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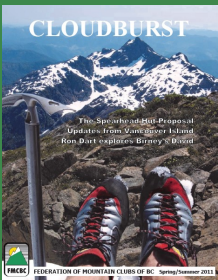
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Southwest BC Recreation and Conservation Update Brian Wood (SW BC Rec&Con Co-Chair)

[Click here](#) to read a summary of the topics discussed at the last SW BC Rec & Con Committee Meeting including issues and updates regarding 21 Mile Creek, Whistler Olympic Park, Garibaldi Park, BC Parks Funding and the Natural Resource Roads Act Project.

BC Parks South Coast Regional Manager, Brandin Shultz will be attending the next SW BC Rec & Con Committee meeting to discuss various Parks related issues in the region.

Chilliwack River Valley Trails Association Jack Bryceland (Chilliwack Outdoor Club)

An ad hoc group of trail users (both motorized & non-motorized) calling themselves the Chilliwack River Valley Trails Association is attempting to resolve recreational conflicts. [Click here](#) to learn about the two current issues this group is working to resolve in the Chilliwack River Valley area.



IN THE NEWS

[A legend in her own time](#)

Quesnel Cariboo Observer, November 18, 2011

[Avalanche centre announces new bulletins](#)

Revelstoke Times Review, November 16, 2011

[Ski resort approval poses Jumbo issue for Christy Clark](#)

Globe and Mail, November 13, 2011

[Power firm should pay for trail upkeep: SDBA](#)

The Chief, November 7, 2011

MOUNTAIN MATTERS

[A Guide to Climbing and Hiking in Southwestern British Columbia](#)

Review by Ron Dart



Click on the article *Diamond Gone to Rough* from Kootenay Mountain Culture's Magazine [Summer 2011 issue](#) to read about the underfunding and declining of BC Parks.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Al Jenkins held the first meeting for the Friends of Garibaldi Park this month. The group is focussed on restoring / upgrading the Black Tusk Meadows Trail . [Email](#) him to receive an update and be added to his contacts list

[Click here](#) to view Caledonia Rambler's Report on the Universal Boardwalk/Ancient Forest Nov, 2011

[Spearhead Soiree](#)—The Spearhead Huts Committee is hosting a fundraising evening for the Spearhead Huts Project on Nov 25th at [Performance Works](#) on Granville Island in Vancouver

[40 Days at Base Camp](#)—film by Dianne Whelan is showing at the Vancity Theatre from Nov 25 to Dec 1

The Fall/Winter 2011 40th Anniversary issue of Cloudburst will be hitting mailboxes and email inboxes soon! Thank you to everyone who contributed. April 15, 2012 is the next deadline for articles.

FMCBC E-News Articles—If you have a story or news about trails, backcountry access or conservation from your region in BC, please [email](#) it to us so we can include it in the next issue.

The mission of the FMCBC is to advocate for safe, self-propelled activities (such as hiking, mountaineering, backcountry skiing, snowshoeing, trail running and other backcountry activities) and the protection of BC's backcountry for current and future generations to experience.

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