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Subject: Weekly report, Aug 14

Examined John Harvey's lode claims on McKee Creek, new bedrock exposures as a result of placer mining by Lum Zogas. IMpressive listwanite/shear zone with lots of mariposite, talc and quartz veins but no gold.

Accompanied Daryl Hansen on inspection trip to Racine(Teepee peak) and Bennett (Pavey) but no time to look at Brett/Boliden/Westmin core! Properties are inactive.

Interesting and enjoyable flycamp prospecting trip to Grizzly claims with Jack and Andy Williams (of TRT, Wolf clan) on Aug 9-11. Claims are on unnamed tributaries near head of Nakonake River, near Tulsequah road route. Weather was rainy, slopes are steep and bush was ugly but we made some progress in how to assess mineral potential (field techniques, type of analytical work to request etc). They plan another trip into the area. Strong interest in geology/prospecting course in Atlin, suggested timing April, '99. More discussions to follow.

Arsenault

Met PAP recipient Steve Traynor in Whitehorse ato discuss Swan Lake area work. He has staked the Arsenault prospect publicized for its VMS potential by Mitch and JoAnne(40 units). Traynor was about to begin property work, looking to tie in with Jo-Ane Nelson in the field. Wants to discuss details of some of your work Mitch, prior to Sept program west of Arsenault (you know where). Looks to be doing excellent work! Suggested companies/individuals to contact for option or futher support.

Red Cap

Red Cap exploration project of Xplorer Gold was visited on Aug 12-13 with Eric Bergvinson (son of propetry owner Ernie Bergvison, renowned/infamous promoter of Omni Resources in years past). Geological expertise is supplied by Taiga (Bob Nichol) and Denver-based consultatnt Jon Thorson. Xplorer is a private company, the owners have a pipeline to overpaid(?) pro hockey players. About \$400,000 has been spent, another \$300,000 may be spent, deplending on Thorson's recommendatations on further drilling. Eleven holes have been drilled, 5131 ft. The focus of their effort is on newly(?) recognized cobalt potential within the telescoped Red Cap Cu-Mo porphyry system. Stuhini andesite breccia and tuff is hornfelsed (with silification and calc-silicate alteration) at least 500 meetres out from a a granodiorite stock. This brittle rock (resembles/was mistaken for rhyolite) contains disseminated pyrrhotite, pods of massive chalcopyrite-cobaltite?-sphalerite, veins arsenopyrite, galena