



Alpine Club of Canada Vancouver Island Section

2003-2004



GRADING OF TRIPS (WINTER)

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| A - not strenuous | 1 - Gentle slopes and/or mainly trails |
| B - moderately strenuous | 2 - Moderate slopes, travel off trail, intermediate ski ability required |
| C - strenuous | 3 - Off-track skiing in mountainous terrain. steep forest and/or glacier travel probable. |
| D - very strenuous | 4 - Difficult mountainous terrain likely. Advanced backcountry experience required. |
- (Trips are shown below with grading in brackets)

Call trip coordinators well in advance to assist with planning. Confirm or cancel by Wednesday before the trip. Vehicle and ferry costs are shared. Please read the "suggestions for participants" on the back of this sheet before joining a trip. Club trips cover a wide range of activities - come and join us on some of them.
Sylvia Moser 595-3670

DECEMBER

- 04 Annual General Meeting & Slide Show**
7:30 pm @ Uvic (Faculty) Club
- 07 Mt. Becher (B2)**
Ski warm up or late season hike (Depending on conditions)
Whatever the weather.
Christine Fordham 250 337-8192
consult@island.net
- 13 Mt. Horne (B1)**
Snowshoe/hike
Barb Baker 250 724-2985
- 13 - 14 MacKenzie Range "Trail" Maintenance**
Clipping & deadfall removal
Rick Eppler 652-5155

JANUARY

- 01 Judge's Route /Arrowsmith (B2/3)**
New Years "Katzenjammer" hike
Peter Rothemel 250752-2529
prother@nanaimo.ark.com
- 04 "Over the Hills" (A1)**
Day trip in the Victoria area
Gerta Smythe 478-7369
- 10 - 11 Mt Brunswick (B2/3)**
highest peak of the North Shore group
John Pratt 477-0933 (call early)
- 10 - 11 Intro to Ski Touring**
beginner ski trip on Forbidden Plateau
Don Cameron 889-2480
don@cameronsoftware.com
- 11 Bald Mt. (B1)**
Cowichan Lake
Alan Danesh 370-3370
- 18 Mt. Cokely (B2)**
Beginner backcountry ski trip
Avalanche awareness workshop en route. Snowshoers welcome.
Peter Rothemel 250752-2529
prother@nanaimo.ark.com
- 18 Kludahk Trail (B2)**
ski or snowshoe on the Juan de Fuca Ridge
Margaret & Ian Brown 727 2480
- 22 Volunteer Party @ Tom and Pam's**
You are invited to come and enjoy good food, wine and slides by the fire.
7:30 @ 2680 MacDonald Dr. East
- 24 - 25 Intro to Backcountry Snow Camping**
Don Cameron 889-2480
don@cameronsoftware.com
- 31 - 1 Feb Mt. Jutland (C+/3)**
another island classic
Sandy Briggs 380-3829

FEBRUARY

- 08 Mill Hill to Mt Work Traverse (B1)**
Long day trip (appr. 7hrs)
Larry Talarico 598 8377
- 15 Mt. Brenton (B2)**
easy ski trip/ Chemainus
Mike Hubbard 370-1096
- 21 "Over the Hills" (A1)**
Day trip in the Victoria area
Gerta Smythe 478-7369
- 22 Ice Climbing Intro (B4)**
Easy top roping. Belay skills and crampons required. Technical axes & ropes welcome, but not necessary.
Peter Rothemel 250752-2529
prother@nanaimo.ark.com

- 29 Feb- Fairy Meadows Hut**
06 Mar Back country skiing at it's finest.
Dale Nicoll 658-1247

MARCH

- 06 - 07 Indian Head Mountain (C3)**
Ski trip
Sandy Briggs 380-3829
- 06 - 13 Kokanee Glacier Cabin**
Backcountry ski trip
Charles Turner 250 339-4037
- 07 Arrowsmith via Main Gully & descend Brugger's Gully (B-C/2-3)**
Ice axe & crampons required. Good intro to gully climbing. Avalanche awareness workshop enroute.
Peter Rothemel 250752-2529
prother@nanaimo.ark.com
- 13 - 14 Mt Albert Edward (B3)**
Ski weekend on Forbidden plateau
Mike Hubbard 370-1096
- 14 Empress Mt. (A1)**
Hike up from the Sooke Potholes
Alan Danesh 370-3370
- 20 - 21 Diamond Head (C3)**
Experience with transceivers and transceiver required.
Max 10 participants
Jules Thomson 472-3820
- 20 - 21 Big Interior Mountain (C3)**
Hinrich Schaefer 384-4236
- 26 - 28 Mt. Cain (A2-C3)**
Backcountry objectives or en piste
2 nights in Blueberry Cabin (max 12)
Judith Holm 477-8596
- 27 - 28 Winter Wilderness Navigation**
Learn map, compass & navi. skills
Don Cameron 889-2480
don@cameronsoftware.com

APRIL

- 02 Annual Banquet**
Cedar Hill Golf Club / \$25.00
Guest speaker: Jacqui Hudson
"Over the Top" Mt Logan 2002 (Slides)
Gerta Smythe 478-7369(call by 15.Mar)
- 03 - 04 Mt. Myra (B2)**
great ski country in Strathcona Park
Selena Swets 881-8284
- 04 Mt. Tuam (B1)**
Kayak & climb this Salt Spring Island classic B.Y.O.K.
Rick Hudson 656-6533
- 09 - 12 South Chilcotin Icefields (C3)**
Fly in, tent, ski, fly out (Max 5 or 11)
Rick Hudson 656-6533
rickhudson@shaw.ca
- 10 - 11 Mt. Klitza (B2)**
Steep snow
Rick Eppler 652-5155
- 17 - 18 Volcano Peak (C3)**
Spring ski or early season hike, via Elk River trail
Christine Fordham 250 337-8192
consult@island.net

- 18 Quimper to Ragged (B1)**
a triple summit day
Alan Danesh 370-3370

- 24 Ice Axe Workshop / Mt. Arrowsmith**
novices and old hands welcome
Sandy Briggs 380-3829
Rick Johnson 656-0641
- 24 - 01 May Sorcerer's Lake Lodge Selkirks**
incl. meals, guides, fly in/out @\$1400
Anna Brown 250 837-1594
- 25 Mt. Arrowsmith, Lost Gully (B/C3)**
ice axe & crampon skills required
limit to six participants
Peter Rothemel (250)752-2529
Prother@nanaimo.ark.com

MAY

- 08 - 09 Mount Hall (B-C/3)**
Bush, bugs and basalt.
Rick Eppler 652-5155
- 15 or 16 Mt. Klitza (B2)**
Day ski trip - from Nahmint Valley
Barb Baker 250 724-2985
- 16 Mt. Arrowsmith, Un-judges (B3)**
An easy exposed scramble to the South Summit traverse to Arrowsmith Summit and return through old growth forest
Peter Rothemel (250)752-2529
prother@nanaimo.ark.com
- 22 - 23 Maquilla Peak (B3)**
& unnamed peak east of Maquilla Peak at Nimpkish Valley.
Tak Ogasawara (250)923-1859
- 23 East Sooke Park Circuit (B2)**
Aylards Farm to Aylards Farm (9hrs)
Tom Hall 592-2518
- 22-29 - Glacier Peak (C3)**
ski trip for vulcaphiles, 3rd time lucky
Charles Turner 250 339-4037
- 29 - 30 Mt. Baker (C3)**
Standard Rt - Ski trip. Glacier travel & ski experience required
Sylvia Moser 595-3670

JUNE

- 06 Heather Mountain (B2)**
Alan Danesh 370-3370
- 05 - 06 Mt. Baker (C3)**
North Ridge - one 80m ice pitch
Experience necessary, max 6
Rick Hudson 656-6533
rickudson@shaw.ca
- 05 - 06 Nahmint Mt. (B2)**
Rarely climbed peak south of Klitza
Rudy Brugger & Barb Baker
724-2985
- 12 - 20 Mt. Shasta & others (C3)**
Volcano ski trip, Oregon & California
Charles Turner (250)339-4037
- ???? Mt. Rainier (C3)**
Dates to be announced / Max 6
Glacier travel experience required
Jules Thomson 472-3820

WEEKLY :

- SUNDAYS**
Mt. Finlayson - Goldstream Park
9:30 am @ bridge (unled - drop in)

- MIDWEEK SKIING**
Mt. Washington
Gerta Smythe 478 - 7369

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VANCOUVER ISLAND SECTION

ACC — VANCOUVER ISLAND SECTION HOME PAGE:

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SUGGESTIONS FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS:

In the interests of safety and enjoyment, please:

1. Ensure that your membership is current. Prospective members are welcome and encouraged to come out on about 3 trips before joining. This gives you a change to meet other people in the club and see what the trips involve.
2. Talk with the trip leader to see if the trip is appropriate for your abilities.
3. Bring personal first aid supplies and adequate equipment. The leader can advise you about obtaining equipment.
4. Learn about the proposed route.
5. Sign the [waiver](#) form.
6. Advise leader if you have a relevant medical condition(s) when registering for the trip. Share this information with the group at the start of the trip.
7. Share expenses.
8. Respect decisions(s) of the leader.
9. Contact the trip leader by 9 p.m. three or four days prior to the trip. Most of the trips are full by this time, so it is advisable to phone earlier. If you need to cancel, call the leader as soon as possible.
10. Only paid-up members are covered by the [Alpine Club of Canada](#)'s liability insurance

MEMBERSHIP

WELCOME! THE BASIC FEE is for membership in three organizations:

- Vancouver Island Section of the Alpine Club of Canada (ACC)
- National level of the ACC
- Federation of Mountain Clubs of British Columbia (FMCBC)

Our local section offers mountaineering trips, a variety of social events, and publishes newsletters and an annual, *The Island Bushwhacker*.

The National membership entitles you to the following:

- quarterly national newsletters
- affiliation with Union Internationale d'Association Alpinistes (UIAA)
- member rates on ACC publications and maps
- member rates at the Canadian Alpine Centre at Lake Louise
- access to all nationally run camps
- programs and treks
- comprehensive liability insurance while participating in ACC activities

Through the FMCBC we have a stronger voice to deal with issues common to outdoor groups (eg environmental and access concerns).

ACC FACILITIES UPGRADE: Choosing a facilities upgrade with your ACC membership entitles you to member rates at all ACC huts and the Canmore Clubhouse. In addition you are entitled to 6 month advance booking privileges to ensure there is space in your favourite hut.

CANADIAN ALPINE JOURNAL: The CAJ has been published annually since 1906 and features excellent articles and photos describing the achievements of Canadian climbers around the world. It is wonderful reading.

	ACCVI Basic	CAJ add	Hut Access add	CAJ & HA add	Basic + CAJ + HA
Single	\$41	\$23	\$22	\$39	\$80
Family	\$51	\$23	\$44	\$59	\$117
Junior	\$29	\$23	\$22	\$39	\$68

COMPLETE UPGRADE: Choosing the complete upgrade entitles you to all the benefits listed above at a reduced rate.

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