

Meet our new Camp Committee Management Executive

Committee Chair - Jason Silvester

Jason has been involved in Scouting since he first registered as a Cub Scout with 10th Juan De Fuca in 1979 as a Cub Scout, Scout, Venturer Scout, and Rover Scout and has volunteered in every section. Jason currently works at TELUS as a Quality Assurance Manager and at the Home Depot in Langford in the paint department.

Committee Vice-Chair - Bruce Hallson

Bruce joined scouting as a Cub Scout with 1st Terrace in 1977, and served as a Cub Scout leader with 40th Marpole in 1986-1989 before moving to Victoria. In the last ten years he has been Honorary Counsel for the three BC/Yukon Councils as well as Scout Properties (BC/Y). Bruce has been a Beaver Scout, Cub Scout, ad Scout leader with 5th Tsartlip, and until recently served as Chief Electoral Officer for Scouts Canada. Bruce is Managing Partner of Crease Harman LLP, British Columbia's oldest law firm.

Secretary - Shelly Donaldson

Shelly is Deputy Area Commissioner Volunteer Services Scouter for the Greater Victoria Area, formerly associated with the 14th Juan de Fuca Group. Also a Group Committee Trainer for WB1 courses. This past summer Shelly had the privilege of volunteering for PJ15 overseeing the Food Services for the Offers of Service personnel.

Treasurer - Chris Hammond

Chris started at Padgett Business Services (local tax, accounting and payroll firm) in early 1995 and has helped grow the firm to three offices in the Greater Victoria area - Colwood, Saanich and Downtown. He has been appointed chairman and member of the Padgett International advisory board for the past few years. Padgett volunteers its time with many different societies and charities in Victoria. Chris has a Beaver Scout and a Cub Scout at 10th Juan de Fuca.

Fundraising Coordinator - Grace Seabrook

Member of Scouts Canada for 35 years, member of Camp Barnard committee for 12 years. Grace has been the driving force behind the improvements and upgrades that have taken place in the camp in the last decade, from planning, to funding, to execution. No one has been more committed to ensuring that Camp Barnard is available for and ready to meet the needs of youth now and into the future.



Facilities Co-Coordinators - Gary Hendren and Mike Tomczak

Mike has been a member of Scouts Canada since 1994. Involved with 1St Cedar Hill group as Group Chair, Cub Scout and Scout Leader until 2001. Member of the Area Training team for several years for Woodbadge and Scouts CARE. Participated in several BC/Yukon and Canadian Jamborees in Program (Advanced Kayaking), Sub Camps and most recently as Registrar - Pj99, PJ03, PJ07, PJ11, PJ15, CJ01 and CJ13. Member of the "Tuesday Team" at Camp Barnard. Mike has been a member of Camp Committee for 4 years.

Gary Hendren – Gary has been a member of Scouts Canada since 1993 and involved with 10th Garry Oak as a Scout Leader. Attended CJ93 with 10th Garry Oak Scouts at Kananaskis. Participated in many Provincial Jamborees in Sub Camps and most recently in Site Services – Pj99, PJ03, PJ07, Pj11 and PJ15. Member of the "Tuesday Team" at Camp Barnard. Gary has been a member of Camp Committee for 4 years.

Program Coordinator - Jay Crowley

Jay joined Scouting in 2000 as a Cub Scout Leader, and moved up through the sections, Scouts, Venturers and currently with Rovers at 9th Juan de Fuca. In 2008 Jay retired from the Canadian Forces after 24 years and took an Adventure Tourism Certificate program. Worked 4 years as the Outdoor Program Coordinator at the Boys & Girls Club Outdoor Centre in Metchosin. Currently working Part Time at MEC.

Conservation Co-Coordinators - Charlotte Riemann and George Clark

Charlotte was a Cub Scout and Scout with 8th Fort Victoria; a Venturer Scout with 12th Garry Oak; has been a Beaver Scout leader in New Brunswick and Victoria; and is currently a Section Scouter for Cub Scouts with 2nd Fort Victoria. In between Scouting events, Charlotte is a teacher in the Sooke School District.

George is a long-standing member of the Camp Barnard Committee and a Venturer Advisor at 2nd Fort Victoria. George is past Regional Commissioner and Past Chair of the Camp Management Committee. George is a Member of the "Tuesday Team" at Camp Barnard.

Marketing Coordinator - Penny Hill

Penny is office manager for VDA Architecture and has been a member of Scouting for more than 20 years as a Cub Scout Leader with 5th Garry Oak and 1st Cedar Hill, as an Advanced Trainer, organized many Regional and Area events, and attended CJ03, PJ99, PJ03 and PJ07. Penny has been a member of the Camp Committee for 12 years. During this time she has created badges, marketing material, media ads, articles, and social media presence for Camp Barnard.



Team Members

New Members at Large, one from each of the GVA groups, will be selected over the next few weeks.

A number of long standing members and new members of the Camp Committee will continue to support activities at Camp Barnard:

Chair/Vice Chair	Secretary	Treasurer	Conservation Coordinator	Facilities Coordinator	Fundraising Coordinator	Marketing Coordinator	Program Coordinator
Hal Coulson	Kay Smith	Dianne Joyce	Karen Hogg	Rick Llyod	Richard Druce	Dan MacDonald	Denyse Koo
Pete Lewis	Dan MacDonald		Toby Voss	Des Bazett	Ken Sylvester	Leya Costa	Bill Schulte
	Randy Maze			Stan Haner	Chuck Salmon		Ron Bilinsky
				Doug Scott			
				Heini Mathis			
				Dave Prestwich			
				Ron Bilinsky			
				Paul Fenton			



Members at Large

Voting Members at Large, one from each of the GVA groups, will be put in place over the next few weeks.

1 st Arbutus	3 rd Arbutus	1 st Cedar Hill	5 th Cedar Hill	1 st Douglas	3 rd Douglas	9 th Douglas	10 th Douglas
Kay Smith		Dave Nicolson			Leya Costa		

2 nd Fort Victoria	5 th Garry Oak	10 th Garry Oak	12 th Garry Oak	5 th Juan de Fuca	7 th Juan De Fuca	9 th Juan de Fuca	10 th Juan de Fuca
Danica Gleave							

14 th Juan de Fuca	1 st Sooke	1 st Tsartlip	2 nd Tsartlip	5 th Tsartlip	10 th Tsartlip	33 rd GVA Medical
Toby Voss		Dan MacDonald	Jason Trembley	Bruce Hallsor		