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## Trip Report

**Croteau Lake And The Ridge On The East Side Therof** (snowshoeing)

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Sun Mar 06, 2011

Leader: **Tim Penney**

Co-Leader:

12 members in total enjoyed this trip in reasonable weather conditions. It was mostly cloudy, but with some nice soft filtered sunlight for most of the day.

We had to break trail in all the fresh snow from the south end of Battleship Lake through to Croteau Lake. However, with a good number of strong snowshoers we were able to take turns in the lead, that made for a relatively easy trip.

We stopped on a low ridge at the south end of Croteau Lake for lunch, and then went to the 4200 foot summit of the ridge for a grand view down to Murray Meadows and the peaks of Strathcona Park. We returned along our outward bound tracks and some of us stopped in at the Raven Lodge for refreshments before heading back to town.

We had a great crew of members, including Karl on his skis, with us today and everybody kept up a good pace for the entire trip.

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*GPS Map and trip  
 statistics  
 [Tim Penney photo]*



*Heading down to Lady Lake  
 [Tim Penney photo]*



*Lunch break on a low ridge at  
the south end of Croteau Lake*

*[Tim Penney photo]*



*Heading out after lunch*

*[Tim Penney photo]*



*At the 4200 foot summit of the  
ridge*

*[Tim Penney photo]*



*Heading down off the ridge*

*[Tim Penney photo]*



*Looking back across Croteau  
Lake to the ridges*

*[Tim Penney photo]*



*A panorama of Battleship Lake  
and the Snow Waves*

*[Chris Carter photo]*



*I took time for some more "arty"  
shots.*

*[Chris Carter photo]*

*Albert Edward made a brief  
appearance*

*[Geoff Brameld photo]*

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