

Tuesday October 7, 2008

Headed out early it's going to be a long day. We need to go about 450 km. And what a trip it was! We left Rocky Mountain House in the sunshine at 0 Celsius. By the time we reached Lethbridge we had travelled through rain, then more sun, and then SNOW. The temperature varied between 13 and 2! To top it all off, by the time we reached Fort Macleod (about 50 km west of Lethbridge); the winds gusting to 75 km/hr.









*We arrived at Bridgeview RO at 4:45. The office was just closing and they asked us to pick an empty site and check in the next morning. We found a site, and quickly setup.*

*The winds had died down a bit, gusting to 60 km.*

*Wednesday October 8, 2008    Saturday, October 11, 2008*

*We spent our time getting the rig ready for the trip south. Just a few groceries, they don't like us taking food into the US, and we're never such what the US customs will want us to discard!*

*Remember when we arrived, and we were told to find an empty site? On Wednesday morning, Mike went to the office to check in. We discovered that we had picked a site that was reserved; there should have been a small sign on the lot. We didn't see any sign (remember the wind). We were told it was not a problem, they would reassign sites, and we could stay where we were.*



*Fast forward to Friday afternoon    a loud knock at the door. VERY irate women informed us that we were in THEIR SPOT. She then proceeded to loudly inform us that we had ignored the sign they had left, that we had stolen their wooden leveling block, AND that she expected us to move immediately. We tried to explain that we were very sorry, and we didn't find a sign when we arrived. She continued to berate us and said we were lying, all in an extremely loud voice. Her husband was very quiet.*

*Mike suggested that the couple should go up to the office and talk to the staff. Still saying we lied about moving the sign, they got back in their truck and drove up to the office, in a few minutes they returned, and set up in the empty site next to ours. Then they disappeared.*

*Mike went up to the office the next morning and was told that there had been a mix-up, but since the other couple were just storing their trailer for the winter, they were told to move to the open site next to us. They were not planning to use it until next spring!*

*Neither of us can remember a more grumpy RVers. If we had been asked in a polite manner, we certainly would have tried a lot harder to accommodate them.*



*Sunday October 12, 2008*



*Packing up and getting ready to leave early tomorrow.  
Headin' South!*