

KAMLOOPS OUTDOOR CLUB
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Note: Mid week outings on Tuesday and Thursdays are listed in calendar each month on our website

Program for Oct.2018 – Feb.2019

Announcements

Discounts (by showing your current KOC membership card)

- Atmosphere: 10% on regular priced merchandise in the store excluding Arcteryx, Fitbit, Garmin, GoPro, Osprey, Yeti and Canada Goose. No discounts on sale items.
- Big Boot Inn/Redwing : 10% on outdoor footwear and accessories (insoles, socks and care products)
- True Outdoors : 15% on any regular priced clothing. Boots and other items are matched to MEC prices. □ Spoke'n Motion: 15% on soft goods (clothing) and 10% on hard goods (skis, boots, etc.)

FRS radios – owned by the KOC - are available for trip leaders. Contact: Helen Parkyn at 372-7360.

Car-pooling - Please, be prepared to contribute your fair share in driving costs to KOC outings. See policy on club website.

ADVANCED ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- a) Mt. Assiniboine:** A return to our favorite lodge is planned for late Feb or early March. Information has already been circulated to off track skiers as the space is filling fast. Contact me ASAP if you are interested

Helen 250-372-7360

b) Mt. Assiniboine: Week of August 5-11

There will be 2 groups. One group will fly in and stay at the Naiset huts from Wed. to Sun and a second group will backpack in.

1). An alpine hike will occur on the Tuesday Aug.6, before Assiniboine at Sunshine Meadows. For the huts Wed. to Sunday the cost is \$25 a night. The huts come with a covered kitchen shelter. The helicopter currently costs \$350 return but expected to go up-plan around \$500 for this segment of the trip. I need to know who wishes to come on this trip and stay at the Naiset cabins as I will have to book them early Jan. Contact me by Oct. 31 Helen 250-372-7360

2)The second group will backpack in from Sunshine Meadows on the Tuesday Aug.6 and reach Mt. Assiniboine on the Wed. Wes and Larry will lead the backpack and are only looking for expressions of interest before end of Oct. Likely confirmation not needed for this until Jan unless a backpacker wishes to stay at the Naiset huts and not the Magog campground. Contact Wes 250-374-0142 or Larry 250-828-6816

NEW SCHEDULE

Sunday Oct.7 Lac du Bois area.

Wander from Lac du Bois to the John Reid old homestead and back via Mcqueen trails. Easier pace.
1*-2** Contact Helen

372-7360

Sat. Oct. 13 Annual Banquet:

Doors open at 6:00 pm for a no host bar then a grand buffet dinner will begin at 6:30 pm - dessert guaranteed! After last years disappointing event, The Dunes is going above and beyond trying to earn our business back, including free use of their banquet room. This will ensure a relaxed, friendly atmosphere that will not be interrupted by other patrons of the golf course. Of course there will be an exciting slide show to showcase the activities over the past year.

Place: The Dunes Golf Course Banquet Room. The cost is same as last year too, \$35 per person, payable to the KOC and either mailed to Box 526, Stn. Main, Kamloops V2C 5L2 by **September 28** or hand delivered directly to our Treasurer, Karen Bourdin. All dinners must be pre-paid. Non member guests are welcome, so please feel free to bring a spouse, partner or friend or two to what is sure to be a great evening of fun and friendship. If further information needed. Contact Karen 377-7606

Sunday Oct. 14 President's choice Hike.

Details announced at the Banquet

Sunday Oct.21 Memorial hike for Stan Jones

There will be an easy hike to the cliff edge on the Dewdrop for a scattering of the ashes. Those who wish to can continue up Battle Bluff at an easy pace. ½ * for ashes. 1+* for Battle Bluff. Contact Helen 372-7360

Saturday Oct. 27 Cabin Work Party.

Come out and help get the cabin ready for winter. Car Pool 9.30 Halston Esso or meet at the cabin 10am. Contact the Custodians for further information.

Sunday Nov. 4 Six Mile Hill.

A fine hike beyond Cherry Creek and a promise of no ticks in Nov. 2** Contact John 376-3009

Remembrance Day: Sunday November 11: Peregrine Cliffs and Remembrance Canyon.

A club tradition to do this hike on Remembrance Day. Watch the fly past from the hillside and have a minute of silence. 2** contact John 376-3009

Sunday Nov. 18 Snowshoe, Ski, or Hike

An outing that depends on weather and conditions 2** Contact John 376-3009

Sunday Nov.25 Cabin set-up and no host Ski.

Prepare the cabin for the Christmas dinner (table set-up, etc.) and then ski Mt. Morrisey. Meet at Halston Esso at 9:00 a.m. or at the cabin at 9:30 a.m.

All-comers no host ski after the set-up. That means that the *level(s) of the outing will be tailored to the participants attending the outing.

Sunday Dec.2 Christmas Dinner at the cabin.

Skiers meet at Halston Esso for carpooling at 9:30 a.m. or at the cabin at 10:00 a.m. Kitchen helpers and decorators should be at the cabin at 2:00 p.m. The festivities begin around 4:00 p.m. Come out and enjoy the wonderful home-cooked meal with turkey and all the trimmings, topped by Christmas pudding and carol singing. Share the joy of the festive season with your friends at the KOC. Admission at the door \$6.00/person. ****+ for feasting.

Saturday Dec.8 Snowshoe Location to be determined depending on conditions. 1*-2**

Contact Andy 374-2696

Sunday Dec.9 Mt. Morrisey Ski Come and enjoy the snow on and off track. 2**

Contact Wes 374-0142

Saturday Dec.15 Mystery Snowshoe Wherever the snow is good

2** Contact Karen 377-7606

Sunday Dec. 16 Mt Morrisey Ski Out on our favorite trails. 2**

or?2**+ Contact John 376-3009

Saturday Dec.22 Snowshoe

Come and enjoy the snow 2** Contact Norm 374-0142

Sunday Dec. 23 Mt.Morrisey Ski Out on trail favorites 2+**

Contact Wes 374-0142

December 24 – December 31 Ski or Snowshoe.

Contact Helen, Wes, Norm or John to find out if anyone going out or would like to go out.

Tuesday Jan.1 New Year's Day No Host Ski

A day out on the Mt. Morrisey Trails for all comers. Meet at Halston at 9.30am. Level decided by participants

Saturday Jan.5 Mystery Snowshoe Google will announce destination closer the date 2**

Contact Norm 374-0142

Sunday Jan.6 Mt Morrisey Ski

Wes likely going further uphill today 3*** Contact Wes 374-0142

Saturday Jan12 Mystery Snowshoe We will follow the snow to wherever

Contact Wes 374-0142 2**

Sunday Jan.13 Logan Lake Skiing

This will an on track ski so all cross country skiers can participate on narrow or wider skis.

2** Contact Andy 374-2696

Tuesday Jan. 22 Program Meeting Henry Grube Center 7pm

Come out and help put the spring program together

Saturday Jan.19 Mystery Snowshoe.

Google will let us know where closer to the date. 2** Contact Helen 372-7360

Sunday Jan. 20 Mystery ski-could be south side

Location to be announced nearer the date. 2**+ -3*** Contact Wes 374-0142

Saturday January 26 Mystery Snowshoe

Google will announce closer the date 2** Contact Doug 377-1664