

BV Backpackers July/August 2016 TOURING SCHEDULE (Issue 105) www.bvbackpackers.ca

Please note that participants on BVBS tours must assume responsibility for their own safety and comfort and participate at their own risk.

Participants under 18 years of age must be accompanied by an adult.

To contribute photos, ideas for articles and/or articles please contact Editor at info@bvbackpackers.ca

SPOT Device: Co-ordinators are reminded to bring along the Satellite Personal Tracker & activate at lunch time

DATE	EVENT	RATING	CO-ORDINATOR	PHONE	MEET	TIME	REMARKS	TRAVEL COSTS
Jul 17	Four Lakes	Mod/Diff B2Yb	Stephen Lockwood	846-5166	Scotiabank	9:00	Hike	\$5.00
Jul 24	Skilokis	Mod/Diff B2Yb	Wolfgang Loschberger	847-5883	Scotiabank	8:30	Hike, poss. extension to Luno Pass	\$10.00
Jul 31	Workbee – Blue Lakes Area – Pangea Trail	Lop, Chop & Saw	Ann Greene	643-1294	Scotiabank	9:00	Trailclearing, bring saws/loppers	\$0
Aug. 7	Blue Lakes	Moderate B2Yb	Elaine Edmison & Monika Ziegler	Elaine, 847-9453	Scotiabank	8:30	Hike	\$10
Aug. 14	Glacis Peak	Mod/Easy B2Xb	Dina Hanson	846-9214	Scotiabank Telkwa by Bridge	9:00 9:15	Hike	\$10
Aug. 21	Hankin Lookout & beyond	Moderate B2Yb	Julie Taugher	847-9510	Scotiabank	9:00	Hike	\$5
Aug. 28	Seaton Ridge	Moderate B2Yb	Wolfgang Loschberger	847-5883	Scotiabank	8:30	Hike	\$10

Due to unpredictable weather and access conditions, or other problems, it may be necessary to make late-schedule changes. To find out about any changes to the scheduled tour, contact the Co-ordinator a few days in advance. This also lets the Co-ordinator know who intends to come on the tour and pass on any advice about equipment, vehicles, meeting time/place changes, etc. **Please car-pool whenever possible.**

THE CO-ORDINATOR MAY NOT SHOW UP AT THE MEETING PLACE WITHOUT BEING SURE PEOPLE ARE COMING ON THE TOUR, SO PHONE AHEAD.

RATING SYSTEMS:

I/ DURATION (A,B,C,D): A=5 hours or less; B=5 – 7 hours; C=7+ hours, moderate pace; D=7+ hours, fast pace
 DIFFICULTY (1,2,3): 1=gentle,rolling terrain; 2=moderate grade, some short, steep sections; 3=mostly steep terrain
 TRAIL/ROUTE (X,Y,Z): X=mostly well defined trail; Y=reasonably clear route; Z=considerable bush-whacking
 ALTITUDE CHANGE (a,b,c,d): a=500m or less; b=500 – 1000m; c=1000 – 1500m; d=more than 1500m

II/ EASY=modest distance and elevation change and a well-defined road/trail/route
 MODERATE=significant distance and/or elevation change and a reasonably well-defined route
 DIFFICULT=strenuous and/or technically difficult, eg. long distance, bushwhacking, steep terrain, etc.