

## ON THE WATER

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wading the island's flats. We got several bones and had shots at ever-spooky permit. We mixed it up one day by doing some reef fishing with one of the locals. We caught snappers, triggerfish, jacks, grouper and a host of others. The restaurant's cook did a great job converting our catch into dinner.

We ended most days enjoying the sunset, dinner on the patio and then socializing with other guests. Met some really nice folks from Wisconsin and British Columbia. David and Louise (from BC) joined us on the jungle hike. After boating back to Dangriga, you ride about an hour to a trailhead that leads to a waterfall. That area is known for its puma population, though we didn't see any. Still not sure if that was good or bad news! The birds and plants were awesome and, oddly, the bugs weren't bad. Maybe I'm just used to our blackflies at the lake. After the hike we float tubed down a river for about an hour. The water



*Rick's "meager" accommodations while fishing on Coco Plum Island last March.*

was really clear; saw some snook, but didn't see any snakes. Definitely sure THAT was good news.

Looking forward to a full summer of fishing and boating on the lake. More importantly, we'll get reacquainted with all the folks on Tripp! Will try to squeeze in a couple of kayak trips on the Little Androscoggin before the water level drops too low. This is also a great time to kayak to our outlet with a detour to



*Rick leaving all of us stranded here in the snowy north to go fishing near Belize.*

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Mud Pond. If you haven't yet tried that, give it a shot. It's a short trip, but you would swear you had journeyed to the Allagash after the second bend on the stream! Again, catching it before the water level drops will ensure a fun trip.

Went all last year without having fished for stripers even once. Hope to remedy that this year. I have a feeling Capt. Ben will be getting a call.

Hey, if you didn't already hear, they opened a Cabela's store in Scarborough, right off the turnpike. We've been buying their outdoor gear and clothing for years via catalog and on-line. Their store has a huge aquarium. It's worth a stop just to check that out.

Hope to see you soon.....on the water!!