



Remembering a Special Person JoAnn Mahoney 1918 - 2005

Some Images from the Camp Chingachgook Archives



Camp Cook c. 1945 near Rotary Lodge



John & JoAnn in 1964



1967 Cooks

Chingachgook and the Pilot Knob community lost a dear friend on March 1, 2005 with the passing of JoAnn Mahoney. JoAnn was an integral part of the Camp operation for many years as she cooked for countless campers and staff while taking the summer off from her regular job as a Union College Fraternity cook. Josephine Anna Irish met John while he was working at camp in 1935 and they were married in 1940. Chingachgook's Waterfront was dedicated in 1977 to John for nearly fifty years of service to camp and directorship of the Y's Aquatic Programs. They both were honored for their lifetime contribution to camp in 1999 with the dedication of the Mahoney war canoes (below left, with daughter Francine Irons and Jim Dunham). With her 1967 cooks (above, l to r): Bill Fischbeck, Jess Gordon, Jim Poole and Neil Tolhurst. Below right at the dedication of The CCAA Mahoney Cabin in Oct. 1994 (l to r): Steve Zeller, David Gotzmer, George Painter, Executive Director, Michael Zeller, Jerome Meader, John Cerrito, CCAA President, JoAnn, Debbie Katz, Bob Dorkin, Sam Trudel.



Mahoney War Canoes 1999



CCAA Mahoney Cabin 1994