

Mission and Guiding Principles of the Society

Mission statement:

To provide outdoor learning experiences that stimulate, encourage and challenge each participant to discover their potential and expand their abilities to adapt and succeed in a changing world.

Guiding Principles

1. We honour the people of this land – past, present and future. Our planning and programs will take us back to nature, where indigenous principles of living, sustainability of a healthy environment and understanding and respect for the outdoors are at the core of learning.
2. We address physical, social and emotional components of learning and inspire participants to be confident and successful.
3. We design our programs around relationship building and connections. Core design principles are collaboration, awareness, rediscovery and leadership in order to support the best in the human endeavour.
4. We offer programs that are fully experiential, with a focus on enjoyment through project-based, place-based and exploratory learning.
5. We design programs in response to changing needs and circumstance, whether for personal challenge, enjoyment, team building or certification.
6. We cooperate and collaborate within our organization in order to focus on care for others and for group success in all of our work.
7. We are stewards of Tribune Bay and the Outdoor Education Centre and demonstrate and lead an understanding of healthy ecosystems in land-use practices.