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VICTORIA

ACTIVITIES & TOURS



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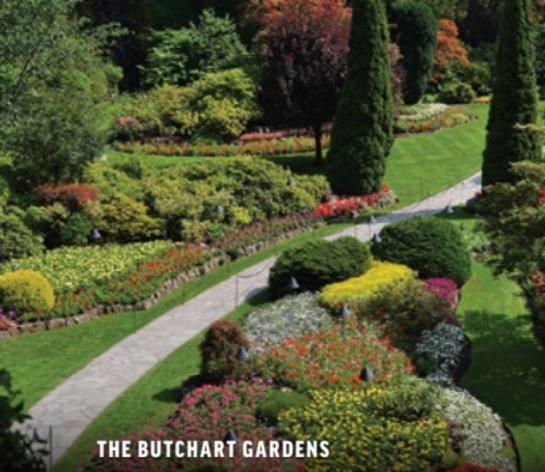
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THE BUTCHART GARDENS



TEA AT THE EMPRESS

Iconic Sights

BUTCHART GARDENS & CITY HIGHLIGHTS TOUR

Mar 30-Oct 13, 3.5 Hours Total, (2 at The Gardens).

This unique Clipper Vacations tour includes a narrated deluxe motor coach ride from Victoria's bustling Inner Harbour, along the Saanich Peninsula and past acres of farms with views of pastoral beauty. At The Butchart Gardens, you'll see the Sunken Garden, The Japanese and Italian Gardens, English Rose Garden and the magnificent Ross Fountain, all linked by spacious lawns, streams and lily ponds. The Butchart Gardens is rated among the most beautiful gardens in the world. *Departs from Clipper dock upon vessel arrival.*

Condé Nast Traveler named Butchart Gardens as one of the "14 most stunning botanical gardens around the world."

Afternoon Tea at The Gardens

Includes:

Your choice from selection of nine loose leaf teas paired with warm traditional delicacies, savory tea sandwiches and house-made sweets from The Butchart Gardens' kitchen.

OpenTable voted Butchart Garden's, Dining Room Restaurant, "Top 100 Restaurants in Canada" three years running and "Top Outdoor Restaurants in Canada"

THE BUTCHART GARDENS NIGHT ILLUMINATIONS

A Spectacular Sight!

Daily, Jun 15-Sep 2, 3.25* Hours.

Night Illuminations is a spectacular display of hidden lights transforming this famous landscape, allowing visitors to view the gardens in a new light. *Tour includes deluxe motor coach to the gardens and admissions.*

**4 Hours on Fireworks Saturdays, departs 7pm.*

HOP-ON, HOP-OFF CITY TOUR

Jan 24-Dec 31.

Explore Victoria's neighborhoods at your own pace. Fifteen stops include Chinatown, Craigdarroch Castle, Oak Bay Village, Cook Street Village, Beacon Hill Park and more!



History & Culture

ROYAL BC MUSEUM

Daily, Year-Round.

The Royal BC Museum is a place of discovery. Through unique galleries, the Museum showcases the human and natural history of British Columbia. Authentic artifacts and specimens are displayed in highly realistic settings, giving visitors the chance to experience another time and place. Exhibits include the First People's, Modern History and Natural History Gallery.

THE CITY & CRAIGDARROCH CASTLE EXPERIENCE

May 18–Sep 15. Apx. 2.5 Hours.

Discover the history of Victoria on a narrated tour that takes in all of the city's iconic landmarks and tours Craigdarroch Castle.

TALLY-HO CARRIAGE TOURS

Mar 15–Dec 31. 0.5 - 1 Hour.

Trot along on a Tally-Ho Carriage tour and spend an afternoon exploring James Bay or Beacon Hill Park; it's the perfect introduction to a leisurely weekend of island living.

GHOSTLY WALKING TOURS

Jan 4–Dec 31, 1.5 Hours.

Soak in eerie sights and stories as you wander through the alleys, courtyards and cemeteries in Canada's most haunted city – Victoria, BC!

VICTORIA'S STORY HISTORICAL WALKS

Jan 5–Dec 28, 1.5 Hours.

Explore Victoria's historic Old Town, Chinatown and Harbor-front on this guided tour of British Columbia's capital city.

CHINATOWN HISTORICAL WALKS

Jan 5–Dec 28, 1.5 Hours.

Discover the fascinating past and vibrant present of Victoria's Chinese community as you explore the streets of Canada's oldest Chinatown.



VICTORIA FOOD TOUR



KAYAKING IN VICTORIA'S INNER HARBOUR

Food & Drinks

AFTERNOON TEA AT THE FAIRMONT EMPRESS

Tea times available daily, Year-Round, Apx. 1 Hour.

Indulge in a time-honored tradition at the renowned Fairmont Empress. Choose from over 21 of the world's finest teas, complimented by Empress' signature scones, and pastries, made with ingredients from their very own rooftop garden.

VICTORIA FOOD TOUR

Daily departures, Feb 1-Dec 30, 2 Hours.

Invalidate your taste buds with this fully-guided, culinary walking tour through downtown Victoria. During this tour, get treated to the best of what Victoria has to offer along with some of the secret, insider hot spots. Your guide provides commentary and history about the area and the places you visit during the tour.

BREWERY & BITES TOUR

Mar 1-Oct 31, 2.5 Hours.

With a local beer expert as your guide, get a taste of Victoria's brews and bites at local eateries where delicious small plates of food are expertly paired with multiple styles of fresh local craft beer.

COWICHAN VALLEY WINE TOUR

Feb 3-Oct 31, Thurs-Sun, 5-6 Hours.

With a local wine expert as your personal guide, you will enjoy insider's access to Cowichan Valley's blossoming wine and balsamic scene. Enjoy tastings at three delightful local vineyards, a farm-to-table lunch and cider tasting at Merridale Cider, and scenic mountain and ancient rain forest vistas.

AFTERNOON TEA AT PENDRAY TEAHOUSE

Tea times available daily, Year-Round.

Relax in a heritage hotel and sip on a selection of fine teas paired with an elegant tea platter brimming with fresh berries, savory tea sandwiches, delicious pastries and fresh, warm scones.



ADRENA LINE ZIPLINE*



FIVE STAR WHALE WATCHING

Outdoor Adventure

FIVE STAR WHALE WATCHING

Apr 1-Oct 31, Apx 3 Hours.

Your Victoria whale watching tour begins when you depart on a 40-passenger high-speed catamaran. Experience the region's beauty from both inside and outside viewing areas! The operator and guide of your Victoria whale watching tour, a marine wildlife naturalist, is an expert on orcas and educates you about the whales and other wildlife you may encounter.

ADRENA LINE ZIPLINE ADVENTURE

May 1-Sep 30, 4 Hours.

Get a bird's eye view of the forest floor! Soar over gulches and through the trees of a beautiful piece of West Coast forest. Fully-guided tour includes seven zipline rides! *Transportation from Inner Harbour is available.*

EAGLE WING OPEN BOAT WHALE WATCHING DAY TOUR

May 1-Oct 13, Apx 3.5 Hours.

Get in touch with nature on a thrilling whale and wildlife adventure! Explore the pristine waters and coastline of Southern Vancouver Island as you zip along in one of Eagle Wing's unique, high performance, open Scarab-style speedboats.

CASTLES, HOODS AND LEGENDS BICYCLE TOUR

Feb 1-Oct 31: Apx 2 Hours.

This 2-hour bike tour explores Victoria's historic and unique neighborhoods surrounding downtown! You will experience the iconic landmarks of Chinatown, Craigdarroch Castle, Beacon Hill, Cook Street Village and more.

VICTORIA HARBOUR KAYAK TOUR OR STAND UP PADDLE BOARDING

Daily departures, Jun 1-Sep 8, 3 Hours.

From this unique perspective, experienced guides will describe Victoria's historic waterways and make several stops at fascinating landmarks. Seals, seaplanes and eagles; this tour has it all. *Designed for any experience level.*



VANCOUVER ISLAND

THE ULTIMATE WAY TO EXPERIENCE VIBRANT VICTORIA, B.C.

No visit to Victoria is complete without exploring the world-renowned The Butchart Gardens! To help you experience as much of classic Victoria as possible, we created our very own The Butchart Gardens and Victoria City Tour.

Includes:

- City tour of Victoria's highlights by experienced local guide
- Flexible return time – stay as long as you want at The Butchart Gardens, and take any CVS departing bus from the Gardens back into Victoria
- Staying overnight? Have luggage? No problem. Clipper offers complimentary luggage delivery service to your downtown Victoria hotel or complimentary luggage storage at our Clipper terminal until you return.

UPGRADE YOUR TOUR TO INCLUDE THE VICTORIA BUTTERFLY GARDENS

Enjoy a one hour stop at the fun and fascinating Victoria Butterfly Gardens along the way to The Butchart Gardens. Encounter more than 70 species of tropical butterflies, insects and other creatures as you explore this vibrant paradise. Your driver will return to pick you up on the same double decker coach, and bring you to The Butchart Gardens, where you are free to enjoy the famous destination at your leisure.

CLIPPER EXCLUSIVE ADD-ON - DINNER AT THE Q

Cozy up in the elegant Q at the Empress and indulge in a delicious 3-course menu hand-crafted by the Fairmont Empress' Executive Chef. Taste the flavors of Vancouver Island with ingredients sourced from local farmers and artisans paired with a glass of British Columbia wine or a pint of local beer!



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