

SECHELT'S SUMMER SCENE



YEAR-ROUND PROGRAMS

1. SUNSHINE COAST BOTANICAL GARDEN

coastbotanicalgarden.org
Explore the amazing diversity of plants, check out the bee yard, and explore the pond and wetlands.
Fri - Wed, 11am - 4pm
5941 Mason Rd.
Admission by donation (free for members)

2. PUBLIC ART & MURALS GPS TOUR

baladodiscovery.com
Take a walk through downtown Sechelt to discover a variety of colourful murals and locally-made sculptures. Download the app for free.
Downtown Sechelt (via mobile app tour)
Free admission

3. SECHELT COMMUNITY ARCHIVES

archives.sechelt.ca
Find a wealth of historical information about Sechelt in everything from fascinating photographs, to informative interviews and detailed documents.
Thursdays 10am - 5pm
5797 Cowrie St.
Free admission

4. SECHELT FARMERS' & ARTISANS' MARKET

facebook.com/secheltmarket
This is the largest outdoor market on the Sunshine Coast. Here you'll find local artisans, farmers and hot food vendors operating rain or shine from April through the end of September.
Saturdays 9am - 2:30pm
Cowrie St. (between Ocean Ave. & Shorncliffe Ave.)
Free admission

5. SECHELT PUBLIC LIBRARY

sechelt.bclibrary.ca
A friendly community gateway to ideas, knowledge, and literature for

enjoyment and lifelong learning.
Mon/Tues & Thu/Fri 10am - 6pm,
Wed. 10am - 7pm, Sat. 10am - 5pm
5797 Cowrie St.
Free admission

6. SECHELT VISITOR CENTRE

secheltvisitorcentre.com
Let the friendly staff of the Sechelt Visitor Centre introduce you to all that Sechelt and the Lower Sunshine Coast have to offer.
Daily 9am - 5pm
Seaside Centre, 5790 Teredo St.
Free admission

7. SECHELT SCULPTURE GARDEN

sechelt.ca
Experience large-scale sculptures that reflect the people, environment, history, and spirit of Sechelt.
Daily during daylight hours
5797 Cowrie St.
Free admission

8. SUNSHINE COAST ARTS CENTRE

sunshinecoastartscouncil.com
The August exhibition "50 Canadian Things" is based on stories from the book "A Number of Things" by Jane Urquhart.
Mon - Sat, 11am - 4pm & Sun. 1pm - 4pm
5714 Medusa St.
Free admission

9. TEMS SWIYA MUSEUM

shishalh.com
"tems swiya" means "Our World" in the shishishalhem. This museum houses, preserves, and displays objects that are important to the social and cultural identity of the shishálh Nation.
Mon - Fri, 9am - 4:30pm
House of hewhiwus,
5555 Sunshine Coast Hwy.
Admission by donation

FESTIVALS & EVENTS

10. SECHELT SUMMER MUSIC SERIES

facebook.com/secheltsummermusicseries
Enjoy a free concert by local musicians! Sponsored by the District of Sechelt, this summer concert series showcases our local musical talent and features different performers each week.
Saturdays in July & August 12pm - 2pm
Sechelt Library lawn, 5797 Cowrie St.
Free admission

11. DAVIS BAY SANDCASTLE COMPETITION

scionsclub.com
The Sunshine Coast Lions Club presents this family-friendly event. Enjoy creative sand creations, live music, great food & more!
Sat. Jul. 23, 10:30am - 1:30pm
Davis Bay Beach & Mission Point Park
\$10 to enter competition

12. FESTIVAL OF THE ROLLING ARTS

coasterscarclub.com/sleepy-hollow/
It's the 22nd anniversary of the Sleepy Hollow Rod Run and the Show "n' Shine collectible car events! Friday is the Rod Run parade, and Saturday the street will be filled with classic cars, hot rods, and specialty vehicles.
Fri. Aug. 11, 1pm - 6:30pm, Hackett Park
Sat. Aug. 12, 10am - 4pm, Cowrie St.
Free Admission

13. POWER OF PAINT ART EXHIBITION

facebook.com/ElevenEqualArtists
This captivating event showcases the paintings of 11 local artists, and offers a glimpse into their artistic world.
Fri. Aug. 18, 5pm - 9pm (opening reception)
Sat. Aug. 19, 10am - 6pm
Sun. Aug. 20, 10am - 5pm
Seaside Centre, 5790 Teredo St.
Free admission

14. FESTIVAL OF THE WRITTEN ARTS

writersfestival.ca
Celebrating 35 years, the Festival of the Written Arts brings both renowned and emerging writers of a wide range of genres from across Canada.
Thurs. Aug. 17, 8pm
Fri. Aug. 18, 9am - 9:30pm
Sat. Aug. 19, 9am - 9:30pm
Sun. Aug. 20, 9am - 8:30pm
Rockwood Pavilion,
5511 Shorncliffe Ave.
\$16 per/presentation. Tickets available at Festival office, by phone at 604-885-9631 or online at www.share-there.com/writersfestival

15. HACKETT PARK ARTS & CRAFTS FAIR

sunshinecoastartscouncil.com
Now in its 30th year, this craft fair offers one-of-a-kind arts and crafts along with live entertainment, face painting, and a selection of mouth-watering food choices, and a beer garden!
Sat. Aug. 19, 10am - 5pm
Sun. Aug. 20, 10am - 4pm
Hackett Park, 5755 Medusa St.
\$3 adults, \$2 seniors, free for children 12 & under

16. SCC SOLAR ECLIPSE DAY

coastastronomy.ca
View the solar eclipse safely from Davis Bay with the Sunshine Coast Centre of the RASC. Take a peek at solar flares and sun spots through a solar telescope.
Mon. Aug. 21, 9am - 11:30am
Davis Bay Seawall
Free admission

17. ROGUE ARTS FESTIVAL

roguefest.ca
Enjoy a 3 day outdoor festival including non-stop music, interactive installations, workshops, Rogue Art Gallery and so much more!
Fri. Aug. 25, 5pm - 11pm
Sat. Aug. 26, 10am - 11pm
Sun. Aug. 27, 10am - 5pm
Clarke Farm, Tyson Rd.
Advance Weekend Passes \$30 - \$75

18. HARVEST FESTIVAL

coastbotanicalgarden.org
This is a great family-friendly day. Enjoy live music, check out the plant sale, bake sale, and garlic sale, visit the demonstration veggie garden and learn new tricks for your own crops.
Sun., Sept. 3, 11am - 4pm
SC Botanical Garden, 5941 Mason Rd.
Admission by donation

