

VOCene

Adventures make one late for dinner.



Photo of the Week: Ross, Clemens and Sophia identifying directions where human civilization may be found. Photo credit: Taniya Adak

Upcoming Trips

THIS WEEK

[Backcountry Splitboarding day trip](#)

April 2 --- Hanging Lake, Whistler

Want to polish your AST1 skills and catch some fresh pow? Join Zack on an introductory day-trip in the backcountry specifically tuned to splitboarders.

[HitchBiking America](#)

March 29th, 7:00 pm --- ESB 2012

Come to listen to Matthias' story about his bike journey from Alaska to Panama City.

NEXT WEEK

[Old-school Neve Ski Traverse](#)

April 7th - Apr. 9th --- Garibaldi Neve

The idea is to do cross the Garibaldi Neve, a classic ski traverse in the Coast Mountains, clad in old-school skiing/mountaineering attire.

Past Trips

Ms. Manners enjoys sharing your trip pictures. Please send them to her intern (so that she doesn't have to harrass you to get them)! Email: il_kapralov@mail.ru

Trip reports:

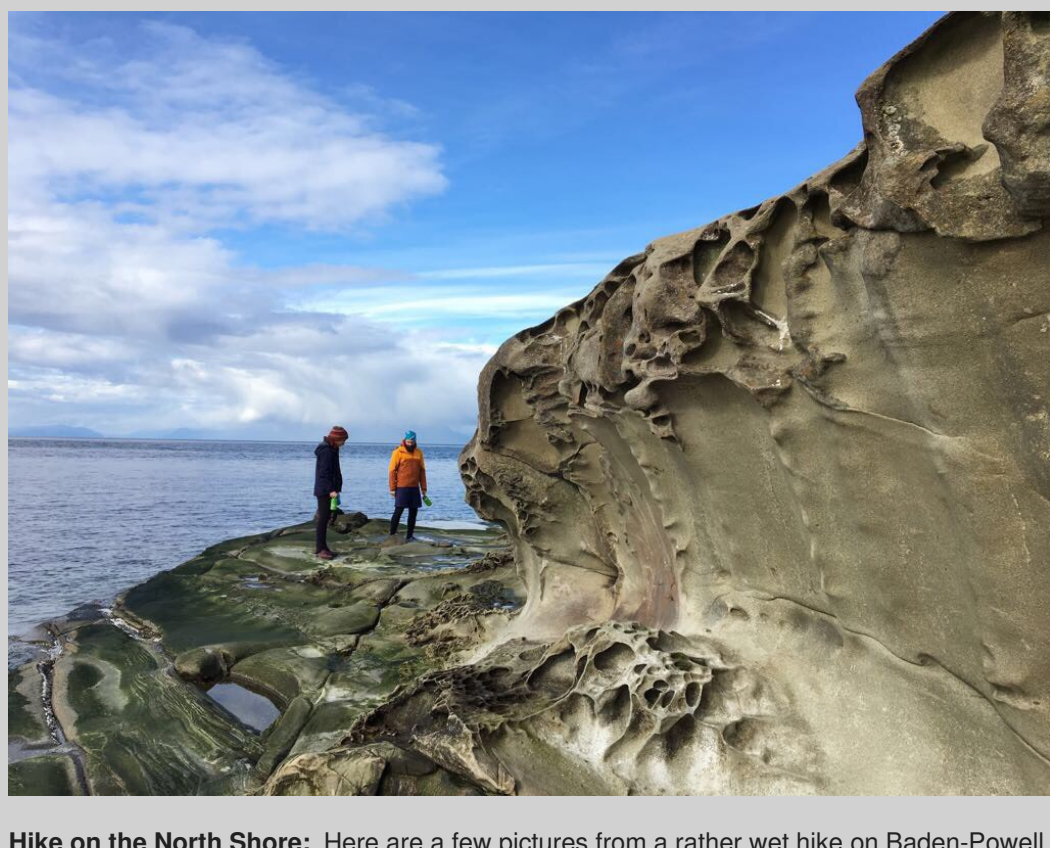
Please don't forget to post Trip reports to keep Ms. Manners entertained. She loves reading your stories!

Climbing at Skaha: Carly, Kelsey, Zack, Ethan, and Anna went up to Skaha for some climbing and sunshine. Photo is of Carly climbing while Kelsey belays. Photo credit:

Anna La Lau



Galiano Island bike tour: "The trip was largely enjoyable and plenty eventful. We all got to the ferry by various means without problem and enjoyed a Saturday of pretty perfect weather. Taniya learned the pearls of borrowing someone's flatmate's sister's old bike but trooped through. Camp was in a great spot with views of seals, sea lions, otters, and golden eagles. The weather on Sunday was more motivational. Maybe this is what resulted in Taniya taking a steep hill a little too quickly, which resulted in falling off, a rather bashed head, and an Ambulance. On the bright side, no one is going to have to worry about using that bike again... Thankfully she was ok, and we got some lunch at a nearby cafe before catching the boat home." -- Ross. Trip report is coming soon! Photo credit: Taniya Adak



Hike on the North Shore: Here are a few pictures from a rather wet hike on Baden-Powell trail.



Message Board Notes

- [Centennial Book production team](#) looking for **more** members
- [Getting into sailing](#)
- Investigation of [Helicopter drops at Phelix](#)
- [Wilderness First Aid discount course](#)
- [FS: BD Megawatts 178cm](#)
- VOCer looks for [sublet - May and June](#)
- [Trans-Canada Trail Challenge!](#)
- Exchange gear at [VOC Gear Swap](#)

Ms. Manners

Hi Ms. Manners,

VOC does so much for me! I would never get into so many trips on my own and wouldn't know so many great people with out it. Is there any thing that I can do for the club to make it even better?

Thanks!

Exemplary VOCer.

Dear VOCer,

VOC is 100! VOC Centennial organizing needs your help! They are currently looking for volunteers to join our various planning committees. This is an extremely important year for the club, as we would like to hold a huge celebration with our alumni.

This is a great opportunity to network within the outdoor community and get involved with the club! Please have a look at our form which describes each of the positions in detail!

<https://goo.gl/forms/qHVXnXbeHu4fcube2>

Cheers,

Ms. Manners

Ms. Manners is the VOC's resident expert on mountaineering and outdoors etiquette. Do you have a question for Ms. Manners? Email the VOCene editor and it will be forwarded on to Ms. Manners.

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Ye Olde VOC:

A weekly recollection of the past of the club.

In the late 1960s and early 1970s, Longhike was a mandatory introduction to the club in the form of a hike and evening celebration at the Whistler Cabin. New members would gather in groups by gender and perform a dance to music, referred to as the Chorus Line.

Quote of the Week:

"...when you can't make a mistake, you don't make a mistake Every move imperatively must be correct, one foul slip and you're a gonner."

--- Shane Monks O'Byrne, The North ramp of Mt. Harvey; a winter ascent

Weekly recipe:

Every now and then I'll include a recipe from the [VOC wiki](#) here. Try them out and share yours!

**For questions, comments, or rants contact your clueless VOCene editor/Ms. Manners:
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