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Comox Glacier Road Work Party, Part 2 (other) Sun Jun 29, 2014 Leader: Ken Rodonets Co-Leader: Otto Winnig

With another Sunday, with overcast skies and threats of rain, 6 members of the CDMC met at the Court House to finish off the last 1 km of the glacier access road. We took 2 trucks, and as we approached the gate on the comox lake side, this time it was locked. I guess it will be locked now for the summer but "open" again in Sept. for hunting season. We did meet up with AI Tranfield (another member) at the Cruickshank River Bridge. Al drove from Tofino, thru Port Alberni to be with us. !! As we approached the 1st clipping area done 2 weeks ago, it was quite noticeable of what we did. A great job, well done. The big washout was still dry and easy to get thru. We started cutting around 10 am and moved up the road as we cut. By 12 noon we were at the trail head, all done the clipping and ready for lunch. As luck would have it, we could see the rain coming down the mountain where Century Sam Lake is. We finished our lunch and headed back down. With stopping at the Cruickshank River bridge to say good bye to AI, as he would take the same way back to Port Alberni we carried on back to Courtenay. Thank you to the members who came out today to finish this off. A big THANK YOU to Al for driving all the way from Tofino to help out. A short day but worth it.



Ken changes a blade on the brush cutter [Tim Penney photo]



Otto manhandles a big one [Tim Penney photo]



Otto & Kurt hard at work [Tim Penney photo]



Brush cut back about 2 feet on both sides of the road [Tim Penney photo]



Rain kept off and we have nearly cleared to the trailhead [Tim Penney photo]



Cleared to the trailhead and now time for a quick lunch before the serious downpour started [Tim Penney photo]



Before [Glenn Ord photo]



After [Glenn Ord photo]



During [Glenn Ord photo]



A mother deer and her fawn, on the way out. [Ken Rodonets photo]

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