



December and January 12/13



Winter is here!



Interesting Tidbits...Did you know...?

Revelstoke holds the Canadian record for the single snowiest winter, which occurred in the 1971-72 season. Mount Copeland, right outside of town, apparently accumulated 2,446.5 cm of snow, which is over 24 meters or (for non-metric types) a whopping 78 feet! Many Revelstoke homes were surrounded by literally walls of snow.

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Welcome! All eyes here at Revelstoke Ski Touring are trained on the white stuff out there, and we're pretty sure this season will be equally successful as past seasons. Revelstoke snowfall is legendary, and regardless of weather predictions from various sources, we can confidently count on at least 12 meters of deep, highly skiable snow. It's tough to beat that in BC, or even North America, for that matter, which is why we have clients join us from all over the world for once-in-a-lifetime ski touring or heli ski adventures.

Things are busy as usual here in our office, and preparations for your ski touring trip or avalanche course are well under way. Always looking for ways to stay current and highly trained, Bob Shafto is presently working on his adding to his Wilderness First Aid skills. Bob, the owner and president of Revelstoke Ski Touring, is committed to making the trips he takes his

guests on the most enjoyable and the safest they can be.

As we all head into the Christmas season, people tend to spend time reflecting on the good stuff in life, being appreciative of all that surrounds us. Not only do we have friends and family here to be thankful for, but nature figures huge in our everyday lives. Revelstoke is fortunate to be surrounded by some of the most spectacular geography in the world. Whether it's hiking, climbing, skiing or mountaineering, the area has something for everyone who craves fresh air, physical challenges, and

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Over time, most people experience life involving love, suffering, compassion, and an unspeakable drive for something new...For me there's skiing, nothing more, nothing less and it encompasses everything, every day I'm out there.

- Pep Fugas

Tips from the Team:

Although the folks here at Revelstoke Ski Touring would much rather be outdoors exploring than wandering the hot, packed shopping malls this season, there is one weakness most outdoor enthusiasts share – a love of awesome gear! We've scoped out some interesting websites just in case you're having a tough time choosing that perfect gift for the adventurer in the family.

[Heli Canada Adventures](#)

[ABC Of Skiing](#)

[Family Adventures in the Canadian Rockies](#)

[Backcountry.com](#)

[Yahoo Sports](#)

[National Geographic](#)



breathtaking views. We encourage you to join us to see for yourself.

Andy Warhol once said, "The idea of waiting for something makes it more exciting." We tend to agree with him. Some of our best times are spent preparing for and envisioning one of our many exciting outdoor adventures. Sometimes anticipation is just as fun as the event we're waiting for.

It isn't too early to start planning for a memorable summer adventure with friends or family with Heli Canada Adventures. We have something for every skill level and every age. We adapt the trip to the needs of your group, so that everyone participates and everyone enjoys themselves. Heli hiking or heli walking, for example, is an activity almost anyone can do – the helicopter ride alone will give you an adrenaline rush. Add to that scenery and exploring a

landscape that only exists at high altitudes and you've got an experience you'll never forget. There's nothing better to make one appreciate the finer things in life, such as nature, than getting as close to them as possible. Let us help you accomplish this by dropping you at the top of a glorious mountain and exploring on foot. Bob and his trained guides will lead you safely while telling stories, sharing information on flora and fauna, and maybe sharing a good joke or two!

Merry Christmas, Happy New Year, and a big thank you to all our clients we have had the fortune to share many wonderful adventures with. We look forward to 2013 and all the new and returning clients that will further enrich our passion for the outdoors and the backcountry!

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