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Croteau Lookouts+ (snowshoeing) retu Mon Apr 03, 2017 Leader: Joe Lumsdon Co-Leader: Susan Osso

With a late arranged guest (T. Beaton) on our Monday Meanderers list, we enjoyed a superb full day of snowshoeing. We left Raven before 9am and were able to walk on top of weather crusted snow. This made the conditions quite easy. Cloudless skies to start, it was sunglasses all day.

We took about 2hr 15m to get to the grand lookout up above the south-east end of Croteau Lake. The mountains and glacier views were stunning.

After a relaxed lunch, the Bocce balls rolled into action. The whiskey jacks had to be scurried away as it was apparent they were affecting the position of the balls. It appears with the right conditions this club activity has evolved into a biathalon (snowshoe/bocce).

We followed a slightly different route home dropping down to Kooso, across it to Helen MacKenzie, then the normal route to the vehicle.

Good introduction for a newcomer and guest. A healthy day physically and spiritually.



And the Adventure Begins! [Susan Osso photo]

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Let Go My Bocce Ball!! [Susan Osso photo]



A Fabulous Backdrop for our Tournament [Susan Osso photo]





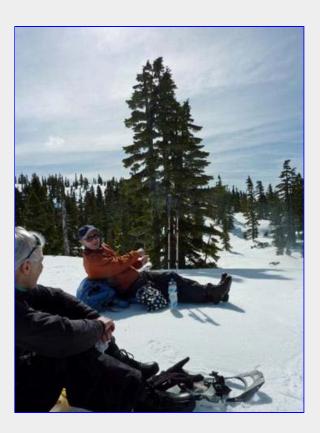
Arriving at Croteau Lake, looking South to Castlecrag. [Brian Jackson photo]



Lookout [Melanie Bagley photo]



Lunch in the snow [Melanie Bagley photo]



Just chilling! [Melanie Bagley photo]



I'm sure I can eat it! [Melanie Bagley photo]

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