



Parks, Peace & Partnerships

9-12 September 2007



SUNDAY, September 9, 2007

5:00 - 9:00 pm	Registration Desk Open (Bayshore Inn - Convention Centre)
7:00 pm - 10:00 pm	Opening Reception and Social (Bayshore Inn - Waterton/Glacier Room) <i>Sponsored by the Yellowstone to Yukon Conservation Initiative</i>
7:00 - 7:10	Welcome - Mike Quinn (Conference Chair)
7:10 - 7:25	Opening Remarks - Host Parks Superintendents - Mick Holm, Rod Blair
7:25 - 7:35	Welcome - Universities of Montana, Calgary & Lethbridge
7:35 - 7:50	Welcome - Yellowstone to Yukon Conservation Initiative - Harvey Locke
7:50 - 8:20	Keynote Address - "Together - Building Peace in our World" - Monte Audenart (Rotary International Director)
8:20 - 10:00	Informal Social

MONDAY, September 10, 2007

7:00 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast (Bayshore Inn - Dining Room)
8:00 am - 4:00 pm	Registration Desk Open (Bayshore Inn - Convention Centre)
8:30 am - 9:45 am	Opening Plenary (Bayshore Inn - Waterton/Glacier Room)
8:30 - 8:45	Welcome - Honorary Co-Chairs - Alan Latourelle , CEO Parks Canada & Mike Snyder , Regional Director USNPS
8:45 - 9:45	Head dress transfer ceremony - Blackfoot Confederacy (Chief Reg Crowshoe, Piikani; Chief Adrian Stimpson, Siksika; Chief Earl Oldperson, Blackfeet; Elder Leonard Bastien) to Park Superintendents (Mick Holm & Rod Blair) & welcome from Chief Charles Weasel Head (Kainai - Blood Tribe; Grand Chief Treaty 7)
9:45 am - 10:15 am	Morning Break (Bayshore Inn)
10:15 am - 12:00 pm	Opening Plenary Continued
10:15-10:45	Waterton-Glacier International Peace Park: Cooperation in a Shared Landscape - Bill Dolan & Brace Hayden
10:45-11:05	"Glacier Is..." An Overview of Glacier National Park - Video Presentation - Bill Hayden
11:05 - 11:45	International Peace Parks and Transboundary Protected Areas - a Global Perspective - Nik Lopoukhine , Chair, IUCN World Commission on Protected Areas
11:45-12:00	Program overview, changes, housekeeping - Mike Quinn

12:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch (Bayshore Inn - Dining Room)
1:30 pm - 3:00 pm	<p>1A - An Introduction to Peace Parks: Conservation and Conflict Resolution Location - Waterton Lakes Lodge: Prairie Room Moderator - Charles Chester</p> <p>Ali - Peace parks: A natural connection between ecology and peace? Biringer & Cariappa - The Siachen Peace Park Proposal: Reconfiguring the Kashmir conflict? Blundell & Christie - Liberia: Securing the peace through parks Chester - Shared conservation stewardship across the U.S.-Mexican border: Protecting resources to ease political tension Sifford - Border crossings: Transforming images to capture the power of cross border conservation</p> <p>1B. Education across boundaries Location - Waterton Lakes Lodge: Pioneer Room Moderator - Len Broberg</p> <p>Blood & Blair - Educators collaborating across boundaries Broberg & Quinn - Tranboundary environmental education: a graduate program case study Sowry - Successes and challenges that face a peace parks training and education facility Brown, Gerloff, Tonnessen, Whitacre - Rocky Mountains Cooperative Ecosystems Unit</p> <p>1C. Transboundary wildlife management I Location - Bayshore Inn: Waterton Room Moderator - Keith Gibson</p> <p>Casimir & Dratch - Recovering trans-boundary populations of rare or endangered species in national parks Willcox, Casey, Upson - Transboundary grizzly bear conservation: Challenges and opportunities for multi-scale partnerships Kendall, Stetz, Roon, Waits, Boulanger - DNA-based density estimate for grizzly bears in Glacier National Park, Montana Oseni - Ensuring peaceful coexistence between man and animals in protected areas in Nigeria</p> <p>1D. Establishment and implementation of peace parks Location - Bayshore Inn: Glacier Room Moderator - Dianne Draper</p> <p>van Riet & Myburgh - Procedures and processes in the establishment and development of transfrontier conservation areas in southern Africa Schneekloth, Mitchell, Robson, Shibley - The Niagara cross border peace park: A proposal Young & Radis - The role of resource sharing initiatives in peace building Pineda - Ichigkat Muja - A park for peace and conservation in the Cordillera del Condór Mountain Range (video)</p> <p>1E. Indigenous peoples and transboundary conservation Location - Bayshore Inn - Saloon Moderator - Shelley Saxen</p> <p>Fox - Establishing a baseline of cultural and renewable resources on Blood Indian Reserve #148A (Blood Timber Limit) through co-operative transboundary research and information sharing First Rider - Role of Indigenous Peoples in Transboundary Conservation</p>
3:00 pm - 3:30 pm	Afternoon Break (Bayshore Inn and Waterton Lakes Lodge)

3:30 pm - 5:00 pm	<p>2A. International Peace Parks - conservation and conflict II Location - Waterton Lakes Lodge: Prairie Room Moderator - Saleem Ali</p> <p>Roka - Protected areas during the Maoist rebellion and their future in Nepal Mansoori - Developing a transboundary protected area in a conflict prone region Grichting - From military buffers to transboundary peace parks: the case of Korea and Cyprus Healy - Korean demilitarized zone (DMZ) Peace and Nature Park</p> <p>2B. Transborder corridors and connectivity I (Y2Y) Location - Waterton Lakes Lodge: Pioneer Room Moderator - Angeles Mendoza</p> <p>Quinn - Wildsight: Partnerships in action: The Cabinet Purcell Mountain Corridor Tabor - Carnivores, ungulates, & corridors "Oh My!" - Conservation science as the touchstone of Y2Y Chester - The Yellowstone to Yukon Conservation Initiative: A brief history of a big idea in landscape conservation Miller - Why would a Seattle-based foundation invest more than \$20 million over a period of ten years in an effort called Yellowstone to Yukon?</p> <p>2C. Transboundary wildlife management II Location - Bayshore Inn: Waterton Room Moderator - Michael Quinn</p> <p>Creasey, et al. - Critters without borders: Collaboration in transboundary wildlife research Grant & Quinn - Factors influencing transboundary wildlife management in the Crown of the Continent Keating - Why boundaries matter: bighorn sheep in Waterton-Glacier IPP Gniadek & Watt - Wildlife management in Waterton-Glacier International Peace Park</p> <p>2D. Transboundary and Peace Park Management Location - Bayshore Inn: Saloon Moderator - Kathy Rettie</p> <p>Stein - Intercultural experiences and transboundary success stories in an inhabited, large-scale protected area across the German-French border Miner & Heaney - Enhancing park management: Operational, financial, and organization best practices Schuerholz & Baldus - Community based wildlife management in support of transfrontier conservation: the Selous-Niassa and Kawano Upper Zambezi (Kaza) challenges</p>
5:15 pm - 7:00 pm	<p style="text-align: center;">Poster Session, Reception, Book Launch (Bayshore Inn - Saloon)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Barry Batchelor - Rabbit & Rodent Eradication Plan: restoring habitat on a unique sub-Antarctic island ▪ Hall Healy - Korean Demilitarized Zone (DMZ) Peace and Nature Park ▪ Daniel B. Fagre & Tony Prato - Sustaining Rocky Mountain Landscapes: A Focus on the Waterton-Glacier International Peace Park ▪ Jason Lambacher - Kuril Islands International Peace Park ▪ Nigel Young & Abigail Radis - Balkans Peace Park Project Exhibition ▪ Samuel Sangüeza-Pardo - Fondo Ambiental Nacional (Ecuador) ▪ Crown Managers Partnership - Cooperation in the Crown of the Continent Ecosystem ▪ Saleem H Ali - BOOK LAUNCH: Peace Parks: Conservation and Conflict Resolution ▪ Bill Hayden - "Glacier Is..." An Overview of Glacier National Park - Video Presentation
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm	<p style="text-align: center;">Dinner (Bayshore Inn - Waterton/Glacier Room)</p>

TUESDAY, September 11, 2007

ALL DAY FIELD TRIP (½ day on a boat and ½ day bus tour) - see registration package for detailed schedule.

BUS TOUR

<p>Cameron Lake</p>	<p>Working beyond the boundaries of the Peace Park</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ The Crown of the Continent Ecosystem ▪ The Crown Managers Partnership <p>Ian Dyson - Head, Environmental Management, Alberta Environment Southern Region, Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada Rich Moy - Chief of the Water Management Bureau, Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation, Montana, USA Wayne Stetski - Regional Manager, Environmental Stewardship Division, British Columbia Ministry of Environment, Cranbrook, British Columbia, Canada</p>
<p>Belly River Lookout</p>	<p>The role of indigenous peoples in transboundary protected areas and international peace parks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Traditional/ historic background of the Blackfoot Confederacy ▪ Traditional and sacred sites in Traditional Blackfoot territory ▪ Cultural utilization and respect of earth resources ▪ Current resource management of Blood Timber Limit <p>Elliot Fox - Kainai (Blood Tribe) Director of Land Management, Blood Tribe and Management Department, Stand Off, Alberta, Canada Andy Black Water - Kainai (Blood Tribe) Elder, Blood Tribe and Management Department, Stand Off, Alberta, Canada John Murray - Aamskapi Pikuni (Blackfeet Nation), Browning, Montana, USA</p>
<p>West Valley Ranch</p>	<p>Connecting local communities in transboundary protected areas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ History of the ranching community and the Peace Park ▪ Biosphere Reserve designation ▪ Private Land Conservation <p>Rich West - Waterton Front Rancher, Past Co-chair of Waterton Biosphere Reserve Association & Board Member of Nature Conservancy of Alberta Larry Frith - Waterton Front Rancher, Chair of the Waterton Biosphere Reserve Association Kim Pearson - Conservation Coordinator, Waterton - Alberta Region, Nature Conservancy of Canada Larry Simpson - Regional Director, Alberta Region, Nature Conservancy of Canada</p>
<p>Cardston</p>	<p>Local people and Peace Parks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Rotary International welcome. ▪ Dinner - Hosted by the Cardston Rotary Club for the Peace Park Association (Montana & Alberta) <p>Gerald Beazer - President, Waterton-Glacier International Peace Park Association (Montana & Alberta) Don Gatzke - Past District Governor & President, Rotary District 5390, Montana, USA</p>
	<p>Waterton/ Glacier International Peace Park Bus Interpreters</p> <p>Janice Smith - Communication Officer, Waterton Lakes National Park, Canada Dee Jessome - Communication Officer, Waterton Lakes National Park, Canada Lucy Walter - Lead Park Interpreter, Hudson Bay District, Glacier National Park, USA Ellen Blickhan - Lead Park Interpreter, Hudson Bay District, Glacier National Park, USA</p>

BOAT TRIP

Goat Haunt & Boundary Bay	<p>Connecting people to place.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ History of Peace Park ▪ Evolution of Peace Park concept ▪ International boundary access and security ▪ History of partnerships and cooperation <p>Mona Iannelli - Goat Haunt Area Ranger, Glacier National Park, USA Brent Kozachenko - Resource Conservation Specialist, Public Safety Program, Waterton Lakes Field Unit, Canada Locke Marshall - Manager, Communications and Visitor Services, Waterton Lakes National Park, Canada Mark Wagner - Hudson Bay District Interpreter, Glacier National Park, USA</p>
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WEDNESDAY, September 12, 2007

7:00 am - 8:30 am	<p style="text-align: center;">Breakfast (Bayshore Inn - Dining Room)</p>
8:00 am - 4:00 pm	<p style="text-align: center;">Registration Desk Open (Bayshore Inn - Convention Centre)</p>
8:30 am - 10:00 am	<p>3A. Making Transboundary Cooperation Work on the Ground: Experiences from the Field I Location - Waterton Lakes Lodge: Prairie Room Moderator - Larry Hamilton</p> <p>Jacobs & Anderson - Enhancing connectivity through cooperative management-lessons from 21 years in the Australian Alps Ehringhaus - Transboundary protection of Mont-Blanc -20 years of tri-national negotiation around the roof of the European Alps Rossi & Boisseaux [presented by: Hamilton] - Maritime/Mercantour, parks without frontiers: a vision made real</p>
	<p>3B. International Peace Parks - conservation and conflict III Location - Waterton Lakes Lodge: Pioneer Room Moderator - Hall Healy</p> <p>Lambacher - Kuril Islands International Peace Park Hatley - Reversing Ravensford: Transboundary disputes and conflict resolution within the Southern Appalachians, USA</p>
	<p>3C. Marine and aquatic transboundary conservation Location - Bayshore Inn: Waterton Room Moderator - Erin Sexton</p> <p>Jessen & Baker - The Big Eddy: A Canada/US grassroots marine transboundary cooperation initiative on the Pacific coast Walters - Bolivia & Peru - The joint transboundary water management of Lake Titicaca Hauer & Sexton - Headwater streams and rivers of Waterton-Glacier: Ecological linkages in the Crown of the Continent</p>
	<p>3D. Southern Africa and the Greater Limpopo Transfrontier Park Location - Bayshore Inn: Glacier Room Moderator - Wayne Freimund</p> <p>Venter - Co-management in the Peace Parks context: Kruger National Park in partnership with national and international neighbors and stakeholders. Pienaar, Theron & Soto - Drafting a joint research policy for the Great Limpopo Trans-frontier Park Theron - Lessons learned in the implementation of Transfrontier Conservation Areas (TCFAs) Programme in southern Africa Mabunda - The Transfrontier Conservation Area Programme in South Africa - An Overview</p>
10:00 am - 10:30 am	<p style="text-align: center;">Morning Break (Bayshore Inn and Waterton Lakes Lodge)</p>

10:30 am - 12:00 pm	<p>4A. Making Transboundary Cooperation Work on the Ground: Experiences from the Field II Location - Waterton Lakes Lodge: Prairie Room Moderator - Larry Hamilton</p> <p>Brunner - From diverse visions to consistent management: the national parks in the Thayatal (Austria and Czech Republic) Stein - Joint opportunities and present/future difficulties in the German-French Biosphere Reserve, Pfalzerwald-Vosges du Nord Mihalic - Glacier-Waterton: Retrospection on cooperation issues past and present</p>
	<p>4B. Engaging with transborder stakeholders Location - Waterton Lakes Lodge: Pioneer Room Moderator - Delia Berrouard</p> <p>Sharma - Khaptad National Park, Nepal: partnerships with local communities Green - We are our own neighbours Harmon & McKinney - Collaborative approaches to transboundary management in the Crown of the Continent Pearson - The Waterton Park Front Project: Furthering conservation through partnerships</p>
	<p>4C. Transborder corridors and connectivity II Location - Bayshore Inn: Waterton Room Moderator - Tony Prato</p> <p>Francis - Maintaining connectivity through mountain transboundary protected areas Sarkar - Feasibility of a corridor between Singhalilla National Park and Senchal Wildlife Sanctuary Picard - Selous Niassa Wildlife Corridor Locke - Waterton-Glacier International Peace Parks- a proposal for expansion</p>
	<p>4D. Transboundary governance, policy and law Location - Bayshore Inn: Glacier Room Moderator - William Flynn</p> <p>Nie - The Under-Appreciated role of regulatory enforcement in conserving the Crown of the Continent Ecosystem Schoon - Institutional Disturbances in Transfrontier Conservation: Governance in Southern African peace parks Tanner - Formal and informal governance of transboundary protected areas - lessons from North America and Southern Africa</p>
	<p>4E. Transboundary vegetation management Location - Bayshore Inn: Saloon Moderator - Cyndi Smith</p> <p>Menicke, Carolin, Smith - Production of a seamless vegetation map for the W-G IPP Carolin, Lapp, Smith - Whitebark and limber pine restoration and monitoring in W-G IPP Lapp, Smith, Naeth - International cooperation in the art and science of ecological restoration Hejl, Belt & LaFleur - Working together to create a Crown of the Continent invasive plants field guide</p>
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm	<p>Lunch (Bayshore Inn - Dining Room)</p>

1:30 pm - 3:00 pm	<p>5A. Transboundary Protection Case Studies I Location - Waterton Lakes Lodge: Prairie Room Moderator - Tracy Lee</p> <p>Trisurat - Transboundary biodiversity conservation of the Pha Taem Protected Forest Complex: a bioregional approach Mugisha, Kayitare, Rutagarama & Mapesa - Conserving mountain gorillas in Virunga Massif Chai & Tisen - Enhancing the conservation of wide-ranging and threatened wildlife - the Malaysian and Indonesian experience Harkonen - Emergence of a transboundary network of nature protection areas on the Finnish-Russian border</p> <p>5B. Transboundary tourism and conservation Location - Waterton Lakes Lodge: Pioneer Room Moderator - Gillian Anderson</p> <p>Russell-Towe - Trail of the Great Bear Thompson - Geotourism and the Crown of the Continent Weiler, Laing & Moore - Developing effective partnerships for facilitating sustainable tourism associated with protected areas Flynn & Hevenor - A Border Runs Through It: 75 Years of Integration at the International Peace Garden</p> <p>5C. Transboundary Protection Case Studies II Location - Bayshore Inn: Glacier Room Moderator - Will Harmon</p> <p>Dolan & Frith - History of the Waterton Biosphere Association & transboundary cooperation in the Waterton BR van Riet & Beech - GIS and 3D modelling as a tool in the facilitation of peace parks McMillan - Carabiners to cricket bats: the importance of sports in catalyzing cooperation and conflict resolution Friemund & Fincham - Trans national protected area research and education: A South Africa and U.S. experience</p> <p>5D. Transboundary Protection Case Studies III Location - Bayshore Inn: Waterton Room Moderator - Graeme Worboys</p> <p>Zunckel - The Maloti Drakensberg Transfrontier Conservation and Development Programme Mendoza Sammett & Quinn - Factors influencing conservation and management in two border Mexican parks Schuerholz & Sangüeza-Pardo - Removing colonial barriers for the benefit of the Indigenous Achuar People of Peru and Ecuador through conservation efforts Alexander - Peace Arch International Park (1921-2007)</p>
3:00 pm - 3:30 pm	Afternoon Break (Bayshore Inn)
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	<p style="text-align: center;">Closing Plenary (Bayshore Inn - Waterton/Glacier Room)</p> <p>3:30 - 4:00 Contemporary issues and Challenges in Transboundary Conservation: Conference Reflections - Trevor Sandwith</p> <p>4:00-4:30 Conference Slide Show and Closing Remarks - Mike Quinn</p>