



Frank Slide Cleanup Day (Saturday, June 5, 2021)

The Southern Alberta Bouldering Association is hosting a litter removal day in Frank Slide this spring! The event will take place from **10:00 – 1:00 on Saturday, June 5**. If you want to participate, come to the Frank Slide Interpretive Centre parking lot (just east of Frank, Alberta) between 10:00 and 11:00; we'll be there to get you geared up and on your way to making the Slide a cleaner place!

When you arrive on Saturday morning, we'll provide you with **(1) a trash bag, (2) a map with your designated 'cleanup area'** (a short section of road or track, about 200m long), and **(3) a ticket for the draw prize** (a custom SABA bouldering mat, provided by Flashed Climbing, the event sponsor!).

From there, you can immediately head out to your designated area and help us clean up the Slide! When you've finished collecting the litter from your section, you can either bring back the bag(s) of litter to the Interpretive Center Parking Lot, or you can deposit it in one of the trash bins at the highway parking lots (a good option if you want to get right to your day of bouldering!). The areas aren't too big, and picking the litter should take less than an hour.

This year, the Frank Slide Cleanup Day will be focusing on the **following areas** (see the map below):

- Along Old Frank Road (that runs through the south edge of the Slide)
- Along the gravel track/path that runs from Albatross to the Healing boulder
- Along the gravel track/path that runs north from Highway 3 into the Spiderweb Right and Spiderweb Left sectors
- In the edge of the boulderfield immediately south of the House Sector parking lot (NOT the edge of the parking lot itself, which was cleaned up during the Annual Highway Cleanup, but rather the first 20m of boulders which accumulate a lot of trash)

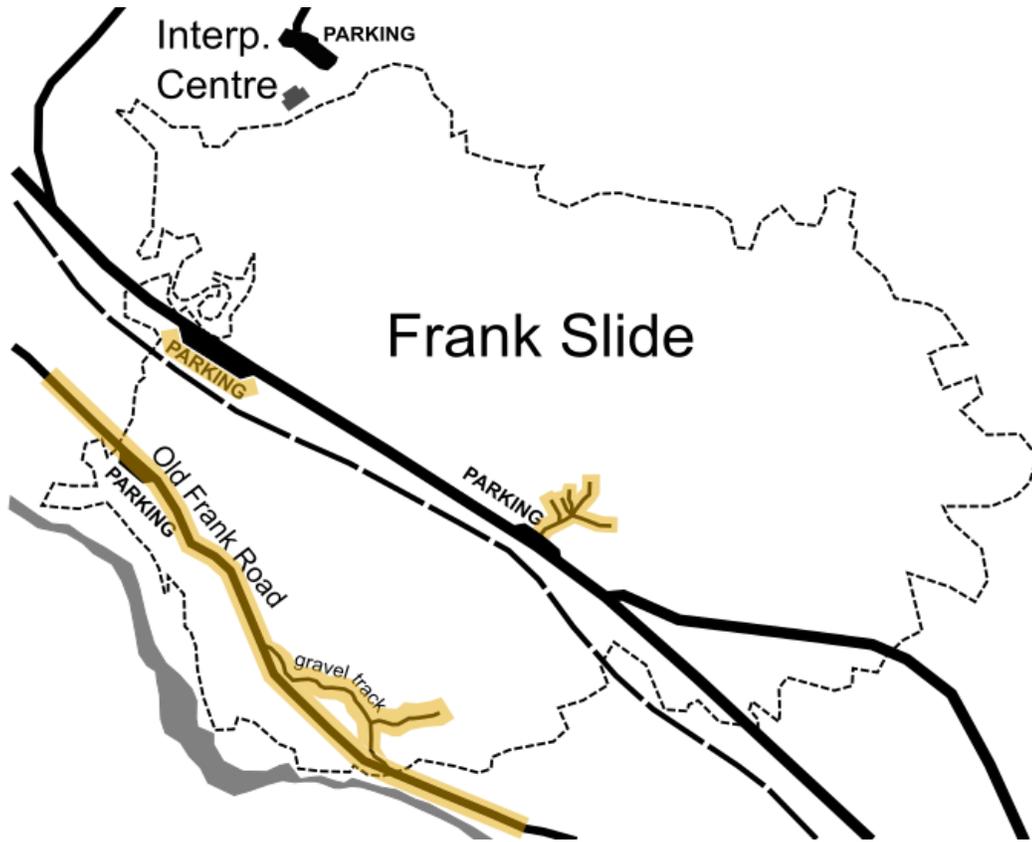
We are **NOT** cleaning up along Highway 3 (it was recently cleaned up during the Annual Highway Cleanup in April, and should be relatively litter-free).

Please bring **gloves** and **sturdy shoes** for the Cleanup Day. Let's make safety a priority!

We advise all participants to adopt appropriate **COVID guidelines** for outdoor events:

- No gatherings greater than 10 people. We encourage everyone to work with their climbing/traveling group
- Try to maintain social distancing where appropriate

We'll also be selling **SABA memberships**, so just ask us for more information if you're interested in supporting bouldering access and maintenance initiatives in Southern Alberta.



We'd like to extend a huge thanks to our partner and event sponsor, **Flashed Climbing!**



Thanks for pitching in to help keep Alberta's greatest bouldering area litter-free!