



### 1931 pack trip

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54397>

Part Of: Aileen Harmon fonds  
Description Level: 5 / File  
Fonds Number: M287 / V262  
Series: M287 / I : Personal records  
Sous-Fonds: M287  
Accession Number: 2016.8596  
Reference Code: M287 / I / 6 to 7  
GMD: Textual record  
Diary  
Responsibility: Items produced by Aileen Harmon  
Date Range: 1931

[ca. 1931 - ca. 1940]

Physical Description: 3 cm of textual records

#### Scope & Content:

File consists of two bound journals/diaries with handwritten notes pertaining to a 1931 packing trip [entries are from July and August, approx. 38 days]. Item M287/I/6 appears to contain original account by Aileen Harmon, and M287/I/7 is rewritten duplicate, also handwritten, likely made for legibility reasons. Author and date of copied version are unknown [possibly similar time period].

Notes: The inside front cover of item M287/I/7 is annotated in pencil with names "Jay Nowlin" and "Jack Cooley".

Name Access: Nowlin, Jay  
Cooley, Jack  
Harmon, Aileen

Subject Access: Packing  
Travel  
Horses  
Camping

Geographic Access: Canada  
Alberta  
Waterford Lake  
Castle Mountain  
British Columbia  
Goat Ridge  
Camp Parker  
Lake Louise

Language: English  
Creator: Aileen Harmon  
Category: Family and personal life  
Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title provided prior to processing  
Processing Status: Processed

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## Album, various Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies trips

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54342>

Part Of: Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M545 / V635

Series: V635 / I : Events and Activities

Sous-Fonds: V635

Accession Number: 2014.8277

Reference Code: V635 / I / PD - 8

GMD: Album

Photograph

Photograph print

Textual record

Responsibility: Anne Wotypka (?)

Date Range: 1979

1986

1995

Physical Description: 1 photograph album: 58 colour prints, 1 textual record

### Scope & Content:

Album contains 58 colour photographs pertaining to trail rides around Pulsatilla Pass and other unidentified regions in the Canadian Rockies between 1979 and 1995. Photographs depict group shots of travellers, waterfront and other scenic views, walking and horseback riding along trails, indoor meals with travellers, musical performers and images of a helicopter lifting off in a forest clearing.

Subject Access: Travel

Hiking

Camping

Landscapes

Music

Helicopter

Trails

Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta

Canadian Rocky Mountains

Language: English

Creator: Wotypka family (?)

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

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## Bruce Hatfield fonds

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57499>

Part Of:	Bruce Hatfield fonds
Description Level:	1 / Fonds
Fonds Number:	M597 V819
Sous-Fonds:	M597 V819
Accession Number:	2023.29
Reference Code:	M597 / V819
GMD:	Photograph Transparency Textual record Negative Private record Organization record
Responsibility:	Photographs mostly produced by Bruce Hatfield
Date Range:	1963-1995
Physical Description:	ca.441 col. transparency slides : 35 mm -- 14 col. neg. film strips (49 images) : 35 mm -- ca.1.5 cm textual records

## History /

### Biographical:

Clinton Bruce Hatfield (1926-2009) was born in Calgary, Alberta. After graduating from Western Canada High School in 1945, Bruce attended the University of Alberta, where he completed a Bachelor of Science degree in 1948, a Master of Science degree in 1951, and a Medical Degree in 1953. Bruce interned at the University of Alberta Hospital before moving to Minneapolis in 1957, where he worked as an Instructor in Medicine at the University of Minnesota Hospital (1958-1959). Bruce moved back to Calgary and opened a private medical practice with his brother, Bob Hatfield. While operating his private practice, Bruce also served on several committees at the Calgary Hospital, including the Intern Committee, Library Committee, Medical Education Committee, Pharmacy Committee (of which he was Chair in 1966), and the Department of Medicine Committee. Bruce was hired as an Assistant Professor at the University of Calgary in 1970, and was Clinical Professor of Medicine when he retired in 1994.

Bruce was active as an educator and volunteer in his community, and supported numerous charitable initiatives through the United Church of Canada. He gave public presentations on the topics of Family Life and Sex Education throughout the 1960s and 1970s. Bruce also served as a Trail Doctor for the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies on numerous trips between 1963 and 1995. Bruce was also a talented photographer; his photographs were featured in multiple publications including Macleans magazine, Canadian Doctor, and Canadian Medical Association Journal.

Bruce was the recipient of many awards including Calgary's Citizen of the Year (1970), the Premier's Cup (1983), an Honorary Doctorate of Laws from the University of Calgary (1995) and most recently was chosen as one of Alberta's 100 Physicians of the Century (2005). Bruce and his brother, Bob, were co-recipients of the Alberta Achievement Award and the Premier's Cup for Excellence in Medicine and the Community.

Bruce was married to his wife, Kathleen, for 55 years and the couple raised four daughters together: Linda, Barbara, Sue and Kate.

### Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of materials pertaining to Dr. Bruce Hatfield's excursions with the Trail Riders between 1963-1995 and his role as Trail Doctor. Fonds includes ca.441 transparency slides with images primarily taken by Bruce during trail rides, 1963-1994, depicting fellow ride participants, camp life, wildlife, and landscapes; 14 colour negative film strips (49 images) depicting scenes from a trail ride in 1995; collected correspondence pertaining to trail rides and administrative work; medical reports from trail rides; and collected riders' lists and related material.

Name Access:            Hatfield, Bruce

Subject Access:	Trails
	Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies
	Travel
	Administration
	Animals
	Bighorn Sheep
	Buildings and facilities
	Businesses
	Camping
	Correspondence
	Dancing
	Deer
	Dogs
	Elk
	Entertainment
	Environment
	Fishing
	Glaciers
	Guides
	Horse packing
	Horseback riding
	Horses
	Health services
	Landscapes
	Membership
	Mountain Goats
	Music
	Musicians
	Organizations
	Outfitters, trail guides and packers
	Pack trips
	Recreation
	Sports and recreation
	Swimming
	Tourism
	Trail guides
Geographic Access:	Canada
	Alberta
	British Columbia
Access Restrictions:	Some restrictions apply- contains personal information
Reproduction	Some restrictions apply- contains personal information
Restrictions:	
Related Material:	Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies fonds (M545/V635)

Category: Exploration and travel  
Environment  
Health services  
Sports, recreation and leisure  
Tourism

Biographical Source: <https://searcharchives.ucalgary.ca/dr-c-bruce-hatfield-fonds>

Notes: <https://mhfh.com/tribute/details/15163/Clinton-Hatfield/obituary.html>

Title Source: Title based on contents of fonds

Processing Status: Processed

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## Bulletins

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54811>

Part Of: Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M545 / V635

Series: M545 / III : Published records

Sous-Fonds: M545

Accession Number: 5939

Reference Code: M545 / III / 8 to 11

GMD: Textual record

Published record

Organization record

Date Range: 1931

1939

1941-1942

1944-1945

1948-1953

1955-1957

1960-1962

1964

1970

1972

1974

Physical Description: 8 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

File consists of Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies bulletins from 1931-1974 [some annotated] and one "Skyline Trails" bulletin [1960]. Content pertains to views and events from previous trips, schedules and planned destinations of trail rides, and membership lists.

Notes: Brochures are organized by date [see "Content Details"]

Name Access:	Bagley, Ray Round, F. W. E. (Bill), Jr. Rungius, Carl Crosby, Lou Gibbon, John Murray
Subject Access:	Advertising Administration Membership Horses Horseback riding Camping Entertainment Travel Tourism Publication
Geographic Access:	Canada Alberta Banff Moraine Lake Lake Louise Stewart Canyon Spray Lakes Larix Lake Fatigue Pass Ptarmigan Lake Mount Assiniboine Deception Pass Wolverine Plateau Simpson Pass Wonder Pass Kananaskis Johnston Creek Panther River Red Deer Lake O'Hara Pulsatilla Pass
Reproduction Restrictions:	Restrictions may apply
Language:	English
Category:	Communications Exploration, discovery and travel Sports, recreation and leisure
Title Source:	Title based on contents of file



Content Details: M545 / III / 8 : 1931-1948  
M545 / III / 9 : 1949-1953  
M545 / III / 10 : 1955-1962  
M545 / III / 11 : 1964-1974  
Processing Status: Processed

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## Camp Director and Emcee documents

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54475>

Part Of: Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies fonds  
Description Level: 5 / File  
Fonds Number: M545 / V635  
Series: M545 / II : Members, Staff, Personal Content  
Sous-Fonds: M545  
Accession Number: 5939  
Reference Code: M545 / II / 15  
GMD: Textual record  
Organization record  
Date Range: 1963 - 1965  
[ca. 1970]  
1974  
1975

Physical Description: 1 cm of textual records

### Scope & Content:

File consists of various documents pertaining to Camp Coordinator and Emcee duties for the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies. Includes 3 packages of notes in file folder paper, two containing notes on individual rides in 1964 and one guide to Emcee duties; loose Emcee duties instructions; lists of duties for Camp Directors; and typed correspondence re: the production of a new information packet for Emcees dated 1974.

Subject Access: Administration  
Camping  
Packing  
Travel

Geographic Access: Canada  
Alberta  
Banff

Language: English

Conservation: Items titled on front surface in black marker placed in mylar to protect adjacent items from staining  
Fragile paper items must be handled with caution

Category: Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

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## Camp rules and agreements

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54953>



Part Of: Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M545 / V635

Series: M545 / V : Administrative records

Sous-Fonds: M545

Accession Number: 5939  
8235

Reference Code: M545 / V / 56

GMD: Textual record  
Organization record

Date Range: 1996-2002

Physical Description: 2 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

File consists of documents pertaining to camp rules and agreements for trail rides between ca.1996 and 2002. Content pertains to rules of trail riding set by the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies, camp agreements between trail ride participants and the Trail Riders [including trail maps with directions to the Great Divide, Snow Creek, Elk Horn and Ya Ha Tinda], and a list of rules for camping at Bighorn Campground and on the property of Ya Ha Tinda Ranch.

Name Access: Smith, Rick

Subject Access: Administration  
Businesses  
Camping  
Camps  
Ya-Ha-Tinda Ranch  
Ranches  
Recreation  
Property  
Trails  
Animals  
Environment  
Map

Geographic Access: Canada  
Alberta  
Banff National Park

Language: English

Category: Environment  
Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

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## Elk Lakes Cabin Hut Registers

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57648>

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

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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## Freelance and loose writing, comics

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54486>

Part Of: Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M545 / V635

Series: M545 / II : Members, Staff and Personal Records

Sous-Fonds: M545

Accession Number: 8235

Reference Code: M545 / II / 19

GMD: Textual record  
 Private record  
 Drawing

Date Range: [1970-1980]  
 1982-1984  
 1986  
 1992-1993  
 1999  
 2003  
 2005-2008

Physical Description: 2 cm of textual records

### Scope & Content:

File consists of textual records pertaining to trips led by the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies. Includes an annotated skit performed on a 1982 trail ride, drafts of possible content for newsletters, freelance writing samples, and accounts of specific trail rides. Most items list author(s) and date. File also includes several annotated sketches depicting trail riders.

Notes: File contains duplicates which have been attached to each other

Name Access:	Fedder, Zelda Vale, Don Howard, Christine Sharp, Thelma Levy, Joanne Brown, Brenda Bauer, Rebecca Orr, Dennis Wallace, Don Reid, Janice Elphinstone, Michelle Dallimore, Karen Godderis, Rick
Subject Access:	Travel Tourism Packing Camping Music Poetry Trails
Geographic Access:	Canada Alberta Banff Clearwater Wonder Pass
Language:	English
Conservation:	Metal staples removed from numerous items
Category:	Sports, recreation and leisure
Title Source:	Title based on contents of file
Processing Status:	Processed

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## Grizzly Peak [ca. 2005-2009]

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57761>

Part Of:	Alpine Club of Canada fonds
Description Level:	5 / File
Fonds Number:	M200 V14 S6
Series:	M200 / V: Summit Records

Sous-Fonds: M200  
Sub-Series: M200 / V / A: Identified Summit Records  
Accession Number: accn. 2014.8315  
Reference Code: M200 / V / A / 174  
GMD: Textual record  
Organization record  
Responsibility: Summit Registers and Notes produced by Alpine Club of Canada  
Date Range: ca. 2005-2009  
Physical Description: 2 cm of textual record  
1 volume

History /

Biographical:

Grizzly Peak is located in the Kananaskis River Valley, Alberta.

Scope & Content:

File consists of a summit record from Grizzly Peak produced by the Alpine Club of Canada from around 2005 to 2009. The register was placed on Grizzly Peak as part of the Centennial celebrations for Alberta in 2005. Summit record includes 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.

File:

M200 / V / A / 174: Grizzly Peak [ca. 2005-2009]

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada



Subject Access:	<p>Alberta</p> <p>Alpine Club of Canada</p> <p>Backpacking</p> <p>Banff</p> <p>Bow Valley</p> <p>Camping</p> <p>Celebrations</p> <p>Centennial</p> <p>Climbing</p> <p>Club</p> <p>Description and travel</p> <p>Environment</p> <p>Environment and Nature</p> <p>Hiking</p> <p>Kananaskis Country</p> <p>Mountain</p> <p>Mountaineering</p> <p>Mountaineers</p> <p>Mountains</p> <p>Record keeping</p> <p>Sports and leisure</p> <p>Sports and recreation</p> <p>Summit</p> <p>Trails</p>
Geographic Access:	<p>Canada</p> <p>Canadian Rocky Mountains</p> <p>Rocky Mountains</p> <p>Alberta</p> <p>Kananaskis</p> <p>Kananaskis Country</p> <p>Kananaskis Valley</p> <p>Grizzly Creek</p> <p>Grizzly Peak</p>
Access Restrictions:	Restrictions may apply
Language:	English
Conservation:	Register is placed in mylar, due to rusting staples, water damage and potential animal chew marks.
Related Material:	M235
Category:	<p>Environment</p> <p>Exploration and travel</p> <p>Sports, recreation and leisure</p>
Title Source:	Title based on contents of file
Processing Status:	Processed



## Inventory lists

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54906>

Part Of: Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M545

V635

Series: M545 / V : Administrative records

Sous-Fonds: M545

Accession Number: 5939

8235

Reference Code: M545 / V / 16

GMD: Textual record

Organization record

Date Range: 1960-1966

1969-1970

[1970-1980]

1975-1978

1982

1995

1998

2002-2003

2006

Physical Description: 2 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

File consists of inventory lists, notes and correspondence pertaining to bedding, cookware, furniture and other supplies used by the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies during trail rides.

Some inventory lists also include material prices and estimated values.

Notes: Contents are arranged by date in file

Subject Access: Administration

Camping

Communications

Packing

Pack trips

Inventory

Finances

Travel

Organizations

Geographic Access: Canada  
Alberta  
Banff National Park  
Banff  
Calgary  
Language: English  
Category: Communications  
Title Source: Title based on contents of file  
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