



BULLETIN 1978-79

Dear Friends:

Hello from Canada and New Moon Lodge. Our sincere wishes go out to all of you nice people for a very Healthy and Prosperous 1979. May the Good Lord bless each one of you in a very special way this year. We think of you often, and count our blessings, for the wonderful friends we have found over the years. It makes operating our business a pleasure.

EVENTS FROM 1978

Our new landing and dock was such a blessing, as it worked out so nice for our guests to leave their cars in a private parking lot, and it was great for us too, picking up supplies. We waited a long time for this, but now it's true, landing at our own home.

We had all the buildings painted on the island last summer, and the place looks great.

The one thing we had to do which we hadn't planned on doing was to rebuild the Sun-set cabin. On June 26th, we had a wild wind and rain storm which blew a large pine tree right onto the roof of the cabin, poking several big holes in the roof. Four lovely ladies from Grand Rapids, Mich., were the occupants at the time. The storm occurred around midnight, nearly frightening them half to death. These four brave girls have been coming as a group for several years, so that didn't scare them too badly. Luckily we had another cabin for them to move into, and they went fishing the next day. I am sure this story has been told many times over, how about that girls?

SPORTSMAN AWARD

Mr. Alfred Gies of Long Grove, Ill., won the Free Vacation for Two when he landed a 9# 12 oz. walleye on June 30th, with guide Larry Brusven. Congratulations Al, it is our pleasure to give this to you. See you in July. Other nice walleyes in the six pound range were recorded too, so the walleyes were of a pretty good size last summer.

Max Kloha of Caro, Mich., came up to enjoy his free vacation last May 21st.. that he won when he caught the largest northern on May 25th, 1977.

NEWS FOR 1979

This season the Sportsman Award will go to the one catching the largest bass. So let's have a big one!

Our plans for this year, is to rework our docks, we did some last year, but there is a lot more to do this spring. And we hope to do some other improvements too.

OUR FAMILY

Like most families ours is growing up too, and our children whom we love so much become adults, and that is a wonderful part of life. On Christmas eve, our Dwight, gave his special girl a ring, and announced that he and Donna Meunier would be married on April 7th, 1979. We are very happy for them. They plan to be back at the island again this summer. You will remember Donna, she was the waitress last summer.

Our daughter Donna is also growing up. She is in her last year of high school and she has already been accepted at a college.

Rocky, the one who was always going to be our baby, is almost as tall as Lloyd. He thinks that is great. He spends his spare time helping Lloyd do carpenter work, and there is plenty of that around our new home.

TIME TO CLOSE

We said good-bye to '78 and put it down as a great year, and truly count our many blessings and wonderful times we spent with all of you nice folks. We look forward to 1979 with a positive attitude, therefore we know it will be great. To know that you have made plans to visit us only adds to our joy. Remember you deserve a holiday, so let us provide a special one for you at New Moon Lodge. Come see us in '79. Our family and staff join us in welcoming you back this season.