

**Mason James Van Loan 9th-12th**



My most memorable time out of my 3½ years was the first time ever playing ball. Big ball was a game we used to play at the end of Spartan Challenge. The game consisted of two companies lining up on opposite sides of the PAD, and a huge 12ft ball in the middle. At the sound of the whistle the two companies ran ferociously towards the ball. What most kids didn't realize was the fact that if you ran up to hit the ball first and there was no one helping you, it was the ball that hit you. The object of the game was to work as a team and push the ball for your touchdown, and whoever's team had the most points at the end of three minutes won. I felt like I got a lot out of big ball; as crazy as it seems, it brought together not only teamwork but also brotherhood. This place really introduced you to some amazing friends that will last you a life time.

**Logan Dax Edgecomb 9th-12th**



My best moment at Camden Military was in my second year when I had Connor Halabi as my roommate. I talked with him, I laughed with him, and played video games with him. We had a generally good time. He was probably my favorite roommate. The next year we were roommates again and yes, sometimes we argued and sometimes I got mad at him, but that's all part of the experience. Later during the year, he was talking about joining the Marines. He graduated from MEPS and then went off to boot camp. The next year I got Joseph Degenhart as a roommate. All we do is talk about pirates and about better ways to change this school. We ask "what is wrong with campus?" and what we can do to make a change that could positively impact this campus.

**Eric Fitzgerald Emery 9th-12th**



Every year I have worked on the company flag and every year it was a new and fun challenge to make. I always like to go paintballing, that is always fun. I remember when we dressed a cadet up as a bull and put him in a barrel for the Spartan Challenge.

**Nathan Earl Grantham 9th-12th**



I started my first year at Camden Military Academy my freshman year. Out of the 4 years I've been here, I've made many friends and I've had an abundance of memories and experiences. Too many in fact to just name one. From my first day meeting my former platoon leader Ryan Figlow, to right now as a graduating senior, it seems like the best memories have come from being with some of my true friends. Even if it was just ordering food and watching movies all day on a Saturday, going to church together on Sunday and even going to the weight room throughout the week to workout, I've made many memories that I will never ever forget and I couldn't have made those memories without the help of my many life long friends. So thank you Dyson, Fields, Rush, Nunez, and all of my other friends for making my Camden experience one I will never forget.



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