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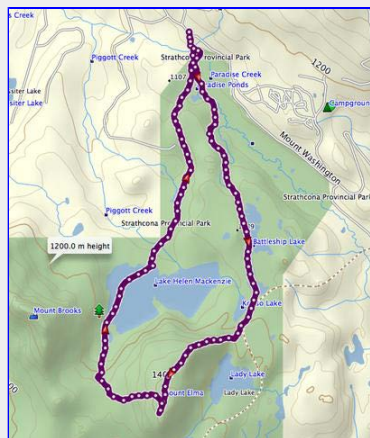
Mt Elma Crossover (snowshoeing) [return to Reports list](#)

Sun Jan 30, 2011

 Leader: **Linda Hamilton**

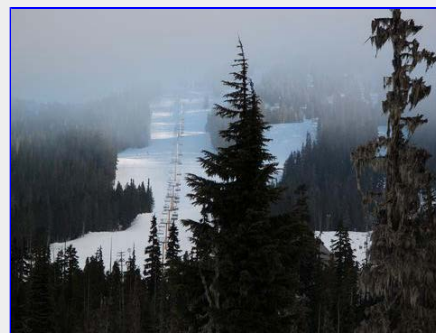
Co-Leader:

Five hardy souls headed out Battleship way and onto the shoulder of Mt Elma, up the steep slope getting into the fog and trees with a light dusting of snow and frost. Though the sun never came out while snowshoeing it was still a great trip into the wilderness. Geoff suggested we make the trip a crossover trip and go down the slope facing Alan Brooks so we followed his lead and found a more gentle way to go down than if we had retraced our steps. We then crossed Helen Mackenzie and followed the trail back to the lodge where we enjoyed a cup of hot chocolate before returning home.



11.2k in 4 hours 25
minutes

[Linda Hamilton photo]



Things looked promising for a brief moment at the beginning
[Darrell Tomkins photo]



But the fog descended on our little group
[Darrell Tomkins photo]



heading across the top of Mt Elma
[Linda Hamilton photo]



Darrell resting on the way up
[Geoff Brameld photo]



And over the hills we go. The fog formed hoar frost on the trees and snags
[Darrell Tomkins photo]



Nearing the Summit
[Geoff Brameld photo]



lunch before the overlook which we did not go to due to fog
[Linda Hamilton photo]



The view from the summit
[Darrell Tomkins photo]



Old Snag
[Geoff Brameld photo]

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