

## BV Backpackers Summer 2017 TOURING SCHEDULE [www.bvbackpackers.ca](http://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](mailto:info@bvbackpackers.ca)

SPOT Device: Co-ordinators are reminded to bring along the Satellite Personal Tracker

DATE	EVENT	RATING	CO-ORDINATOR	PHONE	MEET	TIME	REMARKS	TRAVEL COSTS
May 7	Seymour Ridge Trails	Easy A1Xa	Ann Greene	643-1294	Scotiabank	9:30	Hike	\$2
May 14	Blue Pearl/Glacier Gulch	Easy A1Xa	Ruth Wilkinson	846-9526	Scotiabank	9:30	Hike	\$2
May 21	Victoria Day	No Hike	N/a	N/a	N/a	N/a	N/a	N/a
May 28	Tatlow Road Loop	Moderate 30 km	Julie Taugher	847-9510	Scotiabank	9:00	Bike trip	\$0
June 4	Bulkley River Rec Site & Medieval Village tour	Easy A1Xa	Dina Hanson	846-9214	Scotiabank BR Rec Site	9:00 9:30	hike/hot dog roast/tour village	\$5
June 11	Moose Mtn	Easy A2Xa	Mel & Evi Coulson	846-5649	Scotiabank Quick Church	9:30 9:30	Hike. <b>Please phone to confirm</b>	\$5
June 18	TBA	-	Steve Willis	847-4572	Scotiabank	-	-	-
June 25	McCabe trail to knoll	Easy/ Mod B2Xb	Deb Courtliff	847-2381	Scotiabank	9:00	Hike	\$5
July 2	Canada Day	No Hike	N/a	N/a	N/a	N/a	N/a	N/a
July 9	Elliot Creek Trail to peak	Difficult C3Yb	Wolfgang Loschberger	847-5883	Scotiabank	8:30	Hike	\$5
July 16	Snake Road Loop	Moderate 40km	Roye Lovgren	778-210- 0856	Scotiabank	9:00	Bike trip	\$0
July 23	Hankin to Hankin traverse	Mod/Diff C2Yb	Jay Gilden	847-4794	Scotiabank	9:00	Lookout to Ski area- long hike car shuttle	\$10
July 30	HBM to Duthie traverse	Moderate B2Xb	Mary Broussard	643-2481	Scotiabank	9:00	Hike/car shuttle	\$5

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.