

# Shawnigan Lake Museum

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Dear Members,

## Heritage Fair



Come one, come all to the **Third Annual Shawnigan Lake Heritage Fair!** Hosted by the Shawnigan Lake Historical Society, this day of old fashioned fun has something in store for the entire family!



## Upcoming Events

### August 19

Michael Layland was trained as an officer and a mapmaker in the Royal Engineers. Michael lives in Victoria and is acknowledged as one of Vancouver Island's foremost map historians. He has recently published a book, *Land of Heart's Delight*, a coffee table book on early maps and charts of Vancouver Island. The book will be available for purchase. Please R.S.V.P. as seating is limited. Admission by donation.

### September 1

Check out our Scarecrow during the Scarecrow Trail. The organization with the best offering gets money for the charity of their choosing. So vote for us!

### August 30

Our extended summer hours will be ending at the conclusion of August.

- Pack a picnic and join us for an old fashioned community get together. Not to worry if you can't find your picnic baskets however as there will be old fashioned fair food available for purchase at the event.

- Participate in races, games, entertainment, and much more! Our preliminary schedule includes toy steam boat races at 11:00 and 2:00; stories from a professional story teller at 11:30 and 1:30; and classic children's races at 12:30.

- Enjoy demonstrations of old time crafts and skills, and displays of vintage vehicles. Including offerings from the Ford motoring club as well as other local enthusiasts.

- Dress up and get your family portrait taken in our photo booth. We have a great selection of historical costumes and accessories to make you look like a proper lord or lady from the days of old.

- Visit our community memory tent. Gather to trade stories and talk about the community's past.



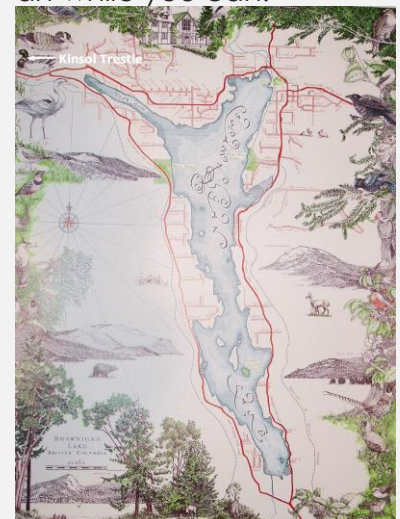
The Public Beach at Shawnigan Lake (Mason's Beach)

## Support the Museum

This past July turned out to be a great month for visitors, making this our best month on record! So thanks to all of you who made it out to join us on Canada Day or popped in to visit during the rest of the month.

We got a few new reviews on Trip Advisor, check those out and maybe consider writing one yourself, we love to hear your feedback.

The much anticipated George Norris tea towels are in and they have been going like hotcakes! Stop by and grab one of these great pieces of Shawnigan Lake art while you can.



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