

TLP CLEAR – DISSEMINATION UNLIMITED



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**TLP-C ///FLASH TRAFFIC /// ATTACK
JEWISH DAY CAMP MAINE 24 AUG 2026**

KNOW THE TARGET – WATCH THE TARGET – LOOK DEEPER -EXPECT THE UNEXPECTED
Matthew 11:12 "And from the days of John the Baptist until now the kingdom of heaven suffereth violence, and the violent take it by force."

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FLASH PRECEDENCE – IN OBSCURA, OPEN SOURCE INTELLIGENCE INFORMATION REPORT (OSIR) THIS IS RAW REPORTING NOT FINALLY EVALUATED

URGENT DISSEMINATION TO ALL CHURCHES AND SYNAGOGUES

IN OBSCURA SYNOPSIS

Multiple US media reporting is consistent with this one source report by UK Daily Mail (Below) The content of the report below is partial but verbatim. In context a quick analysis:

- No injuries
- Presence of security officers on property, actions to neutralize undisclosed
- Historic approaches to and threat communications to the target
- Evident escalation indicators prior to ambush
- Anti-Semitic motivation and ambush of the target
- Drunken rage
- Rural setting
- Day Camp environment; children potentially as intended victims

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- As of FLASH reporting it is unknown if the SAFE Act enforcement will attach, and that FBI-JTTF if not already aware of this SUBJECT, they will be taking jurisdiction and probability of SUBJECT taken into custody
- No evident report of searches of residence and property
- Response time of Sheriff units

KEY TAKEAWAY

- Most if not all churches and synagogues have worship and education venues similar; day camps, some with long commuting distances such as this one in Maine. Many also travel OCONUS to visit foreign partnered missionaries and congregations.
- All of you should reevaluate your risk assessment of activities and in context heavily consider threat analysis of these activities, their locations and routes travelled (to and from) including instant reliable communication in case assistance is required. including foreign travel briefings – and debriefings by your protection security people.
- The attack location had security on site, on the target. The security officers' presence at this target did NOT dissuade the attacker or an attack with multiple rounds expended at the children. One Suspicious Activity encounter does NOT mean the threat self-terminated.
- A body of In Obscura raw reporting and analysis products has proven the critical connection between intelligence and the need for proactive, innovative and preemptive protocols and qualified protection staff LEFT OF BOOM.

Picturesque Jewish summer camp quickly turns into nightmare after drunken gunman open fired on basketball court...where campers as young as SEVEN were playing, UK DAILY MAIL (UK), By LAURA PARNABY, US SENIOR NEWS REPORTER, Published: 15:49 EDT, 23 August 2026 | Updated: 07:03 EDT, 24 August 2026,
<https://www.dailymail.com/news/article-16074111/jewish-summer-camp-modin-anti-semitic-neighbor-gunshots-police.html>

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A Jewish summer camp has requested an urgent protection order against an alleged raging anti-Semitic neighbor who fired shots towards their playing fields. Pascal Cohen, the owner of Camp Modin in Belgrade, Maine, has filed a complaint against Nathan Hewett, 36, who he said pelted the basketball courts with bullets during a drunken rampage on August 7. The terrifying hail of bullets triggered a lockdown across the camp, with children as young as seven running for cover, according to court documents seen by Central Maine. In his complaint, Cohen said Hewett fired about 20 shots towards the summer camp from a semi-automatic rifle following an altercation with security guards.

The camp owner said the horrifying display of his gunpower was the culmination of Hewett's belligerent behavior towards the camp which has allegedly been ongoing for several months. Pascal claimed that Hewett intentionally distresses campers by blaring lights from his truck directly at people inside, setting off late-night fireworks, and firing his guns towards the property.

Security guard Timothy Black, who supported Cohen's complaint, said that Hewett is especially hostile 'when he is intoxicated'. 'He harasses us by coming to the property line and screaming at us,' Black wrote. During the August 7 incident, Hewett allegedly fired his rifle near the camp while it was occupied by at least 400 campers and employees.

One of the security guards on shift, Joshua Ewing, said in court documents seeking the protection order that Hewett and his father, Raymond, who is also a neighbor of the camp, approached Camp Modin in the evening.

He said the pair were yelling and asking to speak with a camp employee. The father and son explained that the younger Hewett had hit something with his tractor lawn mower, causing damage, and he was blaming the camp. Ewing said that he and his colleague Black calmed the older Hewett down, but Nathan became 'extremely enraged and irrational', and started yelling and swearing at them. Raymond told them he believed his son was dangerous, according to the complaint.

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The father and son left the camp property, and shortly afterwards, the security guards were startled by the sound of gunfire from a high-powered rifle, they said in the complaint. The camp was placed into lockdown, and Kennebec County Sheriff deputies rushed to the scene to detain Nathan Hewett.

He was charged with reckless conduct with a firearm, criminal threatening with a dangerous weapon, terrorizing with a dangerous weapon, and discharging a firearm near a dwelling.

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