

Keewaydin

~ 2009 ~





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~2009: Keewaydin's 117th Season~

John Muir said “by going out into the natural world, I am really going in.” Here then is my invitation into the summer of 2009: the friendships, the portages, the laughter, the tumplines, the whitewater, the tents, the smiles, the muskeg, the drumming, the singing, the exploration, the discovery, the growth, the wilderness and the wildness.

It was a fantastic summer despite the fact the sun was reluctant to make more than fleeting appearances. The 12 men of Section A pushed through a new route on the Nastapoka River. Along they way they saw everything from whales to wolves, black flies to freshwater seals but no other humans other than their re-outfit pilot. Section 2 pushed in down one of our old favorites, the Sakami, and then ran a new route for us down the Kaanaayaasiistikw River. Section 3 headed to the northwest of Devil's Island into Manitoba and had a fantastic time on the Hayes River and others. Section B experienced wildfires that forced them to abandon their route in Eastern Quebec from Icebound Lake to the McPhadyen River. Airlifted to Labrador City, they rerouted and made it to the McPhadyen via an alternative route.

Outpost Section D traveled in the Caribou Provincial Park region and Section E and F focused their travel around the Evans Outpost at the south end of Wabikimi Provincial Park.

And around base camp all of the classic routes were traveled: Bob Spiford, Wakimika - Obabika, the Trout Streams, Sugar-Angler, Anvil-Turner, Jackpine-Chambers. And then 21 day trips - the Sturgeon and the Temagami Rivers and east into Quebec and the Kipawa and Lake Temiscaming and, of course, the historical Trip-In up the Matabitchuan to Rabbit and then back to fair Temagami.

Thousands of miles of country were traveled and many times that number of mosquitoes and black flies were encountered, and much of that story is contained herein. But Muir was not encouraging everyone to look inside this yearbook, although if he knew what a genius Doc Bourdelais is and what a beautiful job he does putting this collection together, he might. No, Muir was speaking about the reflection and introspection that comes from time spent in the wilderness. The way a person can truly connect to themselves and their section mates and emerge with a deep sense of accomplishment and a profound sense of self. All of this was evident in the trip stories at our final campfire on August 12, 2009, as was the sun, finally!! A beautiful night to complete a fantastic summer!

Big thanks, of course, to all of the staff who lead the trips and made this summer fun, challenging, provocative, memorable, unforgettable, hilarious, thoughtful, educational . . .

Enjoy your yearbook and I look forward to seeing everyone back on Devil's Island in 2010.

Bruce

Keewaydin Sections

Mattawa 1. Left to right: Michael Page, Scott White, ass't, Tommy Kennedy, David Shay, guide, Will Hodges, Joe Moore, staff. **Seated:** Gordon Robinson, Hudson McCubbin, Cable Jackson



Kokomis I. Left to right: Sarah Dean, guide, Caroline Tesar, guide. Caroline Closmore, staff, Dani Totten, ass't. **Seated:** Amelia Ingersoll, Nell Bruckner, Molly James, Abigail Biddle, Justine Johnston

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Abitibi I. Left to right: David Vick, ass't, Jay Parker, staff, John Pope, guide. Stew McClintic, ass't, Seated: William Berkowitz, John Bourdelais, Gabe Haddad, Chase Stitzer, Henry Pendleton, Parker Stitzer, Austen Robinson, Hans Seherr-Thoss

Gowganda I. Left to right: Ray Gurnick, guide, David Callahan, ass't, Jordan Sewell, staff. Seated: Doug Vallar, Spencer Johnson, Andrew Bianco, George Frank, Luke Salvatore, Matt Margiotta





Algonquin I. Left to right: Daniel Weiss, Will Percy, staff, Harley Phleger, Will Skyrud, guide, Matt Johnson, Sam Morris, ass't, Myung Hinsley, Tom Nicholas



Algonquin 2. Left to right: Clay Shaw, staff, Derek Pleasants, Jordan Guzak, Dan Nicholas, ass't. Seated: Jordan Evans, Jarrett McKeil, Mitchell Musselman, Hans Watkins, Sam Andrus, missing Ramon Altolaquirre, guide





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Sarah Skelly, staff, Alice
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guide, Mia Allende, ass't.
Seated: Kat Bower, Hannah
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Gougelet, Rachael Carter,
Nathalie Ingersoll**



**Algonquin 3. Left to right:
John Lower, Brian Maurer,
staff, Stew Hancock, guide,
Matt Dean, ass't, Mikey Allen.
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Jason Lucarelli, Fraser
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Waubeno X. Left to right: Doc Bourdelais, staff, Jordan Sewell, guide, Ian Cawley, guide, Alex Carley. Kneeling: Chris Irvine, Eric Goodman, Jack Springgate, Nicholas Culucundis-Parry



Waubeno Y. Left to right: Chris Boots, staff, Waite Thomas, guide, Mike Farrell, ass't. Seated: Tim Marshall, Joseph Shalabi, Malcolm McCubbin, Owen Maher, Reece Jones

Waubeno Z. Left to right: Ryan Dwosh, guide, Brian Arnold, staff, Peter Dutko, ass't. Seated: Ethan Payne, Kendall Reeder, Paul Nicholas, Farouk Oni, Adam Rodriguez



Kokomis 2. Caroline Closmore, staff, Sarah Dean, guide, Caroline Tesar, guide, Dani Totten, ass't. Seated: Demi Mathias, Abigail Biddle, Laurel Tesar, Jenny McKendry, Walker Foehl, Ellie Silk, Kaeley Stout



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Section M. Left to right:
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Outpost D. Left to right: Jack Olivarius, Vince Guertin, Ned Volkstorf, Dave Chapin, staff, Timothy Gonzalez-Crane, Taylor Wilson, Charlie Warren, guide. Kneeling: Matt Nicholas

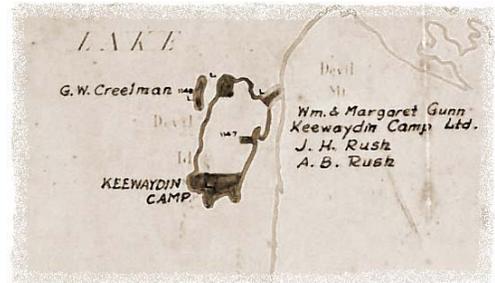


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Outpost F. Left to right: Michael Hunt, staff, Jacob Driscoll, Jackson Moon, Garrett Stout, Greg Moulton, Taylor Thibodeau, Tyler Stanley, Dan Allende, guide



Section B. Left to right: Adam Rosenbaum, Matt Barnes, Atty Phleger, Sam Bruce, Henry Holmes, Eric Meller, Maxson Jarecki, Tyson Schoelzel, guide, Matt Busenhart, staff. Kneeling: George Gardiner, Jonathan Gougelet, Kyle Kallman



Section 3. Lauren Sayre, guide, Martha Biddle, Cree Lehrman, Chanel Topolinski, Mary Bryan Barksdale, Gen Gurnick, Ali Peek, Charline Rowan, staff



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Kneeling: David Nicholas, Douglass Peeples, Elliot Frank, Iain Gordon

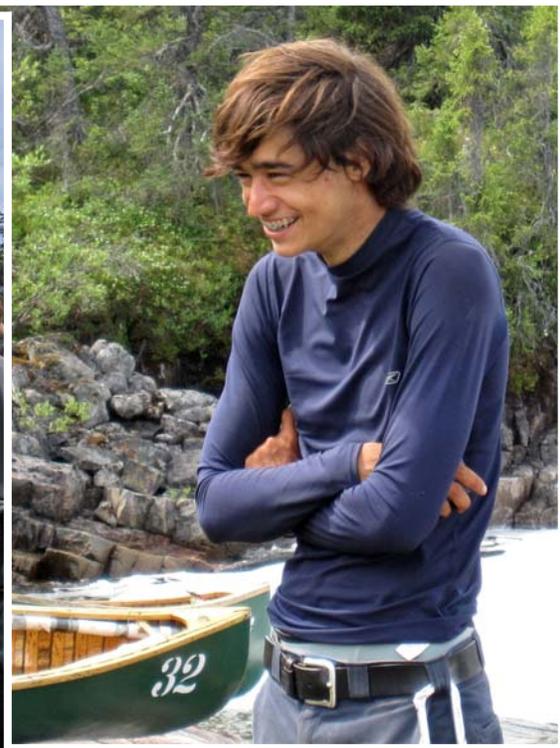


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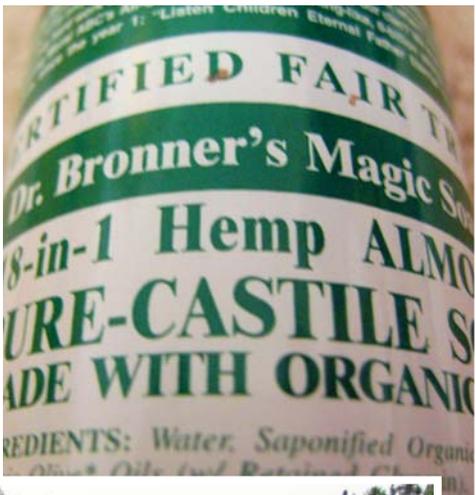


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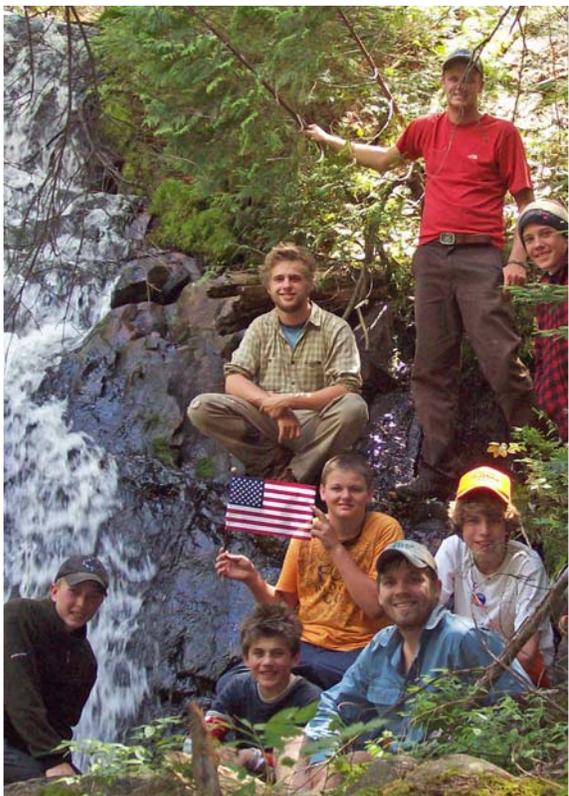




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Section Y





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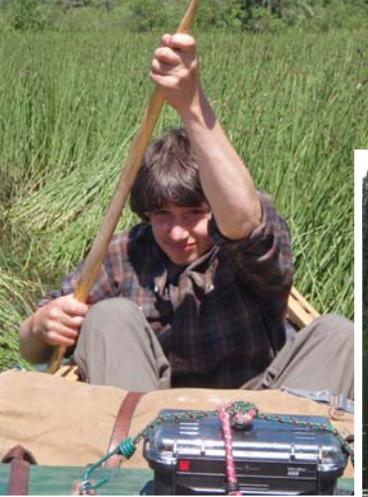
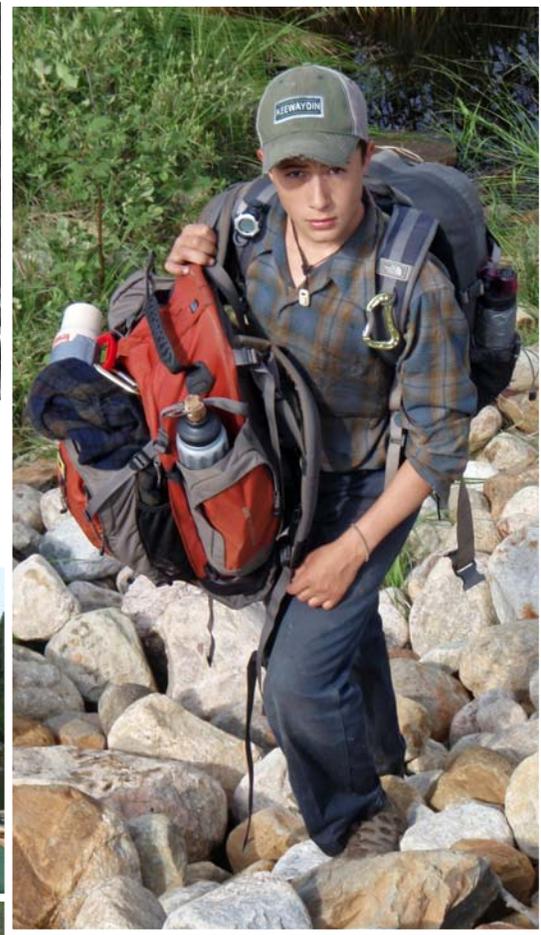
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Section Z





Outpost D



2009 Gunn Trophy





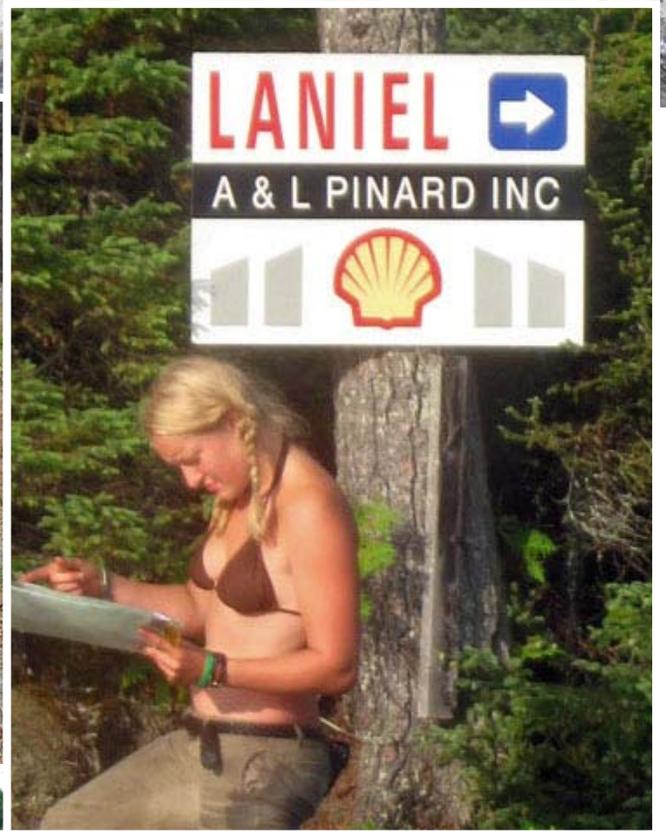
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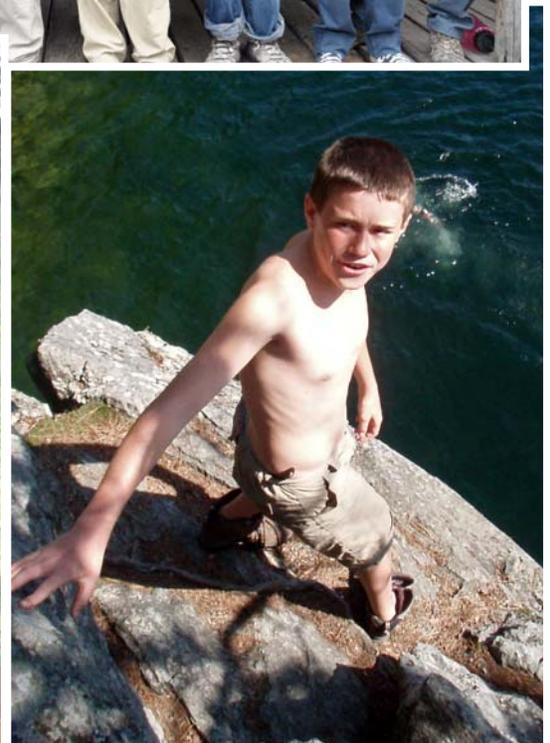
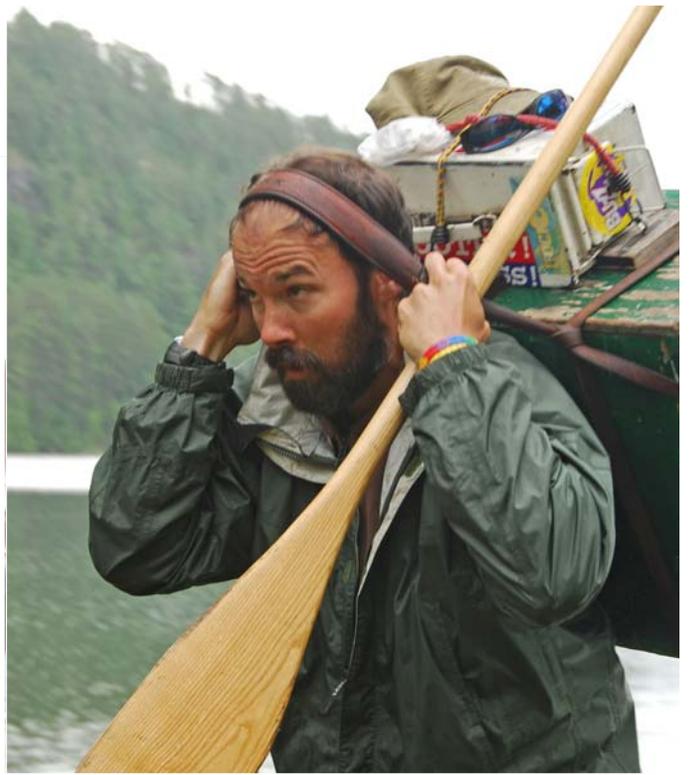


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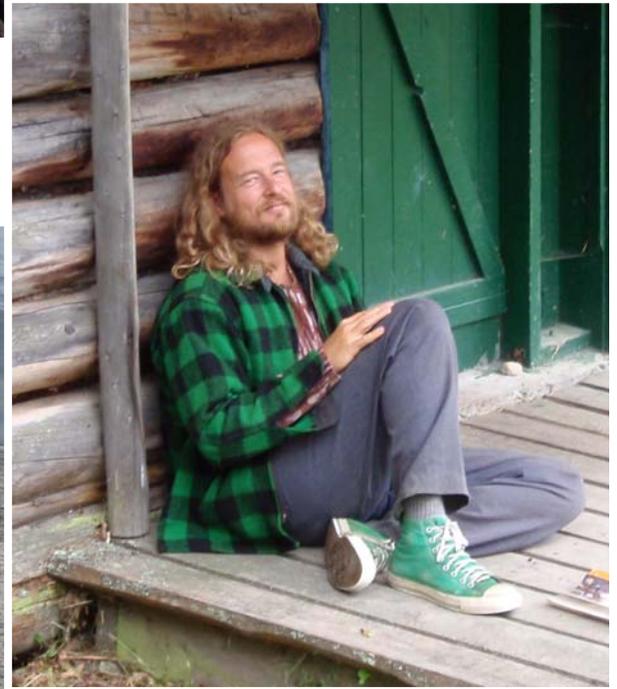


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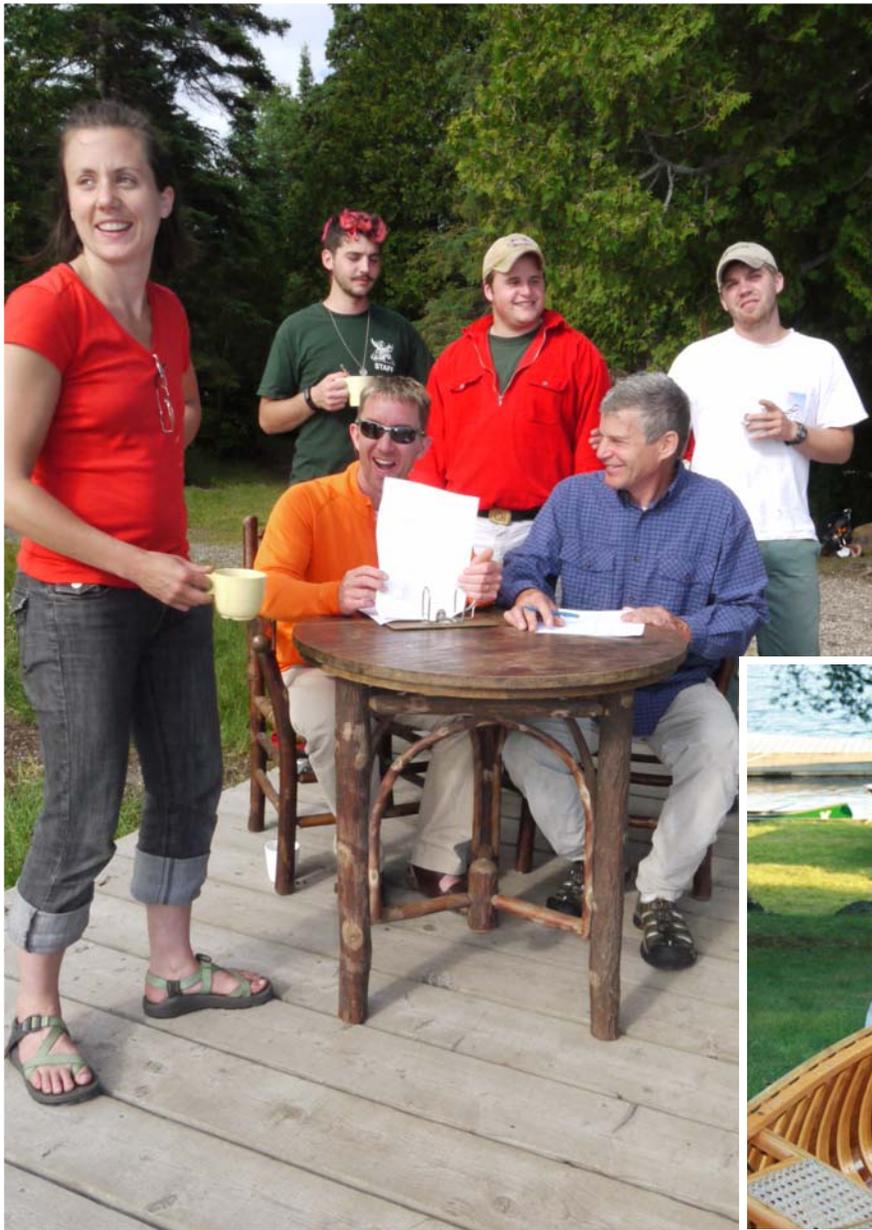
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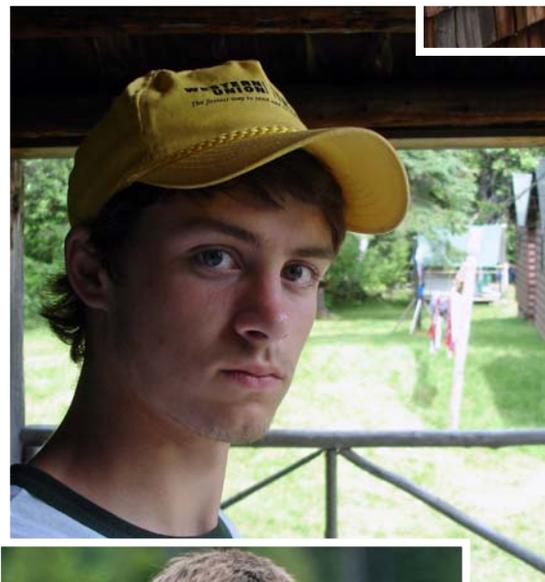
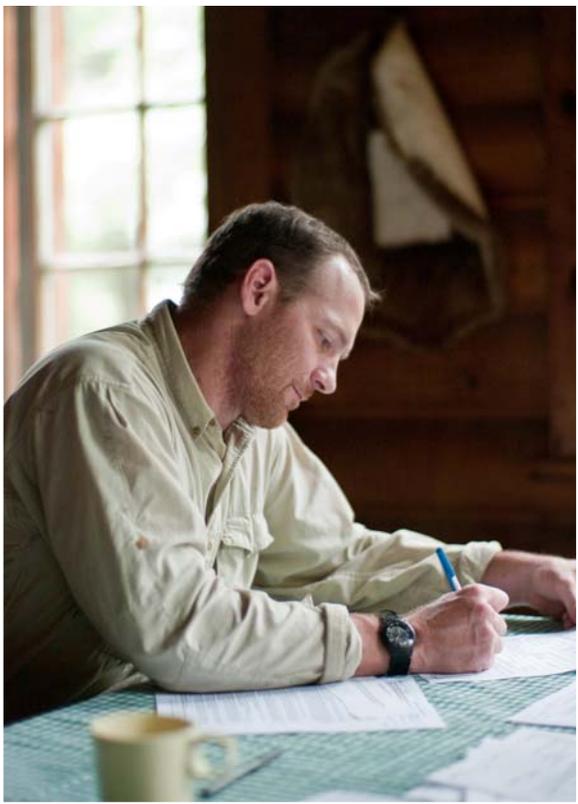


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Competitions





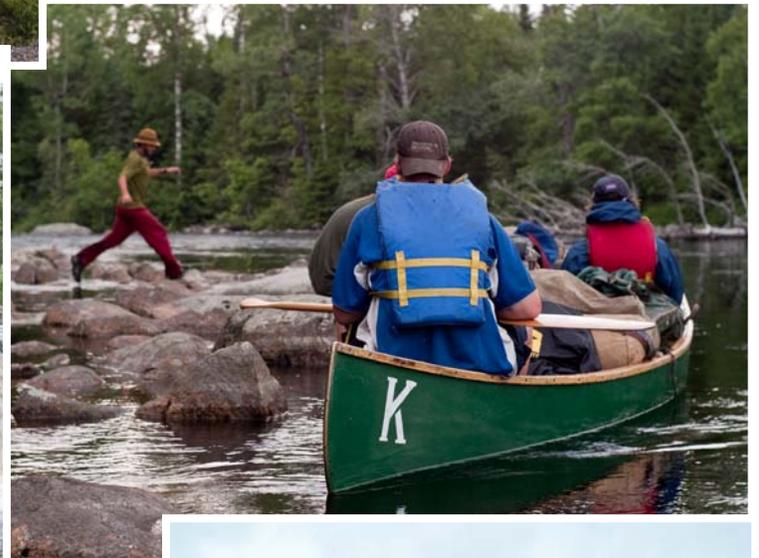
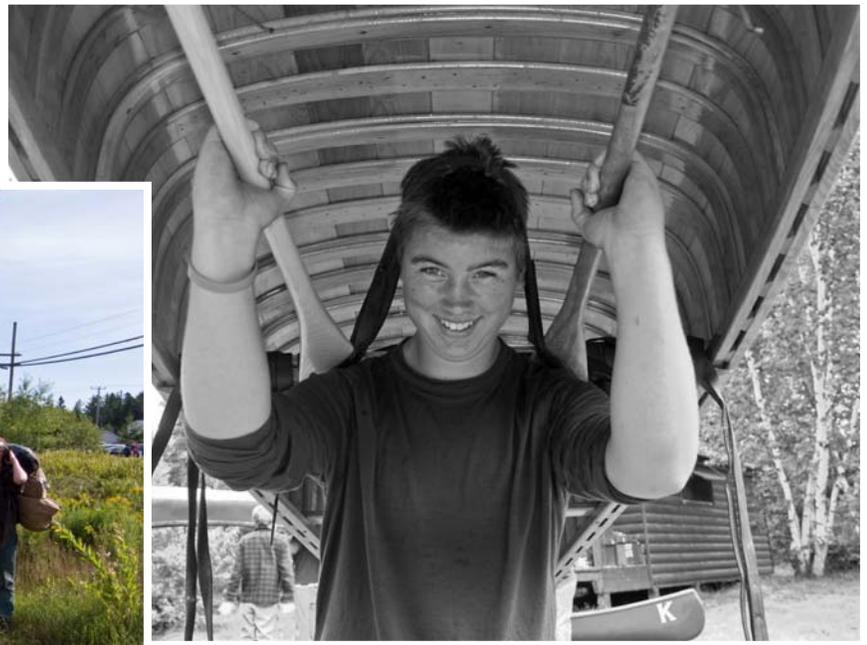
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Base Camp



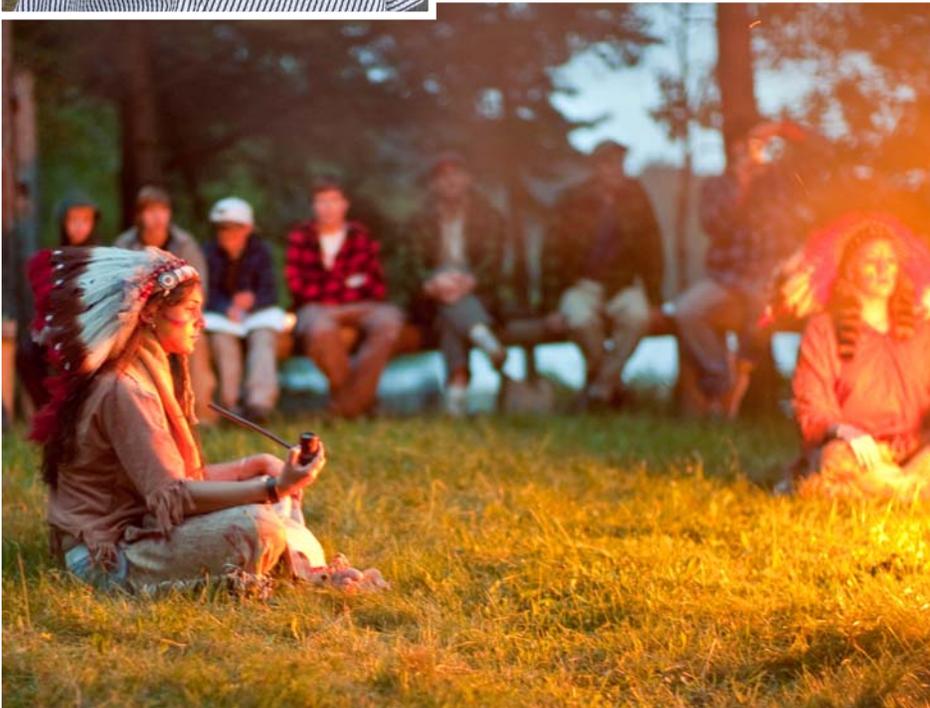


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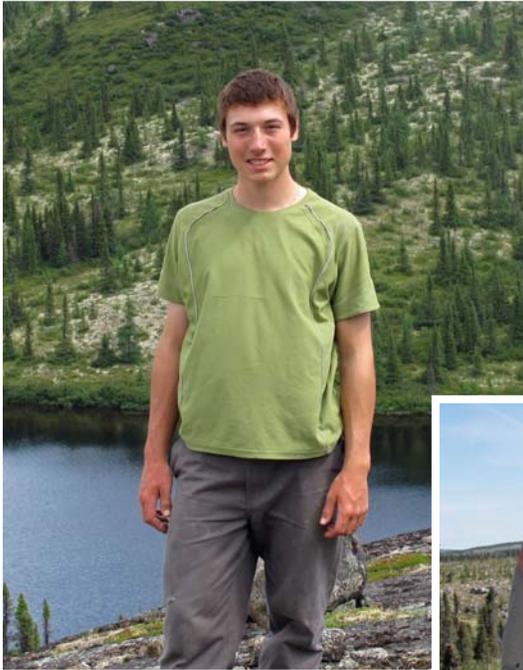


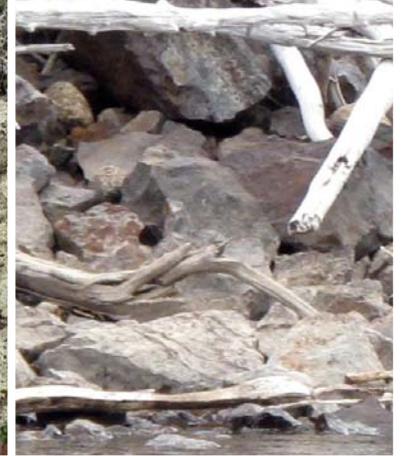
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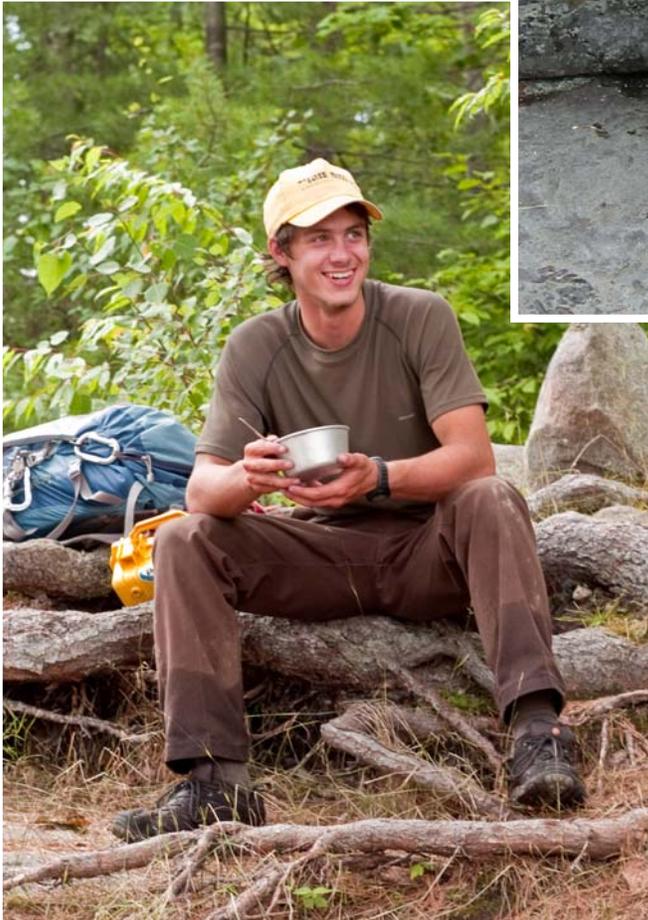
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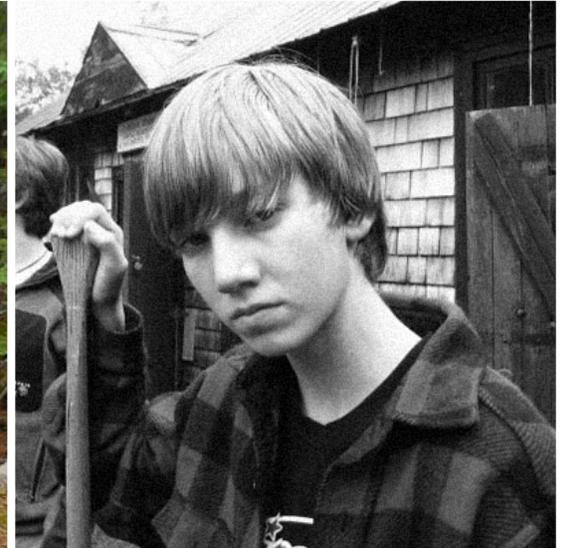






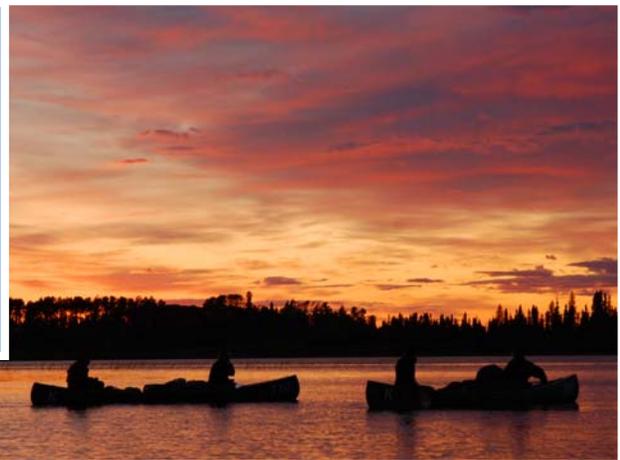
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