



2019 Festivals & Events

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January 1 - 31 » 34TH ANNUAL BRACKENDALE EAGLE FESTIVAL

Celebrate the 34th annual Brackendale Eagle Festival, a month-long festival featuring a special line-up of concerts, lecture series, art shows, group tours and the 34th annual Bald Eagle Count held on the first Sunday until January 31. brackendaleartgallery.com

January 20 » SEA TO SKY WEDDING SHOW

Meet over 50 Sea to Sky affiliated wedding vendors at the West Coast Railway Heritage Park and get inspired by the bridal fashion shows. wcra.org

April 26 - 27 » REFRESH MARKET

A vintage and handmade market that brings a new experience every single time. Vendors are handpicked from Pemberton to the Lower Mainland to offer a wide range of new, handmade and vintage clothing, accessories, home decor, children's items and more. The event is held at the West Coast Railway Park's CN Roundhouse. refreshmarket.ca

May 5 » CHEAKAMUS CENTRE 50TH ANNUAL OPEN HOUSE

Tour a Coast Salish longhouse, salmon hatchery and participate in family-friendly activities to commemorate this special occasion. cheakamuscentre.ca

May 5 » SQUAMISH YOUTH TRIATHLON

Offering kids and young adults the opportunity to experience the sport of triathlon in a positive environment. The distances are much shorter than those in adult triathlons making it possible for most kids to finish successfully and have fun at the same time. squamishyouthtri.ca

May 18 - 20 & 25 - 26 » DAY OUT WITH THOMAS THE TANK

Thomas visits the West Coast Railway Heritage Park. Includes a 25-minute ride with Thomas the Tank Engine, a chance to meet Sir Topham Hatt - the Controller of the Railway, Thomas & Friends storytelling, imagination station, temporary tattoos and more. wcra.org

May 19 » LOOP THE LAKES TRAIL RACE

(8, 15 and 21km distances & 1km kids' race). This race has a reputation of being a family-friendly event with an encouraging atmosphere. With three distances to choose from, there is a distance for everyone in the family. This is the perfect start to the race season and an excellent opportunity to run some of the best trails Squamish offers. runsquamish.com

June 1 » HOME & GARDEN SHOW

Discover everything home and garden with special guest speakers, live demonstrations and more at the West Coast Railway Heritage Park CN Roundhouse. wcra.org

June 15 - 16 » SP'AKW'US 50

Enjoy a race suited to your interest and ability level with either the 50 km or 35 km distance. Come for the one-day race, stay for the 2-day party. For those wanting more, test your grit in the 2-day Challenge. spakwus50.com

June 16 | July 14 | August 11 » SQUAMISH STREET MARKET

Showcasing the best of Squamish life including food, drink, shopping, activities and entertainment in the heart of downtown. squamishstreetmarket.com

June 23 » SQUAMISH OFF ROAD TRIATHLON

21st annual tribute to Bob McIntosh. Features a lake swim, an off-road mountain bike ride through lush coastal forest and a scenic run course as well as fantastic volunteers who make it all happen. squamishtriathlon.org

July 6 » SQUAMISH BEER FESTIVAL

An outdoor celebration of craft beer culture in the heart of downtown Squamish. Over 50 breweries and craft cideries. Live music. Local food. One ticket. squamishbeerfestival.com

July 4 - 13 » BC BIKE RACE

The ultimate singletrack experience. Day 7 of the 2019 BC Bike Race gives racers a taste of the very best singletrack for which Squamish is renowned, BC Bike Race is in Squamish on July 13. bcbikerace.com

July 13 » CANADIAN DOWNWIND CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Canadian Downwind Championships is a point-to-point, mass start, downwind surfski race taking place on the Howe Sound. International racers, as well as many locals, take part in this race that has been described as one of the most beautiful race courses in the world. canadiandownwindchamps.com

July 18 - 20 » SQUAMISH WIND FESTIVAL

Paddle, play and soar at the annual Squamish Wind Festival, a free 3-day art and music festival celebrating all things wind and water. squamishwindfestival.com

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July 26 - 28 » SQUAMISH CONSTELLATION FESTIVAL

The Squamish Constellation Festival will shine the light on exceptionally curated music; art installations and expressions; local craft beverages; and exquisite culinary experiences in one of the most beautiful settings on the planet. constellationfest.ca

August 1 - 5 » SQUAMISH DAYS LOGGERS SPORTS FESTIVAL

An action-packed weekend of strength, skill, speed and true Squamish spirit. The festival is jam-packed with family-friendly activities including a parade, wacky bed races, an 8km run, legendary pancake breakfast along with two world-class Loggers Sports Shows. squamishdays.org

August 17 - 18 » SQUAMISH 50 TRAIL RUNNING FESTIVAL

(23 & 50km, 50-mile distances plus a kids race). Truly an unforgettable trail racing experience through the single and double track trails of Squamish. squamish50.ca

August 22 - 25 » KITE CLASH

Squamish plays host to the 2019 Kite Clash, Canadian National Championships in Freestyle Kiteboarding. Kite Clash is a multiday event celebrating kite riders across multiple disciplines. facebook.com/KiteClashSquamish

August 22 - 25 » ARC'TERYX CLIMBING ACADEMY

Four days of international speakers, educational seminars and clinics on topics related to climbing. Open air evenings of films and music. Free to the public. squamish.arcteryxacademy.com

September 7 » BRACKENDALE FALL FAIR

Come experience the annual Brackendale Fall Fair celebrating its 25th anniversary! This fall event is a Squamish local's favourite and offers fun for the whole family. brackendalefallfair.ca

September 13 - 14 » REFRESH MARKET

A vintage and handmade market that brings a new experience every single time. The event is held at the West Coast Railway Heritage Park's CN Roundhouse. refreshmarket.ca

October 27 - 31 » MYSTERY OF THE MAGIC PUMPKIN

Head to the West Coast Railway Heritage Park to search for your very own magic pumpkin. A fall adventure suitable for the whole family. wcra.org

November 15 - 16 » REFRESH MARKET

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November 23, 24 & 30 | December 1, 7, 8, 14 & 15 » POLAR EXPRESS

Kick off the Holiday season aboard the Polar Express! Children and adults alike will enjoy the one-hour train ride including tasty treats, music and stories, a visit to the North Pole to meet Santa and Mrs. Claus, a mini rail ride, and so much more! wcra.org

SUMMER FARMERS MARKET

Enjoy the best of Squamish every weekend throughout the summer. Stock up on fresh produce, eggs and artisan-made goods while supporting your local farmers at the Squamish Farmer's Market, every Saturday from 10am-3pm from April through October. squamishfarmersmarket.com

WINTER FARMERS MARKET

Enjoy the best of Squamish every weekend throughout the winter. Find freshly baked goods, glassworks, wood crafts, jewelry, locally produced clothing and crafts, bath and beauty products, and artwork at the indoor Squamish Farmers Winter Market, every Saturday from 10am-2pm from November through December. squamishfarmersmarket.com

