Information for Participants on Field Trip #1
Lillooet River Basin, led by Olav Slaymaker, Michael Bovis, and Erik Schiefer
Sunday, June 27th

Departure and Return:
The bus will depart promptly at 7:00 a.m. from the southwest entrance of the Geography Building, 1984 West Mall. Map of UBC campus showing the location of the Department of Geography [D4] is available from http://www.maps.ubc.ca/PROD/index_detail.php?bldg1ID=401&showMapCampus=y

The estimated return time is about 10:00 p.m., and the bus will return to the same location on campus.

Meals:
Breakfast (coffee, tea, muffins) will be available to participants starting at 6:30 a.m. in the Undergraduate Student Lounge, located just inside the southwest entrance of the Geography Building.

Lunch will be provided, and for dinner, we will stop at a restaurant in Squamish. Participants are reminded that they are responsible for their own dinner expenses.

Clothing:
Due to the windy conditions on Miller Ridge, participants are encouraged to bring outerwear suitable for windy, and if needed, rainy weather. Hiking boots will be adequate.

Helicopter Ride (PLEASE NOTE):
For those who are unfamiliar with helicopter travel, you must carefully listen to and follow the instructions that will be provided prior to the departure from Pemberton Airport.

In particular, the Golden Rule is that you should only approach a helicopter at right angles, that is, never approach the aircraft by the rear or the front.

Participants have been alphabetically assigned to 1 of 5 groups (of 8 to 10) for the helicopter flights. The announcement of the groups will take place on the bus prior to the arrival at the airport.

Field trip guides will be provided to all participants.

REFUND POLICY: a cancellation fee of CDN$5.00 will be applied against any refunds for Field Trip #1 on or before June 21, 2004. There will be NO refunds issued for cancellations of Field Trip #1 after June 21, 2004.