

DISCOVERY ISLAND



Quadra Island is part of an archipelago known as the Discovery Islands. Located near Vancouver Island and accessible by ferry from Campbell River, it is a real haven of nature and is rich in First Nations history and culture. If you have a few more days after a Vancouver Island itinerary, we recommend paying them a visit!

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WHAT TO DO

QUADRA ISLAND★★

Quadra Island is a spectacular destination for water sports enthusiasts. You can rent a kayak on the island, or take a guided kayak tour on the clear coastal waters around the island. The marine waters around Quadra Island are home to a dazzling array of underwater life. Snorkeling is the perfect activity for viewing

this fascinating underwater ecosystem.

CHINESE MOUNTAINS★★

Quadra Island is also home to several provincial parks, providing opportunities for hiking, rock climbing and even mountain biking. Chinese Mountains are a well-known Quadra Island landmark and the destination for one of the

Island's more popular hiking trails. The vista from the south peak is stunning, with views of Rebecca Spit, the vast dark Vancouver Island forest to the west and the mainland Coast Range Mountains to the east.

NUYUMBALEES CULTURAL CENTRE★

Would you like to learn more about the First Nations

peoples of Quadra Island? This fascinating museum is home to a large collection of cultural and historical artifacts of the Kwak'waka, Laich-Kwil-Tach and K'omoks people. There is also an exhibit dedicated to local languages and dialects.

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 250-914-8762
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SUNSET ON THE PACIFIC OCEAN

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THE CANADIAN "RAINFORREST"

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SEA KAYAKING WITH ORCAS

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WHERE TO EAT

1 CAFÉ AROMA (\$)

If you're looking for a place for breakfast or for a good cup of coffee, this is the place for you! Known for its quality coffee beans and warm, friendly service, this charming eatery has something to please everyone.

685, HERIOT BAY ROAD,
QUATHIASKI COVE
250-285-2404
WWW.CAFEAROMAQUADRA.CA

2 YELLOW ROSE FOOD TRUCK (\$\$)

The Yellow Rose TX BBQ Company, owned by retired Major Anthony P. Minderman, has been serving authentic Texan flavors since February 2023. Minderman, inspired by his mother and father-in-law, perfected the art of BBQ through years of competition and personal exploration. With menu highlights like the Loaded Hashbrown Brisket Bowl, Minderman's food truck brings the true taste of Texas to Indiana.

1, LIGHTHOUSE ROAD,
QUATHIASKI COVE
250-830-2299
WWW.CAPEMUDGERESORT.BC.CA

3 GOWLLAND HARBOUR RESORT DINING ROOM (\$\$\$)

Renowned for its meat dishes and its fusion cuisine, this restaurant is a must. You may choose to be seated close to the two-storey stone fireplace or at a harbour-view window. The Gowlland dining room was even recommended in National Geographic "Canada's 50 places of a Lifetime"! Reservations required.

823, GOWLLAND HARBOUR ROAD,
QUADRA ISLAND
250-285-3572
WWW.GOWLLANDHARBOUR.COM



SEA LIONS

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NATIVE TOTEM

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FESTIVALS

Quadra Island Studio Tour

Dates : early June

Visit the far reaches of Quadra Island, where artists open their studios to present their latest creations. The Studio Tour is an excellent way to explore the island and to discover a wide range

of art techniques. The Community Centre is transformed into an art gallery for the occasion.

www.quadraislandarts.com

Quadrapalooza

Dates : early September

This annual weekend long family

event takes place at the Quadra Island Community Centre and showcases a huge selection of diverse Canadian artists on a multitude of different stages.

Workshops, music, juggling, dancing and more.

www.quadrapalooza.com

