

**GCPS Progress Report**  
**April/May, 2026**  
**By Diane Sterne**

- I renewed our annual filing at Societies Online to keep our Society status. The cost was \$40 as in previous years.

- At our AGM Bert Rice informed us that one of the sign posts at the Granite Creek Town Site was broken. Bert agreed to fix this at a maximum cost of \$200. Bert got right on this job and has already replaced the post. It was at the Coomes Cabin. Here is a picture of the fix. Thank you so much Bert for doing this for us.



- Bert has agreed to build a picnic table for the Delprato Cabin. Grant money had been put aside for this at a cost of \$800 for building, staining and positioning the table at the site. He has already cut logs needed and they are drying in preparation for the assembly. Thank you again, Bert!!



- Director Julie Stillie has agreed to try to sell some of the GCPS hats at her shop located at the Granite Creek Town Site. Thank you Julie!
- Dawn Tyacke and her group, Nervous-Rex Softroading stopped by to pick up the key to the Delprato Cabin. No one had been in there this year, so they toured in and checked things out. Dawn said the road into the Cabin was good and inside the Cabin there were 5 mice in the bucket trap. She kindly disposed of them and refilled the trap with water. Bob and I will have to do some investigating to see if we can figure out how they are getting inside again. It is a constant battle but at least the bucket trap is doing its job for us. Thank you Dawn for helping us out and for the generous donation that was given to the GCPS from your group!!!
- I wrote a piece about Foxcrowle Percival Cook of Granite Creek. The Museum has put it on their Blog and Webmaster Ray Boyd has already put it on our website. You can view it here on the GCPS website: <https://www.granitecreekbc.ca/archive/Foxcrowle-Percival-Cook.pdf> I highly recommend the Princeton Museum's website as it is full of

interesting information. You can find the main page of their website here:  
<https://princetonbcmuseum.com/> Thank you Ray for adding this to our website.

- Financial Report: paid members 26; current bank balance \$4,462.39 (this includes \$100 for the Cemetery Care Fund that we are required to have); PayPal \$387.20; cash on hand \$33.00; accounts payable to Bert Rice when he builds and installs the Delprato Cabin picnic table \$800; money paid to Diane Sterne for stain and brushes for Bert to use on the picnic table \$91.19. Balance is \$4,185.21. We also still need to pay Bert Rice for fixing the broken sign post at the town site.

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