

TEACHING LESSONS THAT WILL LAST A LIFETIME

Craig Kielburger, 25, founded the global "Free the Children" organization, which has been nominated 3 times for the Nobel Peace Prize.

Dr. Steven MacLean was selected as one of the first Canadian astronauts, and holds numerous honours.

Jean-François Carrey, in May 2006, was the youngest Canadian (24 at the time) to have ascended Mt. Everest.

Kevin Newman is a well-known national news anchor who has received many awards, including several Geminis.

Oh, and 17-year-old **Chantal Clark** who, along with others, helped save 18 stranded canoeists in a severe storm.

Do you know what the people in this list have in common? While they may have never met, and are from different fields, you may be surprised to know that they are all part of the same family. The family of Canadian Scouting.

Last year, Scouts Canada celebrated the centennial of Scouting across the globe, with 28 million young people currently registered in the Movement in 155 different countries. For 101 years, Scouting has made the difference in the lives of countless people across our country. It teaches responsibility and leadership. It instructs youth on the importance of fitness, preservation of the environment, and how to respect themselves, and their neighbors. The best part is that the classroom in which these skills are taught is the outdoors. Youth in Scouting will rarely notice that they are learning anything, because they are having fun every step of the way. When you are sleeping outside in a snow shelter and its - 20°C, or when you have been canoeing for three days, you don't have time to realize that it has been educational!

In Canada, there are roughly 100 000 members of this great Movement. Scouting is equally strong in Quebec – but our many groups across the province are continuously looking for new members! If you would like your child to benefit from this program, please don't hesitate to contact us at (514) 334-3004 or visit our website at www.qc.scouts.ca. The adventure of Scouting offers the *experiences* of a lifetime while teaching lessons that will *last* a lifetime. At least, 28 million people think so...

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c'est pour moi!

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Scouting!



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