

****March is Membership Month****

Please remember to renew your membership by

March 31st and encourage others to join. Included with this newsletter is a waiver & membership form for you to sign. Please mail to the address on the form. If you have any questions, your membership chairperson is Elizabeth at 383-1853.

Upcoming Events.....

February 3, Saturday – Snowshoe the Herring Cove loop in Fundy National Park. Moderate to strenuous (hills are strenuous if snow is heavy), approx. 8 km. Meet at C.O.C. at 9:30 am or Park Headquarters at 10:45 am.
Contact Paul at 381-0397.

February 4, Sunday – Activity to be announced on club website. If you have an event you'd like to lead please contact Gerry at 386-1290.

February 10, Saturday - Activity to be announced on club website. If you have an event you'd like to lead please contact Gerry at 386-1290.

February 11, Sunday – Snowshoe or hike the Whites of Hillsborough (depending on snow conditions). Moderate, 10 km. Meet at C.O.C. at 10:00 am or entrance to Whites at 10:45 am.
Contact Cheryl at 734-1984.

February 17, Saturday – Snowshoe from Adair's Wilderness Lodge to Pigeon's & return. Strenuous, approx. 9 km. Meet at C.O.C at 9:00 am or Adair's Wilderness Lodge at 10:15 am.
Contact Paul at 381-0397.

**The Beaver Ski Club
web site is:
www.skibeaver.ca**

February 18, Sunday – Snowshoe from Riverside School to Crooked Creek Look-out and return Moderate, 8 km. Meet at C.O.C. at 10:00 am or Riverside School at 10:45 am.
Contact Marilyn at 386-6579.

February 24, Saturday – Hike to the Glebe Falls Ice Wall, near Sussex. Moderate with some strenuous spots, 8 km. Bring ice grippers and snowshoes. Meet at C.O.C. at 9:30 am.
Contact Annie at 962-3053

February 25, Sunday – Activity to be announced on club website. If you have an event you'd like to lead please contact Gerry at 386-1290.

March 3, Saturday – Snowshoe or Hike in Mary's Point Area. Go along the dykes to coast, then forest, and back to dykes. Meet at C.O.C. at 9:30 am or Old Bank Museum at 10:15-10:30 am.
Contact Paul at 381-0397.

March 4, Sunday – Enjoy winter at the Rocks. Snowshoe or hike. Easy unless ice is a factor. Meet at C.O.C. at 10:00 or the Rocks at 10:45 am.
Contact Paul at 381-0397.

**** Summer Camping 2018 ****

June 30th to July 8th.

Camp and Hike

Parc de la Gaspesie, Quebec

Reservations for Mont Albert campsite can be made after mid-February through Sepaq website

<https://www.sepaq.com/fr/reservation/camping/parc-national-de-la-gaspesie>

or by calling 1 800 665-6527

More details and list of proposed hikes to follow on club website.

If you plan to attend or have any questions please contact Yvon at 856-6826.

March 10, Saturday – Snowshoe to the Midland Ice Cave near Norton. Moderate, 6-10 km. Fascinating area! Meet at C.O.C. at 9:30 am.
Contact Annie at 962-3053.

March 11, Sunday – Activity to be announced on club website. If you have an event you'd like to lead please contact Gerry at 386-1290.

March 17, Saturday – A Basic First aid Course stressing wilderness scenarios. Course will be held at Armour Transport, 377 English Drive, Moncton from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm. Cost is \$15.00 per person to cover materials. Class is limited to 12 participants.
Contact Yvon at 856-6826.

March 18, Sunday – Snowshoe or Hike the Mapleton Acadian Forest Trail near Elgin. Moderate. Meet at C.O.C. at 10:00 am.
Contact Paul at 381-0397.

March 24, Saturday – Snowshoe or hike in the Fenwick area near Amherst. This will be followed by a visit to one or more Maple Camps and a pancake supper. Easy, 5-8 km. Bring ice grippers. Meet at C.O.C. at 11:30 am or Amherst Centre Mall at 12:30 pm.
Contact Merlin at 902-667-8224.

March 25, Sunday – Walk in Irishtown Nature Park. Easy, may need snowshoes or ice grips. Meet in the main parking lot of Irishtown Nature Park at 10:00 am.
Contact Elizabeth at 383-1853.

March 31, Saturday – Activity to be announced on club website. If you have an event you'd like to lead please contact Gerry at 386-1290.

April 1, Sunday – Activity to be announced on club website. If you have an event you'd like to lead please contact Gerry at 386-1290.

April 7, Saturday - Snowshoe the Middle Trail from Portage River to the Claire Fontaine loop in Kouchibouguac National Park. Easy, 11 km. Meet at C.O.C. at 9:00 am or park headquarters at 10:30 am.
Contact Yvon at 856-6826.

Please Note:
The letters C.O.C. stand for
Centennial Outdoor Centre
It is located on St. George Blvd.
next to the Centennial Park
Rotary Lodge sign.

April 8, Sunday – Activity to be announced on club website. If you have an event you'd like to lead please contact Gerry at 386-1290.

April 14, Saturday – An Introduction Course in Orienteering with instructor Harold McQuade. Learn to navigate with a map & compass. Course will be held in Centennial Park, will last approximately 3 hours with walking distance of about 5 km. Cost \$10.00 per person. Bring a compass & whistle. Meet at C.O.C. at 10:00 am.
Contact Yvon at 856-6826.

April 15, Sunday – Walk the loop from the Chocolate River Station across the bridge to the Causeway, then back to the Chocolate River Station. Easy, 8 km. Meet at Chocolate River Station at 1:00 pm.
Contact Marilyn at 386-6579.

April 21, Saturday – Walk in Mill Creek area, Riverview. Easy, approximately 2 hours. Meet in the parking lot across the road from John's Garden Centre, Riverview at 10:00 am.
Contact Ralph at 386-6579.

April 22, Sunday – Walk the Humphrey Brook Trail from Mill Rd. to Harrisville Blvd. and return. Easy, 9 km. Meet at the corner of Mill Rd and Martin St. at 10:00 am.
Contact Elizabeth at 383-1853.

April 28, Saturday – Hike the McGahey Brook Canyon Trail & Fundy Ridge Trail in Cape Chignecto Provincial Park. Moderate to strenuous 11 km. Meet at C.O.C. at 8:30 am or Amherst Centre Mall at 9:30 am.
Contact Merlin at 902-667- 8224.

**Unless otherwise stated, always
bring a lunch and water to the events**

April 29, Sunday – Please help with the maintenance of our section of the Dobson Trail from Berryton to Prosser Ridge Road, 7 km. Remember “Many Hands Make Light Work.” Meet at C.O.C. at 10:00 am.

Contact Daniel at 777-6452.

May 5, Saturday - Hike in Kouchibouguac National Park from the waxing hut to Callanders Beach including the Migmag Cedars Loop. Easy, 13 km. Meet at C.O.C. at 9:00 am or waxing hut at 10:30 am.

Contact Yvon at 856-6826.

May 6, Sunday – Hike the Third Vault Falls Trail in Fundy National Park. Moderate, 7.4 km. Meet at C.O.C. at 9:30 am or Park Headquarters at 10:45 am.

Contact Annie at 962-3053.

May 9, Wednesday – Planning Meeting in the Community Room at Sobey’s on Vaughan Harvey Blvd. at 7:00 pm. If you are unable to attend please call Gerry with your ideas for June to September.

Contact Gerry at 386-1290.

May 12, Saturday - Hike in the Earltown area of N.S. We will hike the Earltown Lake & Portage Trail and Rogart Mountain Trail. Moderate to Strenuous, 11km. Meet at C.O.C. at 8:30 am or Amherst Centre Mall at 9:30 am.

Contact Merlin at 902-667- 8224.

May 13, Sunday – Walk on the Crowley Farm Road Trail. Easy, 2hours. Meet on Crowley Farm Road at 1:00 pm.

Contact Marilyn at 386-6579.

May 19, Saturday – Annual Spring Hike on the Coastal Trail in Fundy National Park. Moderate to strenuous, 10 km. Meet at C.O.C. at 10:00 am or Park Headquarters at 11:15 am.

Contact Ralph at 386-6579.

May 20, Sunday – Activity to be announced on club website. If you have an event you’d like to lead please contact Gerry at 386-1290.

May26, Saturday – Hike Spicer’s Cove, Eatonville NS. Spectacular hike with cliffs, great outlooks, beach, forest & Three Sisiters. Moderate to strenuous. Meet at C.O.C. at 8:30 am or Amherst Centre Mall at 9:30 am.

Contact Paul at 381-0397.

May 27, Sunday – Hike through the Amherst Point Migratory Bird Sanctuary. Moderate, 6 km. Meet at C.O.C. at 10:00 am or the Bird Sanctuary at 11:00 am.

Contact Gerry at 386-1290.

Please Note:

If attending an event with two meeting places and you opt to meet the group at the second meeting place, it is imperative you let the leader know so that you can be informed of any last minute changes!!

Remember, the price of gas is high and many members are leasing their cars where mileage is important. People should take turns driving & those without vehicles or who don’t wish to drive should contribute towards the price of the trip. **Please** refer to the “Car Pool Chart” under MOE Documents on the club website.

**Dogs are allowed on hikes,
but must be on a leash
not more than 6’ long.**