

## 1986

Many members volunteered early payments of their dues to remove the need of a bank loan to cover the opening expenses. Ned Riley had applied to the Board for relief from '87 dues as he would not be able to attend camp due to work. The decision, by vote, was that no sabbaticals from dues would be allowed.

Rob Haddow put together his ideas on paper saying what Morton's Point Camp is all about. This compilation has been adopted by the Camp as it's "Spirit & Intentions of Morton's Point Camp. Motion to accept wording of the Spirit & Intentions was made by Pete Waller, seconded by Steve Bachle and carried at the October 26, 1986 Annual Meeting.

The balance of the bank loan (\$3,139.00) on the Thunder Craft was paid off March 1986.

### SPIRIT AND INTENTION OF MORTON'S POINT CAMP.

**I**t has been written that September 6, 1907 was the historic day Morton's Point as we know it was conceived. This was the day R. M. Morton and E. C. Kenny explored sites and bays for a suitable location for a camp. In the spring of 1910 construction of a log lodge was started on the 12 acres we know as Morton's Point.

**S**ince that time through the hard work and dedication of its members, Morton's Point has grown and provided countless days of health, happiness and fellowship. Over these years through courtesy and a willingness to help others, a reputation has been developed that we can all be proud of.

**I**t has not been just a simple premise of having a club to promote the welfare of members and guests that has made Morton's Point what it is. It is not simply a resort. It is an attitude. An attitude that appreciates the special atmosphere, the fellowship, the dedication and the history that goes along with it.

**I**t is because of those who have gone before us we have what we do. To them we owe our sincerest thanks. To ourselves we owe the enjoyment our camp has to offer. To those of the future we owe the responsibility of preservation shown to us.

**T**he enjoyment of the present, an appreciation of the past and a responsibility to the future is the spirit and intention of Morton's Point Camp. It is one that would have all who belong, work to put into the camp as much or more than you take out.



Camp cook was Fred Paulin. He stayed on until 1989.

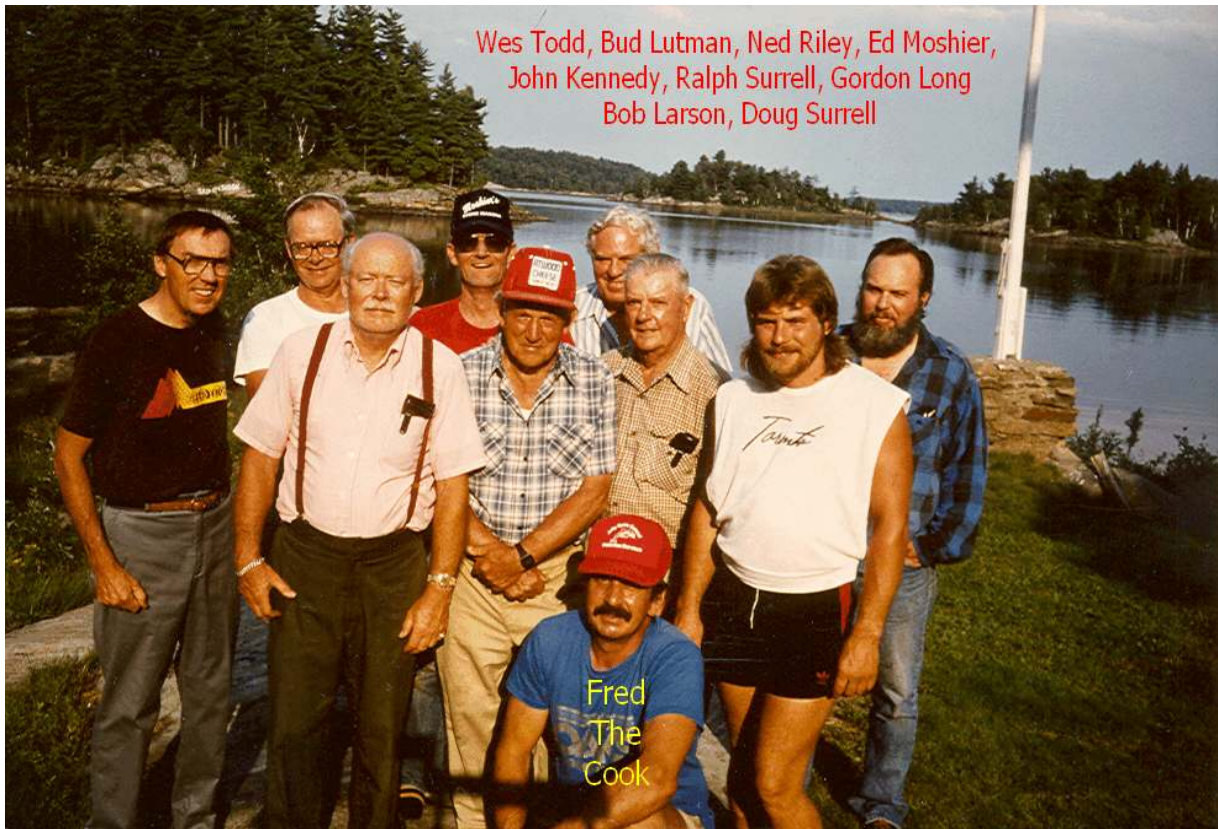
Fred Paulin, the cook, trying to catch dinner ???

The septic system and septic bed were replaced during 1986 and an outhouse was built. Talk of a shower house was mentioned in the minutes with no commitment made towards a start date. The storage cabinets were made to store the linens upstairs in the main lodge and give protection from mouse damage. A new propane hot water heater was installed in the kitchen. The balance owing on the bank loan from the Betty Lou II, \$3,139.00, was paid off in March 1986. With the above expenses and regular camp costs, the Camp was left in a deficit position of approximately \$2000.00 due to a lower than usual man day volume from guests and members. This was made up by many of the members pre-paying their Camp Dues, allowing the budget to be balanced without a bank loan. As the larger expenses would not be repeated in 1987, it was felt that although the treasury was low, the monies would be available to conduct regular business in the following season. In the President's message, Rob Haddow stated that increased attendance was the major issue to be tackled in the future as regular maintenance is a must and requires dollars to keep up.

Resignations (4) Noel Burroughs deceased before accepting membership, Cam Crowe, Pat Fisher non payment of dues, John Heintzman's membership was not accepted by letter, Michael McMurrich.

New members (5) Art Burgess, Hans Thorup, Dick Jack Morkin, John Lea, Ed Moshier.

Membership was at 44 including the new ,members voted in at the Annual General Meeting. 27 Canadian & 17 Americans.



Boys will be boys. 1986 good clean fun!!!!

See an asshole you know ?????

