

Report on the special event held to honour Gerard Laman's 80th birthday

17 current and former members met at an Italian restaurant to celebrate Gerard Laman's 80th birthday on August 20. Though his hike had been canceled due to the wafting smoke that shrouded the landscape that day, it was nevertheless a joyful and memorable time together at the dinner. The BOC presented a card and a gift of trail snacks to him, thanking him for his lengthy service as a Board Director, trip leader and driver over the years. We wished for many more years of hiking and laughing with him and served a delicious, creamy cake.