

Only ONE Boating Course Planned for 2001-2002

Running 2 courses a year has always been rushed. The squadron is planning on running only one Safe Boating course this fall/winter. The course will commence in Mid October and run till February. The #1 reason for only running one course is lack of participants although this will make it much easier on our volunteer instructors and the students will not be so rushed around Christmas, trying to squeeze exams and studying in around already

hectic schedules.

It is very important to get participants in this course as this is the prerequisite course to join the squadron and thus the future of the squadron. If you know anyone interested in taking the course, please contact George Graham or the Squadron Hot Line (see page 4 for contact info) 

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Chief Cruise a Success

By Mike Eedy

Friday 24 Aug 2001 dawned bright and sunny as the NBPSS embarked on the Chief Commanda II for the 2nd (perhaps becoming annual) "Historical Cruise". Counting up the gang found almost 50% more squadron members than the previous year, taking the opportunity for a cruise with someone else conning so we could enjoy the vistas.

John Size's commentary reminded us of many things we knew and more that we had forgotten about the long history of Lake Nipissing. And while we still stopped at Keystone Lodge to let off and pickup some folks, the route was different from last year so we got to see another set of images including Caven's rock.

Eventually we found ourselves back at Government dock. The companionship had been excellent, the weather accommodating, the food adequate and the beer cold. For those of you who decided to stay at work instead of joining us - Bad Choice!

The Chief's schedule next year allowing, we plan upon doing this again so get it on your schedules now. You don't want to be left ashore as we wave Bye Bye from the upper deck again.



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First (annual?) CPS - BBQ a Success, But Poorly Attended

By Terry Lang

This year we were finally able to pull off the (annual???) Summer BBQ at the Greater Manitou Island in August.

Last year this event had to be postpone do to high winds and bad weather (yes, some of you with bigger boats made it out last year, but for us little guys it wasn't worth the risk).

Weather cooperated beautifully this year. Kids were swimming, and sunglasses were required. Our commander Ford grilled up some delectable eats, and a good time was had by all.

Carol and Ron (although a bit late) made a dazzling entrance by 'buzzing' the beach with their flying boat from the back side of the island.

Unfortunately turnout wasn't all it could have been. Only 5 members and their families attended. Since it was such a fun day, we will be planning one again next year. We want to encourage ALL members to join us next year and hopefully make it an annual rendezvous! 🍁



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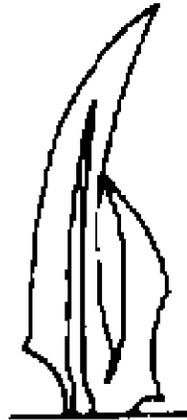
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Commanders Message:

SUMMER 2001

By Caven Ford



As another boating season starts to draw to a close, I am happy to note that I managed to be in mine a bit more this year than last. I also intend to leave her in the water as long as possible. If the weather holds, there is still some boating season left.

The squadron BBQ on the Manitou Islands in August was a great time. Although poorly attended by the rest of the squadron membership, the bridge members and family that showed up did have a really good meal and relaxing time. The squadron sponsored Chief Commanda cruise was also enjoyable. It has been quite a few years since I was aboard the "Chief" and had never traveled down through the French River before. The commentary provided by our very own John Size was quite interesting, as I was unaware of some of the historical tidbits he passed along during the cruise. I thoroughly enjoyed the tour of the bridge and was somewhat surprised to learn that my own craft has more "electronics" on it than the Chief! Except for radar, but I hope to convince my first mate just how necessary that is in time for Christmas this year.

These Squadron activities will likely be repeated next year, why not try to attend one!

Caven Ford P 



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Next Bridge Meeting:
Wed. October 17, 2001 @ 17:30
At the Yacht Club in Callander

2001 Paid Membership North Bay Power and Sail Squadron

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