



**FALL 2024 NATURE CHILLIWACK CALENDAR OF EVENTS**  
**ALL FIELD TRIPS ARE "EASY" UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED**  
***PLEASE CONTACT LEADER IF COMING ON A FIELD TRIP***



Date	Time	Event	Location	Details	Contact
1 <sup>st</sup> or 2 <sup>nd</sup> Saturday (if 1 <sup>st</sup> holiday weekend of the month)	9 AM September 7 October 5 November 2 December 7	COFFEE CUTTERS <a href="#">Directions</a>	<a href="#">Camp Slough Wildlife Area</a>	Monthly Work Party (tools on site) Coffee after at local cafe	<a href="#">Lee Larkin</a> 604 858 5141
September 7 2024	10 AM Meet at the Cairn on Camp River Road	PHOTO BLITZ Continuation of 2024 mini bioblitzes	<a href="#">Camp Slough Wildlife Area</a>	Bring your camera Post photos to our OneDrive to share with Nature Trust BC	<a href="#">Lee Larkin</a> 604 858 5141
Tuesday September 17 2024	7 PM In person only No Zoom	REGULAR MEETING	<a href="#">Neighbourhood Learning Centre</a> 46361 Yale Rd	Candace Ross <a href="#">Vancouver Avian Research Centre</a>	<a href="#">Lee Larkin</a> 604 858 5141
September 19 <sup>th</sup> 2024	3:30 PM	Level Easy FIELD TRIP	Meet at the <a href="#">SAY Lands Office</a> 7256 Chilliwack River Rd	Tour SAY 1 <sup>st</sup> Nations' Habitat Restoration Project along Chilliwack River Road with Steve Clegg	<a href="#">Lee Larkin</a> 604 858 5141
Thursday September 26 2024	Come anytime from 10 AM - 4 PM Meet at the Cairn	Help the Nature Trust of BC team plant native trees shrubs and pollinator plants	<a href="#">Camp Slough Wildlife Area</a>	Tools and gloves provided. Wear study footwear and dress for the weather.	<a href="#">Lee Larkin</a> 604 858 5141
Tuesday October 15, 2024	7 PM Can't attend? Zoom link available	REGULAR MEETING	<a href="#">Neighbourhood Learning Centre</a> 46361 Yale Rd	Dick Clegg NC Member Owls in Chilliwack	<a href="#">Lee Larkin</a> 604 858 5141
October 20 2024	10 AM Meet at 957 McCombs Road Harrison Hot Springs	FIELD TRIP Level Moderate Some narrow, slippery trails	<a href="#">East Sector Lands</a> Bring water, food and dress for the weather	Our annual Mushroom foray this year into the 320 Acre park land in Harrison Hot Springs with Drew Brayshaw	<a href="#">Lee Larkin</a> 604 858 5141
TBA October 2024	Meet at 10 AM Contact leader so numbers for reservations can be made	Level Easy FIELD TRIP Group Reservation for Reifel TBA by leader	<a href="#">Reifel</a> Westham Island or <a href="#">Blackies Spit</a> 3136 McBride Surrey	Either Site is great for Migrating Birds. Wrangell Island wintering lesser snow geese should be abundant	<a href="#">Fernando Selles</a> 604 792 8062
Saturday November 9 2024	10 AM Meet at Muddy Waters Café 328 Esplanade	Level Easy FIELD TRIP	<a href="#">Harrison Hot Springs lagoon</a>	Observe wintering birds in the lagoon, a birding hotspot. Lunch in Muddy Waters Cafe	<a href="#">Janne Perrin</a> 604 796 9182
Tuesday November 19 2024	7 PM Can't attend? Zoom link available	REGULAR MEETING	<a href="#">Neighbourhood Learning Centre</a> 46361 Yale Rd	<a href="#">Cori Lausen</a> <a href="#">Bats in BC</a>	<a href="#">Lee Larkin</a> 604 858 5141
Saturday November 23 2024	10 AM Meet in the Foyer of the Museum	Level Easy FIELD TRIP	<a href="#">Chilliwack Museum</a> 45820 Spadina Avenue	Tour the "Out of the Darkness" Bat Coffee afterwards at a local Cafe	<a href="#">Lee Larkin</a> 604 858 5141
Saturday December 14, 2024	ALL DAY	Annual Chilliwack Christmas Bird Count	Meet your team in the field	Post Count Meeting Place TBA	<a href="#">Denis Knopp</a> 604 858 5141
Monday December 16 2024	ALL DAY	Annual Harrison River Christmas Bird Count	Meet your team in the field	Post Count <a href="#">Old Settler Pub</a> (222 Cedar Ave) Harrison Hot Springs	<a href="#">Denis Knopp</a> 604 858 5141