pleased and fortunate to have another outstanding group of staff and CITs. Don Barton returned again as Assistant Camp Director, John Sexton was back as Waterfront Director, and Jason Cicero was our Tennis Pro. Mark Conklin and Dave Bannister split the summer as Bear Clan Directors, Stevo Harding led the Deer Clan, and Will Darling returned as Wolf Clan Director. Joining us after a 30 year Tohko hiatus, Bill Pryor returned as Director of the Panther Clan.

Countless activities and amazing experiences were enjoyed by all. Our out of camp trips last summer allowed campers and staff to climb 37 of the 48 NH 4,000 footers. Aside from the 4,000 foot hikes, eight peaks with less than 4,000 feet were also reached. In addition to hiking trips, we paddled on six different rivers and lakes. All told it was another amazing and fruitful camp season in East Madison.

Kestay,
Andrew Mahoney
Tohkomeupog Director



Above: Deer Clan convenes in their Grove.

Below (Right): Wolf Clan on their trip to Mt. Katahdin.

Below (Left): Wolf Clan takes on the legendary Androscoggin River.



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..... Cheese Louise: Finding Success from Camp Values

By Ian Lubkin

My memories of camp are filled with friends and warmth and heart. I remember sunshine and smiles as I fought to stay on the logs at the waterfront. I remember grinning widely as Oscar and I raced through the pouring rain wearing trash bags as raincoats. I remember Pat and I laughing as we caught sweet tarts in our mouths from increasingly odd places around the encampment. Central to my time at Tohko was an element of fun that infused everything we did. No one took themselves too seriously. We were all engaged together in the project of making the best of a summer. I am endlessly grateful that being a Tohko counselor was my first job.

Cheese Louise began with a similar energy; James, Bryce and I were wary of tedious summer internships and looking for a job we could really enjoy. When they pitched me on running a food truck with them, I was instantly in. Since that first summer filled with close friends, long hours, and endless grilled cheese, we have maintained an attitude of fun towards our work. As we have grown to have several restaurant locations and a couple more food trucks, we have continued to hold fun as a core value; as much as possible, and wherever possible, work at Cheese Louise should be enjoyable, done with friends, and done in a creative, playful way. I'm grateful to have had Tohko as inspiration for what a fun workplace can look like.

I would be remiss to not mention the self confidence that Tohko instilled in me. This has been invaluable in learning to run a small business. I have had to gain more on my own, but my time at Tohko set me soundly on the right path, for which I am forever grateful.



Cheese Louise brick & mortar location in Portland, Maine.



Pictured: Ian Lubkin (center), with his co-founders.

WOOLEGAN!

Congratulations to the C.I.T. Class of 2022:

TEDDY RICHARDS, SAM NIGRO, PIERCE WILKERSON, ALEJANDRO KENNEDY & OZ TURNER



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Jack Mahoney

By Andrew Mahoney

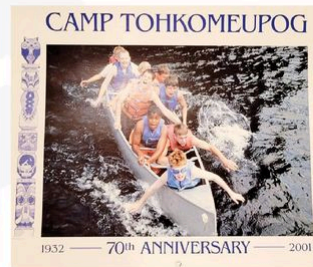
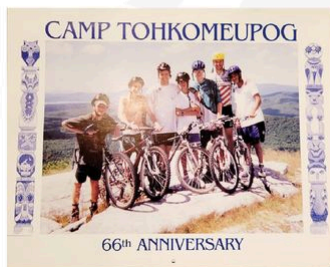
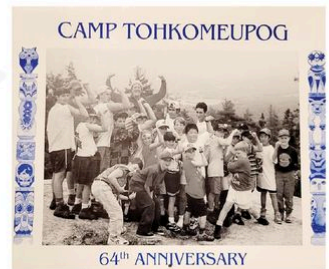
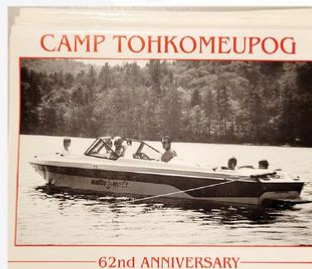
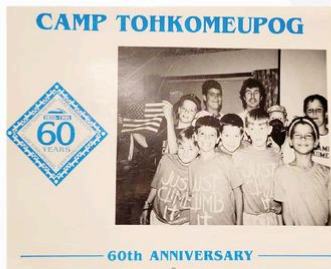


John Patrick Mahoney (“Jack”) of Eaton, NH died peacefully in his sleep on April 28, 2022 at the Lafayette Center in Franconia, NH at age 83. Jack was born on July 16, 1938 at Lawrence General Hospital in Lawrence, MA to Edith Mahoney Litchfield and Charles Mahoney. He spent his childhood in Methuen, MA and went to Buckingham Browne & Nichols School in Cambridge. He proudly served his country as a U.S. Marine from 1960-1963. He graduated from the University of New Hampshire in 1965.

Jack worked most of his life as a carpenter and held many positions at King Pine Ski Area including ski school director and lift attendant. Later in life, he spent much time working at the J-Bar where he was fondly referred to as “J-Bar Jack.” Jack also spent many years (1966-1973) as a counselor and director at Tohkomeupog. Jack was known to have a quick answer to any trivia question, and his witty Irish humor allowed him to spin a fun tale at many a social event. Jack loved to hike the trails of Maine and New Hampshire, especially with his late wife Laura. Their love of the mountains has carried over to their two sons, both avid outdoor enthusiasts. In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to the Laura Foundation for Autism and Epilepsy (thelaurafoundation.org).

Tohko Relics: Calendars

Shared By Kevin Klaus



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CAMP NEWS & NOTES

NUPTIALS!

- ANDREW MACDONALD MARRIED RACHEL ZHU ON FEBRUARY 25TH, 2022!
- ERIC GESUALDI MARRIED DANIELLE PENZA ON MARCH 15TH, 2022!
- BLAIR LUNDIE MARRIED ANTONIA SUCKLING ON MAY 8TH, 2022!
- DOUG BELLIVEAU MARRIED LAURA GLICKSMAN ON JUNE 4TH, 2022!
- KIERAN SEXTON MARRIED JULIA SULLIVAN ON JUNE 4TH, 2022!
- JON QUADE MARRIED DANIELLE LAPOINT ON JUNE 18TH, 2022!

ENGAGEMENTS!

- BOB KELLY GOT ENGAGED TO ANA MARIA BEDOYA ON AUGUST
- NATE RICKLER GOT ENGAGED TO EMMA HANSEN ON JULY 20TH, 2021!
- CONNOR TOBIN GOT ENGAGED TO GRACIE HEIDT ON JULY 31ST, 2021!
- CONOR MCKEG GOT ENGAGED TO TAYLOR RAKOCY ON OCTOBER 24TH, 2021!
- ANDREW BAUDISCH GOT ENGAGED TO SARAH KELLY ON JANUARY 12TH, 2022!
- NOAH MEDLINSKY GOT ENGAGED TO LIZ GARRISON ON MAY 28TH, 2022!

BIRTHS!

- LORENZ MAXIMILLIAN WAS BORN TO JOJO AND SANDRA KLOTZ ON SEPTEMBER 20TH, 2021!



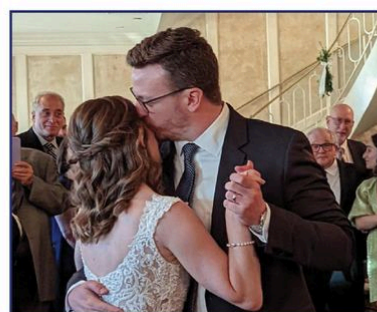
Alumni gather at Blair Lundie's Wedding in Scotland. From Left to Right: Grant Reeder, Blair Lundie, Dave Bruno.



Kieran Sexton walks down the aisle with Julia!



Andrew MacDonald with Rachel at their Ceremony!



Doug Belliveau dances with Laura at their Wedding Reception!

IN MEMORIAM...

KENDALL CHUN

On April 27, 2022, following a courageous battle with cancer, Kendall Chun passed away. He spent many summers in the valley, both at Camp Tohkomeupog, as well as down the road, working at Camp Waukeela all the way from the 1980s to 2000s. Professionally, Kendall was a renowned teacher at Milton Academy. Our condolences and prayers go out to his family and friends in this time of mourning.



A MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD

The Alumni Board would like to thank all the alumni and their families that returned to the valley last summer for an amazing Alumni Weekend! We hope to see more familiar faces in the Valley for Alumni Weekend 2022, during the weekend of September 9th to September 11th! More details to follow, and feel free to reach out with any questions you might have!

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