

MAMOOK PAPAH



| Welcome to the winter 2026 Edition |



2026-2028

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Recent Highlights

National TGM was held on October 18, 2025. While it was a rainy blustery day in Richmond BC the atmosphere inside was warm and welcoming. There were 24 people in attendance representing all registered provinces including the BC Provincial Guild who held their AGM in the morning.



Baden Powell**(Scout-Guide Week)****February 22, 2026**

Please forward any events or socials activities to be included in the next newsletter

Comments/ Suggestions:

If you have suggestion or if there is anything you would like to contribute to either the newsletter or website please let us know by sending an email to:

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Mamook Papah is a newsletter for all members of the Canadian Fellowship of Baden-Powell Guilds. It is a platform for members to communicate and share your ideas, activities. Please help us keep this newsletter alive by sharing your stories, photos, recipes and scout craft. Your help and support is greatly appreciated.

What do you call a bear with no teeth?

“A gummy Bear”

2026-2028 Executive Officers:



National Guildmaster Report:

Fellow Guild members

It is an honour to represent you as your National Guildmaster and I am pleased that we have representatives from coast to coast on the executive. I would like to thank Darren McCrabb for stepping up to be our new webmaster as well as editor on Mamook Papah. He has already made updates on the website and this is his first issue of our newsletter. With the drastic changes in Scouts Canada, it is even more important now for us to support Scouting and help both individual groups and the organization itself in creating an exciting experience for our youth. I hope that everyone will continue to support the fellowship and keep sending us pictures and reports of your activities. I also urge you to continue to support the Stamp Bank.

J. Alex Hadden

Our next area of focus:

Is to try and grow members over the next triennium through a number of initiatives. Stay tuned for more information on these exciting developments.

I tried to get insurance for my campsite, but the company refused.

They told me, “If your tent gets destroyed, you won’t be covered.”

Scouts Canada:

As some of you may have heard Scouts Canada is working on a new Strategic plan set to be released shortly.

Additionally, there is a new National Commissioner – Kaelem Moniz - [Scouts Canada's Executive Leadership Team](#)

Here is an intro on the launching of the new Strategic plan sent by Kaelem;

We've really enjoyed travelling the country virtually over the past little while and meeting Scouts, Scouters and friends of Scouting from across our Councils. I'm looking forward to visiting the Councils I haven't already over the next couple weeks, and I hope you can join me.

I wanted to spotlight the next National Key Three Town hall as well, where I will be joined by my friends and colleagues [Cadence James](#) and [Liam Burns](#). We will be officially launching Scouts Canada's next strategy: ***Bringing Communities Together.***

So many of you shared your time, ideas, and experiences to help shape this strategy, and we can't wait to show you where it landed. We'll also share updates on the new registration year and an update on our plans to replace MyScouts with a new Scouting Experience Platform.

[Old Strategy link](#)

On the other news Scouters & Parents have been heard, and Registration is moving back to match the school year.

BC Provincial Report:

I hope everyone is well and had a good, safe 2025 and Holiday Season. Now that we are in 2026, I want to “Thank” all the Guilds who get together to continue the fellowship that brought us all together in the first place as we continue to help various Scouting and Guiding Groups in our areas.

Most Guilds are having the same problem and that is to bring in new, younger members. I hope that we will be able to increase our membership in 2026.



Many Guilds continue their great work in a number of areas, besides helping out with the local Scout and Girl Guide Groups. The 30th and 2nd BP Guilds in Victoria have joined together and are doing a great job in looking after the Victoria Scout Museum and helping with the maintenance of Camp Bernard near Sooke on Vancouver Island.

The 120th BP Guild also continues to do good work by assisting with the maintenance of Camp McClean in Langley B.C., as does the 107th BP Guild for Camp Tweedsmuir near Trail B.C. All B.C. Guilds continue to socialize and enjoy getting together for various activities.

Yours in Fellowship,
Greg Perry



Gone Home: Irene Roy

The 1st Guild is sad to report on the passing of Irene Roy on Dec. 6, 2025 in Richmond. Irene was secretary for the Guild for a number of years and an active member. She was also a longtime Scouter in Richmond working at many levels including District President and worked hard to ensure the youth of Richmond had the best possible program. Irene also worked hard to promote the popcorn sales in Pacific Coast Council and was always ready to help in any task.

12th Baden Powell Guild - Halifax, Nova Scotia

The 12th BP Guild continues to meet bi-monthly at a Halifax restaurant. Long Service Awards were presented to Ray Doucette-[25], Angus MacPherson-[30], Ian MacCalder-[20], as pictured together and Marilyn Bandal-[35] in photo w/Guildmaster Dave Cameron @ Christmas party.



Ray, Angus, Ian



Marilyn, Dave

The 12th enjoyed their annual Christmas gathering hosted by Roy & Nancy in March.

25 members and spouses enjoyed a wonderful potluck and a White Elephant gift exchange along with other games and prizes.

The Provincial Scout Office was sold, so rehousing our Archives is successfully underway, with those in the Group, pitching in..... in the Scouting way.



Santa's Helpers



Canadian Fellowship of Baden-Powell Guilds: Financial Report

Statement of Revenues and Expenditures

Year Ended August 31, 2025

	2025	2024
Revenues		
Membership	\$ 7,165	\$ 7,490
Certificates and pins	642	457
Scholarship fund	25	457
Interest income	6,877	5,888
	14,709	14,292
Expenses		
Advertising and promotion	631	961
Bank charges	-	15
Business taxes and licenses	40	40
Certificates and pins	-	1,444
Meetings and conventions	400	-
Newsletter	533	485
Office	138	142
Professional fees	1,000	-
Scholarship	3,000	3,000
	5,742	6,087
Excess of revenues over expenses	\$ 8,967	\$ 8,205

Statement of Changes in Net Assets

Year Ended August 31, 2025

	2025	2024
Net assets - beginning of year	\$ 132,332	\$ 124,127
Excess of revenues over expenses	8,967	8,205
Net assets - end of year	\$ 141,299	\$ 132,332