



## Nordic Wrecks X-Country Ski and Snowshoe Club



<http://nordicwrecks.org/>

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### President's Message

#### Hello Skiers and Snowshoers,

First, many thanks to all our members who attended the Sign-up event in November. It was so helpful to see that there is such great interest in resuming the club trips.

**Please Note:** Our next meeting will be held on Monday, December 6, 2021 at a new location. It will be held in the **Pinetree Community Center rooms 5/6** (which is attached to Pinetree Secondary School), **1260 Pinetree Way** in Coquitlam. Please take a minute to familiarize yourself with the Center's location as it is easy to drive past it. There is pay parking in front of the Community Center (\$1.00 per hour) or you can park free of charge across the street in the Town Center Parking Lot just off of Trevor Wingrove Way.

Please come prepared to show proof of your vaccinations and remember to bring your mask.

Plan to arrive for a 7:00 pm start time with your completed membership form and begin signing up for our trips. We will be giving an extended time for everyone to complete signing up and to enjoy socializing with other members. The club will be providing a variety of refreshments and snacks to accompany this social event.

There will also be a short formal meeting during the evening.

**We will be deciding the future of our December 18 and 29 Manning trips at this meeting. At the writing of this newsletter, we do not have enough people signed up for these trips. Please sign up for December 18, by calling Sharon (trip leader) at 604 740-5335 or for December 29, by calling Avril (trip leader) at 604 942-3164**

As of today, the numbers for each trip are as follows:

Manning Park: Saturday, December 18: 16 signed up  
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Callaghan Valley: Sunday, January 9: 23 signed up  
Silver Star: January 14–16: 32 signed up  
Manning Park: Saturday, January 22: 20 signed up  
Lost Lake: Sunday, January 30: 24 signed up  
China Ridge: February 5-6: 28 signed up  
Callaghan Valley: Saturday, February 12: 22 signed up  
Manning Park: Sunday, February 20: 8 signed up  
Sun Peaks: February 25-27: full with a wait list  
Callaghan Valley: Saturday, March 5: 13 signed up

I encourage all members to sign up as early as possible for the trips you are interested in so we can enjoy a long season on the trails together.

The bus pick up remains the same and is at Burnaby 8 Rinks located at 6501 Sprott Street. Please park your cars on the outer edge of the parking lot, at the back of the 8 Rinks building which is off Norland Avenue. There are additional pick up locations: for the trips to Manning, China Ridge, Silver Star and Sun Peaks members can be picked up at the 232<sup>nd</sup> Street exit (at the Chevron Station) and the Whatcom Road exit at the gravel parking lot, opposite Tim Hortons. For the trips to Callaghan and Lost Lake members can also be picked up at St. David's Church at Taylor Way and the Upper Levels Highway in West Vancouver. Please let your trip leader know if you will be wanting to be picked up at these alternate locations.

Let's hope we see the snow on the mountains soon so our winter season can begin.

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