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Thu May 07, 2015

Leader: **Glenn Ord**

Co-Leader: **Brian Vezina**

Eight of us met in Courtenay at 8:30 am and the sun was already warming the day. A leisurely pace was set for Mt. Beecher summit. We encountered snow just before the meadows and except for a few bare patches had snow the rest of the way to the summit. We stood on the summit just before noon, what a great spot for lunch break. It was a clear day with super views of the glacier and surrounding area, could even see the Nine Peaks in the distance.

The hike is about a 12km round trip and has 709m elevation gain. For two of our group it was the first time on the summit and for one hiker a after lunch nap in the sun and an O'Henry bar made the trip (He didn't share). Thanks to everyone for some interesting conversation and thanks to Glenn for organizing the trip.



Heading up through the old ski resort
[Glenn Ord photo]



Rock on!
[Glenn Ord photo]



Abbey Road?
[Glenn Ord photo]



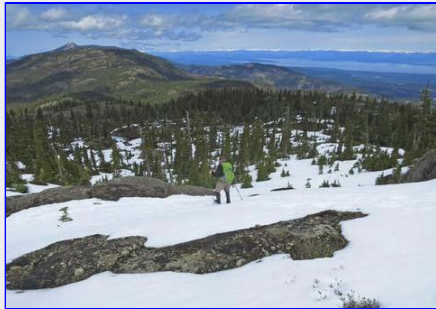
Nearing the summit
[Glenn Ord photo]



The summiteers
[Glenn Ord photo]



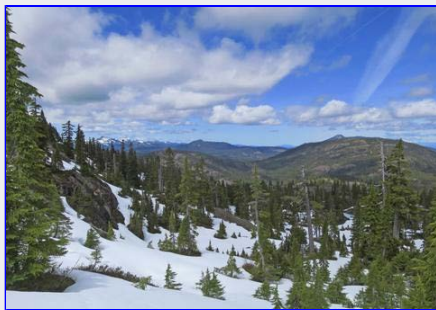
Descent and Georgia Strait view
[Glenn Ord photo]



Snow-free Mt Drabble in the backdrop
[Glenn Ord photo]



Easy descent
[Glenn Ord photo]



View into Strathcona Park
[Glenn Ord photo]



Back down in the old ski resort
[Glenn Ord photo]

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