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Sun May 07, 2017

 Leader: **Julianna Wells**

 Co-Leader: **Juanita Wells**

On Sunday 11 CDMC Quimperers met and signed in at the trailhead for our 10am departure. The sun was shining and smiles were all around.

After checking the newly-installed maps and trail signs, we started off up the access road to the trails heading for the summit of Mt. Quimper. The sun was shining, and rest breaks along the way were made in the shade today.

We stopped at a few viewpoints along the way, enjoying the ever-widening peek-a-boo views of the Sooke Basin and Olympic Range mountains. The sun continued to shine as we made our way up to the best views at the old Fire Lookout at the summit of Mt. Quimper.

We all had time to check out the fire lookout and take our lunch (and naps for some) in the sun before making our way back down one of the mountain bike routes from the summit. We arrived back at the vehicles around 2:30pm, with lots of time for some to stop at the pub, while others made their way back up Island in time for dinner.

Thank you to our lovely guest for joining us on this great walk, and a HUGE THANK YOU!! to everyone for traveling to Victoria to join me on this weekend of hiking.



*A break from the up....*

*[Juanita Wells photo]*



*Lots of trees and lots of water*  
[Andrew Clarke photo]



*Now this is why I moved to Victoria*  
[Andrew Clarke photo]



*Contemplation time*  
[Andrew Clarke photo]



*The old fire station*  
[Juanita Wells photo]



*"The " View!*

[Andrew Clarke photo]



*Pano - downtown Vic on the left, the Olympic Mtns on the right!*

[Juanita Wells photo]



*The Quimperers - group summit shot. "We are here!"*

[Julianna Wells photo]



*On such a beautiful day it was hard to leave, but down we must go....*

[Juanita Wells photo]

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