

Maritime Trip Day 19 September 10, 2010 59 degrees F, cloudy

Today is Ferry Boat day so we were all up early to drive one hour to catch the "Confederation" from Woods Island, Prince Edward Island to Pictou, Nova Scotia (NS). The weather was a bit too cool to ride outside the entire trip but we all walked out and enjoyed the view. It had rained earlier so all the outside seating was wet! We finally settled in the cafeteria with big windows. We had lunch from the ship's galley while we cruised for 75 minutes. It was surprising homemade and good!

After disembarking, we drove 2 ½ hours to a campground in Baddeck, NS. We have scenic sites overlooking the woods and the mountains in the background. It is off season now and mostly the campgrounds are quite spare with campers. Some things are starting to close down, such as the restaurant in this campground and many of the seafood places.

We fixed dinner in the campers tonight and ate outside on the picnic table. We were greatly entertained by the antics of 2 small red squirrels. One kept jumping on the table next to me while the other kept peaking into the Rose's unit from their steps. We threw out nuts, bread, and a carrot—they left the carrot!

We tried playing dominoes on the big table outside but it got too cool as soon as the sun went down so we moved inside. Tonight we all won one game but Wayne was the overall top dog –winning most of the time!