

## **Irish House Inn Open House**

We are planning an "Open House" this Friday 7/27 from 6-9. We will be showing Artwork from a variety of artists, having a wine tasting (with the opportunity to purchase some very fine wines,) free apps, beer, soda and water. We will also do a few mini tours of the building. Please put the word out. If people want to bring something like an app or a drink of choice that is welcomed. We are looking for a couple pieces of furniture to fill our grand home so if anyone has any large furniture (especially a dining room table) that they would be willing to donate or sell inexpensively we'd be happy to pick anything up.

We are not a public business so if anyone who can't make it would like to stop in at a later date please have them call first, 891-1317. I am in talks with Loon Gulf and some locals about rehabbing a few hols on the golf course. We will need support financially, physically and in general. Please have any interested parties contact me.

## **About the Irish House Inn**

We have rooms for rent in our beautiful turn of the century mansion. The Irish House sits on 6 acres and has approximately 800 feet of waterfront on pristine Loon Lake. There are no pictures that can do this amazing mansion justice. The wood work is beautiful, there are all original doors, hardware, bathroom fixtures, claw foot tubs, windows, massive hideaway doors and wood floors. The bedrooms are large each having more than ample closet space and private full baths. There are multiple common rooms, including the massive Great Room with the grand fireplace. You'll have use of a large kitchen, multiple grills and there are many places to enjoy your meals privately. In addition, there is a large dining room table for sit down family style meals. There is a sitting room between the great room and the kitchen. The wrap-a-round porch has a large screened in area with a ceiling fan. The front porch offers even more room to sit and enjoy the scenery. There is a short walk (about 600 feet) to get to the waterfront area which has a great beach for swimming with sandy bottom and a place to launch the boats. We have a canoe, a peddle boat and a rowboat available on site for you to use. We do not allow motorized boats or jet skis. There is a patio area with Adirondack chairs, picnic tables, fire pit and grills. There is Adirondack furniture throughout mixed in with beautiful antiques. We have an amazing taxidermy collection which includes a large Moose mount, white tail deer, a bear skin rug, LARGE -mouth Bass, squirrel and a crazy looking raccoon.

There is so much that can be done right outside the doors! The golf course is a great place to take a stroll. We are located centrally in the hamlet of Loon Lake which is a quiet community. Fishing is excellent in Loon Lake; you will catch many small mouth bass, northern pike, perch (good eatin') and a few elusive Largemouth bass. You can walk or drive a couple of miles to the north branch of the Saranac River for trout fishing. There are many thousands of miles of hiking and biking trails right outside the door and we are in a great location for day hikes to some of the ADK high peaks and even some not so high peaks. Crusher Mountain is at the north end of the lake, it is a very short hike to the top and there is a great view. If you are a little more adventurous then you can hike Loon Lake Mountains and see the fire tower which is about a 6 mile round trip. We also encourage writers and artists to bask in virtual solitude, in a really peaceful place. The scenery is inspiring, as is the crisp, clean air. You can't help but feel your artistic juices start to flow once you get here. We will offer as much privacy as you might like to create your masterpieces.

We have 2 massive picnic tables in the yard for BBQ's and to just sit around with friends and family. The yard is large enough to spread out and play games like bocce ball, croquet and horse shoes which are all provided. Take a day trip to Saranac Lake, Lake Placid, Tupper Lake (the Wild Center) or even Montreal. There are some great restaurants in town, lots of cool shops and many tourist attractions. Maybe take a trip back in time and ride the rails on the ADK Railroad. The Wild Center is a nature museum which is fun for the whole family and is located about 35 minutes away. Even closer is the Paul Smith's Visitors Interpretive Center which is a great place to see wildlife in nature and learn about the local ecology. I could write for days about all of the things you can do while staying at the Irish House, but instead I will leave a little to your imagination. One thing that is for certain, you will enjoy your stay at the Irish House! So we look forward to hearing from you...