Sequassen Accomplishments 9/2001 – 7/2002

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This has been a banner year for Camp Sequassen. Due to the efforts of many groups and individuals including the Order of the Arrow, the Maintenance Committee, the Sequassen Alumni Association, and numerous troops, we have been able to complete the accomplishments listed below. The highlights of last year include building a new boat storage building (boathouse), installing three flagpoles in International Campsite, and installing shed dormers over all of the Dining Hall kitchen windows. This year, we also began three major projects, the climbing wall, Maxim Chapel, and extensive renovations to the Ranger's House, which we anticipate completing over the next year.

Special mention should be made of Ranger Dave Boyajian who single handedly completed many of the accomplishments listed below as well as starting or finishing many of the others. His love of Camp Sequassen is evident.

Sept 2001

- Primed rust spots on shop roof
- Painted shop roof
- Core bored ledge and installed sleeves for flags in International campsite
- Repaired all windows in Health Lodge (plane, stain, hinge repair)

O/A Weekend

- Removed Hillside Washstand
- Moved old Hillside latrine to Burn Pile

Sept 2001

- Removed tower from Royalwood Campsite
- Cut up and removed trees from Loomis Well, Alling, West Hill Road, and Chapel areas moved to splitting area
- Removed brush from Chapel and Boathouse areas and brought it to Parking Lot Burn Pile
- Cleaned and rebuilt fire pits in various sites
- Fertilized Clark Field
- Loosened dirt and reseeded bare areas of Clark Field
- Straightened Camp signs at West Hill Road and Route 183
- Cut up and removed old pine logs from Chapel and moved to burned pile
- Removed 20ft x 30 ft tent from Cedar Leader Cabin
- Split and stacked several cords of wood
- Patched holes in Friendship roadway

Fall Major

Oct 2001

- Cut and removed two trees in International Campsite and several around Bennett
- Cut and split wood for winter
- Burned burn pile in parking lot
- Layed out footing site for new metal building (boathouse)
- Designed sill layout and material list for metal (boathouse) building
- Put up three flagpoles in International Campsite
- Put up shed dormer over Dining Hall kitchen windows (Clark Field side)
- Put up shed dormer over Dining Hall bathroom window
- Removed old deck over garage on Rangers House (found that sill was rotten on garage side of house)
- Repaired and painted dump truck tailgate
- Serviced generator and set it up to run
- Sealed totem pole
- Repaired window in Cohen
- Repaired screen door on cabin #2
- Patched three holes in Dining Hall road
- Cleaned up Friendship Well electrical storage
- Installed fluorescent lights on old side of Loomis
- Cleaned out Bennett, Sargent, Alling, Loomis, Pisani Palace, Family Cabins, and Cohen
- Repaired old log splitter
- Cooked meals for 31 people
- Put new sill in Rangers House on the garage side
- Put new lock set in Cabin #3
- Put new water heater under cabinet in Cabin #1
- Brought more cut up trees to splitting area

Nov 2001

- Had old generator oil tank pumper removed and made wood burner out of it
- Completed Fall Camp walk through
- Installed 19 telephone pole pieces for metal building sill (boathouse)
- Completed sill for metal (boathouse) building
- Constructed metal building arches and built the metal (boathouse) building (5 days 4 to 12 people per day)

Jan 2002

- Removed stair and rail at Alderman, closed in floor and tile
- Put up plywood walls in newly created storage area and installed 8ft. fluorescent light in storage area
- Installed exhaust fan in Trading Post attic

- Installed 32 inch shower stall in Cabin #1
- Repaired shop door
- Continued to burn Burn Pile
- Completed all bolts in boat storage building

Feb 2002

- Closed in cabinet for water heater in Cabin #1
- Put up bathroom door trim in Cabin #1
- Pre-fabricated one new latrine
- Cleaned up electrical storage and nut and bolt storage in Maintenance Building
- Continued to burn Burn Pile (poles etc.)

March 2002

- Cut and assembled five sections of Trail Bridges for the safety trail
- Cut and assembled legs and tops for five picnic tables
- Burned Dump Truck full of siding from Rangers House
- Replaced all windows and doors in Rangers House (Ranger completed closing in February and March and had roof completed)
- Continued electrical storage clean up (Friendship well and shop)

April 2002

- Installed shelves in Alderman storage area
- Assembled Dining Hall stainless steel carts
- Built three stands for Action Archery
- Cut up old poles etc. for Burn Pile
- Worked on Chapel Stone I Beams (drilled holes)
- Made frame for I beam position, dug holes, mixed cement, and set I beams in place (Chapel)
- Fixed leaks in Cabin #1 shower
- Firred out Cabin #1 shower well

May 2002

- Cut climbing wall boards to length and drilled all holes in boards as required
- Put sheet rock up on shower wall in Cabin #1
- Burned Burn Pile
- Made up spring loaded faucets for latrines
- Sealed up Cabin #1 shower using vinyl edging

Major Work Party

- Re-decked two dock sections
- Cut down trees and cut and stacked wood as specified
- Repaired one 6HP outboard motor
 - Built one new 18 foot dock section
 - Replaced floatation in old dock

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- Remodeled and rebuilt Loyalty and Jerome latrines
- Re-roofed Loyalty and Jerome latrines
- Repaired Lean To roofs in International Campsite
- Repaired latrine roof in Trail
- Re-roofed Trail Lean To #5
- Leveled and fixed two Lean To's in Trail
- Put new roof on Shotgun Range latrine
- Painted 'No Open Flames' on all tent platforms
- Stained and sealed counter in dining hall
- Put up tent pipe frames on platforms in Aquilla and Cedar
- Cleaned up Cabin #5, Bennett, Sargent, and Alling
- Put ceiling fan in Health Lodge
- Installed one new Dining Hall kitchen window
- Built shed dormer over kitchen windows on T.P. side
- Hooked up generator to manual transfer switch in Dining Hall
- Cooked meals for 60 people
- Hooked up and repaired new convection ovens in Dining Hall
- Installed stones in I beam holders in Chapel and put cement in
- Recovered 72 mattresses with new covers

OA Weekend June 2002

- Built new stone wall in new Chapel with rocks taken from safety trail
- Got wood chipper and put it in place (rental)
- Cleaned up cut up trees in Parking Lot, cleaned up and chipped trees and brush in Gillwell field area
- Put up tents in all sites
- Spread some wood chips
- Brushed, cleared, and built fire pits in new Scout craft area
- Cleaned up Hermit spring
- Cleaned up and repaired ceremonial area
- Cleaned up and set up waterfront (put in rowboats, war canoes; set up buddy boards, paddle and canoe racks, fun yack racks and fun yacks; put sail boats in, etc.)
- Cooked meals for 70 candidates

July 2002

- Installed vent to shotgun latrine
- Added more fill to Maxim Chapel
- Stained Loyalty latrine

Miscellaneous projects also completed during this time period

- Built well house over new well near Tunnel
- Built addition on Rangers House
- Put new roof and siding on Rangers House (contracted)
- Installed new heating system in Rangers House