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POT HOLE NET: Official Club Net. Meets every Saturday and Sunday morning at 10 AM local yime on 3760 Khz. The Club Sponsored SWAP NET has been discontinued for the summer months.

MONITORING FACILITY SUMMER HOURS--VE3CGO monitors 3760 Khz daily from approx 9 AM to 6.30 PM daily for local mobile or out of town traffic.

## NOTICE OF MONTHLY MEETING

PLACE: In keeping with past practice this will be our final out door informal meeting of this year. and will be held at Vincent Massey Park. It will be the usual eye-ball QSO type meeting. So come and bring the family. Swap vacation experiences etc.

TIME & DATE: 7.30 PM, THURSDAY 10 August 67

## REPORT ON THE LAST MEETING

Our last meeting was held at the poolside QTH of VE3YC. As usual it was most enjoyable and we were able to admire the expanded facilities in the form of an oriental motif room fashioned cleverly by the old maestro himself from what was formerly the garage. The weather was indeed pleasant and many took advantage of the inviting azure waters while others were content to wet only the inside of the body. A well known gourmet cook known to his intimates (or should that be inmates) as Lyle 3CEZ demonstrated the culinary art of cooking tube steak on the Japanese Hibatchi, indicating a true versatility found only in this calibre of man. The products suitable for mastication were supplied by the Club. We wish to thank our host Jack 3YC and his lovely and charming wife Yvonne for a most enchanting and enoyable evening. Shortly after this event Jack had to have extensive work done on the pool. A 6" thick concrete liner now replaces the plastic liner. He assured me however that he does not attribute the expensive pool repair to our activities. Our secretary should be most relieved and he can come back out of hiding now.

## REPORT ON THE FAMILY PICNIC AT CONSTANCE BAY

Through the kind courtesy of Gary & Jackie Ryan we again had a most successful family picnic the the Constance Bay Cottage of W2YYP/VE3 Sunday 30th July.

The kiddies had a ball in swimming and enjoyed the ice-cream provided by the Club. Gary W2YYP/VE3 and Read W5PSY/VE3 had their boats available for those desirous of water skiing or desirous of learning the art. 3GX made his usual futile attempts but was scooped by his 13 yr old son who made it up first crack. 3DQM Bill is to be congratulated for having made it also. He had some incentive, his son who is even younger than 3GXs made it up the first time. Gary & Read put on a special display for the benefit of the crowd. Most thrilling. The Easton Family did a show on the ship.

with Moma and the two dotters doing a simultaneous ski. I feel somewhat better because not all who tried to ski made it. I won't mention any names. 3YC Jack had a perfect excuse for not trying. He appeared with a crutch and was swathed in bandages. His story was that he was working around the edge of pool at the shallow end which is now 4' deep and he slipped and fell in. He rolled on the botton of the pool to the deep end which is now 9 feet deep. THERE WAS NO WATER IN THE POOL. At the expense of the club we are having a large sign made for his benefit which will read "DO NOT ATTEMPT TO SWIM IN POOL UNLESS IT IS FILLED WITH WATER" But seriously Jack did hurt himself and I do hope he recovers rapidly. I had no such excuse! Thanks again to Gary and Jackie for again hosting the event, we had a wonderful time.

#### RAMBLINGS

3CQD Emil and his family have just returned from a most satisfying vacation in the Maritimes -...-3GX & 3CGO Ed & Doreen spent a week camping at the Seaway and a week camping in the backyard of W2YY/VE3s cottage -...- W2YYP/VE3 is also on vacation and spending it at the cottage ---he sez he is going to try to get 3GX up on water skiis if it is the last thing he does-...- 3BGX Gib and family are on vacation -...- 3VI Mac and Mary are off to London Ont Mac photographed the Picnic events in ever living color and with out door color film ---understand he was able to capture the solemnity of the presentation of the the golden ski belt to 3GX ---it was indeed a lovely ceremony and brings tears to my eyes everytime I think about it -...- 3BFI Bill is still trying to adjust his quad for the best front to back ratio -...- 3GAH Gord is on vacation and headed west -...- Nice to see Boyd 3CMO & Myrtle at the picnic -...- 3CDC Doug has purchased an Eico 753 transceiver and will be operating it mobile and fixed --he is re-joining the ranks after being off the air for sometime-...- 3BJO Bill is operating from his cottage now that the hydro is in ---nice to hear you on the NET Bill -...- 3BMJ Glen is settled in his new home and is most pleased to be back in Ottawa ---his new antenna is working fb from the home QTH -...- Mobile activity is at an all time high on 3760 ---Had to rush in from my vacation to write this bulletin---what devotion to duty--so please excuse the hasty results

73 & HAPPY MOBILING AND VACATIONING ----- DRIVE CAREFULLY

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