

Adventures make one late for dinner.



Photo of the Week: Learning to ice climb at nephew of Icicle at Marble Canyon. Picture taken by Caitlin Schneider

# **Upcoming Trips**

#### THIS WEEK

Take II: Feuerzangen-Brew ski trip February 11-13 --- Brew Hut Go to Brew Hut, yo-yo some mellow slopes, and enjoy a warm hut of merry time with delicious mulled wine.

#### Steep Creek

February 10-12 --- Duffey Intermediate-friendly skiing.

### Daughter of Ice

February 10-13 --- Marble Canyon Trip full.

### NEXT WEEK

Wear your beacon to campus February 14 --- UBC Promote love and friendship by wearing your beacon around campus. Turn it on whenever you can be disturbed and turn it to search when you feel like meeting a fellow VOCer.

### VOC VIMFF shows

February 15th and 16th --- Wood theatre, UBC Join for the climbing and skiing nights!

## Sphinx Bay ski camp

February 18-26 --- Garibaldi Provincial Park Spend some time in Garibaldi nearby Sphinx hut over reading week.

# **Past Trips**

Ms. Manners enjoys sharing your trip pictures. Please send them her way (so that she doesn't have to harrass you to get them)!

## Trip reports:

<u>Supercouloir</u> Women's backcountry adventure A minor fiasco

Nephew of Icicle: People had a good time though and got introduced to various aspects of ice climbing. The ice won't be there for much longer. Pictures from Shane Monks O'Byrne and Caitlin Schneider.



# **Message Board Notes**

- High traffic alpine areas: keeping them clean
- <u>Slideshow film</u>: ice climbing in the Rockies
- Looking for touring partner this weekend
- Looking for an ice climbing partner
- Trip to <u>Red Rocks over reading week</u>
- Borrowing a trad rack
- Tire chains
- Gear repair workhike

# **Ms. Manners**

Dear Ms. Manners,

I recently discovered the message board and I think it's awesome. So many people talk about anything and everything. Some threads get so long that they go over several pages! What do I need to know to become so cool I can get a multi-page thread going?

Sincerely, Want to be interesting.

Tune in next week for some answers!

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:

The Centennial banquet will be held on September 2, 2017. Make sure to keep your schedules free!

#### Quote of the Week:

"But I am I. And I won't subordinate my taste to the unanimous judgement of mankind." --- Jack London

## 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: vocene@ubc-voc.com