

**Newport Forest**

August 18 2001

1:20 - 5:30 pm

**Weather:** LM 31C, FCF 21C, cloudy, no breeze

**Purpose:** maintenance - trails

**Participants:** Kee, Nic and Caleb

We pushed the trail further into Eva's Woods, getting very close to the Fleming Creek loop. After the break, during which we heard a tom Turkey wandering through the bluffs below us, we returned to Eva's woods, tracing a prospective trail up the side of Tower Hill, then down the long slope into Harvey's Woods.

Note: both Harvey's and Eva's woods are part of the OCF (Old Creek Forest).

We then picked up at the end of the long trail and pushed it toward the slope, getting with 40 metres. The day's total was 120 metres of trail.

**Newport Forest**

August 21 2001

1:40 - 5:45 pm

**Weather:** LM 33C, FCF 24C, sun/cloud, gusting breeze from SW, 10mm rn.

**Purpose:** maintenance - trails

**Participants:** Kee, Nic, Caleb

We added another 100 metres to the short side of the trail (Eva's Woods), mounting the slope to nearly the top via a series of two switchbacks. In a replay of Tuesday, we then refined our previous proposed route, went to the other side of the hill and added another 50 metres, pushing the trail well up into the slope. We now have about 100 metres to go and we'll be done!

Harvey's Woods have a lot of fungi growing in them at present. We must go there to collect soon.