

# 1953

The Board of Directors held a meeting on June 4<sup>th</sup> and June 26<sup>th</sup> 1953. They decided on Camp managers being George Duck and F. B. Isaacs for the season. Provisions were made for Members and Wives to attend Camp the week of August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1953. Day rates remained the same for 1953, Members \$7.50, Guests \$8.50 .They discussed the purchase of supplies by W. Rae Burnie (\$58.50) and prices for mattresses.

The cooks were Rev. E. Gean and Judy Louis of Dunchurch and were paid \$250.00 for the season. They remained for the 1954 season as well. The cook's went into Camp with staples delivered by train to Ardbeg on June 29<sup>th</sup>, 1953.

Camp opened July 10, 1953. Dock planking and Hyah-Hyah drive shaft bearings were repaired. Indoor toilet and septic system estimated at \$500.00 was deferred. George Masters had been in charge of kitchen help and food and was praised by Fred Bray Isaacs. Fred also praised R. L. Daniels for his constant input to his Secretary - Treasurer position and to Rae Burnie who was in charge of getting supplies to Camp.

Harrison's landing was purchased by Mr. Lockhart who offered the Camp boat storage buildings for a rent of \$600.00 per year. Members discussed this offer and then decided to start to use Bennett's Dock and parking areas as they were free.

Members repaired roof of root cellar.

Camp dues for members were \$15.00 per year and man days for members were \$7.50 with guest man days set at \$8.50 . There had been 294 regular Camp Days in 1953 which netted \$2,309.00. Dr. Joe Sanderson had a September hunting Camp and W. J. Haslam went in Camp on October 6<sup>th</sup> adding 32 Camp Days and \$48.00 to the above noted fund. New mattresses (6) were purchased for \$263.48. Property taxes were \$35.87, up 12 cents from 1952. The 1953 balance sheet shows that of the 1600 authorized \$25.00 shares, 170 shares at \$25.00 were held by shareholders. A good financial year was enjoyed by the Camp with a \$891.97 gain bringing the balance of the operating account to \$8,617.70 .

Resignations (0)

New Members (0)

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