

FOOTPRINTS ON THE SPINE

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Vancouver Island Spine Trail Association (VISTA)

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The Vancouver Island Spine Trail Association

**Invites you to a short and informative meeting on Saturday, 16 April
at the new Holiday Inn Express on Cliff Road in Courtenay**

Meeting time: 1PM - 3PM

(Coffee, tea and goodies will be served)

Agenda:

- **Welcome**
- **Introductions**
- **Brief VISTA update**
- **Brief review of successful 2010 relay series**
- **Introduction to the 2011 series**
- **Present new VISTA web site**
- **General discussion with attendees**



Please RSVP attendance (Y or N) to: henley@islandnet.com

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Andrew



Scott



**ASSOCIATION of VANCOUVER ISLAND
COASTAL COMMUNITIES**

Andrew Pape-Salmon, VISTA Board Member and Scott Henley, Executive Director, will be presenting at the annual conference of AVICC (Association of Vancouver Island Coastal Communities) on Sunday morning, April 10 in Sidney. Their powerpoint presentation will include an introduction to the Spine concept, a review of the successful 2010 Relay, and announcement of the 2011 Series. The importance of local government support will be stressed. *"If you are aware of your local mayor or council attending - please remind them to take in this event!!"*

In mid - March, President Gil and Executive Director Scott visited with the active group of hikers in the Alberni Valley. Below, right was a morning coffee get-together, following which, Gil and Scott had a productive meeting with the Regional District, (below left). Following lunch, Gil re-joined the local folks for a hike in the Copper Mountain area.



**Please forward ideas or comments to:
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