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## **Trip Report**

Battleship Lk Etc. (snowshoeing)

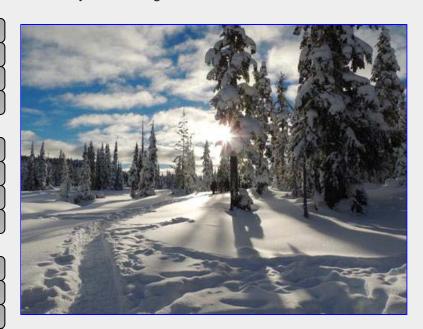
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Mon Nov 28, 2016

Leader: Joe Lumsdon
Co-Leader: Tim Penney

We drove up to Raven lodge to start snowshoeing at 9:15 am after introductions for the benefit of our wonderful guest. After warning of the recent trail conditions, off we mushed. We did the loop Helen MacKenzie, Battleship and back. Thankfully the path was well trodden in the last few days. No trail breaking, only a few falls due to the snow conditions or trail giving out. Snow Bombs were the worst condition as the warmth loosened the snow in the trees. It was a beautiful day. We stopped for a break at H. MacK and lunched at Battleship at 11:30 and back to the vehicles by 1pm. Nine pleased snowshoers out on the club's first snowshoe trip of the season. The pics should be superb.

Oh, I forgot to mention we had a visit at Battleship lunch stop from a snow angel that flew away after being refueled!



Heading into the Meadows
[Susan Osso photo]



Heading up from the meadows to HM Lake [Tim Penney photo]



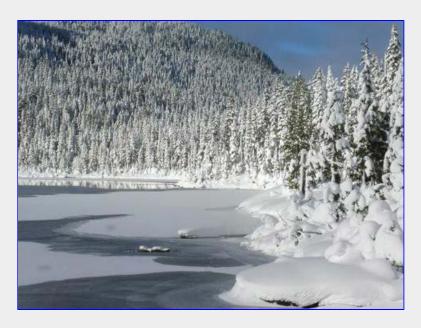
Snow Creatures of Mount Washington [Susan Osso photo]



[Shawna Kirby photo]



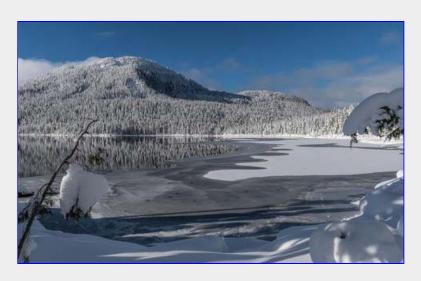
Nicely beaten in trail for us [Ed Tickner photo]



Helen MacKenzie starting to freeze over [Ed Tickner photo]



## Fabulous icy patterns at Helen Mackenzie Lake [Tim Penney photo]



View heading on from the HM day use area [Tim Penney photo]



Joe madly digging....or is it digging madly?

[Ed Tickner photo]



# Good job Joe on clearing the bench at lunch break at Battleship Lake [Tim Penney photo]

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