



Happy Holidays & Best Wishes for 2012!

Hello friends!

As 2011 comes to an end Shara & I would like to wish you and yours All The Very Best Of The Season and A Safe, Healthy and Prosperous New Year!

After 22 seasons at Bull Moose Camp we've had the privilege of meeting a lot of wonderful people from all walks of life and are blessed to have a ton of great memories. The fish stories and daily reports of the hot spots and those tales of the one that got away along with a list of ones released are countless but all add up to make one smile. We are so pleased to be a small part of so many people's lives and vacation memories.

As always, the fish held up their end of the deal and provided plenty of excitement during the 2011 season. The numbers were good and those trophies too many to add up! The weather over all made for one of the nicest seasons we've had over the years with relatively dry conditions combined with warm temperatures. Mosquitos we're again conspicuously absent for the most part and much of the wind was from the south instead of the north. The lake began the season at near normal levels from the winter snows but with the dry weather continued to drop throughout the entire summer to slightly lower than normal lows. The good news here... way less places for the fish to hide and a great opportunity for our guests to learn how shallow some of their favorite areas actually are and where exactly those rocks are!

With the dry conditions we did have more forest fires than normal in the region however it was not of any serious concern. The men and women who work in Forest Fire Management do an excellent job keeping us safe out in the forest and have access to all of the best technology and equipment so we can always feel comfortable. We had some excitement with planes and helicopters coming in to camp to shuttle a bunch of fire crews to a couple of fires off the east end of Upper Goose and for some days people even got to see the water bombers in action which is always an awesome sight. Wildlife sightings once again included moose and caribou as well as the many eagles, river otters and beavers, song birds and so much more.

As some of you are aware, Green Airways is up for sale and though they'd hoped to have it sold by now, so far nothing has happened. They promised us that if anything changed that would impact our normal flying schedule that we'd have plenty of notice so we anticipate a continuation of the excellent service we've always had from them and will keep you posted.

The 2012 season is booking up and we'd like to thank those of you already on the schedule for your reservation. To those of you thinking about a reservation, please note that we'll once again offer the past year rates to be carried forward to next year for people making reservations early and getting their deposits in before the first of the year. There are openings for late May, early June, some July and of course August so please contact us at any time to plan a trip.

Thank you again and take care, *Tom, Shara & Family*

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