



Financial Statements and Reports

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| Part Of: | Alpine Club of Canada fonds |
| Description Level: | 4 / Sub-series |
| Fonds Number: | M200 V14 S6 |
| Series: | M200 / II: Financial Records |
| Sous-Fonds: | M200 |
| Sub-Series: | M200 / II / A: Financial Statements and Reports |
| Accession Number: | accn. 5343 accn. 5634 accn. 6376 accn. 6375 accn. 6465 accn. 5465 accn. 2017.8658 accn. 6470 accn. 2023.06 accn. 5632 accn. 8002 accn. 6765 |
| Reference Code: | M200 / II / A |
| GMD: | Textual record Organization record |
| Date Range: | ca. 1936-1952 1954-1955 ca. 1960-2001 2003-2005 2007-2008 |
| Physical Description: | approx. 50 cm of textual records |
| Scope & Content: | <p>Sub-series consists of the Financial Statements and Reports of the Alpine Club of Canada between ca. 1936 to 2008. Records pertain to the Audited Financial reports and statements, the Fiscal Year financials, and the Finance Committee reports for the Club. These financial statements and reports show the financial state of the Club throughout 1936 to 2008.</p> <p>Sub-series is arranged chronologically.</p> |
| Notes: | See file-level entries for inventories of club financial statements and reports. |
| Name Access: | Alpine Club of Canada |

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| Subject Access: | Administration Alpine Club of Canada Club Record keeping Records Report Finances Organizations |
| Geographic Access: | Canada Canadian Rocky Mountains Rocky Mountains Alberta British Columbia Quebec Manitoba Ontario Saskatchewan Banff National Park Banff Banff, AB Canmore Canmore, AB Calgary Calgary, AB Edmonton Edmonton, AB Vancouver Vancouver, BC Outaouais, Quebec Toronto Ottawa |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Reproduction Restrictions: | Contains personal information |
| Language: | English |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Club Meeting Minutes and Reports



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Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds

Description Level: 4 / Sub-series

Fonds Number: M200
V14
S6

Series: M200 / I: Administrative Records

Sous-Fonds: M200

Sub-Series: M200 / I / A: Club Meeting Minutes and Reports

Accession Number: accn. 2023.06
accn. 5343
accn. 2017.8658
accn. 6376
accn. 6375
accn. 5465
accn. 6470
accn. 8002
accn. 5634
accn. 6765
accn. 2023.51
accn. 2023.01
accn. 2023.11
accn. 2014.8293

Reference Code: M200 / I / A

GMD: Textual record
Organization record

Date Range: 1913-1930
ca.1937-2008
2011

Physical Description: 80 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

Sub-series consists of the meeting minutes and reports of the Alpine Club of Canada between 1913 and 2011. Records pertain to meetings of the Executive Committee of the ACC, as well as the Executives of the various sections of the ACC, including the Banff Section, the Calgary Section, the Edmonton Section and others. Records also include the Annual General Meeting minutes of the ACC during this time period.

Sub-series is arranged chronologically.

Notes: See file-level entries for inventories of club meeting minutes and reports.

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

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|----------------------------|---|
| Subject Access: | Administration Alberta Alpine Club of Canada Club Record keeping Records Report Organizations |
| Geographic Access: | Canada Canadian Rocky Mountains Rocky Mountains Alberta British Columbia Ontario Saskatchewan Manitoba Banff Banff, AB Banff, Alberta Calgary Calgary, AB Calgary, Alberta Edmonton Edmonton, AB Vancouver Vancouver, BC Vancouver Island Vancouver Island, British Columbia Victoria Victoria, British Columbia Victoria, BC Ottawa St. Boniface |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Reproduction Restrictions: | Contains personal information |
| Language: | English French |
| Title Source: | Title Based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Identified Summit Records

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| Part Of: | Alpine Club of Canada fonds |
| Description Level: | 4 / Sub-series |
| Fonds Number: | M200 |
| | V14 |
| | S6 |
| Series: | M200 / V: Summit Records |
| Sous-Fonds: | M200 |
| Sub-Series: | M200 / V / A: Identified Summit Records |
| Accession Number: | accn. 2023.20 |
| | accn. 7779 |
| | accn. 2023.10 |
| | accn. 2014.8347 |
| | accn. 6465 |
| | accn. 8002 |
| | accn. 2020.05 |
| | accn. 2023.19 |
| | accn. 2014.8293 |
| | accn. 8119 |
| | accn. 2023.32 |
| | accn. 2023.41 |
| | accn. 6623 |
| | accn. 6062 |
| | accn. 2014.8318 |
| | accn. 6767 |
| | accn. 2014.8315 |
| | accn. 2014.8317 |
| | accn. 5680 |
| | accn. 2023.16 |
| | accn. 2018.9010 |
| | accn. 5396 |
| | accn. 6459 |
| | accn. 2014.8316 |
| | accn. 2023.18 |
| | accn. 5631 |
| | accn. 2013.8245 |
| | accn. 2014.8275 |
| | accn. 2023.06 |
| | accn. 2023.14 |
| | accn. 2023.17 |
| | accn. 5569 |
| | accn. 8113 |
| | accn. 6396 |
| Reference Code: | M200 / V / A |
| GMD: | Textual record |
| | Organization record |
| Responsibility: | Summit Registers and Notes produced by Alpine Club of Canada |

Date Range: 1930-1931
1959-1968
1970-1989
1992 -2020

Physical Description: 95 cm of textual records
219 volumes

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of identified summit registers and notes produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1930 and 2020. Summit records include entries from visitors to the various summits which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while at the summit, wildlife sightings, trail updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual identified summit records.

Notes: See file-level entries for inventories of identified summit registers and notes.

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

Subject Access:

- Alberta
- Alpine Club of Canada
- Backpacking
- Backcountry skiing
- Banff
- Banff National Park
- Bow Valley
- British Columbia
- Castle Mountain
- Cascade Mountain
- Centennial
- Climbing
- Club
- Cross-country skiing
- Description and travel
- Environment
- Environment and Nature
- Fortress Mountain
- Great Divide
- Hiking
- Kananaskis Country
- Mount Assiniboine
- Mount Logan
- Mountain
- Mountain guides
- Mountaineering
- Mountaineers
- Mountains
- Provincial parks and reserves
- Parks
- National parks and reserves
- Record keeping
- Ski area
- Ski areas
- Ski mountaineering
- Skiing
- Skis
- Skiers
- Snowshoes and snowshoeing
- Sports and leisure
- Sports and recreation
- Summit
- Trails
- Winter sports

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| Geographic Access: | Canada Canadian Rocky Mountains Rocky Mountains Continental Divide Great Divide Alberta British Columbia Abbot Pass Mount Assiniboine Cascade Mountain Canmore Assiniboine Banff National Park Banff, Alberta Bugaboos Castle Mountain, AB Cathedral Mountain Glacier Jasper National Park Kananaskis Country Little Yoho Valley Mount Baldy Mount Baker Mount Cory Mount Edith Mount Lefroy Mount Norquay Mount Rundle Rundle Mountain Mount Temple Mount Victoria Mount Yamnuska Selkirks Yoho National Park |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English |
| Conservation: | Some records have been placed in mylar. Some record have mold, rust or water damage. |
| Related Material: | M235 |
| Category: | Environment Exploration and travel Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |



Unidentified Summit Records

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57801>

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| Part Of: | Alpine Club of Canada fonds |
| Description Level: | 4 / Sub-series |
| Fonds Number: | M200 V14 S6 |
| Series: | M200 / V: Summit Records |
| Sous-Fonds: | M200 |
| Sub-Series: | M200 / V / B: Unidentified Summit Records |
| Accession Number: | accn. 2023.16 accn. 2018.9010 accn. 2014.8347 accn. 2023.20 accn. 8119 accn. 6767 |
| Reference Code: | M200 / V / B |
| GMD: | Textual record Organization record |
| Responsibility: | Summit notes and registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada |
| Date Range: | 1959 1973 1999-2016 |
| Physical Description: | 12 volumes 20 cm of textual records |

Scope & Content:

Sub-series consists of summit notes and registers from unidentified summits produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1959 and 2016. Summit records include entries from climbers which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while at the summit, wildlife sightings, trails and routes taken to the summit, and related topics.

Files:

M200 / V / B / 1: [Summit Note 1959]

M200 / V / B / 2: [July 1973 Summit Note]

M200 / V / B / 3: [Unlabelled summit register 2005-2007]

M200 / V / B / 4: [2006-2012 register]

M200 / V / B / 5: [Sept. 1999 - June 2015 unidentified register]

M200 / V / B / 6: [Summit Register March-October 2010]

M200 / V / B / 7: [Unidentified 2010-2013]

M200 / V / B / 8: [2013-2016 Summit Register]

M200 / V / B / 9: [2005-2016 Summit Register]

M200 / V / B / 10: [August 2016]

M200 / V / B / 11: [Various Registers and Notes]

M200 / V / B / 12: [Smaller hut registers, loose summit records 1974-1994]

Notes:

M200 / V / B / 4: [2006-2012 register] and M200 / V / B / 11: [Various Registers and Notes] contain black mold. M200 / V / B / 11: [Various Registers and Notes] has been placed in a conservation bag.

Name Access:

Alpine Club of Canada

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|----------------------|---|
| Subject Access: | Alberta |
| | Alpine Club of Canada |
| | Backpacking |
| | Banff National Park |
| | Bow Valley |
| | British Columbia |
| | Climbing |
| | Club |
| | Description and travel |
| | Environment |
| | Environment and Nature |
| | Hiking |
| | Mountain |
| | Mountaineering |
| | Mountaineers |
| | Mountains |
| | National parks and reserves |
| | Provincial parks and reserves |
| | Record keeping |
| | Ski area |
| | Ski areas |
| | Ski mountaineering |
| | Sports and leisure |
| | Sports and recreation |
| | Summit |
| | Trails |
| Geographic Access: | Canada |
| | Canadian Rocky Mountains |
| | Rocky Mountains |
| | Continental Divide |
| | Great Divide |
| | Alberta |
| Access Restrictions: | British Columbia |
| | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English |
| Conservation: | Some registers and notes have been placed in mylar. |
| | Some registers contain black mold: M200 / V / B / 11: [Various Registers and Notes] has been placed in a conservation bag. Some registers contain mold, rust or water damage. |
| Related Material: | M235 |
| Category: | Environment |
| | Exploration and travel |
| | Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of the sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |



Other Huts [Registers]

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|-----------------------|---|
| Part Of: | Alpine Club of Canada fonds |
| Description Level: | 4 / Sub-series |
| Fonds Number: | M200 |
| | V14 |
| | S6 |
| Series: | M200 / IV: Hut Registers |
| Sous-Fonds: | M200 |
| Sub-Series: | M200 / IV / U: Other Huts [Registers] |
| Accession Number: | accn. 2014.8315 |
| | accn. 2023.20 |
| | accn. 2014.8347 |
| | accn. 2023.10 |
| | accn. 2023.41 |
| | accn. 2376 |
| | accn. 6376 |
| | accn. 2018.9010 |
| | accn. 3160 |
| | accn. 5463 |
| | accn. 2023.32 |
| | accn. 2023.15 |
| Reference Code: | M200 / IV / U |
| GMD: | Textual record |
| | Organization record |
| Responsibility: | Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada |
| Date Range: | 1930-1979 |
| | 1981-1998 |
| | 2000-2018 |
| Physical Description: | 33 cm of textual records |
| | 14 volumes |

History /

Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada:

Woodbury Cabin: The Woodbury Cabin was built over the summers of 1983 and 1984 at the site on which an old mining cabin once existed. The hut was also built to draw park users into the less crowded areas by providing a base for their recreational activities.

Sapphire Col Bivouac Hut: The Sapphire Col Bivouac is a basic mountaineering shelter in the Asulkan Ridge. The hut is located in Glacier National Park.

R. C. Hind Hut: The hut is named after Robert (Bob) Hind, a lifelong, active member of the ACC. The hut was built by the ACC for BC Parks in 1971. The hut is maintained and booked through Assiniboine Lodge.

Robin Cyril (Bob) Hind, 1911-2000, was an electrical engineer and mountaineer at Calgary, Alberta, Canada. He was a Life Member of ACC, joining in 1933, and attended over 30 ACC camps. Hind received the Silver Rope Award in 1935, was recipient of Centennial Medal, and served the ACC in offices of President, Vice-President and Chairman of Hut Committee. Bob Hind climbed most of the peaks in Rockies and Selkirks, including some first ascents. He also climbed in Wales and the Alps. Hind was a member of the American Alpine Club and The Alpine Club, London.

Lloyd Mackay Hut: The hut is located on Mt. Alberta and is a basic mountaineering shelter. The hut was renovated just before the 75th Anniversary of the first ascent of Mount Alberta. The hut sleeps 6 people.

Lawrence Grassi Hut: Named after legendary mountain guide and coal miner, Lawrence Grassi. When he retired from the coal mines, Grassi became the assistant warden at Lake O'Hara in Yoho National Park, and he built various trails throughout the Park. Mount Lawrence Grassi, near Canmore, and Grassi Lakes, along with this hut, are named after him.

Graham Cooper Hut: The hut was located between Mt. Little and Mt. Bowlen in the Valley of the Ten Peaks, along the Alberta and British Columbia border. The hut was named after Graham Cooper, who was a member of the team that built the hut, who had passed just after the hut was built. In 1983, this hut was replaced by the Neil Colgan Hut.

Castle Mountain Hut: Is located in Banff National Park, on the Goat Plateau of Castle Mountain. It is a basic mountaineering shelter. It serves as a base for those climbing Brewer's Buttress, Bass Buttress, and Eisenhower Tower. The hut is closed during the winter months.

Boswell Cabin: The Pat Boswell (Toronto Section) Cabin is located at the Canmore Clubhouse site, and is named after Pat Boswell, a long-time Club member and Club Manager of the ACC. The cabin was designed to accommodate families and small groups, it includes a partition wall and sleeps up to 6 people.

The Memorial Hut: The original Memorial Hut was built in 1930 for the War Veterans, the building was made of stone in an unstable area near Penstock Creek. The second Memorial Hut was built in the Outpost Lake area in 1947 and was named after Cyril Wates, who joined the ACC in 1916 and was a prominent mountaineer and ACC member, including Club President from 1938 to 1941. This Hut, however, was built too close to the lake, as per Parks regulations. The third version of the Memorial Hut was built in 1962 and opened in 1963 at the ACC Camp in the Valley. It was named in honour of the late President Rex Gibson, as well as Cyril Wates, known as the Wates-Gibson Memorial Hut.

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from various Huts, including the Boswell Cabin, Castle Mountain Bivouac Shelter/Hut, Graham Cooper Hut, Lawrence Grassi Hut, Lloyd Mackay Hut, Memorial Hut, R C (Bob) Hind Hut, the Sapphire Col Bivouac Hut, and the Woodbury Cabin. These registers were produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1930 and 2018. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by alphabetical order:

M200 / IV / U / 1: Boswell Cabin Hut Register [2007 - 2010]

M200 / IV / U / 2: Boswell Cabin Registry [2007 - 2013]

M200 / IV / U / 3: Boswell Cabin Registry [2010-2016]

M200 / IV / U / 4: Castle Mountain Bivouac Shelter Register Mar. 19, 1985 - Oct. 4, 1995

M200 / IV / U / 5: [Castle Mountain Hut 2000 - 2012]

M200 / IV / U / 6: Graham Cooper Hut [1965-73]

M200 / IV / U / 7: "Hut Register Lawrence Grassi Hut" August 4, 1981 – August 1, 1998

M200 / IV / U / 8: LLOYD MACKAY HUT [1984-1989]

M200 / IV / U / 9: Alpine Club of Canada Memorial Hut Register 1930 – 1965

M200 / IV / U / 10: R C Hind Hut [register 1971-1979]

M200 / IV / U / 11: Sapphire Col Bivouac Hut [1965-1976]

M200 / IV / U / 12: [Unidentified Register 2013 – 2017]

M200 / IV / U / 13: [Unidentified Hut Register 2013?]

M200 / IV / U / 14: [Woodbury Cabin 2015-2018]

Notes: The Memorial Hut has changed locations and titles since it was originally built in 1930. Today, the Hut is known as the Wates-Gibson Memorial Hut. For other Wates-Gibson Hut Registers, see M200 / IV / C: Wates-Gibson Hut Registers.

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

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| Subject Access: | Huts |
| | Cabins |
| | Cabins and shelters |
| | Alberta |
| | Alpine Club of Canada |
| | Alpine Club House |
| | Backcountry skiing |
| | Backpacking |
| | Banff National Park |
| | British Columbia |
| | Buildings |
| | Buildings and facilities |
| | Buildings and memorials |
| | Camping |
| | Camps |
| | Castle Mountain |
| | Climbing |
| | Construction |
| | Environment |
| | Environment and Nature |
| | Grassi Lakes |
| | Guides |
| | Log structures |
| | Memorial |
| | Mountain |
| | Mountain guides |
| | Mountaineering |
| | Mountains |
| | Mountaineers |
| | National parks and reserves |
| | Parks Canada |
| | Provincial parks and reserves |
| | Ski mountaineering |
| | Skiing |
| | War Memorial |
| | Winter sports |

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| Geographic Access: | Canada Alberta British Columbia Banff National Park Asulkan Ridge Glacier National Park Assiniboine Mount Alberta Canmore, AB Grassi Lake Valley of the Ten Peaks Tonquin Valley |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English French German Spanish |
| Related Material: | M200 / IV / C: Wates-Gibson Hut Registers |
| Category: | Environment Exploration and travel Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source Notes: | Alpine Club of Canada website: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/huts/ https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/sapphire-col-hut/ https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/castle-mountain-hut/ https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/neil-colgan-hut/ https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/woodbury-cabin/ https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/wates-gibson-hut/ Alpine Club of Canada Backcountry Huts: Clubhouse Info Sheet: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/Clubhouse_Directions-1.pdf Alpine Club of Canada Backcountry Huts: Woodbury Cabin Info Sheet: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/WoodburyCabin-InfoSheet.pdf Informal interview with Chic Scott, Intellectual Property of Chic Scott. |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Asulkan Hut Registers

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Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Fonds Number: M200
V14
S6
Series: M200 / IV: Hut Registers
Sous-Fonds: M200
Sub-Series: M200 / IV / R: Asulkan Hut Registers
Accession Number: accn. 2014.8293
accn. 2023.19
accn. 2020.05
Reference Code: M200 / IV / R
GMD: Textual record
Organization record
Responsibility: Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada
Date Range: 2010-2019
Physical Description: 7 cm of textual records
4 volumes

History /

Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada's website The Asulkan Hut is located in the Asulkan Valley at Rogers Pass, in Glacier National Park. From the Asulkan Hut day trips can be made to the Seven Steps of Paradise, Asulkan Pass, Sapphire Col, and the Dome Glacier.

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Asulkan Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 2010 and 2019. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / R / 1: [Asulkan Hut Register 2010-2011]

M200 / IV / R / 2: [Asulkan Hut] 2011 - 2014

M200 / IV / R / 3: Asulkan Hut [2015-2017]

M200 / IV / R / 4: [2017-2019 Asulkan Hut Register]

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

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|----------------------|---|
| Subject Access: | Huts |
| | Cabins and shelters |
| | Cabins |
| | Backcountry skiing |
| | Backpacking |
| | British Columbia |
| | Buildings and facilities |
| | Climbing |
| | Environment and Nature |
| | Glacier National Park |
| | Mountaineering |
| | Mountaineers |
| | Mountains |
| | Ski mountaineering |
| | Skiing |
| | Winter sports |
| Geographic Access: | Canada |
| | British Columbia |
| | Glacier National Park |
| | Asulkan Valley |
| | Rogers Pass |
| | Sapphire Col |
| | Dome Glacier |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English |
| | French |
| | Japanese |
| | Mandarin |
| Category: | Environment |
| | Exploration and travel |
| | Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source | Alpine Club of Canada website: |
| Notes: | https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/asulkan-cabin/ |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Mount Colin Hut Registers

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57656>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds

Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
 Fonds Number: M200
 V14
 S6
 Series: M200 / IV: Hut Registers
 Sous-Fonds: M200
 Sub-Series: M200 / IV / S: Mount Colin Hut Registers
 Accession Number: accn. 2023.10
 Reference Code: M200 / IV / S
 GMD: Textual record
 Organization record
 Responsibility: Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada
 Date Range: 1967-1993
 Physical Description: 6 volumes
 7 cm of textual records

History /
Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada's website, the Mount Colin Centennial Hut is located in Jasper National Park at the base of the Southwest Face of Mount Colin. Located close by are Mounts Colin and CR6. The ACC states: "With a thorough renovation in the summer of 1999, the Colin Hut is a clean and efficient shelter which sleeps 6 comfortably in summer. Equipped with Coleman stoves and lanterns as well as a well stocked cooking area, this hut is similar in design to the Castle Mountain Hut."

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Mount Colin Centennial Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1967 and 1993. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / S / 1: Mount Colin hut register July 5, 1967 - Sept. 24, 1971

M200 / IV / S / 2: Mount Colin hut register June 5, 1972 - July 19, 1975

M200 / IV / S / 3: [Mount Colin hut register] Sept. 14, 1975 - Sept. 23, 1976

M200 / IV / S / 4: [1975-1976 hut register]

M200 / IV / S / 5: Mount Colin hut register July 30, 1983 - July 19, 1992

M200 / IV / S / 6: Mount Colin hut register June 30, 1977 - Aug. 28, 1983; Aug 6, 1990 - Oct. 29, 1993

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

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|----------------------|---|
| Subject Access: | Huts |
| | Cabins |
| | Cabins and shelters |
| | Alberta |
| | Backpacking |
| | Buildings and facilities |
| | Climbing |
| | Environment and Nature |
| | Hiking |
| | Mountaineering |
| | Mountaineers |
| | Mountains |
| | National parks and reserves |
| | Ski mountaineering |
| | Skiing |
| | Sports and recreation |
| | Winter sports |
| Geographic Access: | Canada |
| | Alberta |
| | Jasper National Park |
| | Jasper |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English |
| | French |
| | Japanese |
| Conservation: | Some registers have loose/broken bindings and loose pages. |
| Category: | Environment |
| | Exploration and travel |
| | Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source | Alpine Club of Canada website: |
| Notes: | https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/mount-colin-centennial-hut/ |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Great Cairn Hut Registers

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Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds

Description Level: 4 / Sub-series

Fonds Number: M200
V14
S6
Series: M200 / IV: Hut Registers
Sous-Fonds: M200
Sub-Series: M200 / IV / T: Great Cairn Hut Registers
Accession Number: accn. 5462
accn. 8002
accn. 2023.10
accn. 2014.8293
Reference Code: M200 / IV / T
GMD: Textual record
Organization record
Responsibility: Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada
Date Range: 1980-2000
Physical Description: 4 volumes
7 cm of textual records

History /
Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada (ACC), the Great Cairn Hut was built in 1953 by members of the Harvard University Mountaineering Club. It was later dismantled by ACC members, and the stones from the original hut were used in the construction of the current Great Cairn Hut. The Huts Committee of the ACC built this hut on what is believed to be the original hut site. The Hut is within distance of Mt. Sir Sandford, the Adamants and the Gothics in the Northern Selkirk Mountains of B.C. The hut is also known as the Ben Ferris Hut.

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Great Cairn (Ben Ferris) Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1980 and 2000. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / T / 1: Great Cairn Log [1980-1984]

M200 / IV / T / 2: Great Cairn Hut Register 1980-1989

M200 / IV / T / 3: "Great Cairn Log" July 5, 1986 - July 30, 1995

M200 / IV / T / 4: The Great Cairn Hut Register [1995-2000]

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

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| Subject Access: | Huts |
| | Cabins |
| | Cabins and shelters |
| | Mountaineering |
| | Mountaineers |
| | Mountains |
| | British Columbia |
| | Alpine Club of Canada |
| | Backpacking |
| | Backcountry skiing |
| | Buildings and facilities |
| | Climbing |
| | Construction |
| | Environment and Nature |
| | Environment |
| | Ski mountaineering |
| | Skiing |
| | Sports and recreation |
| | Winter sports |
| Geographic Access: | Canada |
| | British Columbia |
| | Selkirks |
| | Mt. Sir Sandford |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English |
| Conservation: | Some registers have evidence of animal chewing marks. Some registers have loose pages placed in mylar. |
| Category: | Environment |
| | Exploration and travel |
| | Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source | Alpine Club of Canada website: |
| Notes: | https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/ben-ferris-great-cairn-hut/ |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Scott Duncan Hut Registers

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57651>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds

Description Level: 4 / Sub-series

Fonds Number: M200
V14
S6
Series: M200 / IV: Hut Registers
Sous-Fonds: M200
Sub-Series: M200 / IV / N: Scott Duncan Hut Registers
Accession Number: accn. 6766
accn. 7779
accn. 8002
accn. 2014.8293
accn. 2023.32
Reference Code: M200 / IV / N
GMD: Textual record
Organization record
Responsibility: Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada
Date Range: 1988-2018
Physical Description: 13 cm of textual records
5 volumes

History /
Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada's website, the Scott Duncan Hut was the last hut to be built on the Wapta Traverse; it was built in 1988. The hut was primarily funded by the Duncan family of Calgary as a memorial for their son, Scott. The hut was built by the Rocky Mountain Section of the ACC. The hut accommodates 12 people and includes a propane stove and lanterns, cooking supplies and sleeping quarters.

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Scott Duncan Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1988 and 2018. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / N / 1: [Scott Duncan Memorial Hut register 1988-94]

M200 / IV / N / 2: Scott Duncan Hut Feb. 26, 1994 - Apr 24, 2000

M200 / IV / N / 3: Scott Duncan Memorial Hut Register, 2000 - 2004

M200 / IV / N / 4: [2004 - 2009 Scott Duncan Hut Register]

M200 / IV / N / 5: [Scott Duncan Hut, 2009 - 2018]

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

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| Subject Access: | Huts Cabins and shelters Alpine Club of Canada Backcountry skiing British Columbia Buildings and facilities Buildings and memorials Environment and Nature Mountaineering Mountaineers Mountains Memorial Ski mountaineering Skiing Sports and recreation Sports and leisure Winter sports |
| Geographic Access: | Canada British Columbia Field Canadian Rocky Mountains |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English Japanese Mandarin French |
| Conservation: | Some registers have water damage. Some registers have loose pages. Some register bindings are damaged. |
| Category: | Environment Exploration and travel Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source Notes: | Alpine Club of Canada website: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/scott-duncan-hut/ Alpine Club of Canada Backcountry Huts: Scott Duncan Hut Info Sheet: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/ScottDuncan-InfoSheet-1.pdf |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Conrad Kain/Bugaboos Hut Registers

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57652>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds

Description Level: 4 / Sub-series

Fonds Number: M200
V14
S6

Series: M200 / IV: Hut Registers

Sous-Fonds: M200

Sub-Series: M200 / IV / O: Conrad Kain/Bugaboos Hut Registers

Accession Number: accn. 7779
accn. 2014.8293
accn. 2023.32

Reference Code: M200 / IV / O

GMD: Textual record
Organization record

Responsibility: Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada

Date Range: 2000-2003
2006-2017

Physical Description: 7 cm of textual records
4 volumes

History /

Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada website, the Conrad Kain/Bugaboo hut is located in the Bugaboo Provincial Park, in British Columbia. The ACC built the hut in 1972, and named the hut after the renowned Austrian mountaineer and guide, Conrad Kain, who first visited the area in 1910. From 1972 to 2000, the hut was maintained by B.C. Parks. Today, the hut accommodates 35 people.

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Conrad Kain/Bugaboo Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 2000 and 2017. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / O / 1: Conrad Kain Hut June 20/2000 - June 26/2003

M200 / IV / O / 2: 2006 - 2008 Conrad Kain Hut, Bugaboos, Hut Register

M200 / IV / O / 3: Conrad Kain Hut Register [2008 - 2012]

M200 / IV / O / 4: Conrad Kain, Bugaboos 2012 - 2017

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

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| Subject Access: | Huts |
| | Cabins and shelters |
| | Alpine Club of Canada |
| | Backpacking |
| | Backcountry skiing |
| | British Columbia |
| | Buildings |
| | Buildings and facilities |
| | Climbing |
| | Environment and Nature |
| | Guide |
| | Hiking |
| | Memorial |
| | Mountain guides |
| | Mountaineering |
| | Mountaineers |
| | Mountains |
| | Property |
| | Skiing |
| | Sports and recreation |
| | Winter sports |
| Geographic Access: | Canada |
| | British Columbia |
| | Bugaboo Provincial Park |
| | Bugaboos |
| | Golden, BC |
| | Radium, BC |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English |
| | French |
| | Japanese |
| | Mandarin |
| Category: | Environment |
| | Exploration and travel |
| | Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source | Alpine Club of Canada website: |
| Notes: | https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/conrad-kain-hut/ |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Neil Colgan Hut Registers

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57653>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds

Description Level: 4 / Sub-series

Fonds Number: M200
V14
S6

Series: M200 / IV: Hut Registers

Sous-Fonds: M200

Sub-Series: M200 / IV / P: Neil Colgan Hut Registers

Accession Number: accn. 5591
accn. 2023.10
accn. 7779

Reference Code: M200 / IV / P

GMD: Textual record
Organization record

Responsibility: Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada

Date Range: 1982-2003

Physical Description: 13 cm of textual records
4 volumes

History / Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada's website, "the Neil Colgan Hut is the highest permanent, habitable structure in Canada", and it is located in the Valley of the Ten Peaks. The hut sits at 9,700 ft, and is within distance of Mounts Little, Bowlen, Fay and Quadra. The hut accommodates 18 people and includes propane stoves and lanterns.

According to the Alpine Club of Canada's Backcountry Huts: Neil Colgan Hut: Info Sheet:

"Second to the scene of Lake Louise set against the backdrop of Mt. Victoria, Moraine Lake is perhaps the most photographed and best known mountain scene in the Canadian Rockies. The area behind the first row of peaks which can be seen from the lake provides excellent alpine climbing on snow and ice routes, and makes an ideal location for a high altitude climbing hut.

The area saw its first hut in 1964 when the Calgary Mountain Club erected a hut at the top of the couloir between peaks 3 and 3 ½. This original hut was named for Graham Cooper, who died while descending after the construction of the hut. The hut was in a poor position, however, because it encouraged use of the couloir as an access route to the hut. By the late 1980s the couloir had seen many rockfall accidents and several fatalities. The hut was dismantled and replaced by the Neil Colgan Hut in 1983.

Neil Colgan was a warden in Banff National Park when he died from injuries sustained in a horse accident in the backcountry. The hut was largely funded by his family in his name."

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Neil Colgan Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1982 and 2003. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / P / 1: [Neil Colgan hut register 1982 - 87]

M200 / IV / P / 2: "Neil Colgan [hut]" July 12, 1987 - March 4, 1995

M200 / IV / P / 3: "Neil Colgan" [Hut Register] May 19, 1995 - July 7, 1999

M200 / IV / P / 4: Neil Colgan Hut Jul 7, 1999 - Jul 4, 2003

Notes: M200 / IV / P / 4: contains mold throughout the register

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

Subject Access: Huts
Cabins and shelters
Cabins
Alpine Club of Canada
Backpacking
Backcountry skiing
British Columbia
Buildings
Buildings and facilities
Climbing
Construction
Environment and Nature
Environment
Hiking
Memorial
Mountaineering
Mountaineers
Mountains
Property
Skiing
Sports and recreation
Winter sports

Geographic Access: Canada
British Columbia
Alberta
Moraine Lake

Access Restrictions: Restrictions may apply

Language: English
Japanese
French

Conservation: Hut Register M200 / IV / P / 4: contains mold throughout the register.
Some registers contain loose pages. Some water damage to registers.

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| Category: | Environment Exploration and travel Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source Notes: | Alpine Club of Canada's website: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/neil-colgan-hut/ Alpine Club of Canada Backcountry Hut: Neil Colgan: Info Sheet: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/NeilColganHut-InfoSheet-1.pdf |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Silver Spray Hut Registers

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| Part Of: | Alpine Club of Canada fonds |
| Description Level: | 4 / Sub-series |
| Fonds Number: | M200 V14 S6 |
| Series: | M200 / IV: Hut Registers |
| Sous-Fonds: | M200 |
| Sub-Series: | M200 / IV / Q: Silver Spray Hut Registers |
| Accession Number: | accn. 2023.41 |
| Reference Code: | M200 / IV / Q |
| GMD: | Textual record Organization record |
| Responsibility: | Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada |
| Date Range: | 1992-1995 2002-2018 |
| Physical Description: | 4 volumes 7 cm of textual records |

History /

Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada's website, the Silver Spray Hut was built in 1994 and is located in the Kokanee Glacier Provincial Park, B. C. The hut is allows mountaineers to access the Selkirk Mountains, as well as Kokanee, Caribou and Woodbury Glaciers.

According to the Alpine Club of Canada's Backcountry Huts: Silver Spray Cabin: Info Sheet:

"Constructed in the 1920s to serve as a bunkhouse for the Violet Mining Company operating in the area, the BC Parks Branch took over the maintenance of the cabin by the time the mines closed in the early 1930's. The Kootenay Section of the Alpine Club of Canada became involved in the maintenance of the hut over many work parties throughout the 1950's. In the 1960's, park workers began to take a more active role once again and initiated substantial repairs to the hut, as it was clear that a lot of work needed to be done to the cabin. In the 1980's building materials were brought into the site to replace the old cabin with a new one, but local protests to preserve the original cabin for historical interpretation stopped any new construction.

The BC Parks Branch included the cabin as one of the many provincial historic sites in the area, for the historic interest of the location, and the remaining evidence of old mine workings."

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Silver Spray Cabin produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1992 and 2018. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / Q / 1: [Silver Spray Cabin, 1992-95]

M200 / IV / Q / 2: Silver Spray Cabin [2002-2008]

M200 / IV / Q / 3: Silver Spray [2008-2015]

M200 / IV / Q / 4: Silver Spray Log [2015 to 2018]

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| Name Access: | Alpine Club of Canada |
| Subject Access: | Alpine Club of Canada |
| | Huts |
| | Cabins |
| | Cabins and shelters |
| | Environment and Nature |
| | Mountaineers |
| | Mountaineering |
| | Mountains |
| | Property |
| | Provincial parks and reserves |
| | Recreation |
| | Skiing |
| | Sports and recreation |
| | Winter sports |

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| Geographic Access: | Canada British Columbia Kokanee Glacier Provincial Park Selkirks Nelson, BC |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English French Japanese German Spanish |
| Conservation: | Some pages are loose in register. Dust and some water damage present in the registers. |
| Category: | Environment Exploration and travel Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source Notes: | Alpine Club of Canada website: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/silver-spray-cabin/ Alpine Club of Canada Backcountry Huts: Silver Spray Cabin: Info Sheet: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/SilverSprayCabin.pdf |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Stanley Mitchell Hut Registers

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| Part Of: | Alpine Club of Canada fonds |
| Description Level: | 4 / Sub-series |
| Fonds Number: | M200 V14 S6 |
| Series: | M200 / IV: Hut Registers |
| Sous-Fonds: | M200 |
| Sub-Series: | M200 / IV / G: Stanley Mitchell Hut Registers |

Accession Number: accn. 5631
accn. 6465
accn. 6470
accn. 6766
accn. 2023.10
accn. 7779
accn. 2014.8347
accn. 8002
accn. 2023.20
accn. 2023.15
accn. 2020.05
Reference Code: M200 / IV / G
GMD: Textual record
Organization record
Responsibility: Registers produced by the Alpine Club of Canada
Date Range: 1985-2019
Physical Description: 18 volumes, 38 cm

History /

Biographical:

The Stanley Mitchell Hut was constructed in 1939 and it is recognized as a Federal Heritage Building.

According to the Parks Canada Directory of Federal Heritage Designations:

"The Stanley Mitchell Alpine Hut is a rustic log cabin located at the edge of a forest, and enjoys scenic views across a meadow to a glacier and mountains. It is comprised of a centre section flanked by two, modest wings and features a steeply pitched gable roof. Located in the centre, the main entrance is covered by a porch gable. The designation is confined to the footprint of the building.

Heritage Value

The Stanley Mitchell Alpine Hut is a Recognized Federal Heritage Building because of its historical associations, and its architectural and environmental value.

Historical Value

The Stanley Mitchell Alpine Hut, built by the Alpine Club of Canada for the use of its members, is associated with the development of mountaineering in Canada. It is also associated with the opening up of Yoho National Park of Canada to ski mountaineering and winter recreation.

Architectural Value

The Stanley Mitchell Alpine Hut is a good example of rustic architecture. Its natural building materials and construction methods reflect the rustic aesthetic. It is also a very good example of functional design, to serve as a base facility for summer camp programs and winter ski touring.

The Environmental Value

The Stanley Mitchell Alpine Hut maintains an unchanged historical relationship with the natural character of its site at Yoho National Park of Canada. Located in an alpine meadow at the edge of a coniferous forest, it is compatible with its picturesque setting and well known by the hiking and climbing community.

Character-Defining Elements

The following character-defining elements of the Stanley Mitchell Alpine Hut should be respected.

The rustic aesthetic, for example:

the simplicity of the overall form of the building as expressed by the scale, massing and symmetrical composition of the main block, entrance porch and side wings, all sheltered by steeply pitched gable roofs; the choice of local materials, indigenous building methods and rustic design details such as the horizontally laid, peeled round logs with saddle-notched corners, the exposed rafters at the roof eaves, the random rubble masonry fireplace and chimney, the exposed beams and joists, the hardwood floor, and the inscription carved into the face of the wood mantelpiece.

The unchanged historical relationship of the Stanley Mitchell Alpine Hut to its alpine meadow site, and the manner in which it is compatible to its picturesque setting which is familiar to the hiking and climbing community of Yoho National Park, as evidenced by:
the building's unchanged relationship with its natural site; the overall rustic appearance and natural building materials of the building, which harmonize with its natural environment; the building's visible location in a meadow at the edge of a forest."

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Stanley Mitchell Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1985 and 2019. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / G / 1: [Stanley Mitchell Hut register 1985 - 1987]

M200 / IV / G / 2: Stanley Mitchell Hut [1987 - 1989]

M200 / IV / G / 3: Stanley Mitchell Hut Register [1990-92]

M200 / IV / G / 4: [Stanley Mitchell Hut Register 1992 -1994]

M200 / IV / G / 5: "Stanley Mitchell Hut Register" July 4, 1994 - Sept. 29, 1995

M200 / IV / G / 6: Stanley Mitchell Hut Register Oct. 7, 1995 - Aug. 30, 1997

M200 / IV / G / 7: "The Alpine Club of Canada Stanley Mitchel [Mitchell] Hut Register" Sept 17, 1997 - January 31, 1999

M200 / IV / G / 8: Stanley Mitchell [1999 - 2000]

M200 / IV / G / 9: Stanley Mitchell Hut [2000-2001]

M200 / IV / G / 10: Stanley Mitchell Aug 31/01 - Sep 5/02

M200 / IV / G / 11: Stanley Mitchell Sep 6/02 - Jul 1/04

M200 / IV / G / 12: Stanley Mitchell July 14, 2004 - Apr 17, 2006

M200 / IV / G / 13: Stanley Mitchell Hut Register 2005 - 2007

M200 / IV / G / 14: Stanley Mitchell Hut Register 2007 - 2009

M200 / IV / G / 15: Stanley Mitchell Hut Register, 2010-2013

M200 / IV / G / 16: Stanley Mitchell Hut Registry [2013 - 2015]

M200 / IV / G / 17: Stanley Mitchell Hut Register 2015 - 2018

M200 / IV / G / 18: [Stanley Mitchell Hut Register 2017 - 2019]

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

Subject Access: Alpine Club of Canada

Backcountry skiing

Buildings and facilities

Cabins

Cabins and shelters

Environment and Nature

Log structures

Mountaineering

Mountains

Parks Canada

Sports and leisure

Sports and recreation

Winter sports

Geographic Access: Canada

British Columbia

Yoho National Park

Little Yoho Valley

Access Restrictions: Restrictions may apply

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| Language: | English |
| | French |
| | German |
| | Spanish |
| | Japanese |
| Category: | Dutch |
| | Environment |
| | Exploration and travel |
| | Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source Notes: | Kate MacFarlane, Stanley Mitchell Alpine Hut, Little Yoho Valley, Yoho National Park, British Columbia, Federal Heritage Building Review Office Building Report, 98-074; Stanley Mitchell Alpine Hut, Little Yoho Valley, Yoho National Park of Canada, British Columbia, Heritage Character Statement, 98-074. |
| | Parks Canada Directory of Federal Heritage Designations website: https://www.pc.gc.ca/apps/dfhd/page_fhbros_eng.aspx?id=8809 |
| | Alpine Club of Canada website: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/stanley-mitchell-hut/ |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Fay Hut Registers

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| Part Of: | Alpine Club of Canada fonds |
| Description Level: | 4 / Sub-series |
| Fonds Number: | M200 |
| | V14 |
| | S6 |
| Series: | M200 / IV: Hut Registers |
| Sous-Fonds: | M200 |
| Sub-Series: | M200 / IV / H: Fay Hut Registers |
| Accession Number: | accn. 8120 |
| | accn. 6465 |
| | accn. 2023.10 |
| | accn. 8002 |
| Reference Code: | M200 / IV / H |
| GMD: | Textual record |
| | Organization record |
| Responsibility: | Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada |

Date Range: 1978-2000
2005-2007

Physical Description: 13 cm of textual records
7 volumes

History /
Biographical:

The Fay Hut was built in 1927, and it was the first structure built by the Alpine Club of Canada. The original Fay Hut building was burnt down in a forest fire in 2003, but was rebuilt in 2005 by ACC volunteers. The re-built Fay Hut burnt down in 2009.

The Fay Hut was located in Kootenay National Park, British Columbia, in Prospector's Valley. The hut was also used as a stopping point for mountaineers on their way to the Neil Colgan Hut or the Valley of Ten Peaks.

The Fay Hut was named after Charles Fay, a founder and President of the American Alpine Club. Charles Fay made over 20 trips to the Canadian Rockies. He also participated in the first ascents of Mount Victoria and Mount Lefroy. Fay was also an Honorary Member of the Alpine Club of Canada.

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Fay Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1978 and 2007. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / H / 1: Fay Hut Register [1978-1983]

M200 / IV / H / 2: Fay Hut Registers [1980-1985]

M200 / IV / H / 3: Fay Hut [1983-1991]

M200 / IV / H / 4: "Fay Hut 1991" July 15, 1991 - Aug. 22, 1995

M200 / IV / H / 5: Fay Hut register. Aug. 24, 1995 - Nov. 24, 1997

M200 / IV / H / 6: Fay Hut Register [1997-2000]

M200 / IV / H / 7: Fay Hut, 2005 - 2007 Hut Register

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

Subject Access: Alpine Club of Canada

Backcountry skiing

British Columbia

Buildings and facilities

Cabins and shelters

Climbing

Environment and Nature

Fay Hut

Fire

Forest Fires

Huts

Mountaineering

Mountaineers

Mountains

Geographic Access: Canada
British Columbia
Kootenay National Park

Access Restrictions: Restrictions may apply

Language: English
German
French

Category: Environment
Exploration and travel
Sports, recreation and leisure

Biographical Source Notes: Canadian Rockies Database:
<https://cdnrockiesdatabases.ca/people/19>

Title Source: Title based on contents of sub-series

Processing Status: Processed

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Balfour Hut Registers

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57646>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds

Description Level: 4 / Sub-series

Fonds Number: M200
V14
S6

Series: M200 / IV: Hut Registers

Sous-Fonds: M200

Sub-Series: M200 / IV / I: Balfour Hut Registers

Accession Number: accn. 2376
accn. 3298
accn. 3560
accn. 7779
accn. 2023.10
accn. 2023.31
accn. 2023.15

Reference Code: M200 / IV / I

GMD: Textual record
Organization record

Responsibility: Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada

Date Range: 1966-2001
2007-2019

Physical Description: 20 cm of textual records
9 volumes

History /

Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada's website:

"The Rob Ritchie Hut, also known as the Balfour Hut, is found on low, rocky hills at the toe of the Vulture Glacier, approximately 28 km northwest of the town of Lake Louise, AB. It is east of Balfour Pass and the Continental divide, just inside the Banff National Park boundary.[...]

The Rob Ritchie Hut, also known as the Balfour Hut, is found on low, rocky hills at the toe of the Vulture Glacier, approximately 28 km northwest of the town of Lake Louise, AB. It is east of Balfour Pass and the Continental divide, just inside the Banff National Park boundary.

This is the half-way mark for the Wapta Traverse and is usually used in conjunction with the other huts in this chain while attempting this classic cross-glacier ski trip. Usual approach is from Bow Hut through the Olive/St. Nicholas Col then down the gentle and pleasant Vulture Glacier to Balfour Pass, where the hut sits on a section of moraine beneath the impressive bulk of Mt. Balfour.

Though most people will spend one night at the R.J. Ritchie (Balfour) Hut before continuing on to Scott Duncan, there is potential for good skiing here, especially on the Diableret Glacier which sits northwest of Mt. Balfour and makes for a fantastic run on a clear day! There is also an optional route to the summit of Mt. Gordon from this hut, which would be an excellent loop trip if combined with the normal route back towards Bow Hut. Use your imagination and some neat trip ideas will present themselves!"

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Balfour (Rob Ritchie) Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1966 and 2019. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / I / 1: Balfour Hut [Register] [1966-1971]

M200 / IV / I / 2: Balfour Pass Hut [1971-1972]

M200 / IV / I / 3: Balfour Pass Hut Register [1973-1974]

M200 / IV / I / 4: Balfour Pass Hut [register 1974-1982]

M200 / IV / I / 5: "Balfour Hut" [register] Sept. 2, 1982 - Nov. 17, 1989

M200 / IV / I / 6: Balfour Hut Journal Nov. 22, 1989 - Apr. 25, 1997

M200 / IV / I / 7: Balfour Hut Register [1997 -2001]

M200 / IV / I / 8: Balfour Hut Register 2007 - 2015

M200 / IV / I / 9: Balfour Hut register 2011 - 2019

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

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| Subject Access: | Huts |
| | Cabins |
| | Cabins and shelters |
| | Backcountry skiing |
| | Banff National Park |
| | Buildings and facilities |
| | Climbing |
| | Environment and Nature |
| | Lake Louise |
| | Mountaineering |
| | Mountains |
| | Ski mountaineering |
| | Sports and leisure |
| | Sports and recreation |
| | Winter sports |
| | Wapta Traverse |
| Geographic Access: | Canada |
| | Alberta |
| | Banff National Park |
| | Lake Louise, AB |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English |
| | French |
| | German |
| | Japanese |
| | Spanish |
| Category: | Environment |
| | Exploration and travel |
| | Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source | Alpine Club of Canada website: |
| Notes: | https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/rob-ritchie-balfour-hut/ |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Peter and Catharine Whyte / Peyto Hut Registers

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57647>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds

Description Level: 4 / Sub-series

Fonds Number: M200
V14
S6

Series: M200 / IV: Hut Registers

Sous-Fonds: M200

Sub-Series: M200 / IV / J: Peter and Catharine Whyte / Peyto Hut Registers

Accession Number: accn. 3296
accn. 3382
accn. 5330
accn. 6457
accn. 2023.10
accn. 7779
accn. 8002
accn. 2014.8293
accn. 2023.20

Reference Code: M200 / IV / J

GMD: Textual record
Organization record

Responsibility: Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada

Date Range: 1974 - 1980
1982 - 1987
1993 - 2017

Physical Description: 25 cm of textual records
11 volumes

History /
Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada website:

"Being the most northerly of the huts on the Wapta Icefield, the Peyto Hut is where a full traverse of the Wapta starts (or finishes). It gives access to the excellent, moderate mountaineering challenges of Peyto and Trapper Peaks, and Mts. Baker, Thompson and Rhondda, all of which are popular ascents in both summer and winter.

The hut is cozy for groups up to 18 (16 in winter) and has amazing views across the icefields.

The hut has no source of heat but it is well insulated and warms up nicely from the propane stoves.

The hut is situated on a bit of a moraine at the base of Mt. Thompson, but all access routes to the hut involve glacier travel. The easiest access is the 3-4 hour trip from the Bow Hut. Access from the Highway is via Peyto Lake and takes 5-8 hours.

Peyto Hut Fact: The first Peyto Hut was a fiberglass igloo built in the late 1960's. It was wrecked by wolverines."

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Peter and Catharine Whyte / Peyto Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1974 and 2017. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / J / 1: Peter Whyte Hut [register 1974 - 1976]

M200 / IV / J / 2: Peter Whyte Hut Log Book [1977-1980]

M200 / IV / J / 3: Peyto Hut [register 1982-1987]

M200 / IV / J / 4: Peter and Catharine Whyte Hut [1983 -1986]

M200 / IV / J / 5: Peter and Catharine Whyte Hut register Feb. 11, 1993 - Apr. 4, 1996

M200 / IV / J / 6: Peter & Catharine Whyte Hut Dec. 1, 1996 - Apr 30, 1999

M200 / IV / J / 7: Peter & Catharine Whyte Apr 30/99 - Jul 29/02

M200 / IV / J / 8: Peter & Catharine Whyte Hut Register 2002

M200 / IV / J / 9: [2003 - 2007 Peyto Hut Register]

M200 / IV / J / 10: Peyto Hut Register 2007 - 2011

M200 / IV / J / 11: Peter and Catharine Whyte Hut register [2007 - 2017]

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

Subject Access: Alpine Club of Canada

Backcountry skiing

Backpacking

Banff National Park

Buildings and facilities

Cabins and shelters

Climbing

Environment

Mountaineers

Mountaineering

Mountains

Peter Whyte Hut

Sports and recreation

Winter sports

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta

Banff National Park

Canadian Rocky Mountains

Peyto Lake

Peyto Glacier

Access Restrictions: Restrictions may apply

Language: English

French

German

Japanese

Spanish

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| Category: | Environment |
| | Exploration and travel |
| | Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source Notes: | Alpine Club of Canada website: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/peter-and-catharine-whyte-peyto-hut/ |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Elk Lakes Cabin Hut Registers

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| Part Of: | Alpine Club of Canada fonds |
| Description Level: | 4 / Sub-series |
| Fonds Number: | M200 |
| | V14 |
| | S6 |
| Series: | M200 / IV: Hut Registers |
| Sous-Fonds: | M200 |
| Sub-Series: | M200 / IV / K: Elk Lakes Cabin Hut Registers |
| Accession Number: | accn. 7779 |
| | accn. 8002 |
| | accn. 8119 |
| | accn. 2023.19 |
| | accn. 2023.32 |
| | accn. 2023.14 |
| Reference Code: | M200 / IV / K |
| GMD: | Textual record |
| | Organization record |
| Responsibility: | Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada |
| Date Range: | 2004-2018 |
| Physical Description: | 20 cm of textual records |
| | 8 volumes |

History /

Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada's website:

"The Elk Lakes Cabin is a log cabin close to Calgary that is a cozy base for hiking, ski touring and ice climbing.

Elk Lakes in the summer is a welcome base for families exploring the wonderful hiking in the Park. Sparkling lakes, majestic peaks and nearly limitless hiking options are waiting to be explored.

A reasonable 3 to 4 hour hike from Peter Lougheed Park makes this a popular family destination and a first-time backcountry hut experience for many.

The Elk Lakes Cabin in the winter is a cozy and warm base for ski touring and ice climbing adventures. Ski tourers often refer to Elk Lakes as a lesser-known Lake O'Hara, with outstanding terrain and fluffy BC powder.

Fat, pure-ice routes and skinny, modern mixed climbs abound in the area, mostly on the south face of Mt. Fox that overlooks the upper Elk Lake. Tick off classic Rockies ice climbs by day, dry your ropes in the cozy cabin by night.

The Elk Lakes Cabin is one of five huts operated by the ACC which reside in the BC Parks jurisdiction. ACC Membership is not required to advance book or receive a discounted rate at these huts."

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Elk Lakes Cabin produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 2004 and 2018. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / K / 1: Elk Lakes Hut Jul 18, 2004 - Jul 24, 2005

M200 / IV / K / 2: Elk Lakes Hut Register 2006 - 2008

M200 / IV / K / 3: Elk Lakes Hut Register 2008 - 2009

M200 / IV / K / 4: Elk Lakes Cabin Hut Registry [2009-2011]

M200 / IV / K / 5: Elk Lakes Cabin 2012-2014

M200 / IV / K / 6: Elk Lakes Cabin register [2014-2016]

M200 / IV / K / 7: 2017 Elk Lakes Cabin Hut Register

M200 / IV / K / 8: Elk Lakes Hut Register 2017-2018

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

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| Subject Access: | Backcountry skiing Backpacking British Columbia Buildings and facilities Cabins and shelters Camping Climbing Cross-country skiing Environment and Nature Huts Kananaskis Country Log structures Mountaineering Mountaineers Mountains Skiing Sports and recreation Winter sports |
| Geographic Access: | Canada British Columbia Continental Divide Kananaskis Elk Lakes Provincial Park |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English French German Japanese Spanish |
| Conservation: | Some registers have loose pages |
| Category: | Environment Exploration and travel Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source | Alpine Club of Canada website: |
| Notes: | https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/elk-lakes-cabin/ |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Bon Echo Hut Registers



<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57649>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Fonds Number: M200
V14
S6
Series: M200 / IV: Hut Registers
Sous-Fonds: M200
Sub-Series: M200 / IV / L: Bon Echo Hut Registers
Accession Number: accn. 7779
accn. 2014.8278
Reference Code: M200 / IV / L
GMD: Textual record
Organization record
Responsibility: Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada
Date Range: 1964-2006
Physical Description: 25 cm of textual records
8 volumes

History /
Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada website:

"The rock climbing at Mazinaw Lake is some of the finest in Ontario. The area boasts quartzite cliffs up to 100m high that rise vertically out of the lake. The routes are all traditional and range in grades from 5.0 to 5.11, with the most popular routes in the 5.4 to 5.9 range. The exposure and length of the routes make for an adventure unlike any other in the province.

The Bon Echo Hut on the lake is operated by the Toronto Section which also operates a boat to ferry climbers to and from the climbs. The hut is comfortable and an excellent place to meet other climbers and get information on the climbs. The area also offers excellent swimming and hiking.

The hut is a single-room wooden structure with a fireplace and kitchen equipped with propane stoves and a large dining table. There is a sauna located near the lake. The hut is not used for sleeping, but is a day hut and cook shelter for those staying at the campsites immediately adjacent to the hut.

Bon Echo is located approximately 300 km north east of Toronto on the east side of Mazinaw Lake, a mile north of the Mazinaw Rock and Bon Echo Provincial Park.

The drive to the public dock takes three to four hours from Toronto or one and a half hours from Ottawa. The hut can be reached by hiking overland, but this would take an entire day. Boating to the hut is much more convenient."

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Bon Echo Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1964 and 2006. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / L / 1: [Bon Echo - register Jan 28, 1964 - Nov. 25, 1967]

M200 / IV / L / 2: [Bon Echo hut register Feb. 24, 1968 - Aug. 27, 1972]

M200 / IV / L / 3: Bon Echo hut book #3 Sept 23, 1972 - Aug. 27, 1978

M200 / IV / L / 4: Bon Echo Hut book #4 Sept. 2, 1978 - July 13, 1984.

M200 / IV / L / 5: [Bon Echo Hut Register] July 14, 1984 - Apr 20, 1987

M200 / IV / L / 6: ACC Bon Echo Log Hut book #6 May 9, 1987 - July 4, 1993

M200 / IV / L / 7: [Bon Echo Hut Register] vol. 7 July 9, 1993 - Aug. 24, 1997

M200 / IV / L / 8: Bon Echo Hut Register 1998-2006

Notes:

M200 / IV / L / 3: Bon Echo hut book #3 Sept 23, 1972 - Aug. 27, 1978 included a colour photographic print that has been separated into V14 / III / C / PA under the same title: Bon Echo hut book #3 Sept 23, 1972 - Aug. 27, 1978. The print was found loose inside the hut register.

M200 / IV / L / 6: ACC Bon Echo Log Hut book #6 May 9, 1987 - July 4, 1993 included a photographic print that has been separated into V14 / III / C / PA under the same title: ACC Bon Echo Log Hut book #6 May 9, 1987 - July 4, 1993. The print was found loose inside the hut register.

M200 / IV / L / 8: Bon Echo Hut Register 1998-2006 contained loose bird feathers that have been removed from page 173.

Name Access:

Alpine Club of Canada

Subject Access:

Huts

Cabins and shelters

Alpine Club of Canada

Birds

Boats

Buildings and facilities

Climbing

Environment

Environment and Nature

Hiking

Mountaineering

Property

Sports and leisure

Sports and recreation

Swimming

Geographic Access:

Canada

Ontario

Toronto

Mazinaw Lake

Bon Echo Provincial Park

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| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English |
| | French |
| | Spanish |
| | German |
| Conservation: | Some hut registers contain loose pages. Some book/register bindings are broken. |
| Category: | Environment |
| | Exploration and travel |
| | Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source | The Alpine Club of Canada website: |
| Notes: | https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/bon-echo-hut-toronto-section/ |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Fairy Meadows/Bill Putnam Hut Registers

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| Part Of: | Alpine Club of Canada fonds |
| Description Level: | 4 / Sub-series |
| Fonds Number: | M200 |
| | V14 |
| | S6 |
| Series: | M200 / IV: Hut Registers |
| Sous-Fonds: | M200 |
| Sub-Series: | M200 / IV / M: Fairy Meadows/Bill Putnam Hut Registers |
| Accession Number: | accn. 2014.8293 |
| | accn. 2023.20 |
| | accn. 8002 |
| | accn. 5635 |
| | accn. 6766 |
| | accn. 2023.10 |
| | accn. 7779 |
| Reference Code: | M200 / IV / M |
| GMD: | Textual record |
| | Organization record |
| Responsibility: | Registers produced by Alpine Club of Canada |
| Date Range: | 1983-2016 |
| Physical Description: | 20 cm of textual records |
| | 8 volumes |

History /

Biographical:

According to the Alpine Club of Canada's website:

"Built in 1965 by the ACC as a project proposed and largely overseen by William Putnam, the hut has since seen extensive renovations which have transformed the two-storey wooden building into a deluxe backcountry destination. With a complete propane system which includes an oven for baking, a very efficient wood stove and a fully stocked cooking area, comfort is guaranteed. There is sleeping space for 20 on the second level and a spacious common room with adequate space for hanging gear. A large and very hot wood-burning sauna is an absolute treat on those clear, cold winter nights! [...]

Fairy Meadow is one of the great backcountry ski destinations in North America, with outstanding ski mountaineering and ski touring. In summer the hut is a base for excellent granite mountaineering. The hut is well equipped with a wood sauna, extensive kitchen and bunks. Access is via Helicopter or a very long and very difficult hike (hiking is absolutely not recommended). The Great Cairn Hut is a day's mountaineering travel to the south."

The ACC's Backcountry Huts: Bill Putnam (Fairy Meadows) Info Sheet states:

"In 1965, the Fairy Meadow Hut was constructed by the Alpine Club of Canada as a project proposed and overseen by Bill Putnam. In 1973 the first structure, which was woefully inadequate for the heavy snowfall of the area, was totally renovated and enlarged, a project once again largely funded and overseen by Bill Putnam. Bill Putnam devoted his life to the mountains. He was the President of the American Alpine Club for years and was on their Board of Directors for decades. Putnam has also contributed heavily to Canadian mountaineering history. He spent half a lifetime exploring the Selkirks, Purcells and Rocky Mountains, and took part in writing guidebooks for the same areas (Rocky Mountains of Canada – South and North, Columbia Mountains of Canada – Central, and West and South). In addition to these, he has written several history books about the same mountains.

The hut is regularly used in the winter months for ski camps, both by the national Club as well as by various Club sections. The Club's General Mountaineering Camp, although not utilizing the hut itself, has been held in the Fairy Meadow area on three separate occasions since 1981. The hut renovations in the summer on 1992 included complete gutting and refurbishing of the interior, new outhouses and the addition of a propane stove. The hut is presently in excellent condition".

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Bill Putnam / Fairy Meadows Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1983 and 2016. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

The sub-series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / M / 1: Fairy Meadow's Hut Registration 1983 to 1988

M200 / IV / M / 2: [Fairy Meadows Hut Register 1989 - 1994]

M200 / IV / M / 3: Fairy Meadow Hut register Apr. 2, 1994 - Aug. 25, 1997

M200 / IV / M / 4: Fairy Meadow Hut [1997-2001]

M200 / IV / M / 5: Fairy Meadows March 10, 2001 - May 23, 2003
(Bill Putnam)

M200 / IV / M / 6: Bill Putnam Hut Register 2003 -2007 [Formerly Fairy Meadow Hut]

M200 / IV / M / 7: 2007 - 2010 Fairy Meadows Hut Register

M200 / IV / M / 8: Bill Putnam (Fairy Meadow) Hut Registry

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

Subject Access: Environment
Environment and Nature
Alpine Club of Canada
Backpacking
Backcountry skiing
British Columbia
Revelstoke
Huts
Cabins
Cabins and shelters
Buildings
Buildings and facilities
Camps
Construction

Geographic Access: Canada
British Columbia
Selkirks
Revelstoke

Access Restrictions: Restrictions may apply

Language: English
French
German
Japanese
Spanish

Conservation: Some registers contain loose pages. Some book/register bindings are fraying.

Category: Environment
Exploration and travel
Sports, recreation and leisure

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| Biographical Source Notes: | Alpine Club of Canada website: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/bill-putnam-fairy-meadow-hut/ |
| | Alpine Club of Canada Backcountry Huts: Bill Putnam (Fairy Meadows) Info Sheet: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/FMHut-InfoSheet.pdf |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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Elizabeth Parker Hut Registers

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| Part Of: | Alpine Club of Canada |
| Description Level: | 4 / Sub-series |
| Fonds Number: | M200 V14 S6 |
| Series: | M200 / IV: Hut Registers |
| Sous-Fonds: | M200 |
| Sub-Series: | M200 / IV / B: Elizabeth Parker Hut Registers |
| Accession Number: | accn. 2023.10 accn. 5538 accn. 6465 accn. 8002 accn. 7779 accn. 2014.8293 accn. 2023.31 accn. 2023.20 accn. 2023.15 accn. 2020.05 |
| Reference Code: | M200 / IV / B |
| GMD: | Textual record Organization record |
| Responsibility: | Registers produced by the Alpine Club of Canada |
| Date Range: | 1982 - 2019 |
| Physical Description: | 51 cm of textual records (24 volumes) |

History /
Biographical:

The Elizabeth Parker hut was named after one of the founding members of the Alpine Club of Canada, Elizabeth Parker. The hut is located in Yoho National Park, near Lake O'Hara in British Columbia. The hut is one of the most popular accommodations run by the Alpine Club of Canada. The Elizabeth Parker hut is made up of two buildings; the main hut and Wiwaxy Cabin. The total capacity of the two buildings is 24 people in the summer and 20 people in the winter.

According to the Alpine Club of Canada Guide for Backcountry Huts: Elizabeth Parker Info Sheet:

"The present Wiwaxy cabin was the first hut in the Lake O'Hara area, built in 1912 by the Canadian Pacific Railway. This was the same year that the ACC applied for and was granted a two-acre lease for a future hut on the south shore of Lake O'Hara, the site of the Club's 1909 annual camp. In 1919, the CPR built the present Elizabeth Parker Hut, and by 1923 had built a further 11 huts in the meadow. In 1923/24, the CPR moved all but the first two huts down to the lakeshore, and seven years later donated the last two in the meadow to the ACC. The Club was able to exchange its lakeshore lease for a meadow lease, and in 1931 was in business with a hut at Lake O'Hara - the Elizabeth Parker Hut.

As you can expect with log buildings, the Elizabeth Parker Hut has required substantial renovations and upkeep. Over the years the hut has seen a new floor, a new roof, new timbers and new foundation logs, as well as completely new interior furnishings. The outhouses are new, a stove in the Wiwaxy Cabin has been added and the entire meadow around the hut has been rehabilitated and reseeded. Over the past couple of years, the Huts Committee has worked very hard to restore the appearance of the hut as closely as possible to its original state. The Canadian government designated the Elizabeth Parker Hut as a Federal Heritage Building in 1997."

"...her memory is preserved by the very popular tribute inscribed with her name, the 'Elizabeth Parker Hut', maintained in one of the most charming centres of the Canadian Rockies, close by beautiful Lake O'Hara." (Quotation from Elizabeth Parker's obituary by A. O. Wheeler, CAJ #29."

Scope & Content:

Sub-series of hut registers from the Elizabeth Parker Hut produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1982 and 2019. Registers include entries from visitors to the huts which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while staying at the hut, wildlife sightings, custodial issues and updates, and related topics.

Series is separated into individual hut registers, arranged by date:

M200 / IV / B / 1: Elizabeth Parker Hut Register June 21, 1982 - April 14, 1985

M200 / IV / B / 2: Eliz. Parker Hut register 1985 - 88

M200 / IV / B / 3: Elizabeth Parker Hut Register [1988 - 1991]

M200 / IV / B / 4: Elizabeth Parker Hut Register 1991 - 92

M200 / IV / B / 5: [Elizabeth Parker Hut Register 1992 - 94]

M200 / IV / B / 6: Elizabeth Parker Hut register June 17, 1994 - Nov. 13, 1995

M200 / IV / B / 7: [Elizabeth Parker] hut register Oct. 28, 1995 - Jan. 25, 1997

M200 / IV / B / 8: Elizabeth Parker Hut register Jan. 19, 1997 - Jan. 25, 1998

M200 / IV / B / 9: "Elizabeth Parker Hut Register" January 29, 1998 - September 10, 1998

M200 / IV / B / 10: "Elizabeth Parker Hut Register" November 4, 1998 - September 22, 1999

M200 / IV / B / 11: Elizabeth Parker Hut Register Oct. 2, 1999 - Jan. 1, 2000

M200 / IV / B / 12: Elizabeth Parker Mar 7, 2000 - Feb 9, 2002

M200 / IV / B / 13: Elizabeth Parker Sep 7, 2000 - Jan 27, 2002

M200 / IV / B / 14: Elizabeth Parker Mar 13, 2002 - Mar 31, 2003

M200 / IV / B / 15: Elizabeth Parker Hut Register 2003 - 2004

M200 / IV / B / 16: Elizabeth Parker Hut Register 2005 - 2007

M200 / IV / B / 17: Elizabeth Parker Hut Register 2006 - 2007

M200 / IV / B / 18: [2007 - 2009 Elizabeth Parker Hut Register]

M200 / IV / B / 19: [2009 -2010 Elizabeth Parker Hut Register]

M200 / IV / B / 20: Elizabeth Parker Hut Registry, 2011 - 2012

M200 / IV / B / 21: Elizabeth Parker Hut Register Aug 2012 - Nov. 2014

M200 / IV / B / 22: Elizabeth Parker Hut Register [2014 -2016]

M200 / IV / B / 23: Elizabeth Parker Hut Register 2016 -2018

M200 / IV / B / 24: The Alpine Club of Canada Hut Register Elizabeth Parker Hut 2017 - 2019

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

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| Subject Access: | Alpine Club of Canada Backcountry skiing British Columbia Cabins Cabins and shelters Climbing Environment and Nature Hiking Huts Lake O'hara Mountaineering Mountains Parks Canada Ski mountaineering Sports and recreation Yoho National Park |
| Geographic Access: | Canada British Columbia Lake O'Hara Field, B. C. Yoho National Park |
| Access Restrictions: | Restrictions may apply |
| Language: | English French Spanish German |
| Category: | Environment Exploration and travel Sports, recreation and leisure |
| Biographical Source Notes: | Alpine Club of Canada website: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/elizabeth-parker-hut/ Alpine Club of Canada Backcountry Huts: Elizabeth Parker Info Sheet: https://www.alpineclubofcanada.ca/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/EParkerHut-InfoSheet.pdf |
| Title Source: | Title based on contents of sub-series |
| Processing Status: | Processed |

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