## December 28th, 2015:

We had a friend fishing in 23 feet of water today and said there was 10 inches of ice. They mainly caught saugers but that he got a look at one nice walleye he had hooked that came off. He told me it looked like it would have been on for the wall.

# December 27th, 2015:

Morris Point is allowing ATV and snowmobiles out and it sounds like most resorts have started to pull out their fish houses. We had a friend that went fishing yesterday and the group had their limit in 3 hours! Sounds like fishing is starting off better than making ice did!

## November 15th, 2015:

We had a group that left today that was fishing mainly by the Frontier area and the white church. They caught a few slot fish but it sounded like the biggest was in the mid-20s. They did say that fishing still a little slow. My dad and a friend went fishing out on the lake today in about 26 feet of water. They ended up catching a 25 inch walleye that was very fat and he said that fishing wasn't fast but they caught some nice fish.

# November 14th, 2015:

Grant ended up getting a 6 pointer late this morning and Ward who owns land close to where Grant's family hunts shot an 8 pointer. The weather was nice and glad that he was able to hunt and get a deer this year.

## November 8th, 2015:

We had one group that was out fishing while the rest of the groups were spending the weekend deer hunting. The group fishing tried the river on Saturday and caught a few walleyes but nothing big. They headed to the lake today and were hoping to catch more walleyes but I never did hear if it was better than the River. The groups that were hunting over the weekend ended up with some deer to take home. Grant was out hunting and saw a spike on opening morning but no one in their hunting camp had shot anything.

### October 24th, 2015:

We talked to a group of 11 guys that were fishing since Wednesday and they said that fishing on Friday in the rain was their best day! The youngest one in the group caught a 28 inch walleye right at dark tonight. They even were able to have a fish fry at least once that I know of and they went home with 42 fish! A different group we talked to tonight also said they had good luck fishing in the rain on Friday and they lost a big walleye over the weekend. This same group told us that they had a water temperature of 48 degrees over the weekend.

### October 23rd, 2015:

We talked to a few different groups last night and they said fishing was best in the morning and evening and slow during the afternoon. One group caught a 26 inch walleye and a few in the lower 20s. Hopefully that means walleye fishing is picking up on the river. I has rained on and off all day today but that didn't stop the groups from fishing. If we hear how they did we will make sure and post it.

October 18th, 2015:

We talked to a few different groups tonight and sounds like fishing was slow for all of them. Some groups still came in with 5-7 fish mainly saugers but they worked all day to get those. One group caught the biggest rock bass they have ever caught today. A few groups said the water temperature was at 48 degrees for them. Hope the fishing picks up for everyone.

# October 15th, 2015:

It was windy today but most groups still went out and fished most of the day. Still sounds like a lot of saugers near us and towards town. One group was up by Frontier Landing and they said they caught some walleyes and saugers but it was slow still.

### October 13th, 2015:

Almost all the groups said the only thing they could catch on the river were a lot of saugers in the 13-15 inch range. Just a few walleyes were caught but nothing big yet. We have been watching the seagulls on the river in front of our place eating shiners.

# October 12th, 2015:

Yesterday was a beautiful day with the temps in the mid to high 80s! Grant and I went on one last motorcycle ride for the season while everyone was fishing. We did talk to some groups this morning that said fishing could be good but the catching was slow. I love this saying! Today the weather is cooler and has been raining on and off most of the day but some groups still got out there this morning and fished before the wind picked up. If we hear how they did in the blustery and rainy weather we will be sure to let you know. As of 4:00pm the temperature is 45 degrees with the winds NNW at 30mph.

## October 9th and 10th, 2015:

Fishing was slow on the river but some groups had some luck on the lake but still did mention it was slower. Saturday was a beautiful day for everyone out fishing. It felt like summer time again too bad the fishing was slow though. Brock caught some nice walleyes on the river and lake and sent us some pictures.

#### October 8th, 2015:

We have talked to a few different groups that have been fishing on the river and they said it has been very slow. One group was going to head out on the lake this afternoon and we haven't talked to them since they got back in to see how they did. Looks like we will have some nice weather this weekend and we hope the walleyes will start biting in the river.

### October 2nd, 2015:

I talked to a few groups today and sounds like sturgeon and walleye fishing on the river were a little slow. I talked to one group that headed out to the lake by Pine Island in 20 feet and then they went a little deeper and caught some nice walleyes. They are planning on a fish fry tonight. A couple said they caught a 25 inch walleye yesterday on the lake and fished there again today, they did say that yesterday was better on the lake. It was very cool and windy all day and the guys on the river said the water temperature was about 60.1 degrees last night and around 58 degrees this morning. Hopefully the walleye bite in the River will be good soon.

September 25th, 2015:

We had a few groups up Sturgeon fishing and one of the groups went home with two keepers. Also sounds like walleye fishing has been good out by Pine Island. Can't believe that October and fall walleye season is about to start. Time goes by way to fast but we are excited to see everyone again and meet new people. Our friend, Bruce from Iowa took some of his friends sturgeon fishing sent me this today, "Total day and a half, 36, 38, 47, 64, 54, 36, plus lost two at the landing net. Good fishing so it was."

### September 23rd, 2015:

I talked to a guy from Baudette that has been out fishing and scoping out spots for the walleye tournament out of Rainy River, Ontario that is this weekend. He said he has been picking up some walleyes and that so far this week the mornings have been the best.

# September 20th, 2015:

This past weekend we had a few groups that were out sturgeon fishing. One group did pretty good and ended up with one to keep and their biggest was in the high 50s. The other groups didn't have very good luck and were fishing over by Frontier area. It sounds like by Vidas Landing and towards us was a lot better for catching sturgeon.

#### September 14th, 2015:

The sturgeon group from Wisconsin is here again! They caught one to keep on Saturday and they caught 3 to keep today!! They have had some good luck and were out most of the day today because they kept catching them. They said they were going to try 15 feet of water for 15 mins they ended up with a keeper and a 58 inch sturgeon! Good thing they stopped there. They said they have been having good luck and were going to try again tonight. I didn't talk to them again tonight as it was dark and they were still out fishing. Grant is hoping to go with them on Wednesday and hopefully get a keeper to smoke.

This past weekend we had a family of 3 here and they caught some smaller sturgeon nothing to keep though. They did end up with at least 8 nice walleyes they kept. So that's a good sign that the walleyes are in the River!

#### September 10th, 2015:

A father and daughter that come every year were here again and they caught 5 sturgeon during their stay. Kari caught the biggest one at 59 inches! They said it was slower this year and we agree it has to be because of the crazy weather going from hot to cool too hot to cool again! I think fall is here to stay now as the leaves are changing colors I just hope we can have a very long fall and a short winter.

## September 6th, 2015:

We had a few groups up fishing for sturgeon for their first time ever. They had fun but sounds like sturgeon fishing was slow one group never caught a sturgeon in 2 days of fishing. The other group did catch a few and one of the guys caught quite a few suckers. Hoping the sturgeon start biting soon!

## August 29th-September 4th, 2015:

We had a group of 2 guys out fishing for sturgeon during this time. Some days were so hot but they ended up fishing most of the day. They did catch some sturgeon with Shawn having the

biggest one in the mid-50s and then a few mins later Randy reeled in one that was a 1/2 inch bigger! So on this trip Randy got to have the bragging rights! They tried all over but sounds like the hung around the Frontier area the most. The sturgeon weren't biting like crazy but the guys still had a fun time.

## August 18th, 2015:

One of our monthly renters were out fishing on the main lake for walleyes today and said they caught their limits and nice size fish. One of the guys had a bigger walleye they are guessing over 25 inches that ended up getting off. Sounds like the walleye fishing on the lake has been good for a while now. My parents (Alyse's) came up to visit this past weekend and my dad went out fishing with a friend and they caught their limit within a few hours down rigging near Morris Point Gap. After the hot weather we had over the weekend the last few days have felt like fall weather but looks like the temperature should be going up again this weekend. We can't wait to see all the sturgeon and walleye fishermen that are coming these next few months! Hope everyone is doing good and enjoying the summer! I know Grant and I can't believe it is about over but we are looking forward to seeing everyone!!

## August 16th, 2015:

We had a group of 4 guys that were up fishing from Thursday-Saturday mainly for sturgeon despite the hot weather we had. They did get to enjoy the lightning show, meteor shower, and the northern lights while they were here. They did catch some sturgeon with the biggest being just over 54 inches and it sounds like they caught a few in the low 50s. They even tried fishing at night once and didn't end up catching any but heard quite a few of them jump. They even caught some walleyes while fishing for sturgeon. In Birchdale they had their Sturgeon tournament and a 13 year old boy won the whole thing with a 58 inch sturgeon he caught!

# July 12th, 2015:

Hey Everyone! Sorry I haven't posted for a while we have been busy cutting trees down and building a lean to shed. Can't believe summer is going by so fast!

Just wanted to fill everyone in on fishing lately. We had a group here for a few days around the 4th that were walleye fishing on the lake and they had good luck.

We had a couple that stayed here for 4 nights (starting on the 7th) and went fishing up by Morson for walleyes and northerns. The wife caught a nice size Northern while fishing and also told me they did well on the walleyes too.

We also 2 guys come up for sturgeon fishing in the 7th (caught 2), 8th (caught 7), and 9th (they didn't have any luck). They caught some nice ones and let everything go as they just like to catch them. But one of our neighbors had some friends up and they caught one to keep on Tuesday the 7th.

### May 9th, 2015:

Grant drove a charter trip for opener and they didn't have very good luck and it was a cold day. They ended up catching a few northerns, sturgeon, and an eel pout and ended up keeping 12 fish.

April 15th, 2015:

Thank you everyone for a wonderful PreSpawn Season! We hope you had a great time and had some good stories to tell friends. Don't forget that Sturgeon Season is open April 24th, 2015-May 7th, 2015.

# April 12th, 2015:

Today was another nice day with some wind this afternoon but settling down towards evening. While cleaning rooms today every time Grant came back up by the office he would see a boat catch a fish. We spent the afternoon outside and watched quite a few people land some nice looking fish. We talked to a few different groups today and they all said they had a good day. One group of 2 caught 10 walleyes over 25 inches today and quite a few 18 inch small mouth bass. Sounds like most groups had the best fishing from the airport to about Vidas.

## April 11th, 2015:

Today was a beautiful day and we wish we were on the river fishing with everyone. We watched people fishing in front of our place catch a few fish when the wind wasn't blowing crazy. Sounds like the fishing was better all over the river with quite a few in the high 20's being caught and even heard of a few 30 inch ones. One group told us they caught 7 walleyes over 27 inches.

## April 10th, 2015:

Today the sun was shining most of the day but the wind did pick up for a little this afternoon making it feel a little cooler. I just talked to one group that had a very good day over by Vidas Landing with most of their fish were slot fish with the top 3 being a 27 inch, 29 inch, and a 30 inch that weighed about 11 pounds! Hope to have pictures soon and will post them as soon as I get them. We had quite a few boats in front of us today and saw a few catch some walleyes while we were outside for a little bit watching. Tomorrow is supposed to be a gorgeous day with a high of 66 degrees and lots of sunshine with winds SSW at 10 to 20 mph.

The Watson and Berzin Group sent a picture and a fishing report for when they were here: "Thursday (April 9th, 2015) and Friday (10th) were our best days. We boated probably 20 fish Thursday with almost all of them being over 20 inches. On Friday we fished until about 11am and caught 20 walleyes with only 4 under 20 inches."

## April 9th, 2015:

Grant's dad and some friends were out fishing in the nice weather we finally had and they had their best day so far with about 40 fish for the 3 of them. They caught one walleye that weighed 10lbs and 11 oz. and the biggest sturgeon was 20 pounds. Another group said they had a good day of fishing with quite a few slot fish and they were trying all over the river yesterday.

### April 8th, 2015:

We woke up to a nice white blanket covering the ground this morning. It did all melt this afternoon with the high getting in the 40s and hardly any wind today. Tomorrow is supposed to be a high of 54 degrees and partly cloudy with winds NNW at 10 to 15 mph. The water temperature by our place was reading 38 degrees this afternoon hoping the weather warms up so that river will warm up and get those females in here more. Just talked to one group said it was slow and the biggest one for them was 24 inches. Talked to another group and for 3 guys boated

20 fish with some slot fish nothing to big though.... Another group said they caught some nice slot fish today and caught some fish but didn't have a number of how many caught

## April 7th, 2015:

Today was very windy for most of the day but everyone spent most of the day out there fishing. I talked to a few groups that said the water temperature was around 37 to 38 degrees in spots. They said fishing was a little slow with some walleyes in the mid-20s and some sturgeon were caught. I did talk to some groups that headed east of us and they were catching some slot fish so hope that's a sign they are moving in. One group ended up with some nice eaters that were in the 17-19 inch range. They are calling for snow 1-3 inches for tonight and then it is supposed to start warming up again.

## April 6th, 2015:

The public access is open out by Wheeler's Point and Borderview Lodge as of this afternoon. Sounds like the water is open past Wigwam Resort and have heard reports of the fishing being better to west than heading east.

I talked to one group that came in after fishing for a few hours this afternoon and they headed just east of us and caught a 24 inch, 22 inch, and a 19 inch.

Another group fished just west of the International Bridge and figured they caught about 35 fish today with about 20 of them before 11:00am. Their biggest walleye so far is just under 27 inches hoping tomorrow they can get above that number.

A group of 2 guys caught just a few fish today but they didn't fish very long as they drove during the night and figured they would get a good night's sleep and then fish hard tomorrow. They stayed closer to town for the day and just checked out a few spots.

# April 5th, 2015:

Most of groups tried heading west to where the open water ended since they were catching many walleyes near us or to the east. They said today was their best day so far and will be going out there again tomorrow. One guy said he saw a couple 30 inch walleyes, 29 inch, and 28 inch caught in boats by him while they were fishing sturgeon. They caught a few sturgeon with the young boy catching the biggest one at 60 inches! Another group said they did well out there yesterday and were finally catching some walleyes. Grant's dad and some family friends fished near our place yesterday and did not do very good.

# April 4th, 2015:

Talked to a group that fished out by Sportsman's and said they caught some nice slot fish but didn't catch a lot of fish. It was cold yesterday with the wind but most groups lasted most of the day on the water. Another group tried east between Vidas and Frontier and only caught a few fish so they were going to head closer to the lake tomorrow. Total walleyes being caught a day aren't high yet and the water temp. was still mid-30s but one group had 22 fish before 10:30am today. From the Mrosla Group, "Was good fishing this morning. Had 22 fish by 1030 this morning quite a few over 20 with a 26 being the biggest. Thursday and Friday caught around that many fishing all day with mostly slot fish."

April 3rd, 2015:

We talked to a few different groups tonight and most of them said that fishing was very slow today with about 15-20 fish per boat. I did watch one of our guests this evening catch a sturgeon just out from our dock. Hoping tomorrow the weather is a little warmer and the fishing reports are better. I did update the fishing pictures again today as I received some more.

# April 2nd, 2015:

We have received some fish pictures from earlier this week be sure to check them out in the Spring Fishing Pictures. Grant's dad was out fishing this morning for a few hours and caught a 27 inch walleye while waiting for some friends to get here. I talked to one guy that came in early around 2:00pm that was fishing by Vidas and said that it was really rough there and caught a few northerns so he was going to try closer by us. Another group that left today fished until about 1:15pm and they said they did the best just east of Vidas Landing today. This afternoon it was windy, sprinkling and snowing a little bit. Hope to have more reports this evening! Also we have been calls about the river being dirty from the groups I talked to it doesn't sounds like it was muddy/dirty where they were fishing.

## April 1st, 2015:

Today was a beautiful day with the sun shining it did make it into the 60s but it was a little windy throughout the day. Fishing was still pretty slow for most groups it sounds like the average was about 20-25 fish a boat with the biggest being around 25 inches that I heard of. The sturgeon are still biting a friend had on the biggest one of his life and fought it for an hour and half before it got tangled and they decided to cut the line since it was dark out. The weather is supposed to change so hoping that doesn't mess with the fish too much.

### March 31st, 2015:

I talked to some groups earlier this morning when it was cloudy and a little chilly on the River and they said they weren't catching fish and they didn't see many people around them getting fish. Sounds like this afternoon was a little bit better but still not getting many for the day. A few slot fish we did hear about. Grant's dad caught a 27 and 3/4 inch walleye and a guy fishing with him finally caught his first sturgeon so he was very excited! Hope that the fish bite tomorrow with the warmer weather and hopefully it will be sunny all day.

#### March 30th, 2015:

Some groups did well today and sounds like everyone had a lot of fun on the River. We have a young boy here who was so excited to get out there fishing and was hoping to catch a sturgeon and it sounds like he got a nice one at 58 inches and even a slot walleye too! I love seeing young kids so excited to go fishing! Heard of a few other slot fish but sounded like it was about a 15-20 fish day for most groups.

#### March 29th, 2015:

Sounds like fishing is picking up a little bit more. It was very windy all day with a little rain in the morning but that didn't stop them from going fishing. Hope to have some pictures soon!

#### March 28th, 2015:

Jason's group of 4 said they averaged 25-30 fish a day for the last 3 days with the biggest walleye 27 and half inches and a nice sturgeon was also caught. Sounds like even though it was

a little slower than they would of liked they still had a fun time. They also shared a story about the Sturgeon they caught where 2 guys had it hooked and then one of the hooks let go and they were close to the boat and grabbed it by the tail to try and get it in and lost it and then a different guy had hooked the sturgeon but they finally got it in the boat.

# March 27th, 2015:

Grant talked to some people at the landing that said fishing was a little slow but they were still catching fish. They said the walleyes were all mainly males and that the water temperature is still in the 30s. Hoping that each day gets a little bit better and the weather warms up.

### March 26th, 2015:

Talked to a group that got out there about noon and was back here about 6 pm and they caught 20 fish for the day with the biggest being about 24 inches. They said the water temperature was in the low 30s for the day.

# March 24th, 2015:

Talked to some groups and they said fishing was a little slow but the sturgeon were biting.... Didn't sound like any big walleyes today and the ice broke lose so they could go up by Frontier. Another group said they did good and caught a few that were about 24 inches.

### March 23rd, 2015:

We talked to two of the groups tonight and they said they did the best in the morning with one group catching 15 fish and the other one catching 6 fish. They both said the afternoon slowed down to hardly even getting a bite they tried deeper water and didn't have any luck also.

### March 22nd, 2015:

Our group of 5 did well again yesterday with the biggest being 23 inches. They were going to go out for a few hours this morning before heading back home. Report from last night some groups did good and some not so good...a group went to Kuttes landing and caught a sucker and one walleye for the day...a group ice fishing did very well and caught some nice slot fish and even got their limit and decided to stay another night

### March 20th, 2015:

This evening we had 2 different groups stop in and let us know about the fishing for today. One group of 5 had a very good with the biggest one being 27 inches and some in the 20s were caught. The other group of 3 said each day is getting better and that their biggest was about 17 inches today. They were thinking most of the fish they caught were males. Hoping each day gets better for everyone.

We talked to one of the groups that is staying with us this morning and they said fishing was slow for them yesterday. Doesn't sound like any big fish were caught. When we were at Birchdale checking the river conditions a group was just pulling their boat out of the water and said they caught their 2 walleye each but no big ones either. It is cooler on the river today as the temperature was only 31 degrees when we were there but with the wind felt a lot colder.

## March 19th, 2015:

We talked to one group last night that was fishing up by Pelland for the day and they caught 27

walleyes and the biggest being 24 inches. They also caught some sturgeon with one being 73 inches hoping they send a picture to share with everyone! Hoping the fishing is good!

# March 8th, 2015:

Grant, a friend and I went out tip up fishing today on Bostic because it was a beautiful day. We landed 2 small northerns and had a few other flags go but didn't hook them. We will be checking the river conditions tomorrow afternoon. So keep an eye out for that report under the 2015 River Conditions. We also talked to some guys that were walleye fishing in about 24 feet of water and they didn't have very good luck and are going to try in shallower this evening or on some reefs.

### February 24th, 2014:

On the 15th of this month marked 3 years since we have bought it. We were discussing on how fast these 3 years have gone by and all the wonderful people we have met. Thank you to each and every one of you!!

This past weekend we had some groups that were ice fishing and some groups that were enjoying the fresh snow we got earlier in the week. As for fishing it has been slow and Grant was helping with a fishing derby on Saturday and there weren't not many fish caught. As for the guys that were up snowmobiling they said the trails were very nice and the river was probably the best part. We have been having some cold weather lately and I am sure this is not helping with the fishing either. Here's to hoping for warm weather and an earlier Spring Walleye Run this year! We hope everyone is having a good and safe winter.

## January 11th, 2014:

Fishing was slow for the groups that were here this weekend. Today, one of our guests fished part of the day before heading home and said their biggest walleye was 15 inches and they caught a 28 1/2 inch eel pout. Hoping with the warmer weather we are supposed to get starting Tuesday that fishing will pick up.

# Here is the 28 and half inch eel pout caught today:

