



# Mountain Lake, Haliburton, Property Owners Inc.

**NOVEMBER 1997**

## Message from the President

Greetings to all members. With the help of an enthusiastic group of volunteers, the executive was able to sponsor a variety of events. On July 1<sup>st</sup>, a hospital fund raiser, July 5<sup>th</sup> our annual meeting, July 13<sup>th</sup> the rock bass derby, a long distance swim on Aug. 3<sup>rd</sup>, a golf tournament Aug. 16<sup>th</sup> and our annual picnic at the M.N.R. launch site.

We plan to repeat these events next year, the dates to be announced in the Spring newsletter.

All in all, we have had a great year! But it is not over yet. Don't forget to support the upcoming winter events in the Minden area. See calendar of events.

On behalf of the executive and myself, we wish you and your family a safe and happy holiday season.

Steve Taylor

## The 1997 Executive of the Mountain Lake (Haliburton)-Property Owners' Inc.

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## C.A.H.M.R.A. MEETING REPORT

The coalition of Anson, Hindon and Minden Ratepayer's Associations met on Saturday Oct. 14, 1997. Your past president, Ian Daniels, and present Steve Taylor, were in attendance.

C.A.M.R.A. Recommendations are to:

Rejeanne (Jean) Anthon -Reeve (acclamation)

Gerry Rome -Deputy Reeve (acclamation)

Councillors: Grant Ploorard

Daryle Moore

Sinc Nesbitt

Mountain Lake executive voted to support:

Grant Ploorard as councillor. Rejeanne Anthon as Reeve (acclaimed) and Gerry Rome as Deputy-Reeve (acclaimed).

**Voting Day: Monday, November 10<sup>th</sup>.**

**Advanced Poll: Saturday, Nov. 1**

### DID YOU KNOW?

- Mountain Lake was commercially fished for lake trout during World War II ?
- Loons are prehistoric birds and are unable to walk on land ?
- Mountain Lake and Haliburton County loons winter in Nova Scotia on salt water?
- Our Mountain lake water quality is better now than it was five years ago?
- As of 1997, Mountain Lake Property Owners have a membership of 165 ?

"We do not remember days, we remember moments"

-Cesare Pavese, The Burning Brand (Walker)

**SUMMER PICNIC REPORT**

The weather was perfect (as usual) for the August 3rd **Mountain Lake Property Owners Picnic** held at the M.N.R. launch site on Jordan Drive. About one hundred and twenty five people participated in a day of fun and fellowship. Organizers offered a variety of games for all ages. The day ended with yummy hot dogs, hamburgers, soft drinks and watermelon for all.

**MEMBERSHIP FEES**

At the Mountain Lake Property Owners meeting last October, members voted unanimously to increase the membership fee to **\$12.00** per year. This will be confirmed at the next general meeting in July 1998. The date, time and place of this meeting, will be announced in your Spring newsletter.

While their kitchen was being remodelled, my neighbours had to shut off their electricity. One night, as we were bringing them dinner, we noticed a sign on their front door: "The doorbell has been disconnected. Please knock loudly to activate dog".

**From the Membership Chairman**

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the "ROAD REPS" who helped out this Summer by checking names and addresses for our Membership list.

**TO ALL MEMBERS**

Thank you for your support and if you, for whatever reason have a change of address in the coming year, please send me a postcard with the new one. We wouldn't want you to miss your newsletter.

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**CALENDAR OF EVENTS 1997-8**

<u>MONTH</u>	<u>DAY</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
October 25 <sup>th</sup> to Nov. 15 <sup>th</sup>		Haliburton Rails End Gallery Christmas Show	For hours call: 705-457-2330
November 6 - 16		Pritchard House Christmas Sale	East side of Minden Post Office
November 29		Santa Claus Parade	Main St. Minden
January 17 & 18		Sled Dog Derby	Begins 10:00 am, Minden Val Loughheed 286-1119 Subject to weather conditions
January (mid)		Car Racing on Ice Begins	For information: 705-754-2351
January 24		H. H. Cross Country Ski Races	Haliburton Forest Wildlife Pres.
January 31		Haliburton Snow-O-Rama	Reserve Call: 705-754-2198
February 13, 14, 15		SNOWFEST	Glebe Park 1 800-461-7677