



## Nordic Wrecks X-Country Ski and Snowshoe Club



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**December, 2024**

### **President's Message**

**Happy Holidays everyone,**

Many thanks to all our members who attended our first meeting at the Pinetree Community Centre. Everyone greatly enjoyed Iveta's presentation about her trek on the five Holy Peaks of the Altai Mountains in Mongolia. What an amazing and challenging journey!

**Next month Iveta will be giving another presentation on hiking the high Tatra Mountains and Paradise Valley in Slovakia.**

**Please Note:** Our next meeting will be held on Monday, January 6 in rooms 5/6 of the Pinetree Community Centre (which is attached to Pinetree Secondary School), 1260 Pinetree Way in Coquitlam. There is pay parking in front and back of the Community Centre (\$3.00 for the evening) or you can park free of charge across the street in the Town Centre Parking Lot, just off of Trevor Wingrove Way. The skytrain to Lafarge Lake-Douglas station is within easy walking distance as well.

Before and after Iveta's presentation there will plenty of time to socialize and sign up for those trips you would like to join.

**Our February AGM meeting will be a potluck dinner on Sunday, February 2.**

The evening will begin at 5 pm with a short meeting followed by dinner.

The potluck/meeting will be held at our residence (Linda and Jeannette) at 316 Second Street, New Westminster. Please bring a dish to share, either a main dish, salad or dessert, along with your own plate, cutlery, serving utensil and any special beverage you want to enjoy during the evening. (coffee, tea and wine will be provided).

**Most Important:** We still have plenty of room on most of our day trips and even some spaces on both our Silver Star and Sun Peaks trips. Once again, please consider inviting your friends, family or neighbours on any of these trips. They do

not need to become members for that first trip but hopefully they will enjoy themselves so much that they will become members in the future!

Please consider going to Manning Park on January 18 as we need a few more people to make the trip a go. You can contact Sharon at [sharongpeng@gmail.com](mailto:sharongpeng@gmail.com) to add your name to the list. Also, for the Silver Star and Sun Peaks trips we are looking for 2 more people for each destination to have the trips be a go.

Our most recent numbers for each trip are as follows:

**Manning Park** on Saturday, January 18: 22 confirmed. Contact Sharon at [sharongpeng@gmail.com](mailto:sharongpeng@gmail.com)

**Callaghan Valley** on Saturday, January 25: 38 confirmed. Contact Kathy at 604 839-2776

**Silver Star** on Tuesday to Thursday, January 28-30: 27 confirmed. Contact Cathy at 604 671-4582

**Manning Park** on Sunday February 9: 10 confirmed. Contact Jeannette at 604 520-1052

**Lost Lake on Saturday, February 22:** 20 confirmed. Contact Cathy at 604 671-4582. **Please note this is a change in the date.**

**Sun Peaks** Saturday to Monday, March 1-3: 28 confirmed. Contact Louise at 604 937-5051

**Callaghan** on Saturday, March 8: 15 confirmed. Contact Wendy at 604 420-6513

Merry Christmas to all of you. Linda and I wish you all a wonderful holiday season.

Jeannette (President)  
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