



Magaguadavic Lakes Association
Where people and wildlife live in harmony!

**In memory of Donald Stewart MacDougall
“The loon guy”
January 15, 1934 - February 11, 2023**

As one reflects on our memories of Don MacDougall,
I realize that Don’s second home was the Magaguadavic Lakes.

Andrew, his oldest son, spoke during his eulogy of a father who had lived life well. His passion for learning was second to none and his love of nature was all encompassing during his travels.

Andrew also shared a memory of the time that Don got his SUV stuck on a big boulder at the public landing on Little Magaguadavic. He hadn’t told anyone where he was going... After lots of prayers the RCMP did find Don in the wee small hours of the night and but his troubles weren’t over since he still had his wife Lois to contend with!

Many of the residents on the lakes have fond memories of travelling the waters with Don observing loons for the Canadian Lakes Loon Survey for which he gathered and contributed data to for many years.

As a board we lost an exceptional volunteer but even more so a great person. Every time we hear the haunting call of the loons on the Magaguadavic Lakes, Don will never be forgotten.

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