

# Tour Director's Report – 2015 AGM



## Topics to be Discussed

1. Tours & Tour Leaders
2. Overview of 2015 Tours
3. Peek at 2016 Tours
4. Other topics
  1. Tour Leader Development Workshop
  2. Audit Process
  3. Other stuff



## Tour Leaders & their Tours

1. **Hawaii, the Big Island with Dan Carey, Robin Howe & John Pringle**
2. **Croatia2015: As it use to be with Delores Franz Los**
3. **McMenamin's Hotels, Portland & Oregon's Wine Country with Dick & Elaine Carpenter**
4. **2015 Pacific Coast Tour – Victoria to San Francisco with Bruce Dakyin & John Pringle**
5. **Fraser Valley Tour/H&S with Allan Buium**
6. **Cowichan Valley H&S & Southern VI Loop Tour with John Pringle & Dave Charles**
7. **BC Lakes & Mtns Tour with Doug McIntyre & Brigitte Relling**



# Hawaii, the Big Island with Dan, Robin & John



# A lovely escape from Canada in January



# A wee respite after a wind-on-the-back ride



# Gals in Red:Valery @ Captain Cooks; Paddy on the Caldera



# Jim as a roommate: Jim sneaking into, rather than paying for, an event





# Beyond Hilo & no rain.



# Tropical Gardens with Buddies



# A logger/ranch hand. A memorial to the national champion roper from Hawaii



# A lecture on history of farming: A space odyssey @ the planetarium



# Bitter/Sweet



# Croatia 2015: As it use to be with Delorous and Alen Augustin. Roman Stadium



# A sailor's paradise.



**A walled city that guarded the salt harvest.**





# A cyclists paradise?



**Gathering plums. She offered us a bag full.**



**Can you spot the tree?**



**“Anyone wish to be tour coordinator for a 2016 tour?”**



# McMenamin's Hotels, Portland & Oregon's Wine Country with Dick & Elaine



Halls, rooms and here, an elevator,  
beautified in bizarre art



# A monument to the rescue of the Columbia Gorge



**The Columbia Gorge looking east.  
One of many waterfalls along this route**





# McMennamin's in McMinnville, Oregon



# Folks getting a head start on Happy Hour.



# Evergreen aviation & space museum near McMinnville.



# The Spruce Goose.

A model of the Kitty Hawk.



# Nike's World wide Office



# Grapes and the gal who keeps them watered.



# 2015 Pacific Coast Tour – Victoria to San Francisco with Bruce & John.



**Yvonne had planned to participate.  
She came to see us off.**





# A 1,500 KM Camping Tour

Most interesting:

- 7 females
- 5 males



# Yvonne/Jean



# Supper under the shelter

## David upset. No more wine!



**Necla ate enough for two.  
Jean with our young recruit, David**



**Beautiful smiles hey what?  
Eli Kazie (always smiling) with Uncle.**



**Diane swapping bikes with me.  
Max barely made it to the campsite.**



# Obstacles. Tunnels and Bridges



# Coastal Oregon. What a treat, but cool.





# More coastal Oregon



**Camping tour respite comes when chores are done.**



**Lovely campsite in Oregon. The evening fire maker on the right.**



**A wee redwood. David wondering how to get these trees back to Croatia.**



# Are we in California yet?



**California for sure.**



**Local cyclists only. Close to Golden Gate, thus I only one who stopped.**



**Jean loves the downhills.**





# Fraser Valley Tour/H&S with Allan Buium









# Cowichan Valley H&S & Loop Tour with John and Dave.



# A Hub & Spoke day ride leader. Whitney and friends with a new recruit.



**Were we happy to see Dave! Riders donning rain gear for the 40<sup>th</sup> time**



**BC Lakes and Mountains Tour Leader Doug taking time for pic prior to dashing for bike.**





**All participants but one.**



# A spectacular Rocky Mtn vista.



**Doug forced to take a break. Note tired & bedraggled crew.**



**These folks called a cab.**



# 2016 Tours – A peek

1. 2016 Tanzania – Surf to Summit with Max McClanahan
2. 2016 Tanzania to Moshi with Max McClanahan
3. Italy – Apennines to Adriatic Tour with Dan Carey & Robin Howe
4. Iran 2016: Ancient Persia & Modern Iran Bike & Van with Rick & Barb Mathias
5. Glaciers & Grasslands: a double hub & spoke of BC's southwest Interior with George & Jeanetta Zorn
6. 2016 Southern Rockies Loop Tour with Bruce Daykin



# 1. 2016 Tanzania – Surf to Summit. Max McClanahan Tour coordinator



## 2. Zanzibar to Moisha. Max McClanahan Tour Coordinator



### 3. Italy – Apennines to Adriatic Tour





# Iran 2016: Ancient Persia & Modern Iran – Bike & Van Tour. Barb & Rick Mathias



# Glaciers & Grasslands: a double H&S Tour of BC's SW Interior

Places you'll see:

1. Lillooet
  - Mile Zero on Gold Rush
  - Home of Ma Murray
2. Cayoosh Creek/Duffey Lake
3. Marble Canyon/Pavillion Lake &
4. Interior Plateau
5. Merritt the "Grasslands Hub"
6. Nicola Valley
7. Spences Bridge &
8. Princeton



## George & Jeanetta Zorn co-leaders

George and Jeanetta:

- 1. Hard workers in Salmon Arm community.**
  - X-country ski trail making
  - Bike jamboree organizer
  - Bicycle route map maker
- 2. Both organized & lead successful H&S in the Salmon Arm area**
  - Arranged for evening speakers
- 3. George passes on organized slide shows for every tour/H&S he's been on.**



## “2016 Southern Rockies Tour” Bruce thinking of this tour while on 2014 Selkirk Tour

Areas/sites to be covered:

1. Cranbrook
2. Fernie
3. Crowsnest Pass
4. Chain Lakes
5. Elkwood
6. Canmore
7. Banff (Johnson Canyon CG)
8. Radium
9. Canal Flats



# The relaxation of a camping tour. No bed bugs.



# Foothills of Eastern Rockies





# Tour/H&S leader development: Workshop required?

## ► Queries

1. Are there sufficient cycling events per year?
2. Is there sufficient diversity to meet your cycling desires?
3. Are there leadership problems on those cycling events in which you've participated?
4. Have you considered leading a tour/workshop, but felt your were lacking in skills?

## ► Solutions

1. A BAC type workshop
  - Classroom lectures
  - A two-day tour as understudy
2. Status quo
  - Work with Tour Director & other Board members



# The Auditing Role & other stuff

