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# NOTE FROM THE PRESIDENT—Richard Lanktree

Greetings to all Trout Lake Campers!

The leaves and blossoms are finally arriving and the great Trout Lake weather will soon follow. What a harsh and long winter we just had. Some say the last day of ice on the lake was May 5 and docks and water lines are being put in the lake this long weekend. As a safety note please check your roofs for damage especially chimneys this year with all the damaging snow and ice.

The Board of the Trout Lake Association met on May 4 to review and discuss all of our activities for the coming year:

The Annual General Meeting (AGM) is scheduled for Saturday June 22 at "Happy Landing "hosted by the new owners. I encourage anyone interested in volunteering for the Board or any of the committees to please contact myself. We have a robust group of members and a number of positions are up for election. We always welcome new and creative ideas.

Please see the Notice of the Annual General Meeting included with this bulletin. A special shout out to all the Board members and Committee members whose dedication and work on behalf of the association is very much appreciated.

Along with the Bulletins, the tradition of the Picnic, our main event will as always be scheduled on the Sunday of the August long weekend (August 4th) The children will have lots of activities to keep them busy and they really look forward to the field and water races. The Picnic will once again be held at "Happy Landing" starting at noon. There will be door prize draws for members in attendance so please drop by the membership desk when you arrive to get your name entered. Door prizes must be picked up at the picnic, so you or a delegate must be present when the draws are held.

Please review the articles in this bulletin for updates on Membership, Safety, Forestry & Environment, Fishery and Treasury. Please also note our community advertising businesses that support our bulletin.

Remember if you have photos that you would like to submit for the calendar please send them to <a href="mailto:lanktreedebbie@gmail.com">lanktreedebbie@gmail.com</a> Please note the month it was taken and we appreciate all of your submissions which helps us produce 80 calendars for our members.

Have a great spring and summer everyone and Happy Camping!

Richard (Dick) Lanktree President

647-649-6945, richardlanktree8@gmail.com



# ENVIRONMENT & FORESTRY REPORT Guy Springgay, Director

Hello to all campers and welcome to spring. Snow was a peak this year and our camp was fortunate to not have any losses from the snow weight (so far!). I hope this report finds your camps and homes in the same condition.

#### **Update on Environment:**

We have received the results from Lake Partner Ontario for the various testing (Total Phosphorus, Calcium and Secchi disk) we did in 2018. See graphs on next page.

The phosphorus reading shows a large drop in comparison to last four years. One explanation is that the samples were taken much later than normal due to weather conditions (we need a sunny and calm day). With it being later in the year, the lake could have flushed out water with higher phosphorus level. Other factors such as the atmosphere adding input, global warming, and thermocline changes make it sometimes difficult to determine the main causes. Ideally, this reduction would be from vigilant campers and visitors in controlling pollution, waste water, and fertilizers that we release into the water. Let's see what future tests bring.

Calcium results are lower than previous years but still well above the threshold of 1.5 mg required to keep healthy aquatic species depending on Calcium (such as crayfish). The average is about 2.4 mg/l (milligrams per liter) since we started testing for this in 2009.

Secchi results are in the normal range of about 4.0 meters indicating very good water transparency

The kits for 2019 sampling will arrive soon and we will do the first set of sampling in May or early June depending on weather conditions.

As mentioned in previous bulletins, last year the Federation of Ontario Cottagers' Associations (FOCA) offered grants for work on invasive species and we received a grant with no cost to our Association. The consultants surveyed the entire lake for Purple Loose-strife as well as other evasive plant species. The report is now posted on our web page at <a href="http://www.tlcasd.ca/">http://www.tlcasd.ca/</a> along with recommendations on an eradication program. I encourage campers to read the report as it is very informative of the various aquatic plants in front of camps. A good part of the recommendations involve camp owners with the plants in front of their properties undertaking proper removal and disposal.

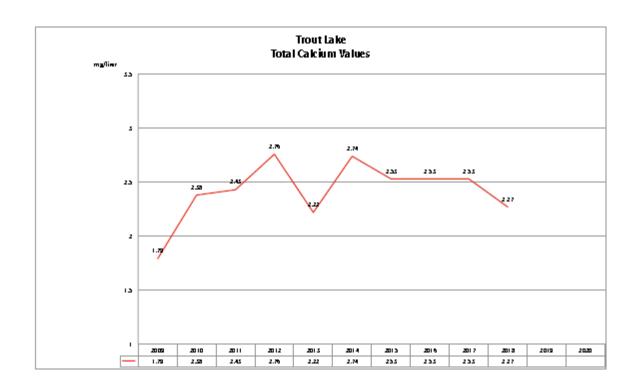
I continue to be watchful of visiting campers on islands and nearby waterways that flow into Trout Creek, such as at Judge Lake. Anything spilled within 400 feet from the lake will eventually reach the lake water. If you see anything that disturbs you please bring it to either my attention or one of the directors.

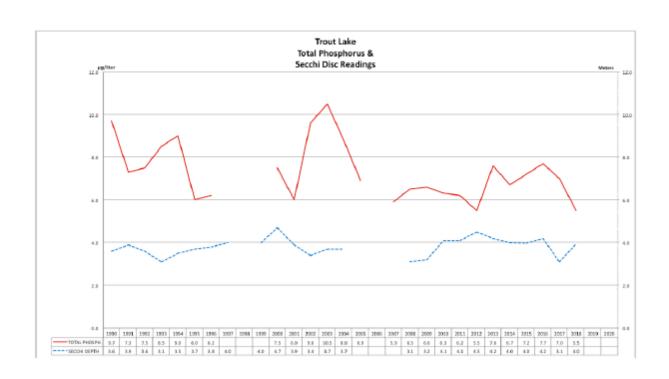
#### **Update on Forestry:**

We are currently involved in discussions about the next Sudbury Forest 2020-2030 Forest Management Plan. **The biggest and the most important issue** is the indication by the VFM (Vermillion Forest Management) that they want to drastically reduce the no harvest restriction window within the Trout Lake area from present May 1 to Thanksgiving weekend in October to only two months from July 1 to September 1. This presents a huge safety issue for everyone travelling on camp access roads during the high camp season. You can imagine meeting a fully loaded log truck around the sharp curve or hilly part of the road. Over the years, the traffic on camp roads has increased due to many new permanent residences and more campers enjoying the lake during entire year. At its meeting on May 4 the Board of Directors adamantly opposed this proposal and instructed the negotiating team headed by Bob Nikolic to, if the proposal stays in the plan, fight this change first through the Resolution process with MNRF and possibly other means such as going public.

We urge all campers to demonstrate your opposition to this change by emailing Tim Lehman, R.P.F of MNRF at <a href="mailto:2020FMP@ontario.ca">2020FMP@ontario.ca</a> with copy to Ron Luopa, R.P.F. of VFM at <a href="mailto:rloupa@sudburyforest.com">rloupa@sudburyforest.com</a>. It would help if you could copy Bob Nikolic at <a href="mailto:landbnikolic@gmail.com">landbnikolic@gmail.com</a> as well as myself at <a href="mailto:Springgay@sympatico.ca">Springgay@sympatico.ca</a>. We have to remember that this Plan is in force for ten years so we would have to live with a hazardous traffic situation for many years.

There will be a **public open house** review of the detailed plan on **May 24** from 10:00 AM to 8:00 PM **and May 25**<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM at Northbury Hotel, 50 Brady Street, Sudbury where you can see the planned activities around Trout Lake and voice your opposition to changes in time restrictions on logging activity around the lake. Make sure you register and file a written complaint. It is hoped that enough people will voice concerns, that this issue will be resolved without us having to escalate our objections. The official public review notice is posted on our website. We appreciate your support.

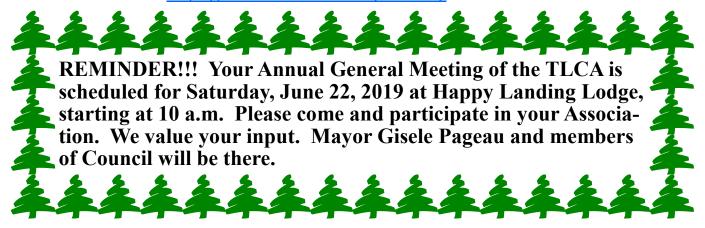






We have a Facebook Page! The Association now has a page where we can share news and information quickly amongst our members. Please visit often and "like" our page, so you will be kept up to date on lake happenings. Many of you are using the page to share news and photos around the lake.

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#### THE WINTER THAT WAS...

The "highlights" of the winter included our first snowfall in early November, and the last one on May 1st! We received in excess of 300 inches of snow and new records were set. The snowbanks along our road were higher than my head and we couldn't see over them. The municipal snowplows came and cut back and pushed back the banks 3 times, resulting in snowbanks that were about 10 feet wide at the base.

In addition to all the snow, we had 3 significant thaw and rain events which added layers of ice to the snowpack and lots of weight on everyone's roofs. Many portable garage structures collapsed under the weight.

The ice formed early on the lake, but due to the weight of the snow, there was a great deal of slush which impacted the snowmobiling. We couldn't even get to the lake in order to walk on the ice, and if we had, we couldn't have walked without snowshoes due to the snow depth. It wasn't until late March that the ice surface had hardened enough to permit walking.

The depth of winter snow made it extremely difficult for the wildlife and we saw little of the resident moose. The ice layers in the snow made it difficult for animals to dig down to find the shrubs and things they eat.

When the thaw started we all hoped for a long, slow melt and we were very lucky, as that's what we got. The spring water levels were higher than we have EVER seen them. Fortunately, now they are receding. We were rewarded this spring, with the worst road conditions in many years. Frost bumps, dropped culverts, potholes, ice and slush were problematic to say the least.

After what seemed like a never-ending winter, with record breaking snowfalls, spring has come to Trout Lake. As I'm writing this, the ice has disappeared as of May 5th. We're looking forward to life returning to normal at the lake as the summer residents return and things get busy again.

# TROUT LAKE CAMPERS ASSOCIATION FINANCIAL STATEMENT JANUARY 1, 2018 TO DEGEMBER 31, 2018

| ALL ACCOUNTS                         | 01,1010     |              |              |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| General                              | \$ 2,719.50 |              |              |
| Lottery                              | \$ 1,480.41 |              |              |
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| BANK BALANCEAS OF DECEMBER 31, 2017  |             | \$ 4,199.91  | 2018         |
| REVENUE                              |             |              | BUDGET       |
| NEVEROE                              |             |              |              |
| Administration                       | \$ 11.44    |              | \$ -         |
| Advertising                          | \$ 3,520.00 |              | \$ 3,325.00  |
| Bank Interest                        | \$ 15.90    |              | \$ -         |
| Clothing                             | \$ 430.00   |              | \$ 1,200.00  |
| Donations                            | \$ 1,257.25 |              | \$ 900.00    |
| Grants                               |             |              |              |
|                                      | -           |              | \$ 1,000.00  |
| Lottery                              | \$ 2,600.00 |              | \$ 3,000.00  |
| Social Evening                       | \$ 1,620.00 |              | \$ 1,500.00  |
| Members hip                          | \$ 5,150.00 |              | \$ 5,000.00  |
| Merchandise                          | \$ 1,280.00 |              | \$ 1,600.00  |
| Miscellaneous                        | \$ -        |              | \$ -         |
| Pionic Revenue                       | \$ 410.00   |              | \$ 500.00    |
| Total Revenue                        |             | \$ 16,658.19 | \$ 18,025.00 |
| <u>EXPENSES</u>                      |             |              |              |
| Administration                       | \$ 3,722.26 |              | \$ 3,800.00  |
| Bulletin                             | \$ 4,295.05 |              | \$ 3,800.00  |
| Clothing                             | \$ -        |              | \$ -         |
| Environment                          | \$ -        |              | \$ 600.00    |
| Fishery                              | \$ 384.81   |              | \$ 1,250.00  |
| •                                    | \$ -504.01  |              |              |
| Forestry                             |             |              | \$ -         |
| Lottery                              | \$ 1,447.88 |              | \$ 1,800.00  |
| Social Evening                       | \$ 1,398.92 |              | \$ 1,300.00  |
| Membership                           | \$ 344.34   |              | \$ 300.00    |
| Merchandise                          | \$ 1,250.03 |              | \$ 1,100.00  |
| Pienie                               | \$ 1,915.44 |              | \$ 2,200.00  |
| Safety                               | \$ 1,795.55 |              | \$ 1,600.00  |
| Total Expenses                       |             | \$ 16,554.28 | \$ 17,750.00 |
| BOOK BALANCE AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2018 |             | \$ 4,303.82  | •            |
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| 12 MONTH GIC - CAISSE POPULAIRE      |             | \$ 3,000.00  |              |
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| TOTAL FUNDS                          |             | \$ 7,303.82  |              |
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Prepared by Dave Moxham, Treasurer

## FISHERY—Deven Stillar

#### Hello fellow fishing enthusiasts,

I hope you're all as excited as we are at the Fishery department for another year of great times on the water. 2019 looks to be an exciting time for usas we have some very promising initiatives in the works.

Wishing everyone a safe and fun summer.

#### Sincerely,

Your friends at the Fisheries Department.

#### Starting summer off with a bangli

Early season pike fishing can be the best time to land that monster pike you've been dreaming of (even though you told your significant other you were dreaming of them). That's because big pike that cruise open water during the summer, spend their springs. in the shallows, which makes locating them much easier (polarized glasses are a must). Look for shallow weedy areas, but be careful on approach as these temperamental fish. will be very moody and easy to spook this time of year. Once you've located your target, the real fun begins. I recommend trying to get the beast to bite by using one of three lure types. First, the spinnerbait. This is the fast-food bait for Pike; a very easy meal that requires little effort. With it's flash and vibration, the pike will surely think it's just heard the dinner bell ring. Insider info: keep the spinnerbait light in weight to counter the shallow waters. Second, the olassic spoon. Spoons have been around for a long time and that's because they catch fish — plain and simple. The famous Red Devil, Five of Diamonds or the Williams Wablershould all do the trick. Insider info: if a fish follows your lure but refuses to bite, stop mid-way through the retrieve and let the spoon flutter downward, that should be enough to convince the pike that it's hungry. Third, is: the hallow body swimbait. Using this bait isn't for the faint of heart as a slow retrieve is best, and patience is a must. Slight twitches, even completely stopping the bait when you have the fishes attention will work wonders. Insider info: use light equipment when casting this bait (line and leader) to stop it from sinking too quickly. Once you've decided on your weapon of choice, cast well in front of the fish and let the fish's actions tell. you what it likes and doesn't like.

A note on conservation. If you're like us at the fishery department, a healthy fish population for future generations to enjoy is very important to you too. Although we can legally keep 1 or 2 pike over 24 inches in length, it is generally considered standard procedure within the fishing community to release all pike over 27 inches. If too many large pike are harvested, the lake could end up with a population of 'sturted' pike. These are pike that 've had to compete with each other their whole lives and mature earlier, thus never reaching 'large' size. This results in a pike population of all small to medium size pike. This has happened with many lakes in Northern Ontario that still haven't recovered, and maybe never will. Thanks for your thought and consideration on this important topic.

Wishing you all beint rods & tight lines this summer.





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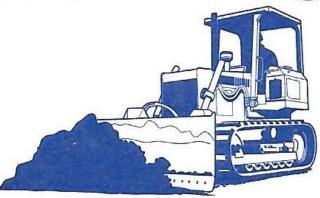
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- B e S ocial—connect with FOCA on Pacebook, Twitter and YouTube, and share our posts with your waterhort friends.
- 3. Attend Member Events—connectwith your lake association peers & get inspired! See postings here: https://iocs.cn.cs/events/

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# SAFETY REPORT—Darryl Taylor

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Thank you to all of the volunteers who look after the markers and fire pumps. If you require any additional supplies please let me know.

Campers please be familiar with the fire pump closest to your camp. If you need any assistance with the fire pump operation, I would be happy to help.

#### Dodd Lake

Reminder about labeling your boat at Dodd Lake. We are pursuing doing a clean up of the abandoned boats and the ones that are submerged in the lake. Please have your name and number printed clearly on the boat. If you have any concerns re this matter or would like to volunteer to help out, please feel free to contact me.

Have a safe summer Darryl Taylor 705-662-3834 taylorsheetmetal@gmail.com

To Report a Fire:
Call 310—FIRE

# MEMBERSHIP REPORT—Debbie Lanktree

Happy spring fellow campers!

Membership renewal letters have been mailed. Membership dues remain at \$25. Please renew your membership as soon as possible. As was the case last year, you have two options to renew your dues:

- Send a cheque and your contact information (including email address please) to 1. TLCASD, P.O. Box 315, Noelville, P0M 2N0, or;
- Renew online at the Federation of Ontario Cottagers' Association website at foca.on.ca/product/trout-lake-campers-association-copy. Note that if you choose this option there is a \$1.25 processing fee but it will save you the mailing

If you are aware of new owners on the lake please mention the Association to them and send me an email to let me know so I can follow up. New members won't join if they don't know we exist. Your help in spreading the word would be very much appreciated!

Thank you to all members for your ongoing support.

Email: lanktreedebbie@gmail.com

Cell: 416-660-5343

If you think you're too small to have an impact try going to bed with a mosquito in the room.





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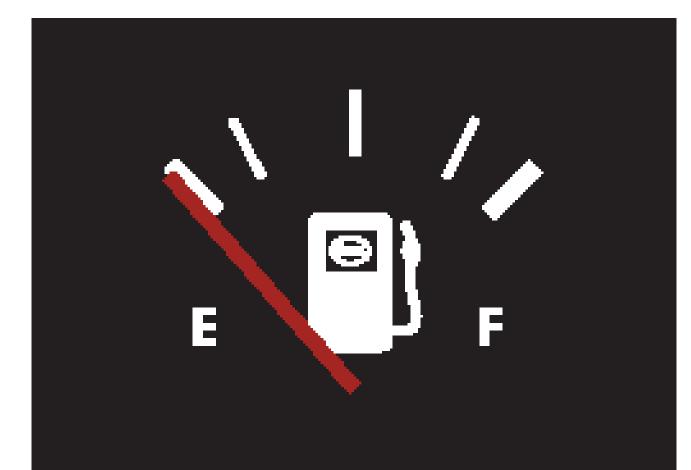
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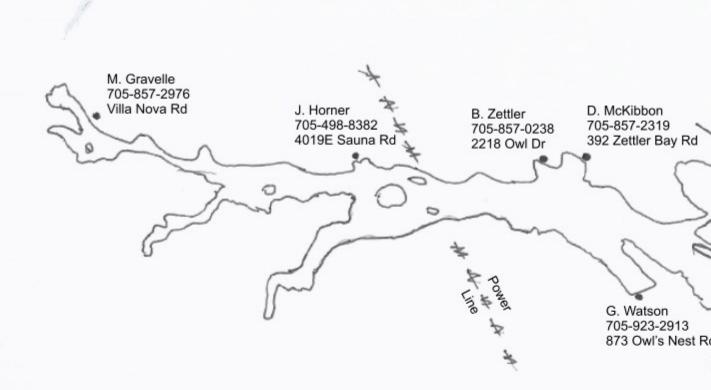
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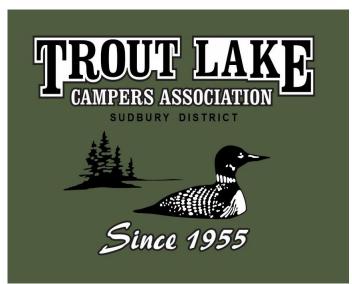
Thank you to all pump and light stewards! Your commitment to the safety of the lake is greatly appreciated. If you require supplies, please call Darryl Taylor (705) 662-3834

Note: There have been changes to the Fire Pump map, particularly with contact telephone numbers. Make sure you use the current map in the event of a fire.

# FIRE PUMP LOCATIONS

Note: The fire pump at Happy Landing Lodge has been removed from map because it is a private pump. G. Wallace 705-822-4963 NORTH SHORE 2189E Wiggle Rd Owl's Nest Lodge 705-857-2565 G. Chicquen 1395 Owl's Nest Rd 705-857-2673 G. Gravelle 466 Cherriman Rd 705-857-2260 1631B Owl's Nest Rd TH SHORE Silv'ry Moon Lodge 705-857-2633 1302 Silv'ry Moon Rd L. Hewitt 519-344-8556 D. Moxham 542 Silv'ry Moon Rd 853B Lafreniere Rd. (705) 898-1326

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# Basic emergency kit checklist:

Water – 2 litres per person

Food that won't spoil – canned food, energy bars, dried foods (replace once a year)

Manual can opener

Wind-up or battery-powered flashlight & extra batteries

Wind-up or battery-powered radio

First aid kit

Extra keys for your car and house

Cash, cheques, and change

Important family documents – identification, insurance and bank records

Emergency plan

Pet supplies – leash, food, water bowl

Medicines, prescriptions

Candles, matches or lighter

Space blanket/sleeping bag

Cellphone and charger cord

Utensils, disposable plates, portable cooking stove

Water purification tablets

Whistle

Duct tape

Extra clothing

Toiletries, personal hygiene items

Basic tools or a multi-tool

Make an emergency plan. Think about how you would leave in an evacuation with different scenarios. Where would you meet if separated? How to deal with pets, children, people with disabilities, and so on. There are many websites which can assist you with making these plans.

Did you know that a house fire today can fully engulf a room in 2 minutes or less, due to the number of flammable materials, such as laminates, and petroleum based building materials? If you see a fire, GET OUT! Don't think about bringing anything with you, just get out. Call for help once everyone is out.



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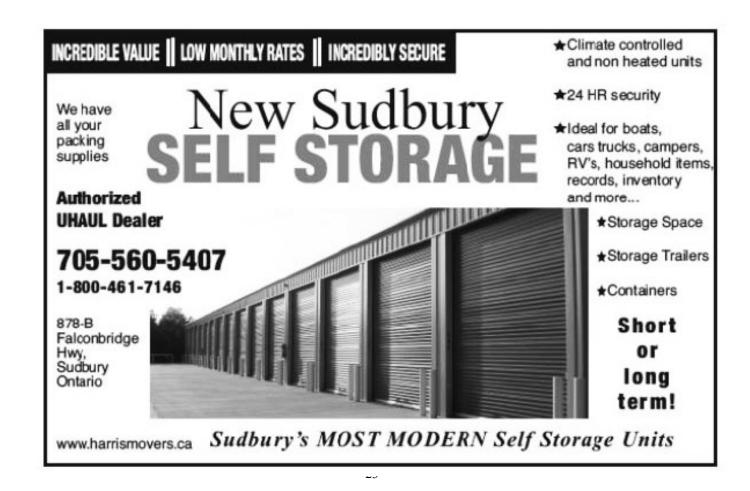
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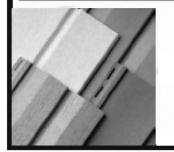
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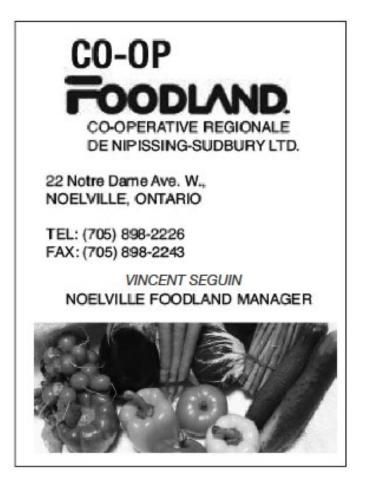
Being in nature, also reduces the "inward thinking" that leads to anxiety, depression and addiction, while promoting positive and relaxing "outward thinking". But you need to slow down and smell the pines.

\$4 million in Japanese research has proven that spending time in the forest can significantly reduce the levels of cortisol (the stress hormone) in your body, improve brain function, concentration and memory, reduce blood pressure, and even boost the immune system. Researchers also found the natural aroma of the forest—the essential oils or phytoncides that trees emit to protect them from insects and disease—activates natural killer cells in humans.

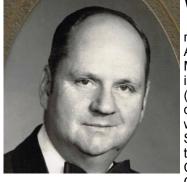
When you arrive at your camp or lake house, get out of the car, and take that first deep breath of Trout Lake air, you are on your way to quality, relaxation time. It also can be a time to re-connect with family, get away from pressures of work, and disconnect from our devices. No cell service? No problem. Embrace the natural world instead of the electronic one.

To have the maximum benefits of forest bathing, during your walk, STOP, LISTEN, SMELL, TOUCH and take time to SEE the forest. You'll be amazed how you feel.





# IN MEMORIAM



# William "Bill" McKnight

n Loving Memory Of William "Bill" McKnight 92 years Passed away on Friday, April 5th, 2019 at Health Sciences North, Sudbury. Beloved husband of Marion McKnight (nee Hunt). Loving father of David (Shirley) and Allen (Colette). Cherished grandfather of J.J. (Mel), Brett, Jennifer (Jesse Usher), and Lindsay (Cody Beattie). Dear son of Robert and Viola (nee Proctor) McKnight both predeceased. Bill was born in Medicine Hat, Alberta in 1926, moving to Ontario with his parents in 1937 and settling in Sudbury. After graduating from Sudbury Secondary School he started working for the International Nickel Company. At the age of 17, Bill joined the Army and served in the Canadian Infantry Corp. as Corporal from 1944 to 1946, then returned to work with the International Nickel Company. He was married to Marian in 1949 and they had two sons, David and

Allen. Bill enjoyed bowling, curling, and their summer home at the lake with time spent fishing and hunting. He became active with the Boy Scouts where he spent several years working with Leaders as the Training Chairman, and for four years as President of the District Council. Retiring in 1984, Bill spent 4 months of every year in St. Petersburg, Florida with "his Lady" and Masonic friends, and meeting friends of the Craft and became very active in Florida in the winter months. Bill held many posts, and received many degrees and honours within the Masonic Lodge and the Sudbury Shrine Club, which include the Cryptic Rite, Preceptory, York Rite College, Knight of York Cross of Honour, Order of Silver Trowel, Order of Purple Cross, Consistory, Mystic Shrine, Hillbilly Degree, Conclave, High Priest Hood. He was a member of the Royal Canadian Legion for over 50 years

# **Lanny Cullum**

A kind and caring man, Lanny Cullum passed away peacefully at St. Joseph's Villa on Wednesday, April 3rd, 2019 with his daughters by his side at the age of 81. Loving husband to Patricia Cullum (née Comerford) predeceased 2018. Caring dad to his three girls: Karen currently residing in China, Nanci (Geoff McNabb) residing in Hanmer, and Susan (the late Randy Preiss) residing in Carleton Place. Adoring Papa to seven grand-children: Clayton McNabb (Christine), Ben Royce (Kirstyn), Alex Royce (Maddi), Kristy Bodson (Mike), Megan Cullum (Randy), and Chris Royce, and seven great grandchildren. Son of the late Earl and of the late Irene (née Pokrandt) Cullum. Dear brother of Eula Van Horn (the late Glen Van Horn) of Sudbury. Predeceased by his brothers Wayne Cullum and Terry Cullum. Special brother-in-law to Jane Keown (Guy) and Rosemary Au-



brey (the late Ron Aubrey) and predeceased by his step-brother-in-law Sheldon Macartney (Glenn). Loving uncle to many nieces and nephews. He also leaves behind family in Ottawa and lifelong friend Fred Wharton. In his teenage years, Lanny worked as a Mechanic and at the Sudbury Canoe Club before starting his career at Bell Canada, which included being an active member of the Pioneers. Lanny volunteered with the Legion to sell poppies for Remembrance Day and also volunteered as a driver during the Special Olympics and during the Steve Fonyo run across Canada. Lanny had a passion for cars, enjoyed curling and loved spending time at his "camp" on Trout Lake. In retirement he enjoyed his home in Bradenton Florida, his Tuesday breakfasts with fellow retirees, and his "Thursday meetings" at the Lockerby Legion Branch 564. Lanny was blessed with a long-time circle of close friends.



#### **Peter Bonish**

In Loving Memory of Peter "Pete" Robert Bonish 94 years Wednesday, March 6th, 2019 at home It is with deep sadness our family announces Pete's sudden, but peaceful passing. Pete was born in a cook house car on February 3rd, 1925 in Cupar, Saskatchewan to his parents Paul and Olga Bonish. Pete grew up working on the family farm. As a young man, he left Saskatchewan in search of employment. His journey landed him in Sudbury where INCO was hiring. Once he had secured a job, Pete sent for his high school sweetheart Evelyn Gibson to join him in Sudbury where they were married in 1948 at St. Paul's United Church.

Always a hard worker and an entrepreneur, Pete began by buying a panel truck to transport fellow workers to and from the mines. In the late 1940s while still working for INCO, Pete started his business Pete's Home Radio Service, repairing and installing radios. His business was located at 351 Regent Street in the same building as Bob's Washers and Len Smith Signs. In 1959 Pete changed the name and moved the business, Pete's Drive-In Radio, to 291 Regent Street. There was no stopping Pete, his business grew and expanded to Pete's Radio and Rent-All, then to Pete's Rentall Limited and currently Pete's Party & Tent Rentall.

Pete's joy was spending as much time as possible at his camp on Trout Lake making wonderful family memories. A pioneer of the north shore, he built roads, constructed buildings and served on both the Trout Lake Roads Board and the Trout Lake Campers Association. Pete's passion was woodworking. He milled fallen trees, planed the wood then crafted it into everything from cribbage boards to lamps, clocks, furniture, and buildings. He also built pine boxes for the cremated remains of family and friends. He even built a box for his own ashes and would often say, "I made my box out of oak as I am allergic to pine."

Only a few years ago while in his 90s, Pete was still making harvest style tables for our Rental business. Pete was a respected, kind, knowledgeable mentor and friend to many. He had an incredible sense of humour and enjoyed sharing laugh out loud tales from his life. His past experiences and stories were always a joy to listen to. Pete will be truly missed by all who knew him. Beloved husband and best friend of Evelyn (Gibson) Bonish predeceased 2012. Loving father of Dan (Sue), Doug, and Tim (Wendy). Wonderful Poppa of Peter Aaron, Benjamin (Heather), Jason (Nicky), Sarah and Jessica. Cherished great Poppa of Mylaine, Isabelle, Kain, and Rya. Dear son of Paul and Olga (Ewert) Bonish both predeceased. Dear brother of Allen (Donna), Edna Warren, and predeceased by Elmer, Elma, Herbert, Erwin, and David. Special Uncle to many nieces and nephews.

Our condolences go out to the families of these Trout Lakers

# IN MEMORIAM



### JEFF GRIEVE

Passed away at home surrounded by his family on Saturday, May 11, 2019. Beloved husband of Bev (nee Reynolds), loving dad of Sarah and David (Hilary). Jeff was a devoted grandpa to Avery and Cohen and loved nothing more than watching them grow and play. He was the dear brother of Dwight (Karen) and Spencer (Berny) and will be fondly remembered by his nieces and nephew. He will be missed by

his sister-in-law Ann (Donnie) and his extended family Susan and Justin. Sincere appreciation goes to Dr. Cano, Dr. Carlson, and Dr. Saidi for their care and professionalism. Special thanks to friends Peter and Catherine for their support during this difficult time. Jeff had many happy memories walking alongside his parents and brothers, building a camp at Trout Lake, and he added to those memories with his own family and with his grandchildren. Jeff was a dedicated environmental analyst at Inco and enjoyed many accomplishments during his forty-year career. He volunteered with several organizations: chair of Adanac-Laurentian University Ski Club and Sudbury Regional Ski Council, official with various ski organizations, United Way, Sudbury Dragon Boat Festival, and past president of Trout Lake Campers Association. As per his request, there will be no visitation or service. A celebration of Jeff's life will be arranged at a later date.

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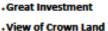
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