

# park pioneer

## Lloyd Brooks b. 1920

Lloyd joined the newly-formed BC Parks Branch in 1949, and led a team in drawing plans for new parks across the province. He then moved to Ottawa to serve as Chief Planner for Parks Canada, where his team set the boundaries for B.C.'s Pacific Rim, Nahanni in the Northwest Territories, Gros Morne in Newfoundland and other National Parks. Lloyd's diverse skills and planning experience prepared him for eight years as Deputy Minister of Conservation and Recreation for British Columbia, outlasting four different ministers and contributing to the expansions of the provincial park system in the 1970s. Lloyd has also acted as consultant to the ICUN in Uganda and worked on the first public evaluation of the proposal for the Gulf Island National Park.



### Affiliations:

UBC - B.Forestry

Michigan State University - M.Forestry

BC Parks - Park Planner, Chief Planner

Parks Canada - Chief Planner

BC Department of Recreation and

Conservation - Deputy Minister,

IUCN (World Conservation Union) -

Consultant in Uganda

Public Advisory Board of the Habitat

Conservation Trust Fund - Director

### Parks:

EC Manning Park

Pacific Rim Park

Kluane National Park

Nahanni National Park Reserve

Gros Morne National Park

Gulf Island National Park Reserve

*Above:*

Lloyd Brooks - relaxing

*Background image:*

Gulf Islands National Park

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