

GENERAL INFORMATION

VISITORS	<p style="text-align: center;">Must contact leader prior to hike</p> <p>It is the hiker's responsibility to ensure he/she is capable of handling the planned hike. Ask the leader about the difficulty of the hike to ensure your skills and the hike are matched. A waiver must be signed.</p>
EQUIPMENT	Daypack, water, lunch, hiking boots and adequate clothing are required.
SCHEDULED HIKES	On occasion it will be necessary to change a hike from the one scheduled. The replacement hike will be within the rating originally shown.
MEETING PLACE	We meet in the south parking lot of Saanich Municipal Hall (SMH) at 770 Vernon Ave. unless otherwise stated in the hike schedule.
DEPARTURE	Please, arrive at the meeting place 5-10 minutes before listed leaving time.
RESPONSIBILITY	Each hiker is wholly responsible for his/her personal safety. Leaders, who are volunteers and do not have special training, will take necessary precautions, but neither they nor the <i>Outdoor Club</i> will be responsible for loss or accidents to participants.
SMOKING	No smoking.
DOGS	No dogs are allowed on hikes.
KLICKAGE	"km" in hike descriptions indicates total distance driven to and from the trailhead. On occasion drivers need to take klickage (Dtk).
MEMBERSHIP	After completion of three hikes, guests must send an application form and cheque to the Membership Chair, Jean Robinson. Forms can be printed from the website or obtained from the Membership Chair.
MEMBERSHIP DUES	\$22.00 for single membership or \$40.00 per couple or family; \$11 & \$20 after Sept. 30.

Tuesday afternoon hikes

Oct. 5 & 19; Nov. 2, 16, & 30; Dec. 7 & 21.

Contact Fred for details:

250.480.0880; fredtr@shaw.ca:

02 October - Saturday

A2a Lochside Trail – 5 Parks Loop

10:00 SMH. Barbara 250.380.6579

A/B2b McKenzie Lake and Scafe Hill

9:00 SMH. 20k. Grahame 250.727.6050

03 October – Sunday

A1b Thetis Lake ramble.

9:45 SMH. 20k. Eric 250.385.7293

B2b Matterhorn (Near French Beach)

Contact leader if attending.

8:30 SMH, **9:00** Meet leader at Braden

mailboxes. Dtk.

Mary H 1.250.743.4074; gmhof@shaw.ca

09 October - Saturday

A1b Witty's Lagoon and Tower Point.

9:45 SMH. 40k. Margot 250.920.3893

B2b Anderson and Jocelyn Hills

9:00 SMH. 40k. Shirley 250.477.2890

10 October - Sunday

A/B1b East Sooke Park : Aylard Farm to Beechey Head.

9:45 SMH. 65k. Brenda 250.384.9631

B2b East Sooke Park: Aylard Farm – Cabin Point – Babbington Hill.

9:00 SMH. 65k. Grahame 250.727.6050

16 October - Saturday

A1b Colquitz River to Swan Creek Loop.

10:00 Burnside Lawn Bowling Club, 274

Hampton Road. Yvonne 250.995.1953

Bike ride. Moderate loop. **10:00** SMH.

Janice 250.386.9769

OCV General meeting to follow at 12:30. Bring your lunch to the meeting. Burnside Lawn Bowling Club, 274 Hampton Road.

17 October - Sunday

A1b Rural Autumn trek near John Dean Park.

10:00 Centennial Park Tennis Courts. 45k.

Lois and Phil 250.477.6486

B2b Mount Manuel Quimper. **NEW TRAIL**

9:00 SMH. 60k. Gerry 250.477.4107

23 October - Saturday

A1b NEW HIKE. Glendale Gardens to Observatory loop.

10:00 Quayle Rd, 100 m from Glendale Garden's main entrance.

Olga 250.479.5237

No "B" hike: (Tucson outing).

24 October - Sunday

No "A" or "B" hikes.

30 October - Saturday

A/B1b Mt. Douglas

10:00 Mt. Doug parking lot near washrooms.

Rana 250.383.9114

No "B" hike.

31 October - Sunday

No "A" or "B" hikes.

06 November - Saturday

A1b Royal Bay area, beach walks and views (lots of steps).

10:00 SMH. Dtk. Yvonne 250.995.1953

B2b Park Heights – Cabin Point – Coast trail.

9:00 SMH. 70k. Loretta 250.382.4929

07 November - Sunday

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS.

A/B1b John Dean Park from Alec Road.

9:00 SMH. **9:30** Meet leader at Alec Rd. 45k.

Cathy 250.544.1959

B2b NEW HIKE. Mount Work west loop from Munn Road.

9:00 SMH. 30k. Gerry 250.477.4107

13 November - Saturday

A2a Peacock Park, Summit Park loop.

10:00 Cedar Hill Rec. Centre.

Barbara 250.380.6579

B2b Broadmead trails to Mt. Douglas summit and beach.

9:00 Chatterton and Dalewood (car shuttle).

Shirley 250.477.2890

14 November – Sunday

A1b Broadmead Ramble.

9:45 Dalewood Lane. Ann 250.477.7068

B2b Mount Wells 4 bumps.

9:00 SMH. 40k. Grahame 250.727.6050



Outdoor Club of Victoria

www.ocv.ca

Hike Schedule October - December 2010

The Outdoor Club of Victoria is an adult hiking club for people who are interested in and enjoy outdoor activities. We schedule hikes every weekend as well as occasional bike rides and campouts throughout the year. Our weekend hikes and bike rides are in Greater Victoria and areas of southern Vancouver Island while our camping trips can be further afield.

Hikes go rain or shine all year round!

Guests are welcome on three hikes before joining the Club. Guests and prospective members **must phone the hike leader before the event.**

General Club enquiries:
Margot Lods 250.920.3893
Grahame Ruxton gruxton@shaw.ca
Membership enquiries:
Jean Robinson 250.727.0824
bjeanrobinson@shaw.ca

Hikes are rated for elevation gain, distance hiked, and trail conditions. Hikes are generally 3-5 hours long and include a break for lunch.

Total Elevation Gain	Distance	Trail Conditions
A up to 300m (1,000 ft)	1 up to 10km (6 mi)	a good trail, sometimes sidewalks or roads
B 300 to 600m (2,000 ft)	2 10 to 20km (12 mi)	b rough trail
C 600 to 900m (3,000 ft)	3 20 to 30km (18 mi)	c rough trail. Possible scrambling or bushwacking

20 November - Saturday

A1b Goldstream Park from campground.

9:45 SMH. 40k. Margot 250.920.3893

B2b Mt Douglas

9:00 Mount Doug washroom parking lot.

Joy 250.477.0290

21 November - Sunday

A1b Mt. Work area, no summit, views

9:30 SMH; **9:45** Meet leader at main Mt. Work parking lot. 40k. Noelle 250.477.8894

B2b Goldstream trails. **Contact leader if attending.**

9:00 SMH; **9:30** Meet leader at Ma Miller's Pub. 40k. Mary H 1.250.743.4074; gmhof@shaw.ca

27 November - Saturday

A/B1b Jocelyn Hill from Stonecrest.

9:30 SMH. 40k. Brenda 250.384.9631

B2b John Dean Park from Alec Road.

9:00 SMH. 45k. Norma 250.479.5418

28 November - Sunday

A2b Rithet's Bog to Mount Douglas Park.

9:45 Dalewood Lane. Sheila 778.430.3339

B2b Goldstream to Stonecrest via Mount Finlayson (car shuttle).

9:00 SMH. Dtk. Mick 250.658.2702

04 December - Saturday

A1a Esquimalt Parks and Waterfront (lunch at Spinnakers).

10:00 Behind Archie Browning Arena, Esquimalt Road. Brenda 250.384.9631

B2b Francis King Park to Fork Lake

9:00 SMH. Dtk. (car shuttle).

Mick 250.658.2702

05 December - Sunday

A1a Historical walk. Old Town to Beacon Hill.

10:00 Totem Pole on Songhees Road (behind Delta Ocean Pointe Hotel).

Eric 250.385.7293

A2b Cowichan River Trail (4½ to 5 hours)

Phone leader if attending.

8:30 SMH; **9:30** Meet leader at Cowichan Library. Dtk. Lydia 1.250.748.8520

11 December - Saturday

A1b Mt. Doug Park. Little Mt. Doug – Mini Mt. Doug. Easy pace.

10:00 Mt. Doug parking lot near washrooms. Noelle 250.477.8894

B2b NEW HIKE. Mount Work west loop from main Mt. Work parking lot.

9:00 SMH. 40k. Loretta 250.382.4929

12 December - Sunday

A2a Clover Point – Centennial Trail – Anderson Hill loop.

10:00 Dallas Road opposite Ross Bay Cemetery. Barbara 250.380.6579

B2b Partridge Hills from Durrance Lake.

9:00 SMH. 40k. Gerry 250.477.4107

18 December - Saturday

A2b Horth Hill and area.

9:30 SMH; **10:00** Meet leader at parking lot off Tatlow Road. Dtk. Cathy 250.544.1959

B2b Martha's Mounds from Fork Lake.

9:00 SMH. 30k. Shirley 250.477.2890

19 December - Sunday

A1a Elk/Beaver Lake

9:45 SMH. 10k. Alan 250.655.1520

B2b Cobble Hill Mountain. **Contact leader if attending.**

8:30 SMH; **9:15** Meet leader at Cobble Hill rest stop on Hwy. 1. Dtk.

Mary H 1.250.743.4074; gmhof@shaw.ca

25 December - Saturday

Xmas Day : No hikes

26 December – Sunday (Boxing Day)

A/B1b Mt. Douglas

10:00 Mt. Doug parking lot near washrooms.

Rana 250.383.9114

01 January – Saturday

A1b New Years Day. Swan Lake and Christmas Hill (Optional lunch at Tim Horton's)

10:00 SMH. Margot 250.920.3893