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5 Blackburn Avenue, Ontario

Acquired in 2001 as the permanent headquarters of the Heritage Canada Foundation, 5 Blackburn Avenue was built in 1904-05. The dignified three-storey red brick house features projecting bays, a deep-columned entry and side porch, and cross gabled gambrel roof. The spacious interior includes an elegant foyer, beautiful wood panelling and mouldings, and eight fireplaces. In 2004, 5 Blackburn was designated as a heritage building under the provincial Ontario Heritage Act. Open during regular office hours.

11 rue de l'Ancien-Chantier, Québec City

This 1670 property, comprising two adjacent buildings in a heritage row, stands in the lower town of historic Québec City. Québec City is one of two Canadian municipalities designated as a world heritage site by UNESCO. The building was purchased and restored by the Heritage Canada Foundation to serve as one of its regional offices. The office now serves as the home of the Fondation Rues Principales. This non-profit organisation assists in revitalising the downtowns of communities. Office open by appointment during business hours.

Myrtleville House

34 Myrtleville Drive, Brantford, Ontario

Tel: (519) 752 3216

A two-storey, nine-room house built c.1837-8. Originally owned by Allen and Eliza Good, the house was later occupied by four consecutive generations of the Good family. In 1978 the Good family donated the farmhouse, its contents and several acres of land to the nation (held in trust by Heritage Canada Foundation).

Myrtleville House Museum is open Mon to Fri 9am-4pm, and on Sat and Sun 1pm-4pm (July and August only).

The Papineau Chapel

Montebello, Québec

This stone memorial chapel was built in 1851 by Louis-Joseph Papineau, an important political figure who saw himself as the defender of the national heritage of French Canada. The chapel was the first building acquired by the Heritage Canada Foundation.

Chapel operated by the Société Louis-Joseph Papineau and is open for summer visitors.

Runciman House

478 St George Street, Annapolis Royal, Nova Scotia

Tel: (418) 694 9944

The Runciman House, originally built in 1817 for Anglican rector Rev John Millage, was purchased by George Runciman and his wife in 1822. Since then, six generations of the Runciman family have owned it. The Regency-style, one-and-a-half-storey, wood clapboard house has seen few alterations since it was built. Accessible to visitors by permission (leased as a private residence).



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For information relating to access and visiting hours please refer to the website.

▪ KOOTENAY REGION

Fort Shepherd Conservancy Area

A 2200 acre property running 8km along the west side of the Columbia River. The property is an ecologically unique area with the largest intact area of very dry, warm Cedar Hemlock in British Columbia. The property holds rare species of wildlife and in winter is home to deer and elk.

Wycliffe Wildlife Corridor

This 2695 acre protected area is a combination of dry grasslands, river frontage and rare Ponderosa Pine/bunchgrass habitat. It is an important wildlife corridor for mule deer and elk, and protects endangered grassland species.

▪ LOWER MAINLAND REGION

Baldwin House

The Baldwin House is a two-storey modern post and beam structure located on the shore of Deer Lake in Burnaby. It is an example of Burnaby's post Second World War progressive architecture. Designed by Arthur Erickson for the Baldwin family, the house blends into the natural surroundings and the site includes man-made landscape features such as a reflecting pool.

Centre Creek

Located in northeast Surrey, a 3.2km area from Fraser Heights, along the Surrey upland ridge, to the 176th Street Interchange.

Centre Creek has undergone a restoration project to reclaim the southern degraded area. The covenant partnership has provided 20 acres of protected green space and 500 metres of salmon habitat within the Centre Creek watershed.

Codd Wetland

This 250 acres in the northeast corner of Pitt Meadow BC was collectively purchased in 2004, providing a safe wildlife refuge for hundreds of species.

Eagles Estate Heritage Garden

5655 Sperling Avenue, Burnaby BC

The partially woodland Garden is a 1.6 acre sites located on the southeast shore of Deer Lake. The Garden is home to abundant wildlife and features stunning views of Deer Lake and the north shore mountains.

Open: daily, dawn till dusk. Interpretive Centre open May to Thanksgiving, Mon-Sat 9am-5pm.

Thwaytes Landing

An impressive 130 acre property located in the Indian Arm, directly across from the Buntzen Powerhouses. There are steep spectacular cliffs, rocky beaches and two provincial parks adjoin the Landing. The property has recreational potential and will provide a gateway to future trails in the Indian Arm. Access is only by boat.

▪ NORTHERN REGION

Horsefly River Riparian Conservation Area

The property represents 12km of river shoreline along the Horsefly River Valley. The area is used for sockeye, Chinook and Coho salmon and rainbow trout spawning and is home to songbirds, waterfowl and wading birds. There is a high density of grizzly and black bears and an exceptional moose winter habitat.

Koeye River Mouth

Located near Bella Bella

This 74 hectare property lies within the Great Bear Rainforest in the Koeye River Valley. The area has ecological and wildlife values and is recognised as a grizzly bear and salmon stronghold. Access by boat only.

Talking Mountain Ranch

(Also known as Reynold's Ranch)

Located on the west side of the Fraser River, 30 km west of Clinton. The landscape encompasses grasslands, riparian zones, wetlands, brush and transitional to sub-alpine forested slopes. There is a backdrop of towering hoodoos, limestone sinkholes and imposing canyons.

▪ OKANAGAN REGION

Avola Creek

These 7 acres are part of a salmon enhancement project for a rearing and spawning habitat. A small trail beginning at the point where Diamond Drive crosses Avola Creek winds through this property.

Eagle Bluff (South Okanagan Rehabilitation Centre for Owls)

The Eagle Bluff area supports a large diversity of species at risk, including the California Bighorn Sheep, Western Rattlesnakes, Pallid Bats, Night Snakes and Great Basin Spadefoot Toads. Located north of Oliver, in the Okanagan Valley, is a clinic and rehabilitation centre for birds of prey.

Hardy Mountain Doukhobor Village Historic site

3655 Hardy Mountain Road, Hardy Mountain

The area is a 16.9 acre property containing the remains of the historic Makortoff Doukhobor Village. The main village house was constructed in 1912 and all the large communal homes are based on the traditional design. The museum houses a diverse collection of early Doukhobor artefacts and hand crafted items used for daily living.

Lehman Springs

An ecologically unique area of forest containing large old growth Western Larches over 600 years old. The largest tree is 170 feet tall. The stand includes ponderosa pines, spruce, interior Douglas fir trees, large and small snags. Wildlife includes Red Tail Hawks, Pileated Woodpeckers, Flickers, owls and deer. There are nine natural springs, home to fresh water shrimp.

Access available by guided tours only. Contact TLC Penticton Office
Tel: (250) 492-0173 Fax: (250) 492-0176.

Max Lake

The covenant protects 5.72 hectares of fragile wetland and stream side (riparian) habitats. The area has a diverse range of plants and animals, a cool spring, small standing bodies of water and dense riparian vegetation.

Natasha Boyd Wetland Conservation Area

The Area comprises 160 acres of low-lying wetlands and upland forest. The woodland area is made up of paper birch, trembling aspen, white and black spruce, lodgepole pine and western red cedar. The wetlands include bogs, fens, shallow pools, ponds and is a habitat for moose, mule deer, grizzly and black bears, wolves, coyotes, beavers and snowshoe hares. A wide range of songbirds and waterfowl also inhabit the area.

Similkameen River Pines

113 acres located on the east side of the Similkameen River, adjacent to the Canada-US border. The property contains a number of habitat types and is home to threatened species, including the Canyon Wren, Gopher Snake, Northern Pacific Rattlesnake and species of bats. Commonly seen species include Great-horned owls, bald eagles, flickers, mule deer, black bear, cougar and coyote.

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▪ VANCOUVER ISLAND REGION

Abkhazi Garden

Victoria, British Columbia

The garden was created by Prince and Princess Abkhaza and covers one acre. The design is a natural landscape with dramatic glaciated rocky slopes, native Garry oaks and a wonderful vista. There are Japanese maples, conifers, rhododendrons and carpets of bulbs, alpiners and woodland companions.

Christmas Hill Nature Sanctuary

Access through Swan Lake Nature Sanctuary, off Rainbow Road or off Quadra Street in Victoria.

Christmas Hill and surrounding lands provide a greenspace area within the Capital Region. The nature sanctuary has an ecologically significant Garry oak meadow, a threatened native plant.

Clare Winnett Copeland Property

Shawnigan Lake, near Victoria

The area totals 0.91 hectares and is a healthy example of a Douglas-fir ecosystem with no exotic species. The majority is mature old growth Douglas-fir forest. On the west side are large Western red cedars adjacent to a pond.

Craigflower National Historic Sites of Canada

Located along the Gorge waterway, Capital Region

The site consists of Craigflower Manor and Schoolhouse. Both were built in the 1850's and were operated under the auspices of the Hudson's Bay Company.

Creekside Rainforest

The area represents old growth hemlock and cedar rainforest and is the only intact riparian habitat for salmon-bearing streams on Salt Spring Island. It also contains at-risk species such as the coastal Cutthroat trout, red-legged frog, and Pacific sideband snail.

Keating Farm Estate

Near Duncan, Vancouver Island

This 13 hectare farm property contains a number of heritage structures, including the main 1880's farmhouse. There is also a small wetland. The property is in the Agricultural Land Reserve and currently has a heritage orchard, bee hives, chickens, and fields for hay, grazing and mixed vegetables.

Nanaimo River

From Victoria turn right from the Trans-Canada Highway on to Thatcher Road, then right on to Frey Road for 1.5 km. Look for TLC signs at the pull-out.

The site contains 56 hectares of old growth Douglas-fir forest (an endangered ecosystem) and is used for commercial and recreational fisheries associated with the Nanaimo River and Haslam Creek. The intact riparian zone along the river forms a transition between aquatic and terrestrial environments. The property is easily accessed on foot.

Ross Bay Villa

This one-storey residence built in 1865 retains almost all its original detailing, both inside and out. The design is restrained Gothic Revival style. The grounds are restored to replicate the gardens appearance during the late 1860s.

Open for tours first Saturday of every month from Mar to Oct at 2pm.

Sooke Potholes

Follow Highway 14 North towards Sooke, turn right into Sooke River Road, 15 minutes drive to Sooke Potholes Provincial Park.

This property stretches 5km along the Sooke River where the deep, polished rock pools and canyons known as the Potholes are located. It is bound by the Sooke River and the Galloping Goose Regional Trail. The area offers recreational activities such as swimming, cycling, running and horse riding.

South Winchelsea Island

Located off Lantzville (just north of Nanaimo), access by boat only. The island is 10.4 hectares of largely undisturbed Garry Oak-Arbutus ecosystem managed as an ecological reserve. There are several endangered plant species and the island is a nesting place for many species of birds. California and Steller Sea Lions frequently use the shores. Visits are allowed – contact TLC in advance.

Wildwood

Merve Wilkinson established Wildwood in 1938 as an example of sustainable forest management. Wildwood is a widely recognised model for ecoforestry and has become a learning site for those wanting skills in ecoforestry.

There are more covenants and other properties the Land Conservancy holds in partnership – see the Land Conservancy website for details.



PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND MUSEUM AND HERITAGE FOUNDATION

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Acadian Museum of Prince Edward Island

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GPS N46 25.944 W-063 51.936
Discover the story of the Acadians' three hundred year presence on PEI. There is an interpretive video and exhibits of the Acadian history and culture. Stroll on the heritage trail where interpretive panels depict the Acadian story.
Open: 1 Sep to 30 Jun, Mon-Fri 9.30am-5pm, Sun 1pm-4pm. Check website for summer hours.

Basin Head Fisheries Museum

Tel: (902) 357-7233
Fax: (902) 357-7232
Email: basin_head@gov.pe.ca
GPS N46 22.734 W-062 6.594
The Museum tells the story of PEI's historic inshore fishery with displays and exhibitions that help you travel back to the time. There is a gift shop, food and beach services and a children's play village.
Open: daily, 9am-5pm. Closes for Season on 23 Sep, 5pm.

Beaconsfield Historic House

Tel: (902) 368-6603
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GPS N46 13.89 W-063 8.034
Beaconsfield was built in 1877 and is a symbol of Victorian elegance. This was one of Charlottetown's finest homes having twenty-five rooms, eight fireplaces and chandeliers. The house is open to the public for tours.

Open: Year round for tours. Winter hours – Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri 12noon-4pm. Other times by appointment.

Elmira Railway Museum

Tel: (902) 357-7234 Off season (902) 368-6600

Fax: (902) 357-3077

Email: Elmira@gov.pe.ca

GPS N46 26.336 W-062 3.952

Ride the miniature train to experience PEI's railway. Exhibits include a large model train collection, recount of the story of railroading on the Island and a recreated office and waiting room. Visitors can also hike or bike along the Confederation Trail, a scenic Island route.

Open: Mon-Fri 9am-5pm. Closed for the Season 23 Sep 5pm.

Eptek Art and Culture Centre

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GPS N46 23.361 W-063 47.173

Eptek offers regional and Island exhibits displaying themes ranging from history to art, including periodic displays of paintings by Island artist Dr Georgie Read Barton.

Open: Sep, Mon-Fri 10-4pm, Sun 12noon-4pm; Oct-May, Tues-Fri 10am-4pm, Sun 12noon-4pm; Jul & Aug, Mon-Sat, 9am-5pm, Sun 12noon-5pm.

Green Park Shipbuilding Museum and Yeo House

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The Museum re-lives the story of the ship building industry. The restored Victorian Yeo House was home of shipbuilder James Yeo Jr., one of the richest and most influential men in the colony.

Open: daily, 9am-5pm. Closes for the Season.

Orwell Corner Historic Village

Tel: (902) 651-8515 (summer)

Tel: (902) 651-8513 (winter)

Fax: (902) 651-8523

Email: tjl@eastlink.ca

Website: www.orwellcorner.ca

GPS N46 9.48 W-062 50.106

Orwell Corner displays the activities of PEI agriculture in the 1890's. Daily programming ranges from candle and icecream making to visiting the general store and the PEI Agricultural Heritage Museum. There is also a working blacksmith and old schoolhouse.

Open: 25 May to 26 Jun, Mon-Fri 9am-5pm; 1 Jul to 6 Sep, daily 9.30am-5pm; 8 Sep to 8 Oct, Sun-Thurs 9am-5pm. Closes for the Season 8 Oct.

