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A tribute to a fallen member

Tony Forster

As most of you already know, a long-time RMRA member, Tony Forster, passed away unexpectedly on May 10th, 2009 while on a day's outing with the Elbow Valley Cycle Club. They were training for an upcoming Jasper – Banff road trip.

Tony has been a Rambler since the early '70s. Over the ensuing years, he became a very active member, leading others on trips and sharing his passion for outdoor activities. He also served on the club's executive for a number of years, including a stint as president.

He loved everything to do in the outdoors - hiking, skiing, ice climbing, canoeing, cycling and camping.

What many club members may not know about Tony was his other passion for volunteering and for giving back to society through his church and charitable organizations. His zest for life, his empathy, and his dry, English humour will be greatly missed.

Tony, this time you took an unintended 'short cut' in life....

Our condolences to his wife Barbara, his daughter Cheri and his extended family.



Peter Fischer & Tony Forster (r) >>