

Attempted Lakeshore Adventure - Clear Lake -Kari's Version-

On Saturday, July 23rd, the plan was to walk the lakeshore of Clear Lake between the Wishing Well to Deep Bay and beyond. Nobody else signed up in advance, so Kari and Liane decided they would bike from Sportsman's Park to Deep Bay and maybe the Wishing Well and back with a stop for gelato at the Chocolate Fox. When taking the Onanole Trail to the park entrance, Kari thought she saw a dog loose on Deer Road heading towards someone's cabin. It was no dog, but a black bear! That was it for wildlife and the two never ran into the bear on the trail.

Unfortunately, when they got to Wasagaming, the clouds rolled in with thunder and the rain began. Not wanting to risk getting stuck in the rain, they headed back to Sportman's Park, stopping at a garage sale down Victor Avenue along the way. The rain ended up not lasting, but they had other plans for the afternoon.

Better luck next time!



Attempted Lakeshore Adventure - Clear Lake -Liane's Version-

Picture it... Saturday July 23, 2022 at 9:45am... it's a little overcast but 2 rebels set out on their bikes for a jaunty adventure to Deep Bay... This traveling party was led by Kari and followed by Liane.

Just outside of Sporty's, Kari spotted what she thought was a dog but turned out to be a black bear! Liane, completely oblivious, missed the entire scene.

After .75km of the ride the skies open up and a downpour with thunder ensues. They grab shelter at The Park Bench where the follower, Liane, purchases some much needed bookmarks for her kindle!

After a 15 minute wait, the skies are still angry and they set out to find a lounge at 10:15am... with no luck and no margaritas in hand, we turn to The Chocolate Fox to cure our gelato craving... Alas, it is not open yet either... The fearless leader then directs us home to our campers as the skies seem to be worsening...

As they walked their heavy, heavy, heavy bikes up hill.... both ways.... they saw a sign of hope!! A garage sale! They took a short 1.2km detour... up 2 more hills... to arrive a garage sale, only to turn tail and head home...

All and all, the 3.9km ride was fabulous!

