

Agenda

Speakers Series and AGM

May 11, 2022 6:30 pm-8:30 pm PT

Virtual



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

6:30-7:20 pm “Conservation Stories: Regional Responses to Wildfire and Invasive Species in the Face of Climate Change”

Angie Kane, CEO of Secwepemcúl'ecw Restoration and Stewardship Society, will be presenting “Healing the land and bringing our people together”: wildfire recovery and restoration in Secwepemcúl'ecw”. Angie will be speaking on the formation of their society and the projects they have undertaken to help their ecosystems recover from the Elephant Hill wildfire.

Adrian Leslie, West Kootenay Manager with the Nature Conservancy of Canada, will be presenting “Planning for problems - Proactive Management of Invasive species”. Incorporating invasive species management in ecosystem restoration and post fire recovery plans is critical to successful project outcomes, particularly as the climate changes. This talk will provide a few examples of proactive invasive species management that the Nature Conservancy of Canada includes as part of their climate change mitigation, restoration and wildfire recovery efforts in the West Kootenay.

7:20 – 7:30 pm CKISS Highlights from the past year

7:30-8:30 pm CKISS Annual General Meeting and Volunteer Awards