

## Trails Committee Minutes 2016 October Summary

Tim did the October CIT maintenance, including much raking. Pulling grass from the trail-bed is too big a job for the weekly maintenance walks; we will ask Daniel May for help.

Allan will ask Daniel May about when next section of trail may happen.

The monthly maintenance list is as follows:

**Margie & Ralph, November: Anne, December: Frank. January:**

Our recent work party was in Denman Island Park. We cleared another section of a multi-use trail toward Chickadee Lake, and widened the trail from Wren Road to allow the ATV carrying the tools access to our work site.

Tim reported that the Parks Committee did maintenance work on trails in several of the CVRD Parks on the Island.

### NEW BUSINESS:

Allan penned a letter of support for the CVRD to acquire a section of Gravel Pit Road to make access to Denman Island Park accessible from Park Road. The letter will be forwarded to DIRA for their approval.

Frank will look into the insurance status of volunteers working on the Cross Island Trail.

The Trails Committee would like the CVRD to research grants for the Cross Island Trail.

People who are willing to help with trail work but don't wish to attend regular meetings will be welcomed. Such people will need be registered with us to ensure insurance coverage when they are working on trails.

Our next meeting is on **Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> November at 7.30-pm at the Fire Hall.**

After meeting information, Graeme was able to approach Don Luckett of Pemberton Holmes for a donation to support the Trails Committee in its trail clearing work. Don wrote a cheque for \$100.00. Allan will follow up with a Thank You note and as mentioned in a previous meeting Margie/Anne will write a short note to be placed in the local papers thanking, Baynes Sound Insurance, Re/Max and Pemberton Holmes for their kind donations.