

EVERGREENS 2015 SUMMER HIKING SCHEDULE

All bus trips start at the same time- 8:00 AM Rosemont & 8:15 AM Montgomery BB- Biffy Break Location Times are hiking times only and do not include bus travel and BB

Apr 9: Ann and Sandy Cross Conservation Area (CARPOOL)

Day Leader: Glen Campbell 10 am start Chevron Aspen Trail and Fescue Trail
interpretive walks Make hikes as long or as short as desired

Apr 16: Drumheller Badlands – 4 hrs (BUS TRIP)

Day Leader: Greg McKenzie BB – Pioneer Center A, B1, B2 – Pioneer Center to Tyrell Museum, 7.5 km C – Badland trails from Tyrell Museum

Apr 23: Banff - Lake Minnewanka -5 hrs

Day Leader: Lynn Whittingham BB- Banff bus station A - Lk. Minnewanka Trail & Alymer Pass trail, as far as time permits B1 - Lake Minnewanka Trail to campsite Lm8, 15.8 km, 150m. B2 - C level Cirque, 8 km, 455m C - Stewart Canyon, 5.4 km, minimal elevation change

Apr 30: High Noon Hills - Sheep River area - 4 hrs

Day Leader: Peter Fisher BB – Turner Valley A , B1, B2– Down to Sheep River and Long Prairie Creek -9 km ,300 m C – Circuit the hill, 3 km 100m (hikes 1A and 1B of volume 4)

May 7: Banff area - 4 hrs

Day Leader: Keith Bagnall BB – Banff bus station A, B1 – Spray River Circuit, 12 km, 75 m B2, C – Sundance Canyon, 6.6 km, 145 m or AFAP

May 14: Dry Island provincial Park - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Bernie Nemeth BB - Dry Island Parking A, B1, B2 – 9 km, 150 m C – as above as far as desirable

May 21: Canmore area -5 hrs

Day Leader: Doreen Pawson BB – Canmore Visitor Center A – Lady MacDonald, 9 km, 888m B1 – Cougar Creek to NW Fork, 8 km, 300m B2 – Montane Traverse Loop, 8 km, 200 m C – Canmore Trails

May 28: Sibbald area - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Marv Johnson BB – Dawson Parking A – Cox Hill, 12.5 km, 923 m B1, B2 – Tom Snow Trail return, 12 km, 100m C – Sibbald Lake trails AFAP

Jun 4: Windy Peak Hills - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Al Millar BB – Black Diamond A, B1 – Windy Peak Hills, 11 km, 650m B2, C – Hailstone Butte Fire Lookout AFAP, 4 km, 335 m

Jun 11: Whaleback-5 hrs

Day Leader: Dick Wilson BB – Chain Lakes Park A – From Hwy 22 North Loop, 16 km, 375 m B1 – South Loop, 14 km, 375 m B2 – Little Whaleback, 10 km, 300 m C – Little Whaleback AFAP

Jun 18: Little Elbow - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Dick Wilson BB – Little Elbow Parking A – Forgetmenot Ridge, 13.2 km, 762 m B1 – Nihahi Ridge, 11 km, 360 m B2 – Big Elbow Trail to Lookout, 7 km, 50 m C – Little Elbow to former Blue Bridge

Jun 25: Mt. Lipsett - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Kiyoko Miyanishi BB – Mt. Kidd RV Park A, B1 – Mt. Lipsett, 12.5 km, 714 m B2, C – Mist Creek

Jul 2: Takakkaw Falls –5.5 hrs

Day Leader: Bob Hanwell BB – Takakkaw Falls Parking A – Twin Falls via Whaleback ridge, 21 km, 700 m B1 – Twin Falls, 16.4 km, 290 m B2 – Laughing Falls, 8.4 km, 100 m C – Yoho Valley AFAP, 6 km min.

Jul 9: Club BBQ, William Watson Lodge

Day Leader: Gail Kirbyson BB – Mt. Kidd campground Hiking time ~ 3 hrs A – Mt. Indefatigable, 5.4 km, 450 m B1, B2 – Rawson Lk, 8 km, 300 m C – Lakeshore, AFAP, 100 m

Jul 16: Healy Pass - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Ole West BB – Sunshine Parking A – Healy Pass, 17 km, 600m B1, B2 – Healey pass AFAP C – Sunshine Village to Simpson Pass (needs bus booking) or Banff town site trails

Jul 23: Helen lakes – 5.5 hrs

Day Leader: Barb Brunton BB – Lake Louise A+ – Cirque Peak, ~16 km, ~ 900 m B1, B2 – Helen Lakes, 12 km, 429m C – Bow Glacier Falls to stairs, 6 km, 50 m

Jul 30: Highwood Pass – 5.5 hrs

Day Leader: Eric Leavitt BB – Highwood Pass A – Pocatera Ridge, 14 km, 450 m B1 – Grizzly Col, 8 km, 400 m B2 – Little Arethusa, 8 km, 430 m C – Ptarmigan Cirque, 5 km, 230m

Aug 6: Athabasca Glacier - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Dick Wilson BB – Lk. Louise A – Nigel Pass, 12 km, 300 m B1 – Wilcox Pass / Tangle Creek, 11 km, 370 m B2 – Wilcox Pass and return, 8 km, 370 m C – Wilcox Pass AFAP

Aug 13: Sawmill area - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Rodger Banderk BB – Mt. Kidd A – North Kent, 8km, 1106m B1 – West

Outlier, 6km, 676m B2 – James Walker Creek to the lake, 8.6 km , 260m C – James Walker Creek AFAP

Aug 20: Lake Louise area -5 hrs

Day Leader: Greg McKenzie BB – Lake Louise parking A – Devil's Thumb, 10 km, 700 m B1 – Plain of 6 Glaciers, 10.6 km, 670 m B2 – Little Beehive or Big Beehive, 10 km, 540m C – Lake Louise shoreline trail

Aug 27: West Wind Pass - 5 hrs

Day Leader: David Pawson BB – Canmore Visitor Center A – Wind Tower, 10 km, 975 m B1 – Wind Tower/ Loughheed Saddle, 8.4 km, 400 m B2 – West Wind Pass, 6 km, 375 m C – West Wind Pass, AFAP

Sep 3: Stanley Glacier - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Art Johnston BB – Marble Canyon A, B1 – Stanley Glacier, B2, C – Marble Canyon and Paint Pots trails

Sep 10: Lake Louise area - 5 hrs,

Day Leader: Kevin Meaney BB – Lk Louise Visitor Center A – Mt Fairview, 9 km 1000m B1, B2 – Saddleback, 7.4 km, 600 m C – Fairview Lookout and Lake Louise trails

Sep 17: Buller Pass area - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Lynn Whittingham BB – Mt. Kidd campsite A – Buller Pass to North Buller Pass, 16.9 km, 853 m B1 – South Buller Pass, 14.8 km, 670 m B2 – to larch valley below Buller Pass, 12 km, 500 m C – follow Buller Creek to waterfall, 8 km, 125 m

Sep 24: Moraine Lake - 6 hrs

Day Leader: Eric Leavitt BB – Lake Louise Visitor Center A – Eiffel Lk, Wenkchemna Pass, 20 km, 700 m B1 – Eiffel Lake, 11 km, 365 m B2 – Larch Valley, 6 km, 400 m C – Consolation lakes, 6 km, 100 m

Oct 1: Elbow Lake - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Glen Schultz BB – Elbow Lk. Parking A – Lake Rae, 15.6 km, 400m B1, B2 – Rae glacier, 9 km, 670 m C – Elbow Lake, 4 Km ,150 m

Oct 8: Molar Pass - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Jennifer Sundgaard BB – Lake Louise A – Mosquito Creek to Molar Pass, 21 km, 510 m B1, B2, C – Mosquito Creek AFAP

Oct 15: Raspberry Ridge - 5 hrs

Day Leader: Bernie Nemeth BB – Black Diamond A, B1 – Raspberry Ridge Fire Lookout, 10 km, 650 m B2, C – Fire Lookout by Old Fire road switchbacks AFAP

Oct 22: Gorge Creek – 5 hrs

Day Leader: Ray Bussey BB – Turner Valley A – Mt. Ware Summit, 17 km, 560 m B1 – Mt. Ware, 14 km, 350 m B2 – Gorge Creek, 14 km, 200 m C – Gorge Creek AFAP

Oct 29: Kananaskis Dam - 4 hrs

Day Leader: Norm Wardlaw BB – Dam parking A , B1– Movie rapids and return, 14 km B2, C – Horseshoe Dam, 7 km

Nov 5: Mesa Bute - 4 hrs

Day Leader: Keith Bagnall BB – Black Diamond A, B1, B2– From North Fork to Mesa Butte, 7 km, 320 m C – From Mesa Butte, 4.8 km

Nov 12: Jumpingpound loop trails (car pool) 10 am start

Day Leader: Meet at Pinetop Recreation Area West or east trails or half loop, 9.3 km, 200 m

Nov 19: Fish Creek Provincial Park (car pool) 10 am start

Day Leader: Cheryl Whitehead Meet at Votier's Flats (south end of Elbow Drive) From Votier's Flats East or West as far as desirable

Nov 26: Christmas Party

Social Committee