

## FORR AGM Notice 2021 and Updates

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# The Rossland Range Recreation Site



Recreation Sites  
and Trails BC



### FORR AGM Notice

#### Friends of the Rossland Range Society 2021 Annual General Meeting

Wednesday, Nov 24, 2021 at 7pm

via Zoom due to COVID:

**TO ATTEND:** please reply to this email **by NOV 15** to request login details and tips. Thank you for understanding we are trying to ensure an effective meeting.

#### NOMINATIONS FOR FORRS BOARD POSITION BY NOV 15:

FORRS will submit a full slate of the 5 positions to be elected at this AGM. However, we can accommodate people interested in being more involved in a Board, Executive or other role. If interested, contact FoRRS before November 15th to discuss. This will help facilitate a smooth Zoom AGM meeting. Contact: Kim Deane: [kim@rosslandrange.org](mailto:kim@rosslandrange.org)

**CABINS ACCESS - GIVEN COVID PANDEMIC CONTINUING:** Cabin status continuing: "Closed - Except for Emergency Use" We are seeking clarity, and any means of opening the cabins. Unfortunately, enabling public access is a challenge due to the small, tight spaces with uncertain ventilation and being entirely unmanaged situations. Very frustrating given the efforts and cost to build the cabins and the high demand for their use.

#### REC SITE 2021 HIGHLIGHTS:

- Rec Site has been heavily used (other than cabins) as people seek outdoor activities.
- The hike to Old Glory has had a huge increase in numbers.
- New Crowe's Nest Cabin - foundation complete on site and prefab structure stored in town, Heli-lift and assembly next summer. Old Crowe's Nest Shelter is still in service this winter (subject to Covid rule).
- New Kiosk with interpretive info panels (Lookout-Gibbard & Met Station) at Old Glory Trailhead beside Hwy 3B.
- Parking Lot expanded at "Camera" - serving Elgood area, Igloo Cabin and 100 Acre Wood.
- Accessible Trail benches installed.
- FoRRS request to Highways for transfer of Pit to recreation purpose once Pit to be abandoned by Highways.

### FoRRS BOARD

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- For 2022, new trail completion from Black Jack to Strawberry Pass.

**AGM AGENDA:**

- (1) Motion to accept Agenda as circulated
- (2) Call to order
- (3) Confirm quorum – 5
- (4) Approve Minutes of 2020 AGM
- (5) President's Report (on website by Nov 20)
- (6) Financial Report (on website by Nov 20)
- (7) Set fees for 2021: Board recommends we continue \$5 Lifetime membership fee
- (8) Elections: 11 Director positions – each with 2-year term (alternating groupings)
  - 5 vacant, proposed slate: Les Carter, Kim Deane, Gerry Heacock, Stewart Spooner & Don Vockeroth
  - 6 serving 1 more year: Bob Bechaud, Troy Colautti, Larry Doell, Laura Mackay, Demitri Lesniewicz & Rob Richardson
- Nominations and election.
- (9) Old business
- (10) New business
- (11) Open discussion

You must have been a member of FORRS for 30 days before the AGM in order to vote for any matter brought to the floor or run for office. Lifetime memberships are now available for only \$5, see the Membership page of our website to become a member by online payment or mail. (Just because you receive this email does not mean you are a lifetime member of the Society. Please reply to this email to ask if you are a lifetime member.)

Your input and participation is sincerely appreciated!

We really appreciate your donations and support. For online donations: [www.rosslandrange.org](http://www.rosslandrange.org). Thank you.

*The Rossland Range Recreation Site is approximately 4,450 hectares of the Rossland Range high country, designated for public recreation by the Ministry of Forests and managed by the community under an agreement between the Ministry's Recreation Sites and Trails Branch and the Friends of the Rossland Range Society (FORRS).*



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