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- \*Rising To The Top Of Canoe Country Angling – Osthoff – p. 10  
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- \*Safely Navigating Quetico's Falls Chain – Lorenzen – p. 40  
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- \*Veterans On The Lake – Monthei – p. 91  
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- \*The Back Forty – Osthoff – p. 74  
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- \*221 Day Canoe Country Solo – Part Three – Fiedler – p. 12

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- \*Jordon Lake Revival – Cook – p. 28  
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- \*Grand Slam Summer 2015 – Osthoff – p. 34  
BWJ publisher reviews the adventures and spectacular fishing from four Quetico trips plus Sutton River brook trout trips he guided in 2015; great where/how to fishing advice
- \*The Bending Branches Paddle Story – Monthei – p. 57  
leading wood paddle manufacturer, a behind the scenes look at how the best paddles are made
- \*Passing On A Passion For The Outdoors – Postler – p. 61  
phy ed teacher shares wisdom from leading 67 BWCAW trips for high school kids; all the thrills and spills, and encourages others to pass on the wilderness experience
- \*Don Beland—My Life In The Boundary Waters – Osthoff – p. 66  
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- \*Collective Wisdom – Canoe Country Dilemmas – p. 76  
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- \*221 Day Canoe Country Solo—Part Two – Fiedler – p. 18  
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- \*Racking Up Double-Digit Lakes – Klos – p. 34  
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- \*Wabakimi Baptism—2014 – Clampitt – p. 43  
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- \*Crystal Lake Solitude – Benson – p. 53  
how to find BWCAW solitude without a lot of portaging during busy August season
- \*Collective Wisdom – Sherpa Power – p. 58  
BWJ field editors offer valuable advice on portaging techniques; learn how to develop your own efficient/safe portaging routine
- \*Ely Folk School Opening This Summer – Powell – p. 75  
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- \*BWCAW Campsite Review – Henning – p. 77  
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- \*Centennial Trail – Monthei – p. 91  
enjoy lots of Gunflint Trail history on this short day hike

\*Girls' Week Out In BWCAW – Young – p. 94

this all-women's group enjoys great camaraderie on an aggressive loop below Lac La Croix

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\*Ice-Out Indoctrination – Richard – p. 4

a rookie joins veteran paddlers up Agnes, S chain for early season fishing and paddling adventure

\*Spring Escape – Demmer – p. 10

husband & wife get out early to paddle the Pagami burn through Kawishiwi Lake to Malberg then Lady chain east to Sawbill; a scary spill in the current of the Phoebe River with cold water provides lessons for all

\*221 Day Canoe Country Solo – Fiedler – p. 18

BWJ photographer Gary Fiedler lives his dream trip, a continuous solo trip in the BWCAW & Quetico from March 20 to October 26; here he awaits a late ice out on Fall Lake and watches spring come alive in the Boundary Waters

\*Wilderness Canoe Tripping At The Highest Level – Osthoff – p. 28

the definitive BWJ article on developing a mindset to make the absolute most of your canoe trips: trip planning, canoeing, paddling, portaging, camp savvy, gear, real food menus and a serious fishing approach; the more you put into wilderness canoe tripping, the more you'll get back out of it; this article tells you how to make this happen

\*The Alec Boostrom Story – Blackwell – p. 49

living off the land on the Gunflint Trail from 1914–1967; fascinating historical account of Boostrom's work on the International Boundary Survey crew from 1915–1918; also trapping, fishing, guiding and homesteading in the Boundary Waters

\*Top Five Walleye Lures – Brauer – p. 58

the best proven strategies and tackle for canoe country walleyes, when to use what; valuable walleye advice from a real expert

\*Collective Wisdom – Paddle Power – p. 64

BWJ field editors share lots of paddle stroke advice: bent shaft vs straight shaft, hut stroke vs J-stroke; special paddling situations: wind, current, angling, kids and more

\*Rules Of Engagement In The BWCAW – Friedrichs – p. 94

strange but true tales illustrating the BWCAW regulations and why it is so important for us all to follow and respect them

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\*Romancing The BWCAW Winter – Paulsen – p. 4

hard-core winter campers ski on through tough conditions to find adventure and companionship

\*Winter Camping With The Kids – Waltenbaugh – p. 16

wall tent & wood stove makes for the perfect approach to get the kids interested in winter camping; gear essentials

\*Living On The Edge – Editor's Column – Osthoff – p. 22

October BWCAW fall color trip into Beartrap River country plus 2014 deer hunting season review

\*Wild Girls Night Out – Zuaro – p. 35

bad windstorm hits an all-women's' group on Loon Lake, knocking big trees onto tents inflicting serious injuries with evacuation needed

- \*Planning Your Groups Canoe Trip – Volkening – p. 39  
all the pre-trip planning details are important for successful wilderness canoe trips
- \*Collective Wisdom – One Last Trip – p. 46  
BWJ field editors sit back and imagine if they could take just one final canoe trip....where would it be, with who, what would they do, etc.
- \*BWCAW Campsite Review – Monthei – p. 64  
East Bearskin, Alder, Canoe, Crystal, Moon, Deer, Caribou, Little Caribou and Crocodile Lakes campsites are all described in detail and rated
- \*The Quetico Foundation – Kesselring – p.73  
the history and mission of this 60-year-old organization which is looking out for the future of Quetico
- \*The Geezer Route – Budd – p. 78  
Quetico route, summer trip: Beaverhouse, Quetico, Kasakokwog, McAlpine, Batchewaung; easy portage route with good fishing
- \*Mother/Daughter Wilderness Tripping – Daanen – p. 91  
a mother watches her daughter grow up on the canoe trails; helping teenage girls develop an interest/passion for the outdoors
- \*Daypack Delights – Osthoff – p. 97  
how to carry/organize all the gear you need while on the trail each day

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- \*Weird Lake Moose Country – Cook – p. 4  
autumn husband/wife BWCAW trip: Sawbill, South Temperance, Weird, Jack, Kelly, Burnt, Snake, Smoke lakes; lots of rutting moose
- \*September Trout And Pictographs – Foley – p.12  
autumn husband/wife Quetico trip: Nym, Batchewaung, Maria, Jesse, Elizabeth, Lonely, Sturgeon, Rouge, Burntside, Jean, Quetico lakes; lake trout fishing & Burntside Lake campsite review
- \*Colorful First Encounter – Demmer – p. 22  
fall BWCAW trip: Oyster, Finger, Lac La Croix lakes; first timer gets a good first impression
- \*Grand Slam Summer 2014 – Osthoff – p.27  
BWJ publisher reviews the adventures and fishing from five Quetico trips and two Sutton River trips he guided in 2014; great where to/how to fishing advice
- \*North American Bear Center – Monthei – p. 48  
learn all about this "must see" Ely attraction
- \*Collective Wisdom – Moving Water Savvy For Canoe Country – p. 52  
BWJ field editors give valuable advice on safely handling current areas in the BWCAW/Quetico
- \*BWCAW Campsite Review – Monthei – p.70  
Ensign Lake 39 campsites reviewed/rated
- \*Recollections Of Growing Up "Up North" – Tapio – p. 81  
seasonal highlights of living near the BWCAW
- \*Boundary Waters Fall – Teach – p.98  
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- \*Circumnavigating Quetico – Gregoire – p. 4  
Father/son reconnect on a 17-day trip around the Quetico perimeter; adventure travel, no fishing
- \*50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Of Wilderness Act – Monthei – p. 10  
a look back at the 1964 National Wilderness Act: the unique history of how the BWCAW became a designated wilderness area and what the future holds for "America's Favorite Wilderness Area"
- \*Paddling The Pagami Burn – Friedrichs – p. 19  
paddling through the BWCAW's largest forest fire zone (93,000 acres) two years after the blaze; seeing the rebirth of the forest and an update on campsites and more
- \*Girl Scouts In The BWCAW – McNally – p.24  
50 years of Girl scouting/canoe tripping in the BWCAW, program leaders recall trip highlights and scouting accomplishments
- \*Canoe Country Grand Slam Sereis Part 4-Northern Pike – Osthoff, Brauer, Fisk – p. 32  
the definitive BWJ article on when, how and where to fish BWCAW/Quetico northern pike; super-detailed advice on tactics and tackle: includes pike lakes index with synopsis and ratings for 35 Quetico lakes and 33 BWCAW lakes
- \*The Ultimate Day Trip – Morris – p. 49  
solo kayak trip from Ely to Gunflint in less than 24 hours
- \*Collective Wisdom – Beating The Heat – p. 58  
BWJ field editors give valuable advice for coping with summer heat while paddling, portaging and camping
- \*Tackling Top-End Smallmouth – Teach – p.78  
targeting 20-inch plus smallmouth with the Strike King Zulu 5-inch soft plastic jerk baits
- \*Seeking Peace – Prouty – p.82  
wilderness essay
- \*Rock Solid Return – Weiss – p. 91  
returning a BWCAW rock souvenir to its rightful place on the Granite River

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- \*Solo Challenge – Norbury – p. 4  
spring solo trip: Little Indian Sioux River North, Loon, Beartrack, Finger, Pocket, Gebonequet, Oyster, Hustler, Lynx, Shell, Lower Pauness; adventure, wildlife; no fishing
- \*Winds Of August – Janssen – p. 14  
Quetico fishing trip to north end of Agnes; paddling and fishing in high winds
- \*French Lake Mystery – Pierce – p. 24  
a strange natural phenomenon few canoe country paddlers have ever seen
- \*Canoe Country Grand Slam Series-Part 3-Lake Trout – Osthoff, Colgate – p. 28  
the definitive BWJ article on when, how and where to fish BWCAW/Quetico lake trout: super-detailed advice on tactics and tackle that are proven to work; includes lake trout index with synopsis and ratings for 55 Quetico lakes and 32 BWCAW lakes
- \*Collective Wisdom – Campsite Savvy – p .44  
BWJ field editors give valuable advice on setting up on a safe, comfortable and enjoyable canoe country campsite

- \*The Ultimate Canoe Country Bushwhack – Zabokrtsky – p. 61  
amazing cross country hike & swim from Atikokan to Ely; think you could walk through the woods and swim the waters of the Quetico/BWCAW? this guy makes it happen
- \*The Packing List – Foley – p. 72  
all the essentials for your canoe trip checklist
- \*Emergency Protocol For The BWCAW/Quetico – Monthei – p. 79  
what to do if your group has an emergency in the wilderness including communicating messages to rescue personnel
- \*40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Canoe Trip – Joseph – p. 95  
these two couples have been paddling the canoe country together for 40 years and still loving it

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- \*Sawbill At Thirty-Five Below – Hennessy – p. 4  
overnight ski/camping trip in intense cold
- \*Winter Pursuit – Haugen-Wente – p. 9  
winter camping with a wolf pack on Thunder Lake
- \*Living On The Edge – Editor's Column – Osthoff – p. 12  
BWJ publisher reviews his BWCAW fall color trip (Little Indian Sioux River, Lower Pauness, Lynx, Heritage, Hustler, Oyster, Moose River and the 2013 hunting season
- \*A Grand Dream – Johnson – p. 21  
father/daughter paddle from Crane Lake to Grand Portage in 11 days in his hand-made cedar strip canoe
- \*400 Miles Down The Noatak River – Kesselring – p. 32  
paddling with 3 women down Alaska's pristine river through mountains, grizzlies and caribou; far north adventure paddling
- \*Collective Wisdom – Searching For Solitude – p. 44  
BWJ field editors give tips on how, when and where to find canoe country wilderness solitude
- \*BWCAW Campsite Review – Monthei – p.63  
Knife Lake's 57 campsites located and evaluated; super-detailed info in Knife Lake campsites
- \*Fly Fishing BWCAW Bass And Pike – Watkins – p. 78  
how-to tactics for bass/pike in September on a flyrod
- \*Back Again – Burgman – p.93  
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- \*Boundary Waters Winter – Teach – p.98  
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- \*Fairy Lake Magic – Cook – p.4  
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- \*Still Going Strong – Volkening – p.12  
fall Quetico trip; two 60-year olds paddle 156 miles around Quetico on an ultralight, single portage, travel trip
- \*The Alton Lake Tragedy – Fleck – p.22  
An experienced couple perishes after capsizing in an October storm; lessons to learn
- \*Grand Slam Summer – Osthoff – p.32

BWJ publisher reviews the adventure and fishing from five Quetico trips and two Sutton River trips he guided in 2013; great fishing advice

- \*Racing The Ice – Hennessy – p.54  
late October travel trip on the brink of freeze-up: Saganaga, Northern Lights, Greers, North, South, Rose & Duncan
- \*Quetico Ridley Research Library – Monthei – p.58  
inside the greatest resource on Quetico Park
- \*Collective Wisdom – Canoe Country Brotherhood – p.62  
BWJ field editors cover ways to help fellow paddlers in canoe country and inspire wilderness ethics while on the canoe trails, and why it matters
- \*Quetico Campsite Review – Foley p.91  
Basswood Lake - North Bay and Lost Bay; 28 campsites located and rated in detail

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- \*Back To Bentpine – Maas – p.4  
family canoe/fishing trip to Quetico, Beaverhouse, Quetico, Jean, Burntside, Sturgeon, Bentpine & Badwater; walleye fishing
- \*The North American Beaver – Spindler – p.12  
beaver ecology in canoe country
- \*Canoe Country Grand Slam Series–Part 2–Walleye – Osthoff, Brauer, Blazino, Maas – p.18  
the definitive BWJ article on when, how and where to fish BWCAW/Quetico walleye; super-detailed advice on tactics and tackle that are proven to work; includes walleye lake index with synopsis and ratings for 75 Quetico lakes and 60 BWCAW lakes
- \*A Wood Canoe – Fleck – p.44  
the romance and intrigue of paddling wood canoes, Old Towns and Seligas through Quetico
- \*The Early Days Of BWCAW Scouting – Hall – p.48  
scouts taking BWCAW canoe trips in the 1940s
- \*Collective Wisdom – Bears And Bug Phobia – p.52  
BWJ field editors share savvy advice for dealing with canoe country bears and camp bugs; don't let bugs and bears spoil your canoe trip
- \*Stars Of The Hegman Lake Pictographs – Glonek – p.80  
a theory explaining the meaning behind the pictographs based on seasons and constellations
- \*BWCAW Campsite Review – Doubleday –p.91  
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- \*Boundary Waters Summer – Teach – p.98  
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solo tripping in May before most people arrive; no bugs, good fishing and lots of wildlife; safety and gear recommendations for cold-weather tripping
- \*Wild Women Of A Certain Age – Greenley – p.13  
group of women, all in their 60s, still enjoying the canoe trails; the keys for planning and pulling off great canoe trips with special camaraderie
- \*Destined For Delahey – Foley – p.16  
Quetico route to the infamous Olive Jar on Delahey Lake; jar contains trip messages from fellow paddlers over the years; includes campsite reviews of Camel, Veron and Delahey Lakes
- \*Canoe Country Grand Slam Series–Part 1–Smallmouth – Osthoff – p.28



BWJ Publisher and guide Stu Osthoff shares 35 yrs of hard-core canoe country smallmouth fishing experience; this is the definitive BWJ article on when, how and where to fish BWCAW/Quetico smallmouth; super detailed advice on tactics and tackle that really work: includes smallmouth lake index with synopsis and ratings for 50 BWCAW and 108 Quetico lakes

\*Down The Coppermine – Sproat – p.46

A 40-day "Far North" paddling adventure down the Northwest Territories' Coppermine River; whitewater, caribou, grizzlies and the thrill of paddling to the Coronation Gulf on the Arctic Ocean

\*Collective Wisdom – Bayley Bay Rescue – p.58

BWJ field editors share their advice for cold-water rescue of capsized paddlers in heavy wind/waves; be ready if some day you are either the one in the water or doing the rescuing; super valuable advice that could save a life

\*BWCAW Campsite Review – Monthei – p.82

Cherokee Lake, 20 campsites are rated in detail

\*Boundary Waters Spring – Teach – p.98

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\*Defying Conventional Wisdom – Osthoff – p. 4

winter hike into Thomas Lake, heated wall tent camp and lake trout adventure; how to "do it yourself" BWCAW winters trips

\*Softcore Winter Camping – Voytilla – p. 12

BWCAW winter camping in comfort just a few miles from the trailhead

\*Fishing With "Charlie" – Carrier – p. 18

mentoring teenager to get hooked on canoe country; fishing Crooked, Roland, Argo, Darky & Minn

\*Living On The Edge – Editor's Column – Osthoff – p.26

BWJ Publisher shares his BWCAW fall deer hunting trip stories

\*The Italian Battalion: A Pack Story – Wahlstrom – p.36

canoe trip camaraderie and tradition overcome adversity

\*Good Country For Old Men – Isle – p.43

a canoe trip reunion shows you are never too old for another BWCAW trip

\*Collective Wisdom – Water, Water Everywhere—But Where Am I To Go? – p.47

BWJ field editors share route planning savvy and hard-earned advice for selecting canoe trip routes

\*Boundary Waters Brookies – Strandlund, Strom, Kaiser – p. 69

BWCAW brook trout waters; where, when and how to fish them

\*The Vermilion River Route – Smith – p.80

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\*Testing The Limits – Monthei – p.16

BWCAW fall trip to Tuscarora, Gillis, Crooked during Pagami Lake fire

\*A Wild October – Danielson – p. 27

a four-week trip adventure in Quetico with plenty of natural challenges

\*Grand Slam Summer 2012 – Osthoff – p.37

BWJ publisher Stu Osthoff reviews his summer of guiding Quetico fishing trips for bass, walleyes, lake trout and pike, plus Sutton River brook trout

- \*Ober's Long Season – Glover – p.52  
the history of Ernest OberHoberholtzer in the canoe country, including his 1909 Quetico trip that inspired him to become one of the area's major conservationists
- \*Swimming Across Quetico – Nelson – p. 56  
Tom Hainey swam nearly 50 miles across the top of Quetico in 1993; the incredible story of how and why he did it
- \*Collective Wisdom – Canoe Trip Dynamics – p.61  
BWJ field editors examine managing canoe trip group dynamics; advice for leaders and participants on how to enjoy each other's company in the wilderness
- \*Paddling Whitewater: A Primer – Kesselring – p.91  
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- \*5-Star – Teach – p. 97  
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- \*Spirits Of Kawa Bay – Hillman – p.10  
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- \*Transcendent Canoe Trip Strategies – Osthoff – p.14  
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- \*Call Of The Loon – Spindler – p.28  
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- \*The Art Of The Weekender – Notbohm – p. 36  
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- \*Sophomoric Tripping – Wachtel – p.49  
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- \*BWCAW Campsite Review – Monthei – p.79  
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- \*Recipe For Self-indulgence – DeValk – p.94  
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- \*Lessons Of The Lakes – Sproat – p.5  
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- \*Pagami Fire Scramble – Stierman – p.9  
this group had to abort their fishing plans and dodge the massive Pagami Creek forest fire through Insula/Thomas; sound advice if you are ever caught by a forest fire
- \*Hunters Island Showdown – Osthoff & Kesselring – p.16  
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- \*Walleyes Before The Storm – Maas – p.36  
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- \*Listening Point – Heather Monthei – p.40

A close-up look at the history and impact of Sigurd Olson's Burntside Lake retreat; this was the place that inspired the Boundary Waters most revered writer and conservationist

- \*Coping With Rain – Foley – p.45  
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- \*Pike Of A Lifetime – Walsh – p.54  
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- \*Collective Wisdom – Top Ten Tips For Rookies – p.56  
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- \*Minnesota Citizen Lake Monitoring Program – Volkening – p.76  
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- \*BWCAW Campsite Review – Hicks – p.78  
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- \*Gunflint Pines Resort & Campground – Monthei – p.76  
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- \*Uncle Judd Cleveland – Hillman – p.51  
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- \*Collective Wisdom – Canoe Country Grub – p. 55  
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