

Fulton County is hoping for a record-breaking Memorial Day weekend to launch its 1968 vacation season.

Northampton Beach, located on Sacandaga Reservoir in Fulton County, proved to be the most popular site last year. During the week, 4,130 persons registered at the main entrance; this figure represented one-third of the total number of people registered at the 16 sites.

Caroga Lake campsite, also located in Fulton County, showed a large increase for the season and almost doubled the registration for the previous week, which was another excellent accomplishment for the county compared with other campsite figures.

Visitors within a 200-mile area have discovered the verdant Fulton County, with its rolling hills, majestic mountains and its forty-four lakes. They have found here in the unspoiled part of the Adirondacks an inexpensive vacation haven . . . where families can enjoy incomparable recreation at state campsites, rented cottages, trailer parks and at any of the modern motels and hotels.

Those who rent facilities to vacationers for a day, week or season have kept their prices within reason. They have not taken unjust advantage of the large transient population that comes to the Adirondacks in increasing numbers each year, many of whom never feel like returning again because of costs or treatment by operators who just come into the section for the season.

Fulton County natives are hospitable and congenial. They have an enviable reputation for extending a warm welcome to their guests. That is why the area doesn't depend on just the summer tourist. It is known as a "four-season vacationland" because many of the summer visitors return for the winter sports, and a large number of hunters who come up in the fall bring their families to the region in the summer. Many who own permanent camps, and in fact several of the large industries, came to Fulton County after a season of vacationing there.

If you're the outdoor type, Fulton County beckons you to pack up the tent or trailer and see nature in all its beauty. You can reach the beaches, camps fishing grounds and water sports areas of your choice by taking routes 30 and 30A from the Thruway exits 27 or 28 or route 10 from Thruway exit 29.

Route 10, which takes you up to Caroga Lake, Canada Lake,

Pine Lake and many others is known as the Nick Stoner Trail, and its history goes back to the famous Indian fighter, trapper and Adirondack guide whose name it honors.

There are many camps that can be rented on Caroga and Canada Lakes. The Caroga Lake campsite is 9 miles north of Gloversville on Route 29A. For \$1.50 per day or just \$10.50 per week, a family can enjoy camping, swimming and boating.

If there are golfers in the family, the Nick Stoner Golf Course is open to the public, and offers 18 challenging holes that duffer or pro will find to their liking. That's what makes Caroga a real treat for the whole family. If Dad is a golfer he can drop the family off at either Caroga or Pine Lake Amusement Parks while the golfing part of the family can enjoy their sport too. After swimming, boating or fishing the whole family can enjoy well prepared food at the snack bars or can have their own picnic dinner. After dinner, of course, the kids will want to ride the carousel or attend some of the other attractions.

Perhaps fishing is your pleasure; if so, you can't beat the legends that have been told about the big ones that have come out of the cool, blue waters of the

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