

Maritime Trip Day 02, August 24, 2010 65 degrees and overcast

Our second day was a travel day. We were up early (for us), had breakfast in our campers and left the Soo Locks Campground at 8:40 a.m. After paying the toll (\$3.50 for us, \$8.25 for the Roses) to cross the bridge into Canada, we arrived at the border/customs crossing. It was a smooth process with only a Passport check and a question of whether we were carrying any firearms, narcotics or alcohol. Luckily we had finished off the margaritas the night before!! We traveled on Highway 17—a scenic drive with beautiful Birch trees and giant boulders jutting out on the edge of the roadway. Lunch was a great find—Buzzy Brown's Brasserie in Sudbury, ON. We discovered "fresh cut French Fries with gravy"! Yummy! There was also a cute little European Market and gift shop in the same plaza. We purchased several of our favorite Dutch foods...including a hazelnut cream torte and a mango torte which we saved to have later with tea. We arrived in Stonecliffe, ON at the Misty Morning Campground—355 miles later! Chris, the owner, greeted us and showed us to our campsites. They have 50 spots and 3 cabins right on Lake Temiscaming/Ottawa River Waterway. We heard 2 loons calling to one another as they swam in the lake. We finished our day with a picnic dinner of foods we brought and 3 rounds of chicken foot dominoes! Wayne won!