



FALL 2026 NATURE CHILLIWACK CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Field Trip Coordinators: Janne Perrin & Bona Baillie



PLEASE LET THE TRIP LEADER KNOW IF YOU WILL BE ATTENDING A FIELD TRIP

Level Easy for all trips unless otherwise indicated

Date	Time	Event	Location	Details	Leader or Contact Person
1 st Saturday of each month	9 AM September 5 October 3 November 7 December 5	COFFEE CUTTERS Directions	Camp Slough Wildlife Area	Monthly Work Party (tools on site) Coffee after at local cafe	Lee Larkin 604 858 5141
Sunday September 13 2026	10 AM Meet at Muddy Waters Café 328 Esplanade Harrison Hot Springs	FIELD TRIP	Harrison Hot Springs lagoon	Observe migrating shorebird and songbirds at this birding hotspot. Lunch at Muddy Waters Cafe	Leave message Janne Perrin 604 796 9182 Or Bona Baillie 604 796 9216
Tuesday September 15 2026	7 PM No Zoom Available for this talk	REGULAR MEETING Doors Open at 6:30 PM	Neighbourhood Learning Centre 46361 Yale Rd Coffee Provided Bring your own mug	SPEAKER Ron Long The Challenge and Reward of Nature Photography	Lee Larkin 604 858 5141 or Scott Denkers 604 750 0350
Tuesday September 29 2026	10 AM Meet at Muddy Waters Café 328 Esplanade, Harrison Hot Springs	FIELD TRIP Level moderate Some narrow, inclined, slippery trails	Hicks Lake Sasquatch Provincial Park	Hike the loop trail around the lake through mixed forests, secluded beaches and camping area.	Paulina Selles Or Fernando Selles 604 7928062
Sunday October 18 2026	9:30 AM Thompson Park 48600 Chilliwack Lake Road. ALL DAY TRIP	FIELD TRIP Level moderate Some narrow, slippery trails Bring water & food	Angel Wings Weather dependent – if we have a dry fall then no mushrooms	Mushrooms observation foray into the Chilliwack River Valley Trans-Canada trail site Dress for the weather	Denis Knopp & Lee Larkin 604 858 5141
Tuesday October 20 2026	7 PM Can't attend? Zoom link available	REGULAR MEETING Doors Open at 6:30 PM	Neighbourhood Learning Centre 46361 Yale Rd Coffee Provided Bring your own mug	SPEAKER Ross Vennesland Environment Canada New information on the Great Blue Herons (fanninni subspecies)	Lee Larkin 604 858 5141 or Scott Denkers 604 750 0350
TBA October 2026	Must make a reservation and arrive at gate BEFORE 11 AM	FIELD TRIP	George C Reifel Bird Sanctuary	See Snow geese & other wintering waterfowl	Leave message Janne Perrin 604 796 9182
Sunday November 15 2025	10 AM at Kilby Historic Site 215 Kilby Road Parking lot by cafe	FIELD TRIP Dress for Weather Lunch at the Sasquatch Inn	Eagle Point Community Park	View the Wintering Bald eagles and spawning salmon in the Harrison Mills Area.	Janne Perrin Email or leave a message at 604 796 9182 to attend
Tuesday November 17 2026	7 PM Can't attend? Zoom link available	REGULAR MEETING Doors Open at 6:30 PM	Neighbourhood Learning Centre 46361 Yale Rd Coffee Provided Bring your own mug	SPEAKER (remote link) Dr. Cori Lausen Canadian Wildlife Service Why Bats Do What They Do, Part 2: Roosting	Lee Larkin 604 858 5141 or Scott Denkers 604 750 0350
Monday December 14 2026	ALL DAY	Annual Harrison River Christmas Bird Count	Meet your team in the field	Post Count Sossy's Saloon 7215 Pioneer Ave Agassiz	Denis Knopp 604 858 5141
Saturday December 19 2026	ALL DAY	Annual Chilliwack Christmas Bird Count	Meet your team in the field	Post Count Meeting Place TBA	Denis Knopp 604 858 5141