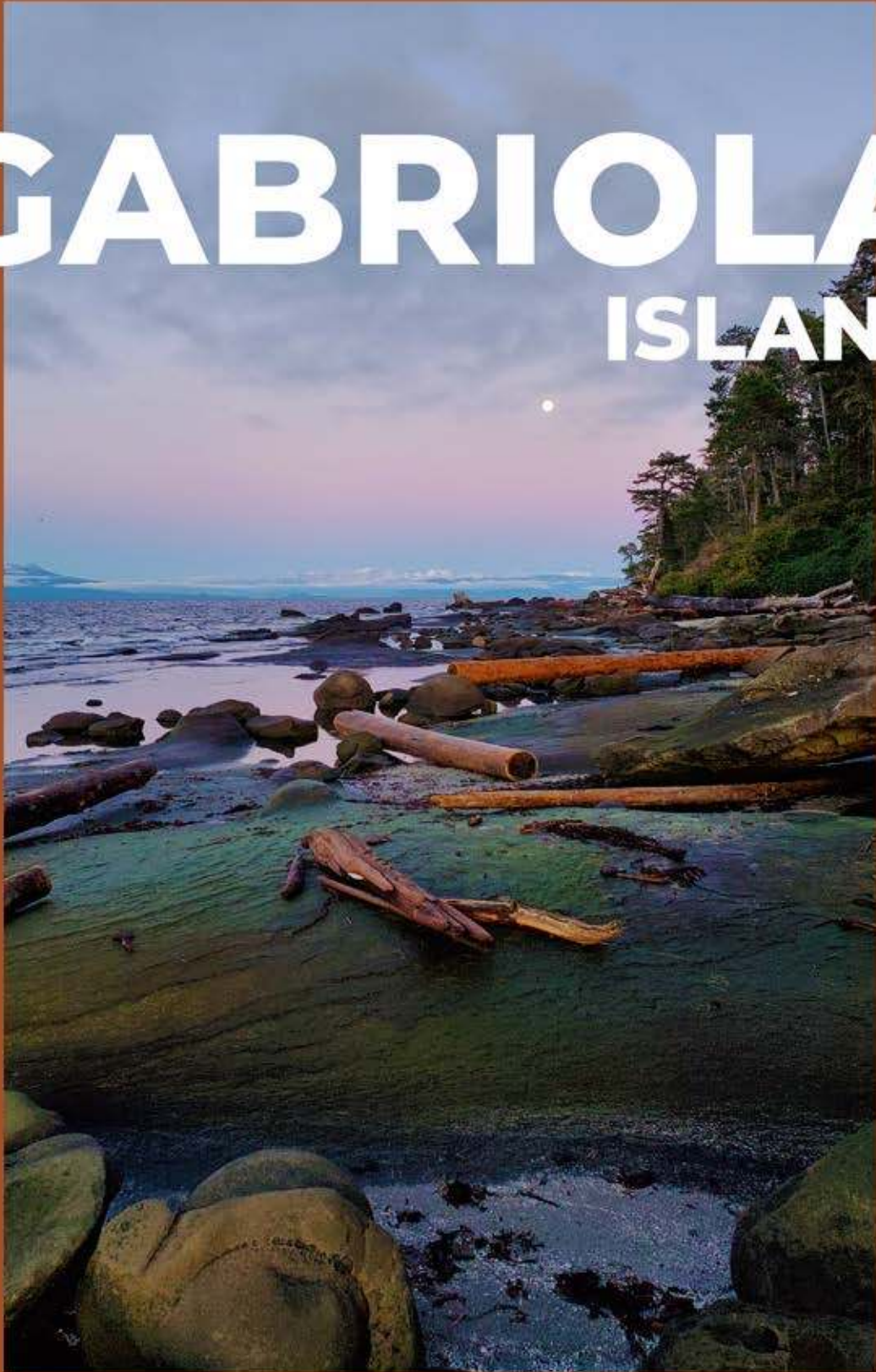


2021/22 GABRIOLA VISITOR GUIDE

GABRIOLA ISLAND



*Natural Beauty
Vibrant Community*



Welcome to Gabriola Island

Travellers seeking a profound visitor experience will find it on Gabriola Island.

The smell of cedar. The sound of the waves on the sandstone.
The feel of moss underneath your feet.

This is **Gabriola**, an island of nature and community, where the everyday can be magical. We welcome you, each in our own way- with a smile, with art, with directions to a favourite trail. This is a place for forming connections and knowing yourself.

Our island residents are creative, determined, and dedicated to preserving the wonder in which we live. Imagine a morning hiking on over 170 kilometers of trails. An evening sunset at one of our 33 beach access points. Our landscape is intertwined with

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our day-to-day. It is the source of inspiration. You will meet us sunbathing on sandstone, painting amongst the arbutus, or paddling past curious seals. You, too, will be inspired and rejuvenated by the birdsongs, the relaxed pace of island life, and the opportunities for exploration.

Join us as you delve into the island lifestyle.

Whether you eat lunch crafted of ingredients grown by our amazing farmers or tour the workshops of our artists, you will find us immersed in our passions. We care about each other and this place we call home.

Visit our website for more ideas and opportunities to enrich your stay on **Gabriola Island**.

www.hellogabriola.ca

autumn

It “leaves” you breathless

The autumn sun filters through golden maple leaves as the busy season ends, yet opportunities to experience **Gabriola** are just beginning.

As the ferry traffic lessens and the trails empty, the residents of our island come alive with creativity. We welcome you to experience autumn on **Gabriola**. The tang of woodsmoke, the sound of a guitar, and the magical tastes of the harvest. We are a quirky yet welcoming bunch and invite you to grab your flannel and toque and come with us for a shift to the quieter time of year.

Find a map and join us on the **Thanksgiving Studio Tour**, a 25-year tradition of showcasing our island’s

talent, hosted by the *Gabriola Arts Council*. Use the off season to take a workshop, attend an event, or listen to music.

There is something for everyone on **Gabriola** and this is the perfect season to find your place.

Bring your mind, your body, and your heart and engage with us.

1 STUDIO TOUR | 2 LOCAL ARTISAN - PAPRIKA STUDIO PHOTOS BY: JENNIFER KNIGHT PHOTOGRAPHY
3 ORLEBAR POINT FALL SUNSET PHOTO BY: BILL POPE

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Gabriola’s **Thanksgiving Studio Tour** continues to be one of the grandest art events in the Pacific Northwest.



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The **Gabriola museum** aims to tell the story of Gabriola Island through special exhibits, events, presentations and tours.

We acknowledge that Gabriola Island, as it is known today, has been part of the **Snuneymuxw First Nation (SFN)** territory for thousands of years.

We respect and support the SFN stewardship, worldview and values. We commit to growing our understanding and knowledge continually. With gratitude we live, work and play here. **Hay ce:p qa'**



 **gabriola
arts
council**

**Thanksgiving Studio Tour Oct 9-11 2021
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painting | **The Island (detail)** by Karen Cain

winter

Cold days, warm hearts

The wind whips the waves as they roll in and the frost paints pictures on the meadows.

Winter is a time for Gabriolans to take a break from the gardening, the hustle and bustle of the farmers market, and the busyness of the summer and focus more deeply on projects that bring us joy. Come delve into your own passions. Gain insight into yourself and the world around you. Your curiosity will be rewarded as you experience life on this little island in the Salish Sea.

While the island may be quieter this season, our vibrant community continues to offer you just the right ingredients for a visit. The blend of nature, connection, and self-discovery will engage you. Curl up beside the fire with a book by one of our many authors. Drink a glass of our local cider. Take a class or cozy up with a loved one. There are many opportunities for personal and professional growth and your time on **Gabriola** will leave you refreshed and inspired.

Our forests are green throughout the year and there is beauty in the rain and the mist. As our pace slows, so will yours.

Stir your soul and expand your heart with us as we make winter our own.



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The month with **the most snowfall is February** when snow falls for 4.3 days and typically aggregates up to 143mm (5.63") of snow.

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spring



The **Isle of the Arts festival** is a celebration of local creativity and culture bringing people together through learning and artistic engagement.

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It's a **spring** thing!

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The greens of winter transform into the striking emeralds of spring as grass grows, buds unfurl, and the easy-going locals peel off wool sweaters and plunge hands into the warming soil.

We dream of outdoor gatherings, the expansion of our gardens, and sun-dappled forests, and we invite you to enliven your senses by joining us for the fun.

The Isle of the Arts festival, which takes place each April, is a two-week event hosted by the *Gabriola Arts Council* and is full of possibilities to create, learn, and discover. It is the pinnacle of our off-season offerings, and like the sighting of an orca off the shore, **The Isle of the Arts** is sure to increase your love for this charming island.

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Your time on **Gabriola** will be unique, much like our residents and our landscape. We embrace our visitors with an island hug and share our love for our home. Accompany us as we create, discover, and explore.

You will find everything you hoped for and more.



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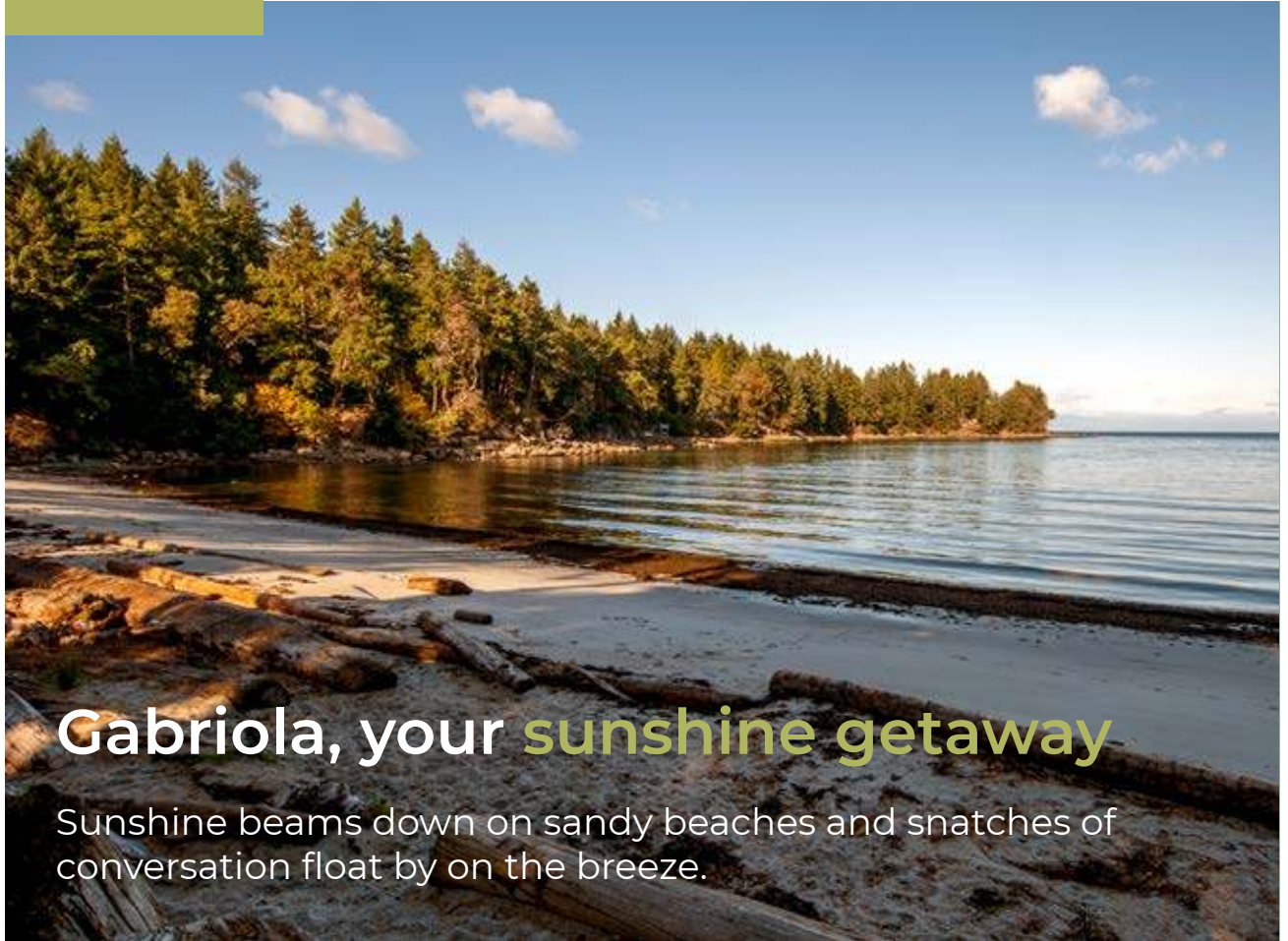
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summer



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Gabriola comes fully to life during the summer and the beauty of our community and our outdoors will engulf you in the vacation of a lifetime. As the ferry docks on our shores, breathe deeply. The scent of the forest will fill your lungs. Slow your pace. The island lifestyle awaits.

New chances for exploration exist around every bend of the trail and down each staircase to the sea. You'll find islanders bursting with pride, happy to share our bounty of food, crafts, and recreation opportunities.

Our ferry lines lengthen in the summer, but listen closely. An owl may hoot, a cedar will rustle. This is a chance to take in your surroundings. We have clearly marked signs on Gabriola to show you just where to turn around to join the ferry line. Please, no U-turns.

As the sun shines, our greenery dries and we enter the high season for fire hazards. You'll notice fire hazard warnings posted around the island. Please make sure to inform yourself of what the restrictions are, and make sure to dispose of cigarettes properly. The beauty of **Gabriola** depends on your wise choice.

Blue skies and sunny days mean plenty of time for hiking and swimming, but it also means that **Gabriola** has entered our summer drought. Water is a precious resource and wells run low, so please conserve water during your stay.

We welcome you with open arms and invite you to help us ensure that Gabriola is protected for many more generations of relaxation, adventure, and beauty.



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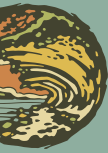
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1 Malaspina Galleries
Spectacular sandstone caverns that resemble a breaking wave. Access via Malaspina Drive.

2 Farmers Market
Open Saturdays
May to October
10am - 2pm

3 False Narrows

Mudge Island



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3 Brickyard Beach
Here you'll discover old bricks that were manufactured on Gabriola Island during the depression years.

4 Gabriola Sands Provincial Park
A sandy swimming beach with amazing sandstone formations. Easy access only 2km walk from the ferry.

5 Sandwell Provincial Park
Take an easy hike through the woods and arrive at a beautiful sandy beach great for relaxing and swimming.

6 Whalebone Beach
A rocky narrow stretch of shoreline on the northern shore of the island with peaceful walks and sea life.

7 Drumbeg Provincial Park
East end of the island overlooking Gabriola Passage. Favourite spot for swimming, picnics and sunbathing.

8 Silva Bay Market
Open Sundays
June to September
10am - 2pm

- Whale Lookout Terrace
- Whale Lookout
- Spermwhale Lookout
- Starbuck Lane
- Queequeg Turnabout
- Queequeg Pl
- Tashtego Cr
- Daggoe Pl
- Whalebone Dr
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Visitor Centre
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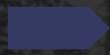
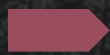
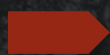

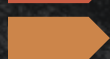
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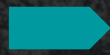
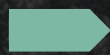
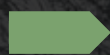

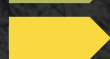


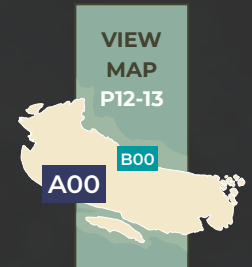
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Yellow flag program

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marshabatchelor.com
250 217-5280



Earth Fire and Tears Pottery **H48**

1070 North Road
Open-stock dinnerware in a variety of colours and shapes. Every piece is ovenproof and dishwasher safe.

250 247-8250



Frances Usher: Sculptor/Painter **B49**

762 Sea Girt Road
Helping steward our world by conceptualizing its issues into a visual language all may understand. Those wondrous elements and principles of design guide that shaping process.

francesusher.ca
905 655-3496



Anita Jackel Leather Design **P43**

2680 Islands View Drive
Colourful, unique, versatile, personal and comfortable soft Leather Bags and Purses with a West Coast touch

anitajackelleatherdesign.com
250 247-9817



Gabriola Arts Council **D50**

476-510 South Rd
Non-profit society that supports and promotes the arts on Gabriola including the Isle of the Arts Festival, Cultivate Festival, and Thanksgiving Studio Tour.

artsgabriola.ca
250 247-7409



Caroline James Fine Art Studio **J44**

1490 Hess Rd
There is a mysterious feeling in Caroline's studio. She so beautifully expresses the wordless feelings and experiences of our lives in mixed media and paint.

www.carolinejames.com
250-897-8183



The Green Bough Studio **H51**

600 Rollo Road
Uplifting Fine Art, responds to the intuitive, dreams, nature and the nuance between visible/invisible worlds. Zulis Yalte, Multi-media artist Ceramics, Painting, Sculpture. Memorial Joy Olsen Ceramist, Art Garden feature.

250-247-7255



Connect-Balance-Thrive **B45**

683 Berry Point Road
Energy-Infused DWS Scarves, Blessing Dolls and Wellness Sessions - Healing Touch, Sound Therapy, Labyrinth Walks and Forest Journaling. Individual or group sessions with online, in-person and outdoor options.

connectbalancethrivewellness@gmail.com
250 327-8433



The Grove Woodworking School **P52**

2505 Coho Drive
Mission: Passing on traditional skills and fine craftsmanship. Courses will mainly focus on woodworking skills for novices to advanced learners.

thegroveschool.ca
250 247-0142



Creative Tea Towels **P46**

2665 Islands View Drive
Celebrate, Fundraise, Merchandise. Custom printed tea towels for all occasions. Weddings, Schools, Artists, Events, Souvenirs. Studio open by appointment.

creativeteatowels.com
250 325-2141



Gwen Spinks **H53**

900 Colleen Road
The unpredictable comes to life on canvas rich layers, creating evocative hearts & animals in a wide range of sizes.

gwenpinks.com
250 247-9756



Dynamite Dyes **F47**

633 Wildwood Crescent
The finest in West Coast tie dye apparel and tapestries. Handcrafted, wearable art for the whole family.

dynamitedyes.com
250 247-9803



Hague's Haven **H54**

1379 Sea Lovers Lane
Strong, representational acrylic and mixed media landscapes mostly of the West Coast and Gabriola Island. Browse through a selection of eclectic images and cards.

barbhague.com
250 247-7675

Yellow flag program



Heartcore Touch Studio

H55

730 Captain Ahab's Terrace

Acrylic paintings, each one a prismatic expression of humanity, the times, the natural world, and hints of old culture-making Big Stories.

heartcoretouch.com
250 247-9504



Paprika

D62

480 North Road

Gabriola's boutique art gallery and silversmithing studio. See artists at work while you shop a selection of fine handcrafted goods!

paprikadesign.ca
250 325-1315



Island Maker.ca Handcrafted

C56

169 Easthom Road

Makers of beautiful woolen creations. Onsite shop offers a selection of handcrafted items including cozy woolen socks, sweaters, baby gifts and more.

islandmaker.ca
250 802-1078



Paradise Island Alpaca Farm

D63

785 North Road

Feed and pet our animals. Shop at our store for Alpaca wear. Summer: Open Thursday - Saturday 11am to 3pm. Off season: Open on Saturdays only 11am to 3pm or by appointment.

paradiseislandalpacas.weebly.com
250 247-9102



Marchlight

H57

1490 Moby Dick's Way

Hand-turned, salvaged wood vessels with wood-burned drawings, watercolour prints, small sculptures and greeting cards.

marchlight.com
250 247-7105



Pier Gallery Artists Collective

O64

Page's Inn on Silva Bay, 3415 South Road

New location for Pier Gallery! Stocked with exceptional, collectible and inspiring West Coast and creative artwork from over 20 Gabriola artists.

facebook.com/piergallery
250 325-9000



Moonshine Studio

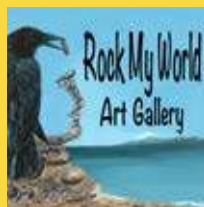
B59

525 Berry Point Road

Simple.Soulful.Handmade.

With traditional silversmithing techniques, Laura creates magical pieces in silver and gold, showcasing powerful gems.

moonshinesilver.com
250 247-9549



Rock My World Art Gallery

I65

1736 Tashtego Crescent

Featuring garden art, organically inspired lamps, mixed media and other artists work in our collection. Events include workshops, artists openings, and hosting private parties.

rockmyworldartgallery.com
604 874-6600



On Our Farms

Making wellness & beauty products that are handcrafted with wildy picked or hand-grown plants from Gabriola Island (The unceded territory of Snuneymuxw nation).

onourfarms.com
250 899-8853



Stephen Cole Fine Art

F66

650 Wildwood Crescent

Step into another world. Thought-provoking and evocative wall art and sculpture. Stone, concrete, wood, glass, found objects and resin.

stephencolefineart.com
250 668-9720



Our House Art Studio

D60

737 Ross Way

Brilliant watercolours and acrylics depicting many of Gabriola's beautiful scenes. Enjoy!

melindawilde.com
250 247-8852



Tammy Hudgeon Studio

M67

1790 Seymour Road

Vibrant & colourful fused glass art and mixed media painting by award winning artist.

tammyhudgeon.com
250 247-0104



Panacea Herbs

D61

950 Horseshoe Road

Fresh organic skincare, handmade and harvested from the fields and forests of the Pacific Northwest, BC. A Gabriola based business for 25 years.

panaceaherbs.ca
250 247-7843



Thistle Handmade

H68

799 Alder Way

Traditional craftsmanship + contemporary aesthetic. Silver jewellery and mixed metal adornment for self and home.

thistlehandmade.com
250 616-6520



Tyrrell Clarke Gallery, BFA D69
 660 Pinewood Road - Entrance on Dogwood Cres
 Tyrrell Clarke's recent paintings are about the spirit of lush forests, flowers and our true nature. Abstracted, colourful and other worldly! Visit this working studio.
tyrellclarke.com
403 863-0361



Whalebone Studio I72
 1616 Whalebone Drive
 Evocative watercolour paintings telling the story of the Pacific NW through fish & whales by internationally known artist. Refreshingly West Coast.
whalebonestudio.com
250 247-8256



Veritas Silver Designs N70
 1275 Hamlet Rd
 Individually handcrafted, sterling silver jewellery highlighted with gold or semi-precious stones. Original pieces with unique designs, inspired by the natural beauty of the West Coast.
veritassilverdesigns.ca
250 247-0100



Zaworski Art & Homestead D73
 667 South Road
 From sky, land, and sea, Jade's unique style captures the personalities and characteristics of each animal. Original works, prints, custom pet portraits, home wares, and more.
facebook.com/zaworskiart
250 755-6982



Vintage Sign Projects O71
 1460 Peterson Road
 Hand painted and screen-printed decorative signs, designed and made on Gabriola.
vintagesignprojects.com
250 247-2029



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Gabriola Island

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Only a 22 minute ferry ride from downtown Nanaimo but a world away.

Looking to take in the sights and breathtaking scenery on Gabriola? **For sunrise views**, head to view points in the Whalebone area, Silva Bay, and Drumbeg Provincial Park. **For sunset views**, spend time at Orlebar Point, Twin Beaches, Malaspina Galleries, and Descanso Bay Regional Park.

With one of the highest number of artists per capita in Canada and high profile art-centred events, Gabriola has earned its moniker of Isle of the Arts. **Visit artsgabriola.ca for more information** and to plan some studio visits.

Gabrielans are passionate about local and sustainable agriculture. Farmers, food producers, and chefs bring you fresh and delicious food year-round. The local dining scene is small but mighty and ticks all the boxes for cravings, styles, and budgets.

If adventure is what you're after, stay active through kayaking, golfing, yoga, fishing, dancing, mountain biking, and many more activities available year-round. **The 707 Community Park** is a great place to explore by foot or bike and is also home to several sweeping view points of the island and surrounding area.



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