

## 1979



Power plant building.

On March 3, 1979, the Board of Directors authorized Ned Riley to purchase an Onan 5000 Watt propane powered generator with a budget of \$3,500.00 which was to include the new remote start panel. It was delivered and installed in camp in the spring of 1979. The demand panel was installed later, in 1981, by Les Server.

👉 Pictures taken August 1999. 👈



Front Onan generator.  
Rear Kohler generator

The Annual General Meeting was held at the Sarnia Holiday Inn on October 28<sup>th</sup>, 1979. Camp members yearly dues were increased from \$100.00 per year with 5 free man days to \$125.00 per year with 5 free man days. Initiation fees were set at \$125.00. Additional member days were set at \$21.00 per day including the Cook's allowance, Guests days were set at \$26.00 per day including Cook's allowance (Cook's allowance was \$6.00 per man day). Out of season rates remained at \$8.00 per day. The Hyah-Hyah II motor needed work and the members authorized the replacement. Johnson outboard motor were sent out Peterborough for maintenance and the Mercury motor was sent to College Sports in London (Fred A. Isaacs company) and the chain saw was taken out for a tune up. An estimate to build a 16 foot steel boat was sought from Kenny Hayward. Fred A. Isaacs was elected as head of the Boat Committee. New purchases required included new blankets, brooms, carpet sweeper, bilge pump, 12 new locks, stem for gas pump, roll of chain and an oven control for the Moffat stove. An insurance claim was to be investigated for the replacement of the lost canoe and the Hyah-Hyah II motor. Paul Hauger was to contact the cook and helper, Margaret & Vic Garant, about the following season and was given a budget of \$2,500.00 for the couple to work with for the season. Rob W. Haddow expressed concern that the Camp was not considering the purchase of Sandy Hook from Mr. Sanderson and was given the task of investigating the matter and reporting back to the membership. Les Sever was to complete the storage shelf in the boathouse.

Les Server noted he did not wish to stand for re-election to the Board of Directors after serving on the Board for 12 years and a replacement was voted on at the October 28<sup>th</sup>, 1979 Annual General Meeting. Les was made an Honorary Board Member by the group for the 1979 season.

Due to stress and age, the rafters in the boathouse had to be repaired. This job was done by the members. Roof leaks in the main lodge and sleeping cabin, garbage dump, bath house and new boats were still under investigation. History shows that we can drag things out over a long period of time without trying to hard.

Sometime during the season, the Sportsman canoe went missing. It may have floated away or been stolen and remains a mystery. An insurance claim was later made to recoup the loss of the canoe and also to see about coverage of the motor in the Hyah. The motor in the Hyah Hyah II was damaged and the Board noted this at the Annual Meeting in October 28, 1979.



Camp help this year was Victor & Marge Garant.

Marge Garant. Cook for 1979 with her husband. Picture from Ned Riley.

Resignations (6) Geo. Furtney, John Fitzpatrick Sr., Jack Bantle, Nelson Kieb, Ed Mackey and Chris Teeter (Chris Tetter's 2<sup>nd</sup> resignation).

New members 10/79 (5) Claude Contant, Dan Beneteau, Jonathan Hauger, Hal Kapelle, John Kerr.



Kenny Hayward's African Queen parked outside the Hayward's Trading Post in 1979. Picture from Ned Riley.