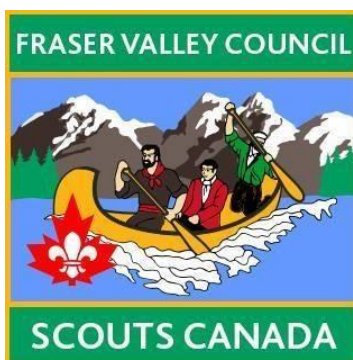


Fraser Valley Council Scoop - January 20, 2023

(To all Active Volunteers, Rovers & Venturers)



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Camp Rovent February 17 -20, 2023

Venturers, Rovers and 4th year Scouts, joining with an experienced Company or Crew are invited to come out and join in the "*Very Puzzling Rovent*". Ready for the challenge? - featuring puzzle puzzles, mind puzzles and games in all forms!

Location: Cambie Creek, Manning Park

For more information, please see the [2023 Rovent Registration Package](#) or visit Rovent.ca

Check out the [FAQs](#) for tips and frequently asked questions.



2023 PCC CAMP LOGJAM August 28 - September 1, 2023

SAVE THE DATE

The Camp LogJam Committee Team will be holding it's first planning meeting on January 26, 2023 @ 8:30pm via Zoom.

If you are interested in attending the meeting and learning more about the Beaver camp, please contact Katharine Trueman at 604 741 7282 or ktrueman@telus.net



Twilight Nite Hike

Sat Feb 4th, 2023
5.30-9.30pm

This year the 40th Baden-Powell Guild will be resurrecting the Night Hike at **Mundy Park, Coquitlam**.

\$5 per person, incl badge, hot chocolate and cookies at the end.

This will be a trial year to see if there is enough interest and help in order to make it work.

There is a need for groups to help host a station. We need a minimum of 8 stations, but we can add more if there are the resources to do so.

If you have any general questions about the hike, please do not hesitate to us, Scouters Details on the website below, scroll down to events.

<https://40thbpguild.com/>

Register by Jan 28th, 2023



Klondike Derby

March 3 - 5, 2023

21st annual Klondike Gold Rush Camp Challenge, join with a team of 10 for \$70.

The Klondike Derby is a contest requiring teamwork and tests the "Scouting Skills" of Scouts.

Teams pull a wagon over a course of approximately 4 km through the woods around Camp Barnard. The team visits ten Klondike "towns" where the "town mayor" assigns the team a particular task or activity.

Location: Camp Barnard, Sooke BC

If you are interested in attending email Scouter James at: events@victoriascouts.ca and we will send you the registration forms.

Overnight camping also available at \$27pp for 2 nights and meals.

Spaces limited so register soon to avoid disappointment.

See also ScoutsTracker for full details.



Looking to build some new skills, sharpen existing skills, or pick up some new knowledge while meeting other Scouters?



St. John Ambulance

Standard First Aid Training - Fraser Valley & Lower Mainland



Join through Teams



Winter Scouting Skills

Provided in partnership with Pacific Coast Council.

Come network and connect with other Scouters to explore seasonal considerations allowing you to gain confidence to take your youth outside this winter!

Sessions:

- Small Groups - Lodges, Lairs and Patrols
- Winter Outdoor Cooking
- Running Effective Section Meetings Outdoors
- Planning a Winter Outdoor Adventure

Date: February 4th, 2023

Location: Camp Whonnock - 27660 Dewdney Trunk Road, Maple Ridge

Cost: \$20.00 (by cheque or etransfer)

To Register: email Bernie at

eighttengc@gmail.com with your full name, group and section.



MyScouts Update

We are pleased to announce that MyScouts is back online!

We apologize for the inconvenience this cyber incident has caused. Since the cyber incident was detected on Dec 17, 2022, Scouts Canada engaged the services of two IT firms; an experienced Chief Information Security Officer from Fortium to help us oversee the investigation of the cyber incident and remediation process and our Managed Service Provider, Longview, to complete the detailed investigation and execute the solutions required to safely and successfully relaunch MyScouts.

We apologize for the delay. Since the event occurred, we have patched the vulnerability that was responsible for the cyber incident and implemented further security protections before re-launching the system. We will continue to monitor MyScouts.

Scouts Canada has sent a renewal email to all members who have not yet renewed for the 2023 Scouting year. In addition, a reminder to those Scouters who have not yet completed their Respect in Sport certification will be sent on Friday January 20, 2023. And lastly, waitlist emails will be going out to the appropriate parents as well as registration emails to potential new registrants that have signed up to receive notification while the system was offline.

As a friendly reminder, now that MyScouts is online please doo review and update your Group's capacity for 2023 and update any screening items for Scouters.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to your Group Support Scouter or Council Key 3 member.

24th Fraser Valley Medical Scout Group



We are pleased to announce that the 24th Fraser Valley Medical Scout Group is well on its way to starting. A team has been established and is currently in the process of building the program. The plan is to open registration as soon as MyScouts is live.

The aim of the co-registration Medical Scout Group is to provide Venturers and Rovers with the opportunity to learn basic and advanced First Aid skills in a professionally oriented program, while participating in Scouting activities. Using a structured and disciplined health care approach, participants will be provided with the opportunity to practice and apply the skills they learn at Council camps and community events by providing first responder services.

If you would like to learn more about the Group or inquire about registration, please contact Bessie Cheung at 24fvmedvents@gmail.com



Camp Linley

The Camp Linley Camp Committee, comprised of members from the 6th Chilliwack and 4th Port Coquitlam Scouting Groups, is happy to report that Camp Linley set to reopen soon. All safety checks and reopening criteria have been met, and Scouts Canada Properties is working to launch Camp Linley on the DoubleKnot portal.

For those that haven't been to Camp Linley, it's a 10-hectare parcel located within Cultus Lake Provincial Park. The camp features several tenting areas, rustic cabins, and a large activity hall with a wood stove and a kitchen area. It is ideally suited for Scouting, Guiding, and other groups that want a back-to-basics camping experience. In addition, the camp has easy access to a hiking trail network and the nearby amenities of Cultus Lake.

Scouting groups will be able to reserve individual sites (with or without cabins) for small group adventures, or the entire property can be booked. The first reservable weekend will be April 21-23; this will give us time to complete a few maintenance activities before welcoming guests.

To learn more about the camp or to make booking inquiries prior to the DoubleKnot launch, please visit camplinley.ca



Event Support Scouter

We are looking for enthusiastic Scouters to join our Event Support Network. As an Event Support Scouter, you will work on a regional basis with event planning teams to help support the development of both local and large events.

Program Support Functional Team

Do you want to help Sections get on [The Canadian Path](#)? Are you excited to empower Scouters to help youth have life changing Scouting experiences?

Our new Program Support Functional Team is looking to recruit an all-star volunteer crew with professional experience or a knack for in-Section coaching, event management, outdoor adventure and more.

Communications Commissioner

Scouts Canada is seeking a strategic Communications Commissioner, Communications Functional Team to join as a Volunteer member of our Scouting Experience Team.

As the senior volunteer member of the Communications Function within the Scouting Experience Team, you will balance functional operational execution, team management and broader Enterprise leadership responsibilities – with the emphasis on volunteer management over technical competency.

To learn more about these opportunities and others, visit the [Volunteer Opportunities](#) page on Scouts.ca.



Check out the refreshed look at our Careers Page on Scouts.ca!

<https://www.scouts.ca/about/careers/overview.html>

Camp Director, Haliburton Scout Reserve

Scouts Canada has an exciting opportunity for a Camp Director to join the Properties Team at Scouts Canada at the Haliburton Scout Reserve (HSR Camp). This role is starting during the month of January for one year contract reporting to the Property Operations Manager. This role requires living onsite seasonally during the summer camp (accommodations provided).

Please submit your application by January 19, 2023.



Embrace the Wild Winter Scouters Mug Up



Welcome to Winter and all the Grand Adventures that it allows.

The Program Team will be hosting a look at Saga Adventures with a dose of Game Storming thrown in. There will be specific breakout rooms for everyone to share ideas, tips and tricks.

Sunday January 29 at 4pm PST

Register: <https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZwtf-2upj4uE9bxuvR8UMbOmuoYGBBFoW11>

Monday January 30 at 7pm PST

Register: <https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZckfuqurDgtHt3VfmTYFonxnOjPaL44eAMb>

Tuesday January 31 at 4pm PST

Register: <https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUsc2gpjMvGdzHkof9537GURIDcB6OPtnq>

Please Use the Links above to Pre-Register for the Night of your Choice.



Are you running an Event? Do you have questions about the event process? Join us as we put on monthly meetings to answer all your questions around events. This is open to CK3, Event Support Scouters, Event Leads, Event Team members and anyone else that is interested in events.

Join us on:

Wednesday Feb 1st at 5pm PST

Registration: <https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZcsdO6urDwsGdOQnTd649sW95L2myq3-0JM>

Wednesday Mar 1st at 5pm PST

Registration: <https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZcsdO6urDwsGdOQnTd649sW95L2myq3-0JM>

Wednesday Apr 5th at 5pm PST

Registration: <https://us06web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZcsdO6urDwsGdOQnTd649sW95L2myq3-0JM>

May 3rd at 5pm PST

Registration: <https://us06web.zoom.us/join/tZcsdO6urDwsGdOQnTd649sW95L2myq3-0JM>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

Fundraising Opportunity

ScoutSeeds 2023



It's Almost Thyme!

In the next couple weeks Group Commissioners will be receiving a sign-up link (via Email) to participate in the 2023 ScoutsSeeds Fundraising Campaign...

There is Never a "Dill" Moment is Fundraising.

To support groups the Communications Team (Specifically the AMAZING SVETA) will be providing the first 50 (or so) sign-ups with a CUSTOM PRODUCT BROCHURE Specific to their group. Complete with:

- Individualized QR Code,
- & Direct Fundraising link!

Please let us know if there is anything we can do to help you "plant the seed".

Custom Group Fundraising Website



[Click on image for tutorial](#)

A template has been developed to make it easy for Groups to showcase their fundraising activities.

This includes information for potential donors to participate in your Scout Popcorn, Scout Coffee and Scout Seeds national fundraisers.

There is also a place for Groups to add their local fundraising activities. And to top it off, there is a graphic to display fundraising goals and the current amount raised. Once you register, all the information you need for your website will be sent to your Group Webmaster.

Don't delay in personalizing your own Group Fundraising Website and take your fundraising activities to the next level. Bring on the Adventure!

To register your scout group or to learn more [CLICK HERE](#)



SCOUTSHOP.CA



Dragon Trail Quest - Crests are back in stock and available for purchase.

[Link to the ScoutShop.ca](#)

Apple Day 2022 - Crests are back in stock and available for purchase

[Link to the ScoutShop.ca](https://www.scoutshop.ca)



SAFETY WEEK

What if a Crucial Conversation Could Prevent a Safety Concern?

Have you ever been in a Group or Section where the dynamics were such that BAHD (Bullying, Abusive, Harassing, or Discriminatory) behaviours were just accepted, or even expected?

BAHD Behaviours, if tolerated and accepted over time, create a snowball affect - they grow and grow, and usually cause destruction as they rumble along. Accepting BAHD behaviours isn't the solution.

Use your Crucial Conversations skills to feel prepared and confident to have those conversations, and you may prevent a safety concern before it happens.

The longer a BAHD behaviour is tolerated, the more the BAHD behaviour is accepted, the more tension in the Group, the higher the risk for a youth protection safety concern.

Crucial Conversations can be daunting, but if you need help with preparing to have a crucial conversation, we're here to help! Refresh or visit the David Huestis Learning Centre (when available) to access the Learning Module.

Resources:

Volunteer Discipline and Management Procedure [Link](#)

Volunteer Performance and Discipline Form [Link](#)

SPOTLIGHT



Community Learning - Scouting Skills!

Bacon at Mug Ups!??...

Last night, Scouters and senior youth came out to attend a community learning session in Delta focused on Winter Skills. Scouter Tony led a session full of fantastic information for all sections about preparing for

and handling BC winter conditions at camps. The session was super interactive! So many great questions, networking and sharing of scouting hacks!
Including....
why protein (could be bacon) is important at mug ups!!
Huh, Who knew....and it helps keep youth in their beds longer during cold nights...

See you at the next Scouter Skills session! (Ask about the bacon)



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