

Capital Bike Presents:

Downtown Victoria Scavenger Hunt

Go By Bike Week 



About this

Scavenger Hunt

May 31 - June 6 2021

Welcome Scavenger Hunters!

Planning on logging those kms during Go By Bike Week but not sure where to go? We've got you covered!

Without our usual Celebration Stations to visit, Capital Bike has restarted our popular Neighbourhood Rides program with a few special rides released during Go By Bike Week 2021. To complete this Scavenger Hunt, solve the clues below, taking pictures at your favourite locations, then share them on social media with the hashtag "#GoByBikeWeek2021" to be entered to win prizes. Otherwise, you can send in photo submissions to james@biketowork.ca.

Log This Ride!

Log rides at www.GoByBikeBC.ca ! It's easy! You can even link your Strava account to make tracking kms even easier.

How the rides work:

For each Discovery Ride and Scavenger Hunt we provide both an information sheet including clues and points of interest, as well as a custom Google Map to help make finding the route easier. Find this ride's google map here:

<http://ow.ly/v06I50EW2qV>

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Please follow the COVID-19 Provincial Health Officer guidelines and protocols, as well as any local municipal guidelines in your community, while participating in Go By Bike activities.

Victoria

Clues

Scavenger Hunt

1. A cemetery with notable interments including Emily Carr and 12 former BC Premiers.
2. The world's tallest freestanding totem pole. A 173-ft. totem pole with carved Kwakwaka'wakw figures, including a bear, a whale, & the Sun Man.
3. New car-free areas in and around Beacon Hill Park.
4. The house of the first doctor in Victoria, John Helmecken, supposedly one of the most haunted places in Victoria.
5. A large downtown theatre, visible from a protected bike lane, originally run by theatre magnate Alexander Pantages. The theatre was part of one of North America's most important Vaudeville circuits in the 1910s and 20s.
6. A bicycle counter.
7. The highest point of land on the south coast of Vancouver Island.
The sight of a weather station for 75 years which is now a heritage building
8. A castle built for the wealthy industrialist Robert Dunsmuir between 1887 and 1890, now a popular tourist destination.

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9. A 92-year-old 175 seat community theatre.
10. A bridge which was initially constructed in the early 1920s before being recently replaced and reopened in 2018, which now has devoted 50% of its deck space to pedestrians and cyclists.
11. A small island which was the site of a first nations burial ground, sadly desecrated by vandals in the 1860s. Visible from a popular multi-use path and near the site of a GBBW Celebration Station.
12. An urban farm located in Dockside Green, which hosts a market at the end of the Galloping Goose trail.
13. A large cathedral. The City of Victoria has several imposing Cathedrals, with stained glass windows, large towers, and impressive stone architecture. Spot one on your bike ride!
14. The Victoria Coast Guard Station.

Congratulations! You have completed the Victoria Scavenger Hunt. Remember to post a photo from your ride using #GoByBikeWeek2021 on social media, or send a photo to james@biketowork.ca to be entered to win prizes for this Neighbourhood Ride.