

FALL 2019

55+ Bus Trip Guide



Photo: Hell's Gate by Joy Brown

Registration begins August 14, 2019
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HAVE FUN AND MAKE NEW FRIENDS!

REGISTRATION BEGINS AUGUST 14, 2019

How to Register:

» **Online**

Using the Internet at burnaby.ca/webreg. Available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Please have your family PIN and client number and a credit card ready.

» **In Person**

Drop by the centre of your choice during registration hours. We accept cash, cheque, VISA, MasterCard, American Express or debit card.

» **By Phone**

Phone-in registration hours vary from location to location. Please have the course number (barcode) and a credit card ready.

Volunteer Bus Drivers

If you have a Class 4 (unrestricted) drivers licence and would enjoy driving a minibus full of fun-seeking 55+ adults, please contact Bonsor Recreation Complex at 604-297-4587 or Confederation Centre at 604-297-4815.

Bus trip schedules and fees subject to change | Prices do not include tax.

For Trips that Include Ferry Transportation

To qualify for a seniors' discount on BC Ferries, you must be age 65 or older and a BC resident. You may be asked to present a piece of government issued ID proving your age and residency. Trip prices include the seniors' discount. If you do not qualify, be prepared to pay the difference. The additional fee is charged upon registration.

Registration & Refund Cut-off Dates

You should register for trips at least one week prior to the trip date. The last day for refunds is one full week before the trip date unless stated otherwise.

55+ Society Bus Trips

The Bonsor 55+ Society is now offering overnight trips to interesting and exciting places. To sign up for these trips, please see the bulletin board in the 55+ lounge at Bonsor 55+ Centre. Transportation is in their 20-passenger bus.

Wheelchairs & Walkers

When planning a trip where you'll need your wheelchair or walker, please inform the clerk when registering. Every effort is made to accommodate the equipment with advance notice.

Accessibility

Walking to and from bus parking locations may be necessary. Please contact the centre if you would like more information regarding the amount of walking on a specific trip.

Arrive on Time

Ensure you leave home in enough time to park your car and get to the centre 15 minutes before the trip departure time. Many trips must leave at the time stated to ensure destination arrival time.

During all 55+ outings, please:

- » Use headphones when listening to personal devices.
- » Use cellphones once you are off the bus to make calls.
- » In consideration of those with allergies please avoid scented hair and body products.

**Transportation is by minibus
except where noted.**

B

Full-size Coach Bus

FW

Folding Walker
Accessible

WC

Folding Wheelchair
Accessible

CASINO SERIES TOUR

Cards, slot machines and more. Try your luck and have fun as we visit casinos throughout the Lower Mainland. Members MUST notify staff at the time of registration if you are bringing a folding walker (due to bus capacity, maximum two folding walkers per trip, first come first served). If you register online, please phone 604-294-1936 to notify staff of your walker. Webreg online registration opens at 12midnight.

CONFEDERATION MEMBERS ONLY

Starlight Casino (New Westminster)

Member: \$10.27 M, September 16, 9:30am-3pm 517409

River Rock Casino (Richmond)

Member: \$12.58 W, October 16, 9:30am-3pm 517410

Hard Rock Casino (Coquitlam)

Member: \$12.58 Th, November 21, 9:30am-3pm 517411

LET'S DO LUNCH

Join us for a delicious meal, great conversation and good company in the comfortable surroundings of a Lower Mainland restaurant or pub. Fee includes transportation only, unless otherwise stated. Meal, gratuity and applicable taxes not included. At certain restaurants, please expect 15-18% gratuity to be added to your restaurant bill due to group reservation. No refund one week prior to trip date, unless stated otherwise. Please notify staff at time of registration if you are bringing a walker.

Rozzini's Restaurant (New Westminster)

Member: \$10.10, Non-member: \$12.62
BONSOR Th, September 5, 11:30am-2pm 516722

Black Sheep Public House (Maple Ridge)

Member: \$16.36, Non-member: \$20.45
BONSOR W, September 11, 11am-2:30pm 516729

The Old Spaghetti Factory (Richmond)

Member: \$11.25, Non-member: \$14.06
BONSOR Tu, October 8, 11am-2:30pm 516730

Angelina's Dutch Corner (New Westminster)

Member: \$9.28, Non-member: \$11.60
BONSOR W, October 30, 11:30am-2pm 516725

Milltown Bar & Grill (Vancouver)

Member: \$10.84, Non-member: \$13.55
BONSOR Th, November 7, 11am-2:30pm

516724

Cockney Kings Fish & Chips (New Westminster)

Member: \$9.28, Non-member: \$11.60
BONSOR Th, November 28, 11:30am-2pm

516723

John B Neighbourhood Pub (Coquitlam)

Member: \$12.43, Non-member: \$15.53
BONSOR Th, December 12, 11am-2:30pm

516726

Salmon House on the Hill (West Vancouver)

Member: \$12.26, Non-member: \$15.32
CONFEDERATION Th, September 12, 11am-3pm

517419

Riverway Clubhouse (Burnaby)

Member: \$13.83, Non-member: \$17.29
CONFEDERATION Th, September 19, 11am-2:45pm

517415

The Cheshire Cheese Restaurant (North Vancouver)

Member: \$10.08, Non-member: \$12.60
CONFEDERATION W, September 25, 11am-3pm

517412

O'Hare's GastroPub (Richmond)

Member: \$15.64, Non-member: \$19.55
CONFEDERATION M, September 30, 10:15am-3pm

517417

The Old Bavaria Haus (New Westminster)

Member: \$10.63, Non-member: \$13.29
CONFEDERATION Th, October 24, 4:15-7:45pm

517414

Kelly O'Bryan's Neighbourhood Restaurant (New Westminster)

Member: \$9.17, Non-member: \$11.46
CONFEDERATION Th, November 7, 10:30am-3pm

517418

Nutcracker Lunch Buffet at Hazelmere Golf & Tennis Club (Surrey)

Member: \$57.78, Non-member: \$72.22
Buffet included in fee
CONFEDERATION F, December 6, 10am-2:30pm

517416

SEPTEMBER

Campbell's Gold Honey Farm & Meadery (Abbotsford)

How sweet it is! Treat yourself to honey and wine at Campbell's Gold Honey Farm & Meadery. Learn about beekeeping and sample honey and mead (honey wine.) Shop at the country store for a wide variety of honey, mead, and other homemade products. Afterwards, enjoy lunch (not included in the fee) at Fox & Hounds Pub and Restaurant. Honey Farm tour and tasting included in the fee. Participants should be able to climb stairs, not suitable for walkers.

Member: \$21.02, Non-member: \$26.28

EDMONDS Tu, September 10, 9am-3:30pm

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CAMERON Tu, September 10, 9:30am-3pm

514825

Hell's Gate Adventure with Joy Brown (Fraser Canyon)

Visit Krause Berry Farms & Estate Winery before enjoying lunch and dessert (included in the fee) surrounded by mountains and the river at Rowena's Inn on the River. Drive along the scenic Fraser Canyon into the historic heart of BC. At Hell's Gate, descend by aerial tram over the Fraser River to see the Hell's Gate rapids. Walk across the suspension bridge, take a few photos, then go back and view the river from the observation decks. Visit the educational centre and learn about the history of Hell's Gate and shop for souvenirs in the gift shop.

Member: \$145.97, Non-member: \$182.46

BONSOR Th, September 12, 9am-6:30pm

518688

A Day on Bowen Island

Take a short excursion by ferry and spend the day on picturesque Bowen Island. Have lunch (not included in the fee) at a waterfront restaurant or bring your own lunch and enjoy the view from a park bench. Enjoy a scenic drive before boarding the ferry to return home.

Member 65 yrs+: \$20.10, Member 64 yrs-: \$32.22

Non-member 65 yrs+: \$25.13, Non-member 64 yrs-: \$40.29

BONSOR Tu, September 17, 9am-4:30pm

517940



Explore the Sunshine Coast with Joy Brown

The Sunshine Coast is a wonderful place to explore. Enjoy the charming waterfront village of Gibsons—site of *The Beachcombers* TV series—and visit the Roberts Creek Pier to enjoy the vast view of the Georgia Strait and treat your eyes to the large public art mural. Spend time in the village of Pender Harbour and see a unique art gallery housed in several yurts. Enjoy free time in Sechelt walking along the waterfront, and while overlooking the sea enjoy a delicious lunch and dessert (included in the fee).

Member 65 yrs+: \$124.21, Member 64 yrs-: \$138.21

Non-member 65 yrs+: \$155.27, Non-member 64 yrs-: \$169.27

EDMONDS Th, September 19, 8:10am-7:20pm

515583

OCTOBER

Go Fish! Fraser Valley Trout Hatchery (Abbotsford)

Learn about tackle, bait and fish handling. Then try your luck at catch and release in two stocked trout ponds at the hatchery. Picnic lunch is included in the fee.

Member: \$44.86, Non-member: \$56.08

CAMERON Tu, October 1, 9am-1pm

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EDMONDS Tu, October 1, 8:30am-1:30pm

518550

North 40 Park and Richmond Country Farms (Delta & Richmond)

Visit the North 40 Park Reserve, once home to the Vancouver Wireless Station. The grounds are now a network of suburban roads and old gardens overgrown with shrubbery and majestic trees, and home to a rich habitat of birds including hawks, eagles and herons. Take a leisurely walk and enjoy a series of interpretive signs describing the site history and its once thriving community. Enjoy lunch (not included in the fee) at the Old Spaghetti Factory before visiting Richmond Country Farms to shop for locally grown fruit and vegetables.

Member: \$16.14, Non-member: \$20.18

EDMONDS W, October 2, 9:30am-3:30pm

518513

CAMERON W, October 2, 9am-4pm

518514

Stanley Park Horse-Drawn Tour (Vancouver)

Enjoy an old-fashioned horse-drawn tour around world renowned Stanley Park. A professional guide fully narrates the tour which includes stops at famous landmarks and monuments throughout the park. Enjoy lunch (not included in the fee) at White Spot. Please dress appropriately for the weather. Blankets are available on horse-drawn carriage.

Member 65 yrs+: \$59.23, Member 64 yrs-: \$62.43

Non-member 65 yrs+: \$74.84, Non-member 64 yrs-: \$78.04

CONFEDERATION Th, October 3, 9:30am-2:45pm

517420

Be Scent Aware

In consideration of those with allergies please avoid scented hair and body products.

H.R. MacMillan Space Centre (Vancouver)

Travel to the skies at the H.R. MacMillan Space Centre and learn about some of astronomy's most fascinating facts and discoveries. Afterwards enjoy lunch (not included in the fee) at White Spot.

Member: \$24.19, Non-member: \$30.24

CONFEDERATION W, October 9, 9:15am-3:15pm

517424

Cranberry Festival (Fort Langley)

Celebrate the harvest and BC's proud berry history at the 24th Annual Fort Langley Cranberry Festival. Featuring live music, cooking demos, food and over 70 market vendors selling jewelry, specialty foods, hand-made crafts and more. Lunch (not included in the fee) is available from food vendors on-site or at one of the many cafes or restaurants in Fort Langley. Please note: cash is recommended for vendor purchases at the festival.

Member: \$15.35, Non-member: \$19.18

BONSOR Sa, October 12, 9am-2pm

518000

Apple Festival (UBC)

The Apple Festival is a great opportunity to discover more about this delicious fruit. Attend demonstrations, browse displays, shop for apple-related merchandise and try apple pie, hot apple cider and other delectable apple treats (food not included in the fee). Complement your day with a visit to the UBC Botanical Garden, and lunch (not included in fee) at Westward Ho! Public House and Grill.



Member: \$21.35, Non-member: \$26.69

CONFEDERATION Sa, October 19, 9:15am-3pm

517427

Charlie's Chocolate Factory Tour and Lunch (Burnaby)

This is a hidden gem in Burnaby for chocoholics! Take a tour of the chocolate factory hosted by Charlie himself. Afterwards, indulge in a lunch (included in the fee) at Ricky's Country Restaurant.

Member: \$27.88, Non-member: \$34.85

CONFEDERATION M, October 21, 10:45am-2:15pm

517423

Lunch by the Fireside (Port Moody)

A warm fire, delicious food, a lakeside view and wonderful live music make this an afternoon to remember. After tea and coffee at the Sasamat Outdoor Centre, enjoy a three course lunch (included in the fee) then spend time socializing in the lodge, explore the grounds or enjoy a lakeside stroll.

Member: \$34.94, Non-member: \$43.68

CAMERON Tu, October 22, 10:30am-2:30pm

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EDMONDS Tu, October 22, 10am-3pm

518545

NOVEMBER

TRIUMF Tour at UBC

Take a walk through TRIUMF Canada's Subatomic Research Facility and experimental radiotherapy centre for brain and pelvic cancer patients. This informative and futuristic therapy is a preview of medical technology. After the tour, enjoy lunch (not included in the fee) at Rocky Mountain Bread Company. Please note: For safety reasons, those with pacemakers are not permitted on the tour.

Member: \$14.04, Non-member: \$17.55

BONSOR Tu, November 12, 9am-2:30pm

518074

Goldstream Salmon Run & Sidney with Joy Brown (Vancouver Island)

Every fall thousands of salmon make their way from the Gulf of Alaska to the Goldstream River on Vancouver Island. Get a unique experience in watching the salmon fight their way upstream before visiting the Goldstream Nature House to check out their interactive nature displays and live wildlife cams. Eat lunch and dessert (included in the fee) at Bear Mountain Resort. Enjoy an exceptional 360-degree view of Victoria from the top of Mount Tolmie. Before returning home, spend time in the small seaside sanctuary known as Sidney-by-the-Sea which is known for its great shopping, books, restaurants and cafes.

Member 65 yrs+: \$139.64, Member 64 yrs-: \$172.64

Non-member 65 yrs+: \$174.55, Non-member 64 yrs-: \$215.80

BONSOR Th, November 14, 7:30am-7:30pm

518675

Christmas at Hycroft Manor and Granville Island (Vancouver)

Do you like markets and wonder what a beautiful Edwardian mansion looks like all decorated for Christmas? Then you will LOVE Christmas at Hycroft Manor, a Christmas market event featuring artisan products, gourmet treats, jewellery, clothing and live entertainment. Afterwards, enjoy lunch (not included in the fee) and browse the shops at Granville Island.

Member: \$30.27, Non-member: \$37.84

BONSOR Sa, November 16, 10:15am-4:15pm

518278

The Olde Farmhouse Vintage Market (Abbotsford)

Come and hunt for those unique, one of a kind finds for you and your home. You can find all things old, upcycled, repurposed, antique, vintage and handmade. Lunch (not included in the fee) is available for purchase at the concession.

Member: \$26.08, Non-member: \$32.60

EDMONDS Sa, November 23, 9am-3pm

515559

CAMERON Sa, November 23, 9:30am-2:30pm

515560

Arrive on Time!

Ensure you leave home in enough time to get to the centre 15 minutes before the departure time. Many trips must leave at the time stated to ensure destination arrival time.

Christmas Craft Adventure (Richmond & Vancouver)

Get a head start on your Christmas shopping as we visit two of the best Christmas Craft Fairs in the Lower Mainland. Your first stop is the Christmas Craft Fair at Steveston Community Centre, featuring over 150 vendors with homemade crafts, baking, jewelery and more. Afterwards we check out the Dunbar Holiday Craft Fair where you will find a variety of antiques, collectables, tv/movie memorabilia, vintage décor and more. In between stops, enjoy lunch (not included in the fee) at a restaurant TBA.

Member: \$24.77, Non-member: \$30.96

BONSOR Sa, November 23, 9am-4:30pm

518280

Vancouver Art Gallery

Explore the wonderful exhibits on display at the Vancouver Art Gallery. There will be free time to walk around and enjoy the many exhibits the museum has to offer. There is no guided tour for this trip. Afterwards enjoy lunch (not included in fee) at the Gallery Café.

No refunds after October 4.

Member 65 yrs+: \$32.80, Member 64 yrs-: \$36.05

Non-member 65 yrs+: \$41.32, Non-member 64 yrs-: \$45.07

CONFEDERATION M, November 25, 9:30am-2:30pm

517425

Bald Eagles of Brackendale (Squamish)

Squamish is home to one of North America's largest congregations of wintering bald eagles. We'll travel to a location to get the best view of the eagles and have volunteer interpreters share their love and knowledge of these birds, then enjoy lunch (not included in the fee) at The Watershed Grill. Please dress according to the weather and bring binoculars. Walking is involved in this trip.

Member: \$45.12, Non-member: \$56.40

CONFEDERATION W, November 27, 8:45am-3pm

517421

DECEMBER

Lights at Lafarge Lake and Cockney Kings (Coquitlam)

Stars and lights will be brightly shining at this fun outdoor activity! Get into the holiday spirit by strolling around Lafarge Lake with friends, enjoying the Christmas lights and decorations. Before our lake visit, take in a delightful set meal (included in the fee) at Cockney Kings Fish & Chips.

Member: \$31.74, Non-member: \$39.67

CONFEDERATION M, December 2, 4:30-9pm

517422



Christmas at Dickens Sweets & British Museum (Chilliwack)

Get into the Christmas spirit while enjoying a “Taste of Britain” high tea (included in the fee) in Oliver’s Tearoom. Enjoy over 10,000 square feet of all things British including a sweetshop, bakery and grocery store. Spend time in the British Museum that features an exhibit on the history of the British Royal Family, Charles Dickens, the Titanic and a World War II display.

Member: \$40.61, Non-member: \$50.77

EDMONDS	W, December 4, 9am-4pm	514931
CAMERON	W, December 4, 9:30am-3:30pm	514932

Swanese Bay Resort and Country Club Christmas Buffet (Pitt Meadows)

Enjoy all the traditions of the season at Swanese Bay Resort & Country Club. Enter the large ballroom and be amazed at the splendour of the holiday decor. Feast on the assortment of food selections at the buffet (included in the fee) and enjoy views of the golf course from your table. Be sure to give Santa your wish list when he visits your table. Register early as this will sell out. No refunds after December 2.

Member: \$60.88, Non-member: \$76.11

BONSOR	Su, December 8, 9:45am-2:30pm	518082
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Singing Christmas Tree (Vancouver)

Join us for one of Vancouver’s longest-running and unique performances at the Singing Christmas Tree at Broadway Church. The show involves an orchestra, dancers, actors and a choir performing from the boughs of a giant Christmas tree on stage. Afterwards, enjoy dinner (not included in the fee) at the Knight & Day Restaurant.

Member: \$9.29, Non-member: \$11.60

BONSOR	Sa, December 14, 2-6:30pm	518095
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Heritage Christmas at Burnaby Village Museum

Experience the old-fashioned magic of Christmas as you stroll through this 1920s village. Enjoy the lights, sparkling decorations and the sounds of the season. Warm up with a cup of hot chocolate and seasonal treat (included in the fee) at the quaint 1920s-style Ice Cream Parlour.

Member: \$13.59, Non-member: \$16.99

CAMERON	W, December 18, 6:30-9pm	518548
EDMONDS	W, December 18, 6-9:30pm	518547

Christmas with the Chor Leoni Choir (West Vancouver)

Back by popular demand! The glow of candlelight beckons as Chor Leoni presents their traditional holiday concert of seasonal songs to warm your winter nights. Familiar melodies, glorious new works and joyous a cappella harmonies welcome you to the festive season.

Member: \$58.66, Non-member: \$73.32

BONSOR	Su, December 22, 2:15-5pm	518097
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Please remember

When you take part in a bus or van trip, the return time may differ from the published time due to traffic and other unforeseen factors.

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FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Bonsor 55+ Centre

6533 Nelson Avenue Phone: 604-297-4580

Located across the parking lot from Bonsor Recreation Complex.

Cameron Recreation Complex

9523 Cameron Street Phone: 604-297-4456

Confederation Community Centre

4585 Albert Street Phone: 604-294-1936

Edmonds Community Centre

7433 Edmonds Street Phone: 604-297-4838



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