

**Newport Forest**

July 12 2003

2:00 - 6:30 pm

**Weather:** prec. 0 mm; cloudy/sunny; NW < 20 km/h; LM 21; FCf 19

**Purpose:** maintenance (trails)

**Participants:** Kee, Nic, Ken, Olivia, Chloe (Elijah?), Jason, Adam Lalonde

This was our annual trail-grooming event. This time, i took advantage of the new high school “community service” requirement, wherein each of our volunteers racked up 7.5 hours of community service by helping with the trail work.

We finished the Fleming Creek Trail and so now all the trails on the property are back in good shape and easy to walk. In some places they look almost professional.

After the trail grooming, we took the kids down to the river, where they could poke around looking for interesting rocks, clams, etc.

I made a brief inspection of the cores. All the saplings continue to grow and seem to have all the moisture they need.