

2018 February 19 to 25 {+ Feb 28}

**HERITAGE WEEK in West Vancouver**



**Theme: HERITAGE STANDS THE TEST OF TIME**

West Vancouver has been celebrating Heritage Week since 1989 (and BC has before that). We hope you'll enjoy activities and events this year as we celebrate our heritage -- Canada, BC, and even West Vancouver.

**> ONGOING**

- \* **LIBRARY:** Display celebrating local architectural, historical, cultural, and ecological heritage; spotlight on local First Nations.
- \* Taste our history/heritage: Salmon House on the Hill (First Nations décor); Chez Michel (French, 926 4913); Red Lion (British, 926 8838); Beachhouse (from early WV days), and Troll's (a tradition in Horseshoe Bay)

**> EVENTS**

- + **MONDAY** February 19 ~ Announcement of Heritage Week by Mayor
- + **TUESDAY** February 20
  - ~ 6 – 8pm ~ **FBG Opening Reception for CLEARLY AMBIGUOUS** and meet the artists: 2– 3pm **Sat Feb 24**
  - Mixed media by Adrienne Moore and Louise Dee Info: [https://ferrybuildinggallery.com/exhibitions/current\\_exhibition](https://ferrybuildinggallery.com/exhibitions/current_exhibition)
- + **WEDNESDAY** February 21
  - ~ 7pm ~ Our Cmnty: ADRA OCP Info mtg (at Seniors' Ctr) re **Draft OCP Review** (see info WVM 2018–14)
  - ~ 7pm ~ Nature: **Wildlife Photography** by Raincoast Conservation Fdn; Cap U, NV (poster in WVM 2018–14)
- + **THURSDAY** Feb 22
  - ~ 10:30 – 11:30am ~ Chamber music presented by cellist Luke Kim and pianist Scott Meek at the Silk Purse, see: <https://westvanartscouncil.ca/event-2761949/Registration>
  - ~ 10:45am – 2pm ~ Guided **Snowshoe Tour** by Hollyburn Ridge Assn (see info WVM 2018–14)
- + **FRIDAY** February 23
  - ~ 10am to noon ~ **The Many Histories of this Site We Call Ambleside** (poster in WVM 2018–14)
  - As part of BC Heritage Wk, join representatives from the [Squamish Nation](#) and the [WV Historical Society](#) for a discussion on the history of Ambleside. Space limited; call 925 7270. Info: [https://ferrybuildinggallery.com/programs\\_events/bc\\_heritage\\_week\\_celebration](https://ferrybuildinggallery.com/programs_events/bc_heritage_week_celebration)
  - ~ 7:30 to 8:45pm ~ Friday Night Concert — at the Library - **The Ambleside Orchestra**
  - This growing, multi-generational community orchestra attracts musicians from all walks of life. Join us for an evening of chamber music including the works of Paganini, Brahms, and Walton.



Don't forget **Fridays are Pub Grub Night at the Legion**: Special menus: Lunch: 12:30 to 2:30; Dinner 6 to 8:30

+ **SATURDAY** February 24

~ 2 – 4pm ~ **WV HERITAGE FAYRE** in the atrium of the Cmnty Ctr (tables with displays)

Info from many groups re heritage, **preservation**, revitalization, history, black bears, **our Legion**, our heritage **Hollyburn Ridge cabins**, environment, cmnty groups, and more -- even **BlockWatch** and the **WV Fire Service Museum and Archives Society** with a jeep fire truck. DWV staff will have info on the **draft OCP with a video as well as heritage material** such as the register, inventory, and heritage restoration. Find out about the draft tree policy. The display table has info on diverse groups. New this year: a display re **Caulfeild Park, a geoheritage site?**

Come and meet fellow residents working to honour, preserve, improve, and enjoy our beautiful cmnty, country, and province. Free tea but you have to bring your own cup :-)

**Short Survey** (5 Qs): take one, fill out (on website later), or email [survey@heritage.westvan.org](mailto:survey@heritage.westvan.org) -- the first Q is:  
**What do you like most about West Vancouver?**

+ **SUNDAY** February 25

- ~ 1 and 3pm ~ **Pt Atkinson Light Station Tours** (see poster in WVM 2018–14)
- Pls contact the Lighthouse Park Preservation Society: [pointatkinsonpals@gmail.com](mailto:pointatkinsonpals@gmail.com)
- ~ 4pm ~ **Jazz Vespers** with Roma Swing Trio at St Stephen's (885 – 22<sup>nd</sup> St) See more at <http://www.ststephenschurch.ca/events>
- ~ **FINAL DAY: Olympics** final ceremonies -- view at Cmnty Ctr, Legion, and elsewhere -- Way to go, Canada!

**STILL TO COME – Wed Feb 28**

- ~ 7 – 8:30pm ~ **An Evening with Eve Lazarus, NSh author, at the Library**
- A discussion of her latest book re Vancouver's First Forensic Investigator, John F.C.B. Vance, known as Canada's Sherlock Holmes.
- ~ 7 – 9pm ~ **OGCS Presentation and AGM** at Srs' Ctr. See: <http://ogcs.ca/news/ogcs-agm-wednesday-february-28/>
- Presentation: **Old-growth Coastal Temperate Rainforests** by Andy MacKinnon, renowned ecological researcher
- Much of what remains of these magnificent ecosystems is on the coasts of BC and Alaska. Groups such the UBCM, BC Chamber of Commerce, and the Sierra Club are calling for a new plan. What will the future hold for southwestern BC's old-growth forests?

**LATER:** Date/Place to be confirmed: Talk by Alys Shantz, author of *Cypress Park School 100 Years (1917-2017)*

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