

The Grindstone Gazette



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THANKS

to Parks Branch for their prompt and up to date damage reports during the October 15th windstorm....

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to Manitoba Hydro for the quick and efficient manner in which they restored the power to individual cottages and the entire area...

The MASTER PLAN

for Grindstone Provincial Recreational Park

and for Hecla Provincial Park

I attended the Hecla/Grindstone Management Plan meetings on July 11th in Riverton and July 16th in Winnipeg.

These public meetings identified the Parks Branch's objectives as follows:

- for Hecla Provincial Park:
 - to provide a refuge for moose and nesting birds
 - to provide accommodations from primitive campsites to high quality resort
 - to preserve native and Icelandic cultural history
- for Grindstone Provincial Park:
 - to be a major cottage area on Lake Winnipeg
 - to provide a range of public and private recreational facilities

Presentation of briefs, comments and questions were made by the Riverton & Area Development Corporation, Hecla Ex-Land Owners, the Hunting Associa-

tion, the Icelandic Culture Preservation Group and the Grindstone Cottage Owners Association.,

These meetings were step 2 of the preparation of the Master Plan for the Grindstone and Hecla Parks.

Step 3 will be to publish responses and finalize objectives

Step 4 will be to prepare and publish a draft of the Master Plan for the late fall.

Step 5 further informational meetings and public input prior to a complete draft (scheduled by Feb./85)

Step 6 Master Plan complete by May/85

It is important that your Executive be made aware of your ideas and concerns for our Park. Now is the time. Next year will be too late. Reports on further developments will be published in the Gazette as soon as possible.

Myra Maslyk - President
Grindstone Cottage Owners Association

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Hydro: Arborg 376 2277 or Zenith 76500 (Emergencies after working hours)
Black's Point pay telephone 378 9216

MEMBERSHIP DUES.....

Recent sales of Cottages and the opening of the South Beach subdivision have brought us many new members.

For their information, our Association's Executive is made up entirely of unpaid volunteers. An annual membership fee of \$5.00 helps us to provide you this Gazette and also lets us know we have your support.

Check the envelope which brought you this Gazette. The last year for which your dues have been received is marked on the address label.

If this label doesn't show 1985, send us a \$5.00 check today and the label will be corrected.,

A REALLY BIG BLOW!!!

On October 15th and 16th, a wind of unprecedented strength hit the Grindstone Park cottage areas.

The main hydro line was broken in several places by falling trees. Many cottages had their power lines taken out as well. Luckily, Hydro was working in the area at the time that the storm hit so most of the damage was quickly repaired. Some cottages were not so lucky. Some services were ripped right out of the walls and these have not yet been reconnected as Hydro is waiting for the owners to complete the necessary repairs.

If you have not checked your cottage since the storm, it is advisable that you do so as soon as you can. One cottage in Islandview North was completely blown off its foundations and was wrecked.



Our annual Valentine Social will be held at the Norwood Community Club (Walmer & Lawndale) on Friday evening, February 22nd/1985.

Tickets will be \$5.50 per person. The tickets will be available after January 1st/85. Please send in your cheque with a self-addressed stamped envelope and the tickets will be sent out as quickly as possible.

Remember, the profits from this event subsidizes our costs for the Grindstone Days prizes.....so even if you aren't planning on attending the social - buy a couple of tickets anyways.

Volunteers are needed for phone committees in all areas. Phone Larry at 222 2862 if you are interested.

P.S. Tickets cannot be mailed out after January 31st.....

COTTAGES FOR SALE

4	Aspen Place.....	837	6225
9	Aspen Place.....	222	1005
14	Aspen Place.....	269	9089
3	Blacks Point Rd.....	888	8983
5	Blacks Point Rd.....	453	4976
12	Blacks Point Rd.....	339	1083
37	Blacks Point Rd.....	1-344	9333
83	Blacks Point Rd.....	257	0208
12	Poplar Place.....	253	2593
54	Balsam Rd.....	253	9903
3	Birch Cres..agent.....	338	7915
27	Birch Cres.....	632	6715
45	Birch Cres.....	632	4161
48	Birch Cres.....	667	5483
50	Birch Cres.....	1-403-278	7757
5	Spruce Drive.....	1-883	2592
17	Spruce Drive.....	832	4482
21	Spruce Drive.....	832	6833
37	Spruce Drive..agent....	237	8844
39	Spruce Drive.....	237	0773
2	Jackpine.....		S O L D
4	Balsam Rd.....		S O L D
5	Balsam Rd.....		S O L D
15	Balsam Rd.....		S O L D
74	Blacks Point Rd.....		S O L D

These listings are provided as a service to our members. If you wish to list your cottage, send us a note in care of the Grindstone Gazette



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The following cottage owners have sent in their donations for our 1984 1985 Snow Clearing Fund....

J.Presznyak	\$15.00
R.Johnson	\$10.00
J.Boyd	\$10.00
K.Thorarinson	\$20.00
John Jones	\$10.00
B.Schurko	\$10.00
L.C.Verhaeghe	\$20.00

donors to date 11
donations to date \$135.00



Merry Christmas and a
Happy New Year!!!!!!
to all our members and freinds

the Executive
Grindstone Cottage
Owners Association



are as good as their word....
they said that power would be on by
October 31st.....and it was!!!!
Islandview North, Islandview South
and Northcliffs subdivisions now have
electrical power.

