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Community Events

Spring

Annual Flag Raising Ceremony: April
Annual Spring Craft Fair: April
Kitimaat Basketball Tournament: April

Summer

Kitimat Memorial Hill Climb: June
Canada Day Celebration: July
Friday Night Market: June to August

Fall

Annual Coho Fish Derby: September
Halloween Howl: October

Winter

Rail Jam: January
Winterfest: February
Annual Winter Craft Fair: November
Light Up Kitimat: December

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Ya'uč̓ *(hello)* from the Chief

On behalf of the Haisla Nation, welcome to our territory! Our Haisla peoples have hunted, fished and gathered on these lands for a span of many millennia. Located in an inlet of the Douglas Channel, our community is known as Kitamaat Village and is home to 700 of our 2027+ members.

We are delighted to have you here! Whether your visit is for business or personal there is a little something for everyone from local shops to walking trails and of course breath-taking views of the Douglas Channel.

If you are interested in taking the 11 km drive to our community, make sure to check out the moderate footpath leading to a gazebo that offers an amazing view of the ocean. The trail is just off the Kitamaat Village Road as you descend the hill toward MK Bay Marina. MK Bay Marina offers long-term and short-term moorage as well as several other amenities. While visiting our community stop by our Haisla Health Centre where you can view the beautiful artwork that adorns the front of the building. The artwork was completed by Haisla artists Paul Windsor, Barry Wilson, Brad Starr, Sammy Robinson, and Nathan Wilson. Want to enjoy a treat during your visit? Check out our local community store situated near the shoreline that is well known for their tasty frozen yogurt. With your frozen yogurt in hand, you can then continue along our front road, Haisla Avenue, toward our marine dock area known to locals as “the bay”, there you will find our boardwalk with an ocean backdrop that on a sunny day makes for a perfect Instagram story capture.

For those who may not know, Haisla Nation is also home to author Eden Robinson, who received the Ethel Wilson Fiction Prize for her novel *Monkey Beach*. The novel was made into a movie and was filmed around Kitamaat/Kitimat. *Traplines*, a collection of short stories, also won Eden Britain’s Winifred Holtby Memorial prize. The hip-hop duo Snotty Nose Rez Kids also hail from Haisla. Quinton “Yung Trybez” Nyce and Darren “Young D” Metz have been blazing a trail musically and have been shortlisted for the Polaris Music Prize four times, nominated for the Canadian Juno Awards, and have won multiple Western Canadian Music Awards.

While there is so much more that can be shared, from our origin story to an archeological dig that led to a profound find in our territory dating our ancestors in this area as far back as 223, I will stop here. If you are interested in learning more about our Nation, please visit our website at haisla.ca. We hope whatever brought you here creates wonderful memories that will last a lifetime. Enjoy your visit!

'anátzax̓w nóg̓wúł̓a / I thank you.

'iks g̓wáilas / goodbye/take care,

Crystal Smith

Elected Chief Councillor

Haisla Nation

Welcome from the Mayor



If this is your first time in Kitimat, I extend a warm welcome and I am sure you'll be pleasantly surprised by what our community has to offer.

Kitimat is a unique place that's difficult to fully describe with words alone. In our town you'll find the things a strong community should have; wonderful local restaurants and familiar chains, stores for your general or specific needs, and accommodations for your stay.

Throughout the fall and winter there is a local association that arranges top performers and acts from across Canada to come to Kitimat. The municipality's own Leisure Services Department also hosts numerous workshops for self-improvement and skill building, not to mention our dozens upon dozens of playgrounds throughout the community with an extensive walkway system to connect them.

These are some of the things you can enjoy as you spend your time in Kitimat and we wanted you to know what we have here as we know you may have likely come to Kitimat for the other things we offer; boundless wilderness, great fishing, and access to nature.

The Kitimat River is certainly one of the top fishing destinations in B.C. with year-round opportunities to catch. We are set up as a community with great access to surrounding mountains, the ocean and the river.

We pride ourselves on being a town where you can wake up, get to the river, take in the fresh air, and still get back to our downtown and enjoy the local amenities all within minutes of each other.

I also encourage you to take the time while you're here to learn what you can of the rich history of the Haisla Nation, whose territory includes the District of Kitimat. There is information in this guide that can start you off for that.

We hope you enjoy your time in Kitimat and come to appreciate it as much as we do. I personally can attest to the rewarding experiences our community has to offer. Enjoy your stay, and we look forward to your next visit as well.

Mayor Phil Germuth

Haisla Nation

The Haisla Nation is in a period of intense and rewarding self-discovery, embracing its cultural and language roots while pulling up evidence of its long and storied past in this Valley.

Haisla have inhabited this territory for thousands of years, and that history came alive in the summer of 2020 when Haisla and their industrial partners - in the course of conducting environmental restoration work in Minette Bay - unearthed ancient Haisla fishing weirs.

Radiocarbon dating found that these weirs were installed and in use as much as 1800 years ago.

It is a significant find that opens a window to Haisla history.

Times have not always been as simple as they likely were those thousands of years ago. In 1918, an influenza pandemic drastically reduced the Haisla population, and Haisla are certainly not immune to the further traumas of the Indian Residential School and its ongoing, difficult legacy.

Today's Haisla, in fact, are an amalgamation of Kemano (Hanaksiala), Kitlope and Haisla.

The Haisla social system is based on matrilineal clans. Each clan has a *hiḿ áas* (hey-maus: chief) and *músmezit* (moos-moo-gheethl: matriarch). The present-day clan system is as follows: Beaver, Raven, Eagle, Killer Whale/Black Fish/Salmon. Historically there were the Crow, Frog and Wolf clans but due to declining numbers, they amalgamated with other clans.

Not far into the 21st century, discussions with proponents have kicked off an era of development and inclusion of the Haisla into proposed plans of Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) in the Kitimat Valley.

A wave of new opportunities and resources has meant growing employment opportunities for Haisla members and has given the Nation as a whole the opportunity to embark on its own dreams of economic independence - namely through the Haisla-led Cedar LNG project.

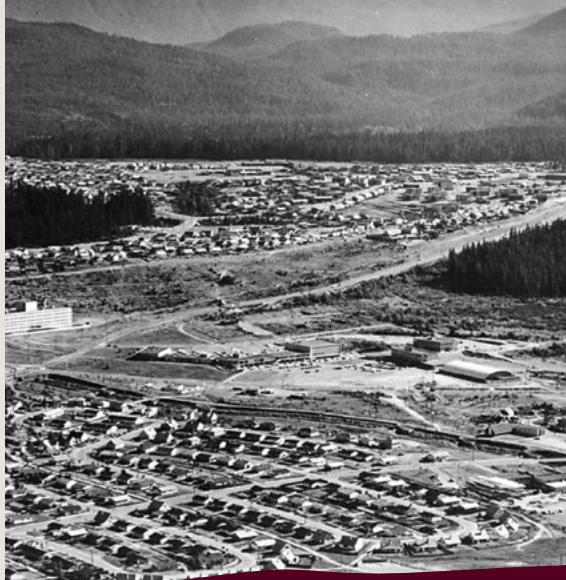
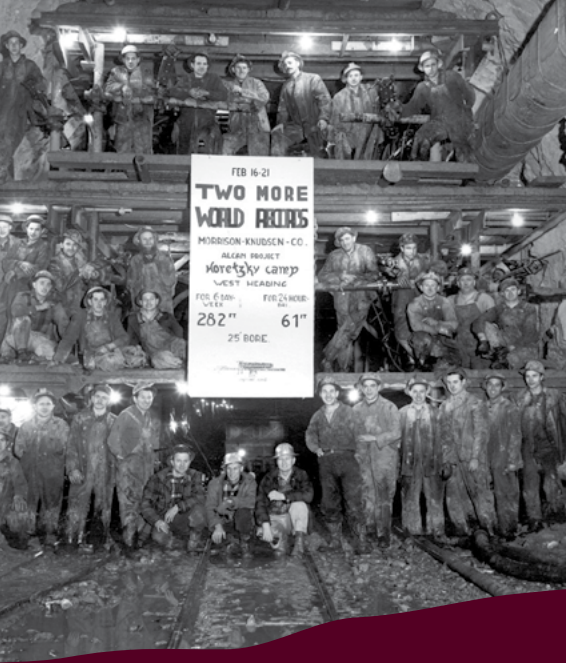
Leaders within the Haisla Nation have long asked for a Share and Say in what is built and how it is built in the territory, and that vision is being realized today.

Meanwhile, the Haisla Culture & Language program is doing the important leg work of preserving, and teaching, Haisla's history, language, and *nuyem*. (The collection of Haisla history, stories, and laws).

For further information, visit [haisla.ca/Haisla Our History](http://haisla.ca/Haisla%20Our%20History) where you can view the Haisla Origin Story.



While Kitimaat is the Tsimshian word for "People of the Snow", the Haisla name for Kitimaat Village is "Tsee-Motsa", meaning Snag Beach.



About Us

Kitimat is on the traditional territory of the Haisla people. The community was created to serve the industry in the 1950s and attracted workers from around the world. Kitimat has twice been the site of Canada's largest-ever private investment.

History

Kitimat was considered the “place to be” in North America in the 1950s, both for the new town plan, which was considered revolutionary and for its pioneer engineering feats.

During the post-war industrial boom, the Kitimat Project was the largest construction project of the time. A model of modern Canadian ingenuity, as the country's wild landscape, was surmounted with Kitimat's construction – from scratch. Records were set, there was innovation at every turn, and the result was the largest smelter in the world and a premier community to go with it.

The provincial and federal governments, along with the Aluminum Company of Canada, promoted Kitimat around the world. The community was designed for the worker and their families. The fulfillment of the residents' needs as the focus of a town plan was revolutionary.

The plant officially opened on August 3, 1954, with His Royal Highness Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, tapping the first ingot.

Kitimat Project

Kitimat was built to support the construction and operation of the new industry-leading Alcan aluminum smelter in the 1950s.

The massive Kitimat Project was completed in just five years and included a dam, tunnel, powerhouse, transmission line, smelter, and Kitimat – British Columbia's first planned community.

The community was designed by renowned city planner Clarence Stein to facilitate an environment that would attract and retain workers.

Multiculturalism in Kitimat

Kitimat enjoyed a strong multicultural community spirit from early on, which continues to this day. There was a popular saying in the old days: “If you want to study a foreign language, go stand at the bus stop.”

While provincial and federal governments, along with Alcan (formerly the Aluminum Company of Canada), promoted Kitimat around the world – Alcan also hired across the prairies and in major centres using radio, television and industry press, attracting both English and French-speaking Canadians. Community groups formed as new residents hailed from Italy, Portugal, Greece, India, China, the Philippines, Finland and elsewhere.

Be sure to check out Heritage Park! Home to a variety of flags from all over the world representing many of the different multicultural groups that reside in Kitimat.

To learn more about Kitimat's culture and history, visit the Kitimat Museum and Archives or www.kitimatmuseum.ca.

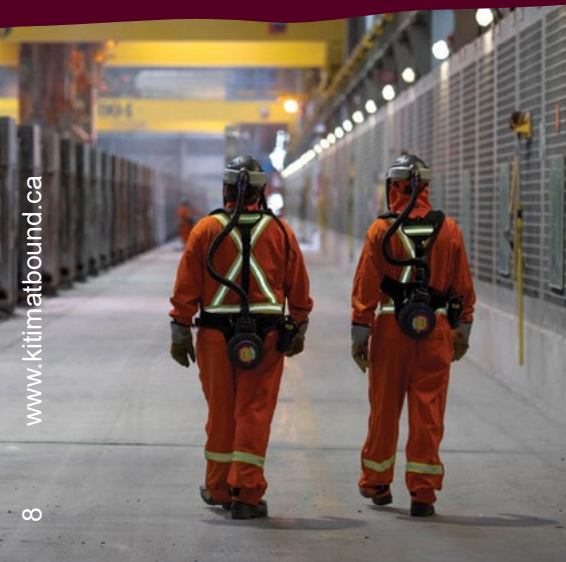


Alcan's Kitimat-Kemano project was the largest private construction project in North America in the 1950s. Kitimat made history for the second time in October 2018 - LNG Canada's project is the largest private investment in the history of Canada.

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Building on our past and celebrating our successes along the way, we are creating a more sustainable future. Together.





The Aluminum City Telethon (ACT)

Continues each year in October at the Mount Elizabeth Theatre. It has supported numerous local organizations and programs since 1979. The whole family is welcome to experience live performances, raffles, special guests, and be part of Kitimat's wonderful community spirit.

Discover

From local galleries, artisan crafts and historical museums, both in Kitimat and nearby, we offer a thriving arts and culture scene and rich history.

Kitimat maintains a vibrant and diverse arts and culture scene with public art, exhibitions, concerts, theatre, a pottery studio, and many more cultural programs and experiences.

Imaginative residents, modern infrastructure and a strong regional presence of the Haisla First Nation together provide an ideal environment for artistic and cultural endeavors.

Blackfish Gallery

Art gallery specialized in Native art, offering a wide variety of woodwork and accessories.

650 Raven Crescent, Kitimat Village | 250-632-6469

Kitimat Museum & Archives

Kitimat Museum & Archives offers displays on Kitimat's history, Haisla arts, local flora and fauna and Douglas Channel's sea life.

293 City Centre, Kitimat | 250-632-8950

www.kitimatmuseum.ca

Mount Elizabeth Theatre

MET is an acoustic multi-use auditorium where theatrical productions, concerts, recitals, conventions, and award ceremonies happen.

1491 Kingfisher Avenue | 250-632-7887

Sammy Robinson Gallery

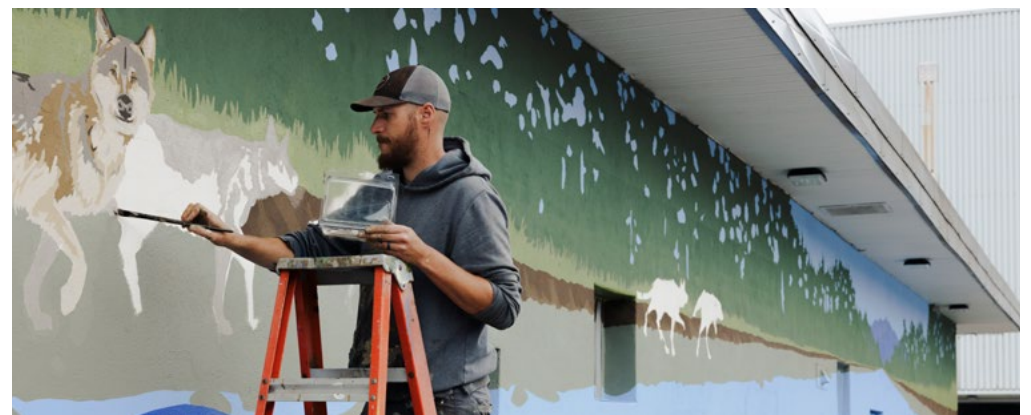
Renowned Haisla carver's eponymous gallery featuring artwork made of wood, silver and gold. His unique, finely detailed style tells the story of Haisla history and culture.

416 Haisla Avenue, Kitimat Village | 250-632-9790

Murals

The Kitimat Public Art Alliance (KPAA) is a group of community members from diverse backgrounds working towards the goal of increasing the amount of public art in Kitimat. Our first objective was to facilitate the creation of several murals by professional artists in the City Centre area of downtown Kitimat. Our theme for these murals is "our natural environment" which may include landscapes, flora, fauna, and the people who inhabit it, depending on the inspiration of each individual artist. Thanks to the generosity of the District of Kitimat and private donations and fundraising the community is home to three new murals with more planned for the next several years.

For more info contact KitimatPAA@gmail.com



Our Parks

The Kitimat Region is home to many coastal parks, protected areas, and heritage conservancies. Some you can get to by land, others are more remote and accessible only by water.

There are park spaces suitable for all members of the family, including outdoor wading pools and green spaces, skateboard and bike parks, along with many playgrounds throughout town!

Coghlin Park

Located on Haisla Boulevard, this scenic lookout provides spectacular views of the Douglas Channel from the manicured gardens of Coghlin and Kemano Parks. Gazing down the channel you may catch a glimpse of large ships coming in to the industrial docks or one of the many smaller recreational boats dotting the water. To the east you will see the calm waters of Minette Bay and the islands and coastal mountains provide a breathtaking backdrop to the view.

Heritage Park

Heritage Park is located outside the Kitimat Chamber of Commerce and Visitor Centre. Heritage Park is home to a variety of flags from all over the world representing many of the different multicultural groups who reside in Kitimat. Visitors will also find benches, picnic tables, an information kiosk, covered gazebo and our Spirit Bear decorated with First Nations artwork. An amphitheatre to host arts and cultural events was built in 2020, sponsored by the District of Kitimat, DCH Industries, and Northern Development Initiative Trust. It's a perfect area for an afternoon picnic or rest stop.

Centennial Park

Centennial Park was built in 1971 to commemorate the 100th anniversary of British Columbia's entry into Confederation. The Park boasts beautiful flower gardens, picnic tables, benches, a cenotaph war memorial, water fountain and totem pole. The totem pole depicts the story of Hunclee Qualaas or Waamis and the founding of Kitimat. The top figure is Waamis and below him are the legendary monsters that inhabited the Kitimat Valley. The park is a great place to enjoy a picnic or a leisurely stroll around the beautiful gardens. Centennial Park is located in City Centre across from Upper City Centre Mall.

Lion's Park

Lions Park is a popular destination for families looking for outdoor fun in the sun. The park boasts a well-equipped playground, picnic tables and beautiful manicured gardens.

Located near the entrance of the Tamitik Recreation Complex, Lions Park is the perfect place to have a picnic after a swim or a day of shopping!

Minette Bay West

Minette Bay West, first opened in 2022, is an ocean-front nature park just minutes from Kitimat's downtown. Set right on Kitimat's Minette Bay, this park provides space for evening cookouts over a fire pit, walks along an easy nature trail, and covered seating with a view down the Kitimat Arm of the Douglas Channel. Signage along the road provides directions to the park, and you can also visit our website at www.kitimat.ca/parks.

Kitimat's latest nature park is a sight to sea

- Waterfront access
- Covered viewpoint
- Picnic tables
- Designated fire pits
- Nature trail

MINETTE BAY WEST



Haisla Hill Trail System

In conjunction with land-owners and in agreement with Haisla Nation, development of the Haisla Hill Trail System will extend down towards the Skills Course and Pump Track in Strawberry Meadows. The Haisla Hill Trail System is anticipated to have several downhill tracks which will vary in difficulty level and welcome all ages and skill levels. The hope is to expand the trails throughout the years and include an expansive system through the Kitimat wilderness.

Giant Spruce Park

Sitka Spruce commonly grow up to 70m tall and 2m across when mature. Giant Spruce Park is located on the shores of the Kitimat River flood plain. The remains of the previously registered “largest living Sitka Spruce in BC” can be found in the park. The tree measures 11.2m in circumference (36.7ft) and once stood 50.32m tall (165ft). As you walk the trail of this park you will notice the forest floor is thick with moss, ferns, and blueberry bushes.

Adventure Parks

Kitimat offers a wide range of park facilities including a challenging skate, bike and board park. Accessible equipment is available at a number of these parks while others include wide open green spaces. The community is uniquely connected with a series of paths through green spaces to eliminate excessive crossing of major streets. During summer months access is available to wading pools operated by the District of Kitimat.

For more information and park locations visit www.kitimatbound.ca or www.kitimat.ca

Kitimat Dog Park

Let Fido exercise and play off-leash in a controlled environment under your supervision. The fenced dog park allows owners and their dogs to spend time together and offers your dog(s) a space to play and companionship with others. The dog park offers agility obstacles and fresh water for dogs. Located on Kuldo Boulevard. Please clean up after your dog - bags and garbage containers are provided at the park. Other off-leash areas include Dyke Road and Forest Avenue.

Radley Park

A campers' mecca in the heart of great fishing country, Radley Park is a 38-unit campground situated on the western bank of the Kitimat River. Only minutes from downtown Kitimat, Radley Park is an ideal summer getaway.

Adventurous campers can take advantage of the many recreational opportunities available on the Kitimat River, including trout and salmon fishing, canoeing, kayaking, and class-two white water rafting.

Radley Park also has picnic tables as well as a shelter with a barbeque and tables.

Hirsch Creek Park

This scenic park is located at the entrance to Kitimat on Highway 37S. Hirsch Creek Park is convenient to town and features numerous picnic sites along the riverbank, a sheltered barbeque area, dry toilets, and seven campsites. A beautiful spot for fishing and hiking, Hirsch Creek Park is perfect for the whole family and for those who would like to “get away”. A stroll through the old growth forest is a relaxing and renewing experience.

The park has a 9-hole disc golf course with a beginner-friendly RED layout and a longer BLUE layout for those wanting an extra challenge, play both to get a full 18 holes in. Discs are available for rent or purchase through the District of Kitimat's Leisure Services at the Riverlodge Recreation Centre.

Call 250-632-8970 for more information.

Oviatt Bike Park

Generously funded and developed by Jack and Debbie Oviatt, a new community Skills Course and Bike Pump Track is now fully functional and open in Kitimat! This project boasts several fun elements, including: a pump track, half pipe element, progressive drops, dirt jumps, wooden obstacles, kids track, and much more. The park spans across several acres in Strawberry Meadows and is well under development!

For more information visit www.mecakitimat.com

Discover

You don't come to Kitimat for a typical vacation or an all-inclusive cruise. You come here to explore! We are a sport fisher's paradise, and so much more.

We've got epic hikes, and a host of water adventure options from kayaking to excellent charter, guide and eco-tour services.



Whale Watching

The Douglas Channel is one of the widest and deepest waterways on the west coast and a perfect place for whales to thrive thanks to rich food sources, quiet waters and deep fjords.

Seeing multiple pods of killer whales and/or humpbacks (depending on the season!) when out fishing or on a boat tour is standard in Kitimat. There are not many places in the world where you can say the same!

Killer Whales - The iconic orcas of the Eastern Pacific arrive in Kitimat in June, just in time to feed off salmon running into the Kitimat River.

Humpback Whales - Humpback whales begin their migration in early spring and arrive in August. Their preferred source of food in Kitimat is herring, in addition to krill and other small fish such as mackerel.

The wildlife that inhabit the Kitimat area are spectacular and the Douglas Channel is home to marine mammals both large and small. While you're out whale watching in Kitimat – see if you can also spot harbour porpoises, pacific white-sided dolphins in the water, the Kermode bear or grizzlies on the land from the boat, or majestic bald eagles in the sky!

Jesse Falls

Jesse Falls is a 10-metre-high freshwater waterfall that drains directly out of Jesse Lake and into the ocean. Only accessible by boat.

Hot Springs

Kitimat's wild marine hot springs are natural and sulphur-free. What else could be better than mother nature's hot tub surrounded by spectacular views? These hot springs are only accessible by boat.

Bishop Bay Hot Springs

Hot springs at Bishop Bay come out of the ground from a crevice in the granodiorite bedrock right beside the bath house.

Water temperature at the bath house is about 38.8 degrees Celsius.

Coordinates: N 53° 28' 11.89", W 128° 50' 11.85"

Shearwater Hot Springs

Shearwater Hot Springs are also known as Europa Hot Springs. The hot springs and bath house are located along the north shore of a small bay between Shearwater Point and Europa Point.

Water comes from cracks in the bedrock at the bottom of the hot springs and its temperature at the bathhouse is about 40.6 degrees Celsius.

Coordinates: N 53° 41' 36.95", W 128° 47' 33.06"

Weewanie Hot Springs

Weewanie Hot Springs is nestled in a semi-sheltered bay. There is a bath house for soaking.

Water comes out of the ground on the hillside above the bath house and its temperature is about 38.6 degrees Celsius in the bath house.

Coordinates: N 53° 41' 36.95", W 128° 47' 33.06"

Eco Tours

Book a charter with one of our well equipped guides to create your own custom eco tour. See a full list of our Charters & Guides on page 46.

Take it all in

It's no secret that world-class salt and freshwater fishing and backcountry adventures are what Kitimat is known for, but that's not all we've got! Whether you want to be indoors or out, active or a spectator, and regardless of age and ability levels – Kitimat has exciting attractions!



Jesse Falls is a 10-metre-high freshwater waterfall that drains into the Douglas Channel, south of Kitimat, British Columbia.

Hospital Beach

This ocean-side beach (the original site of Kitimat's first hospital) is located just past Rio Tinto's BC Works smelter. It is a popular gathering spot for visitors and locals during the summer months. At low tide, you can explore and may find seashells and other small sea creatures.

Gazebo Trail

Take this short trail to one of Kitimat's best kept secrets: a gazebo overlooking the ocean. Easily accessible on foot (for kids, too!) and located close to both Kitimaat Village and MK Bay Marina. Pack a lunch and take in the views!

Moore Creek Falls

Located just across from Rio Tinto's BC Works main office building, Moore Creek Falls is a photographer's delight. As you climb the rugged stairs carved into the hillside, the sound of snowmelt water rushing over the rocks leaves you anticipating what's ahead.

Kitimat Fish Hatchery

The Kitimat Hatchery is operated by the Federal Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada. The species mix includes chinook salmon, chum salmon, coho salmon, steelhead and cutthroat trout. The hatchery is wheelchair accessible and open Monday to Friday during the summer. Please call ahead for availability of tours.

283 Haisla Blvd. | 250-639-9888

Kitimat Museum

The Kitimat Museum & Archives is the place for community history, natural history, and visual arts. Museum Kids' Summer of Adventure runs six weeks for ages 3 to 9. Visit the Museum Gift Shop featuring First Nation designs, art, souvenirs, and gifts.

293 City Centre | 250-632-8950 | www.kitimatmuseum.ca

Kitimat Library

Summer reading clubs and summer activities happen throughout July and August, please call the Library to confirm dates. A library card is required to borrow any books or movies.

940 Wakashan Avenue | 250-632-8985 | www.kitimatlibrary.ca

Minette Bay West

Minette Bay West is a newly created nature park in Kitimat, located directly on the shoreline at Minette Bay. With a forested trail, covered seating overlooking the Douglas Channel, and plentiful fire pits, this is a wonderful new location to bring your family for the day or for some after-work relaxation. Future enhancement to this park will be the addition of a recreational dock for even more recreation opportunities.

Information about Kitimat's municipal parks, campgrounds and recreational options is available online at www.kitimat.ca/parks.

Hirsch Creek Golf & Winter Club

Kitimat is home to a picturesque 18-hole golf course meandering through the forest, and a clubhouse where you can finish off the day with a frosty pint on the outdoor patio.

2000 Kingfisher Rd. | 250-632-4653 | www.hirschcreekclub.com

Campgrounds & RV Parks

	Number of Sites	Tenting	Water	Power	Washrooms	Showers	Firewood	Boat Launch	Sani-Dump	Reservations
Hirsch Creek Park Highway 37 South P - 250-632-8955 www.kitimat.ca/campingreservations <i>See our ad on page 20</i>	8	•			•		•			
Kitimat Lodge 656 Dadook St. P - 250-632-6677 E - kitimatlodge@telus.net www.kitimatlodge.com <i>See our ad on page 43</i>	6		•	•						•
Kitimat Trailer Park 584 Columbia Ave. P - 778-631-0044 Weekly and Monthly rates available	14	•	•	•						•
MK Bay Marina Limited Partnership 4935 Kitimaat Village Rd. P - 250-632-6401 E - admin@mkbay.ca www.mkbaymarina.ca <i>See our ad on page 37</i>	41	•	•	•	•	•		•		•
Radley Park On the Kitimat River - Follow Haisla Blvd. P - 250-632-8955 www.kitimat.ca/campingreservations <i>See our ad on page 20</i>	38	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

There's no better way for nature lovers to enjoy Kitimat than by staying at one of our beautiful campgrounds or RV parks.

Radley Park and Hirsch Creek Park both have covered shelters, which are suitable for use by organizations, family and neighbourhood groups. There is no charge to use the covered shelter, however it does need to be booked through either:

Tamitik Jubilee Sports Complex
250-632-8955

Riverlodge Recreation Centre
250-632-8970

Sani-Dumps in Kitimat:

Radley Park Campground 165 3rd Street
Al's Esso 790 Lahakas Blvd

Potable Water in Kitimat:

Radley Park Campground 165 3rd Street
Kitimat Chamber of Commerce & Visitor Centre
2109 Forest Ave

K is for camping

Kitimat's municipal campgrounds open Victoria Day weekend

Enjoy our Radley Park and Hirsch Creek Campgrounds

Reservations start April 1
Season open until mid-September

www.kitimat.ca/camping
250-632-8955 ext. 0



Hotels, Motels, & Lodges

	Number of Rooms	Restaurant	Kitchen Suites	Wheelchair Accessible	Pets Welcome	Meeting Facilities	Internet
Chalet Inn 852 Tsimsishian Blvd. P - 250-632-4615 E - thealpchale@telus.net <i>See our ad on page 21</i>	48	•			•	•	•
Kitimat Estuary Lodge B&B 921 Kuldo Blvd. Toll Free - 1-877-781-4555 M - 250-639 4555 E - info@fishinginkitimat.com www.fishinginkitimat.com	5		•	•			•
Kitimat Lodge 656 Dadook St. P - 250-632-6677 E - kitimatlodge@telus.net www.kitimatlodge.com <i>See our ad on page 43</i>	18		•	•	•	•	•
Kitimat River Motel & Suites 650 Kuldo Blvd. P - 778- 631-2824	16	•				•	•
Microtel Inn & Suites by Wyndham 635 Dadook Ave. P - 778-631-0044 E - info@microtelkitimat.com www.microtelinnandsuites.com	87		•	•	•	•	•
Minette Bay Lodge 2255 Kitimaat Village Rd. P - 250-632-2907 E - info@minettebaylodge.com www.minettebaylodge.com	10						•
MStar Hotel Kitimat 150 City Centre Mall P - 250-632-7600 1-855-632-7600 E - info@HotelMstar.com www.hotelmstar.com <i>See our ad on page 24</i>	42				•	•	•
Teri's B&B 4 Oolican Ave. P - 250-632-1371	1		•				•
Tookus Inn Floating Lodge P - 250-632-1469 E -tookus-inn@telus.net www.tookusinn.com	6		•				

After an exiting day of exploring, fishing or working in Kitimat you deserve a restful place to recharge.

Visitors and locals alike are invited to stay in one of Kitimat's many accessible hotels, motels and lodges featuring modern facilities, idyllic surroundings and friendly service.

Visit kitimatbound.ca/stay to learn more about our welcoming and comfortable places to stay and connect directly with each business listed to book.

Chalet Inn & Restaurant
Inn 250-632-4615 | Restaurant 250-632-2662
852 Tsimsishian Blvd, Kitimat
www.chaletkitimat.com

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Restaurants & Pubs

Whether you're in the mood for a frosty pint on a patio with stunning views or a quaint local cafe that serves homemade food – we've got it! We have family restaurants, pubs and cafes offering a variety of dining options.

Check out the range of options Kitimat has to offer, from quaint cafe's that serve homemade foods to convenient favourites found coast to coast. We have a variety of family-friendly restaurants and a selection of great pubs.

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	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner	Family Friendly	Bar/Licensed	Accessible	Patio
A & W Restaurant 123 City Centre 250-632-6190 aw.ca	•	•	•	•		•	
Chalet Restaurant 852 Tsimshian Blvd. 250-632-2662	•	•	•	•	•		
Chilly & Dancer Pub 874 Tsimshian Blvd. 250-632-6920			•		•	•	
Chop Suey Kitchen 426 Enterprise Ave. 250-632-6666			•	•	•	•	
Debbie's Bistro 238 City Centre 250-639-9333 kitimatdebbiesbistro.com			•	•	•	•	•
Domino's Pizza 386 City Centre 778-649-2222 www.dominos.ca		•	•	•		•	
Doris' Delicatessen 1442 Nalabila Blvd. 250-632-3933	•	•	•	•		•	
DQ Grill & Chill 329 City Centre 250-632-3232 dairyqueen.com		•	•	•		•	•
Ella's Café 215 City Centre 250-639-3905	•	•	•	•		•	
Fortune Kitchen 410 Enterprise Ave. 250-632-3828			•	•		•	
Kitimat Subway 952 Wakashan Ave. 250-632-2991 order.subway.com		•	•	•		•	
Luso Canadian Association 159 Konigus St. 250-632-2961					•	•	
McDonald's 36 Hwy 37	•	•	•	•		•	
Mr Mikes Steakhouse Casual 525 Mountainview Sq. 778-631-2391 mrmikes.ca			•	•	•	•	
Office Bar & Bistro 406 Enterprise Ave. 250-639-2038 officebarbistro.com <i>See our ad on page 24</i>		•	•	•	•	•	
Pedro's Grill 342 City Centre 250-632-2199		•	•	•	•	•	
Pizzarama Pizzeria 171 Nechako Centre 250-639-9241 pizzarama.ca			•	•		•	
Rosario's Restaurant 607 Legion Rd. 250-632-4980 rosarios.ca <i>See our ad on page 22</i>		•	•	•	•	•	
Royal Canadian Legion 665 Legion Rd. 250-632-7915					•	•	
Sushi J 248 City Centre 250-639-1134	•	•		•		•	
The Blue Room Tavern 650 Kuldo Blvd. 778-631-2824							
The Creek Bar & Grill 2000 Kingfisher Ave. 250-632-4242 hirschcreekclub.com	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
The Kuldo Restaurant 650 Kuldo Blvd. 778-631-2824							
Tim Hortons 125 City Centre 250-639-2090 timhortons.ca	•	•	•	•		•	
Timmy's Deli 238B City Centre 250-639-3905 kitimatdebbiesbistro.com/tims-deli/							
Two Peaks Brewing Ltd. 578 Mountainview Sq. 778-631-2739 twopeaksbrewing.ca <i>See our ad on page 22</i>							
Wee Geordies Pub 178 Nechako Centre 250-632-4277					•	•	

Shopping

Kitimat has a variety of shopping and modern service options to meet your daily needs, with an impressive variety of local and independent businesses in our City Centre Mall, Mountainview Square, and Nechako Centre.

We have two major grocery stores along with an independent specialty foods store. There are several other franchise shopping options along with unique, independent shops.

In 2024 a brand-new local shopping program called Keep it Local Kitimat is launching. Our brand-new program Keep it Local Kitimat encourages spending dollars locally for both consumers and businesses.

Visit <https://bcbuylocal.com/communities/kitimat/> for more information and stories of our local businesses.

Beauty & Spa

Enjoy Kitimat's reputable and modern beauty and wellness facilities, including hair salons, aestheticians, and spas that promise to pamper you with style.

A full listing of our shops and spas can be found on the Kitimat Map in the centre of this guide or on kitimatbound.ca



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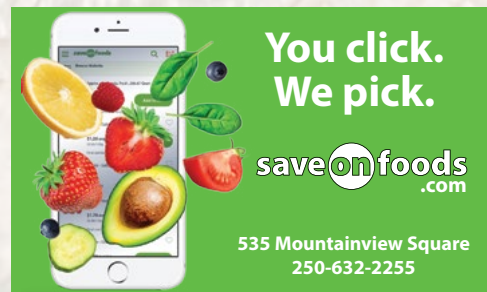


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Visitor Information

★ Visitor Information Centre	2109 Forest Ave	250-632-6294	N5
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PLEASE NOTE: COORDINATES WITH A * CAN BE FOUND ON THE CITY CENTRE MAP

Attractions

1 Centennial Park	S1*	6 Hospital Beach	C8
2 Coghlin Park	L6	7 Kitimat River Salmon Hatchery	B7
3 Friendship Pole	H5	8 Minette Bay West Park	D7
4 Giant Spruce Park	D6	9 Moore Creek Falls	B8
5 Hirsch Creek Park	O2	10 Spirit Bear / Heritage Park	N5

Shopping

1 Andre's Electronic Experts	216 City Centre	250-632-5000	R2*
2 BC Liquor Kitimat	550 Mountainview Sq	250-632-6616	U5*
3 BD Cannabis (Deviant Fibers)	213 City Centre	250-639-1662	S2*
4 Beitz Computer & Office Supplies	247 City Centre	250-632-5663	S3*
5 Big Jim's Spirits Store	225 City Centre	250-632-4800	S3*
6 Bradley's Bait & Tackle	205 City Centre	250-632-2646	R2*
7 Caprice Trading Post	245 City Centre	250-632-2911	S2*
8 Coastal Vape	209 City Centre	778-659-0761	S3*
9 Cooks Jewellers	246 City Centre	250-632-3313	R2*
10 Emporium Builders Supplies Ltd	611 Commercial Ave	250-632-3157	C4
11 Fields	260 City Centre	250-632-4709	S2*
12 Inland Coast Gifts & Liquor Store	874A Tsimshian Blvd	250-632-2666	U2*
13 Joint Venture Cannabis	432 Enterprise Ave	778-631-2222	B4
14 Kildala Grocery Ltd.	19 Babine St	250-632-2442	F6
15 Kyle's NoFrills	194 City Centre	250-632-2576	R2*
16 Mark's	534 Mountainview Sq	250-632-4813	T4*
17 My Little Addiction Thrift Store	102 Nechako Centre	250-639-5480	K5
18 Pacific Variety	226 City Centre	250-632-4117	S2*
19 Pet Valu	540-542 Mountainview Sq	250-632-3705	U4*
20 Pyramid Office Supplies	2-528 Mountainview Sq	250-632-5251	T4*
21 Rainforest Wellness Pharmacy	327 City Centre	250-632-2914	T2*
22 Ron's Mobile Fishing Tackle & Bait	380 City Centre	250-632-1275	S3*
23 Save-On-Foods	535 Mountainview Sq	250-632-2255	T5*
24 Shoppers Drug Mart	120 City Centre	250-632-6177	R2*
25 Sunrise General Merchandise	359 Haisla Ave	250-632-6072	N8
26 Tony's Corner Store	101 Nechako Centre	250-639-9569	K5
27 Trigo's Workwear Centre	301 City Centre	250-632-6460	S2*
28 Vitality Spa & Clinic	360 City Centre	250-632-2289	S3*
29 Wee Geordies Cold Beer & Wine	176 Nechako Centre	250-632-4277	K5
30 What's In Store	311 City Centre	250-632-2354	S2*
31 Your Dollar Store With More	212 City Centre	250-632-4445	S2*

Recreation

1 Bill Rich Soccer Fields	325 Quatsino Blvd	N/A	G8
2 Fire Mountain Shooting Range	Highway 37 (before Cable Car)	250-632-3151	PO
3 Hirsch Creek Golf/Winter Club	2000 Kingfisher Ave	250-632-4653	K1
4 Kitimat Dog Park	Kuldo Blvd	N/A	F6
5 Kitimat Fitness Gym Inc.	193 Nechako Centre	250-632-7737	K5
6 Kitimat Ice Arena	396 City Centre	250-632-8955	S4*
7 Kitimat Rod & Gun Assoc.	386 Haisla Blvd	250-632-3555	D4
8 Love Life Co (Yoga Dome)	109 Kokanee Ave	250-639-7554	N1
9 Oviatt Bike Park	50 Loganberry Ave	N/A	I7
10 Pace Yourself Wellness Centre	334 City Centre	250-632-5239	T3*
11 Riverlodge Recreation Centre	654 Columbia Ave	250-632-8970	E6
12 Skate and Bike Park	Nechako Centre	N/A	K5
13 Tamitik Jubilee Sports Complex	396 City Centre	250-632-8955	T4*
14 Tennis Courts & Ball Field	654 Columbia Ave	N/A	E6
15 Vida Studio (Yoga)	5-528 Mountainview Sq	250-279-1212	T4*

Laundry

1 MK Bay Marina	4935 Kitamaat Village Rd	250-632-6401	K9
2 Sujitra's Suds & Seams	172 Nechako Centre	250-632-4668	K5

Schools

1 Kildala Elementary [K-6]	803 Columbia Ave	250-632-6194	G6
2 Kitimat City High [9-12]	1426 Cormorant Ave	250-632-2811	I5
3 Kitimat Valley Institute	1352 Alexander Ave	250-639-9199	J1
4 Mount Elizabeth Mid. Secondary [7-12]	1491 Kingfisher Ave	250-632-6174	L4
5 Nechako Elementary [K-6]	61 Nightingale St	250-632-2912	L5
6 St Anthony's Elementary Middle [K-9]	1750 Nalabila Blvd	250-632-6313	M5

Restaurants/Pubs

1 A & W Restaurant	123 City Centre	250-632-6190	R1*
2 Blue Room Tavern	650 Kuldo Blvd	778-631-2824	F6
3 Chalet Restaurant	852 Tsimshian Blvd	250-632-2662	T1*
4 Chilly & Dancer Pub	874 Tsimshian Blvd	250-632-6920	U2*
5 Chop Suey Kitchen	426 Enterprise Ave	250-632-6666	B4
6 Debbie's Bistro	238 City Centre	250-639-9333	R2*
7 Dominos Pizza	386 City Centre	778-649-2222	S3*
8 Doris' Delicatessen	1442 Nalabila Blvd	250-632-3933	K3
9 DQ Grill & Chill	329 City Centre	250-632-3232	T2*
10 Ella's Café	215 City Centre	250-632-1491	S2*
11 Fortune Kitchen	410 Enterprise Ave	250-632-3828	B4
12 Kitimat Subway	952 Wakashan Ave	250-632-2991	T4*
13 Kuldo Restaurant	650 Kuldo Blvd	778-631-2824	F6
14 Luso Canadian Association	159 Konigus St	250-632-2961	E7
15 McDonald's	36 Hwy 37, Kitimat C		N5
16 Mr Mikes Steakhouse Casual	525 Mountainview Sq	778-631-2391	T4*
17 Office Bar & Bistro	406 Enterprise Ave	250-639-2038	B4
18 Pedro's Grill	342 City Centre	250-632-2199	T3*
19 Pizzarama Pizzeria	171 Nechako Centre	250-639-9241	K5
20 Rosario's Restaurant	607 Legion Rd	250-632-4980	F5
21 Royal Canadian Legion	665 Legion Rd	250-632-7915	F5
22 The Creek Bar & Grill	2000 Kingfisher Ave	250-632-4242	K0
23 Sushi J	248 City Centre	250-639-1134	S2*
24 Tim Hortons	125 City Centre	250-639-2090	R1*
25 Timmy's Deli	238B City Centre	250-639-3905	R2*
26 Two Peaks Brewing	578 Mountainview Sq	778-631-2739	U4*
27 Wee Geordies Pub	178 Nechako Centre	250-632-5637	K5

Accommodations

1 Chalet Inn	852 Tsimshian Blvd	250-632-4615	T2*
2 Kitimat River Motel & Suites	650 Kuldo Blvd	778-631-2841	F6
3 Kimat Estuary Lodge B&B	921 Kuldo Blvd	250-639-4555	F8
4 Kitimat Lodge	656 Dadook St	250-632-6677	E4
5 Microtel Inn & Suites Wyndham	635 Dadook St	778-655-3494	F5
6 Minette Bay Lodge	2255 Kitamaat Village Rd	250-632-2907	D7
7 MStar Hotel	150 City Centre Mall	250-632-7600	R2*
8 Teri's B&B	4 Oolican Ave	250-632-1371	O1
9 Tookus Inn	Floating Lodge	250-632-1469	D9

Workforce Accommodations

10 Cedar Valley Lodge	Haisla Blvd South	778-659-7400	B7
11 Civeo Sitka Lodge	100 Loganberry St	587-960-1150	I8
12 Horizon North Crossroads Lodge	Highway 37 South	1-866-305-6565	O5

Electric Vehicle Charging

1 BC Hydro Charging Station x4	864 Tsimshian Blvd	1-866-338-3369	S1*
2 ChargePoint Charging System x1	954 Wakashan (Envision)	250-639-4700	T3*
3 ChargePoint Charging System x1	654 Columbia (Riverlodge)	250-632-8970	E6
4 Tesla Charging System x1	635 Dadook (Microtel)	778-631-0044	F5
5 Noodoe Charging System x2	635 Dadook (Microtel)	778-631-0044	F5

Financial Institutions

1 BMO Bank of Montreal	374 City Centre	250-632-4604	S3*
2 CIBC	291 City Centre	250-632-8610	S3*
3 Envision Financial	954 Wakashan Ave	250-639-4700	T3*
4 RBC Royal Bank	378 City Centre	250-639-9281	S3*
5 Scotiabank	201 City Centre	250-632-8420	R2*

Places of Worship

1 Christ Church Anglican	1739 Gyrfalcon Ave	250-632-7812	K4
2 Christ the King Catholic Church	1760 Nalabila Blvd	250-632-2215	M5
3 Church of Jesus Christ of LDS	823 Kuldo Blvd	250-632-4720	F7
4 First Baptist Church	840 Columbia East	250-632-6014	G6
5 Haisla United Church	137 Owekeno St	N/A	M8
6 Kingdom Hall Jehovah's Witness	134 Baxter Ave	250-632-3573	I1
7 Kitimat First United Church	1180 Kingfisher Ave	250-632-7149	K5
8 Kitimat Pentecostal Fellowship	1340 Kingfisher Ave	250-632-5623	K4
9 Kitimat Presbyterian Church	1274 Nalabila Blvd	250-632-2044	J3
10 Kitimat Sikh Society	1600 Nalabila Blvd	250-204-3190	M4
11 Mountainview Alliance Church	1332 Lahakas Blvd	250-632-4658	J2
12 Pacific Cornerstone Baptist	2109 Forest Ave	250-639-7711	O5
13 Redeemer Lutheran Church	1474 Nalabila Blvd	250-632-6962	L3

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A6 1st St	J1 Banyay Ave	J2 Charles St	J4 Drake St	J4 Gander Cres	E5 J Rd	I8 Loganberry Ave	O1 Oolichan Ave	B2 Saunders Haul Rd	H6 Wakashan Ave
B5 2nd St	I1 Bartholomew St	F6 Chilko St	E6 Driftwood St	J4 Gannet Cres	M8 Jasse St	?? Loganberry St	K5 Oriole St	G7 Skeena St	N5 Wakita Ave
A4 3rd St	I1 Baxter St	M1 Chinook St	H2 Duncan St	L8 Gitksan Ave	F6 Kechika St	K4 Mallard St	K8 Osprey St	M3 Smith St	N5 Wakita St
B4 4th St	I1 Bayer St	J2 Clifford St	I4 Dunn St	K4 Grebe St	L8 Kemano Cres	K2 Margetts St	L8 Owekeno	L4 Sparks Ave	L7 Wathl Creek Rd
B4 5th St	G8 Bill Rich Park Rd	N1 Coho St	F7 Dyke Blvd	N1 Greyling Ave	K1 Kingfisher Ave	L3 Meldrum St	L6 Partridge St	L4 Starling St	H7 Wedeene St
B4 6th St	I5 Bittern St	E5 Columbia Ave	F9 Dyke St	J5 Grouse St	J8 Kitamaat Village Rd	J2 Moore St	E6 Peace St	C4 Station St	O8 Wekellas Ave
B3 7th St	I7 Blackberry St	C3 Commercial Ave	J4 Eagle St	K4 Gull St	M8 Kitlope St	K2 Morgan St	L6 Petrel St	K3 Stein St	K3 White St
C3 8th St	H8 Blueberry Ave	I5 Cormorant Ave	E5 E Rd	I3 Gwyn St	N0 Kokanee Ave	H6 Mountainview Sq	L5 Pintail St	J1 Stickney St	L2 Whittlesey St
B2 9th St	H5 Brant St	H7 Cranberry St	J3 Egret St	J4 Gyrfalcon Ave	E6 Konigus St	H7 Mulberry St	L5 Plover St	G7 Stikine St	M5 Widgeon St
E5 A Rd	I2 Braun St	J3 Creed St	H9 Elderberry St	E5 H Rd	G6 Kootenay St	F7 Nadina St	L6 Ptarmigan Ave	M1 Sturgeon St	K3 Williscroft St
J5 Albatross Ave	F6 Bulkley St	K2 Currie St	B5 Enterprise Ave	I5 Haisla Blvd	F7 Kuldo Blvd	I3 Nalabila Blvd	L4 Quail St	M8 Sunhead Ave	N4 Wilson St
J1 Alexander Ave	I4 Bunting St	E5 D Rd	A8 Eurocan Way	H5 Haisla Centre	M8 Kwakiutl Ave	F7 Nass St	G8 Quatsino Blvd	L5 Swallow St	L3 Wohler St
H2 Amos St	E5 C Rd	E5 Dadook Ave	E5 F Rd	N2 Hallbut St	N8 Lachala Hts	K5 Nechako Centre	B4 Railway Ave	L4 Swan St	N5 Wozney St
H2 Anderson St	F5 Capilano St	I3 Davy Cres	I3 Farrow St	J1 Hallman St	H6 Lahakas Blvd	K5 Nightingale St	M1 Rainbow Blvd	K4 Swannell St	M5 Wren St
H1 Angle St	I2 Carlson St	E6 Dease St	J3 Finch St	K4 Hawk St	F5 Legion Ave	F7 Ochwe St	K3 Raley St	M5 Teal St	G7 Yukon St
E5 B Rd	J2 Carswell St	I3 Deville St	O5 Forest Ave	K4 Heron St	F7 Liard St	K2 Oersted St	N5 Robinson St	H5 Tsimshian Ave	
F5 Babine St	O4 Cemetery Access Rd	I8 Dewberry St	J3 Fulmar St	O1 Highway 37	F7 Lillooet Cres	F7 Okanagan St	G6 Saguenay St	J2 Turney St	
H2 Baker St	N1 Char St	M1 Dolly Varden	E5 G Rd	B4 Industrial Ave	H7 Little Wedeene St	G8 Omenica St	A8 Sandhill Way	J4 Tweedsmuir Ave	



HIKING & WALKING

Let's go!

Our beautiful community is very walkable and enjoys 53 km of interconnected pathways! The Kitimat region also has an abundance of hiking opportunities with hundreds of trails to explore and many beautiful parks.

Trails

Hike along the shores of the Douglas Channel, the banks of the Kitimat River or climb one of our beautiful mountains. The trail to Robinson Ridge is a local favourite as it leads to crystal clear mountain lakes.

Trails in Kitimat through its forests and mountains range from easy to difficult, and there is plenty of opportunity to observe wildlife in their natural environment.

For more information on our trails, we recommend alltrails.com, which provides detailed information, maps, and even trail conditions frequently updated by users. The free app is available for IOS and Android.

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Camping			
1	Hirsch Creek Park	Highway 37 South	250-632-8955 O2
2	Kitimat Trailer Park	584 Columbia Ave	778-631-0044 E5
3	Kitimat Lodge	656 Dadook St	250-632-6677 E4
4	MK Bay Marina	4935 Kitamaat Village Rd	250-632-6401 K9
5	Radley Park	Haisla Blvd	250-632-8955 C4

Arts and Culture			
1	Black Fish Gallery	650 Raven Cres.	250-639-5469 M7
2	Kitimat Museum & Archives	293 City Centre	250-632-8950 S3*
3	Mount Elizabeth Theatre	1491 Kingfisher Ave	250-632-7887 L3
4	Sammy Robinson	416 Haisla Ave	250-632-9790 P8

Community Services			
1	Canada Post	450 City Centre	250-632-6722 T3*
2	City Hall	270 City Centre	250-632-8900 R2*
3	Council Chambers	606 Mountainview Sq	N/A U5*
4	Court House	603 Mountainview Sq	N/A U5*
5	Fire Hall	1101 Kingfisher Ave	250-632-8940 K5
6	Haisla Nation Council (HNC)	500 Gitksan Ave	250-639-9361 L8
7	Haisla Recreation Centre	1538 Jasse St	250-632-3301 M7
8	Haisla Nation Employment & Training	606 Mountainview Sq	250-632-6151 U5*
9	Kitimat Bottle Depot	428 Enterprise Ave	250-632-3377 B4
10	Kitimat Chamber of Commerce	2109 Forest Ave	250-632-6294 O5
11	Kitimat Gen. Hospital & Health Centre	920 Lahakas Blvd	250-632-2121 W5*
12	Kitimat Humane Society	1000 Eurocan Way	778-631-2371 A8
13	Kitimat Northern Sentinel	626 Enterprise Ave	250-632-6144 B3
14	Kitimat Public Library	940 Wakashan Ave	250-632-8985 T4*
15	Kitimat Work BC	562 Mountainview Sq	250-632-6581 U4*
16	KUTE Recycling	314 Railway Ave	250-632-6633 A4
17	MK Bay Marina	4935 Kitamaat Village Rd	250-632-6401 K9
18	Municipal Landfill	Highway 37 (before Cable Car)	250-632-8900 PO
19	Royal Canadian Mounted Police	888 Lahakas Blvd	250-632-7111 T5*
20	Service BC Centre	795 South Lahakas Blvd	250-632-6188 Q4*
21	Snowflake Fairgrounds	Highway 37 (after Cable Car)	250-632-6740 PO
22	Veterinary Hospital	587 Mountainview Sq	250-639-2299 U3*

Transportation			
1	BC Transit (Pacific Western Transit)	327 Railway Ave	250-632-4449
2	Kitimat HandyDART & Mini Bus	12 Eagle St	250-632-4449 J4
3	Kitimat Taxi	319 City Centre	250-632-2100 T2*
4	Kitimat Transit System	780 Lahakas Blvd	250-632-4444 Q3*
5	Valley Taxi	653 Columbia Ave W	250-639-6464 E5
NW*	Kalum Kabs	449 Lakelse Ave, Terrace	250-635-7177 -
NW*	Northwest Regional Airport (yxt)	4401 Bristol Rd, Terrace	250-635-2659 YXT
NW*	Air Canada	Northwest Regional Airport	1-888-247-2262 YXT
NW*	Central Mountain Air	Northwest Regional Airport	1-888-865-8585 YXT
NW*	WestJet	Northwest Regional Airport	1-888-937-8538 YXT

Schools			
1	Kildala Elementary [K-6]	803 Columbia Ave	250-632-6194 G6
2	Kitimat City High [9-12]	1426 Cormorant Ave	250-632-2811 I5
3	Kitimat Valley Institute	1352 Alexander Ave	250-639-9199 J1
4	Mount Elizabeth Mid. Secondary [7-12]	1491 Kingfisher Ave	250-632-6174 L4
5	Nechako Elementary [K-6]	61 Nightingale St	250-632-2912 L5
6	St Anthony's Elementary Middle [K-9]	1750 Nalabila Blvd	250-632-6313 M5

Auto/Marine			
1	All West Glass	330 Enterprise Ave	250-632-4741 B4
2	Al's Esso	790 Lahakas Blvd S	250-632-4900 Q3*
3	Circle K Shell Gas Station	1065 Lahakas Blvd N	250-632-3768 I4
4	Command Marine Supply	424 Industrial Ave	250-632-6676 B4
5	Co-op Gas Bar	884 Lahakas Blvd S	250-632-4626 T5*
6	Dollar Automotive & Towing	1700 Nalabila Blvd	250-632-2261 M5
7	Kal Tire	236 Enterprise Ave	250-632-2151 B5
8	Napa Auto Parts	164 4th St	250-632-2224 B4
9	Phil's Mobile Service	717 Commercial Ave	250-632-2055 C3
10	RG's Auto Marine	741 Enterprise Ave	250-632-7722 C3
11	Shawn's Autobody	751 Enterprise Ave	250-632-4822 C3
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Rio Tinto

Kitimat Bound

HIKING TRAIL	DIFFICULTY	DISTANCE	BIKING TRAIL	DIFFICULTY
Coho Flats	EASY	2 KM	Oviatt Bike Park	FUN
Hirsch Creek Canyon Trail	EASY	400 M - 4 KM	Eagles Nest	EASY
Hirsch Creek Park Trail	EASY	1.5 KM	Haisla Braves	HARD
Joe's Trail	EASY	3.5 KM	Trickster	INTERMEDIATE
Fisherman's Trail	INTERMEDIATE	3.5 KM	Lower Eagles Nest	EASY
North Cove Trail	INTERMEDIATE	3.2 KM		
Clague Mountain Trail	HARD	8 KM		

Rio Tinto is grateful to work and play in a beautiful community rich with nature and hundreds of trails to explore.

Photo by Dusty Danis. [Learn more by visiting kitimatbound.ca](http://www.kitimatbound.ca)

- Easy Trails -

1. Hirsch Creek Park

Trail Type: Loop

Length: 1.5km

Description: An excellent place for a picnic and to view a coastal old growth forest and large trees.

Directions: From Hirsch Creek Park off Highway 37, go to the south interior parking lot. (right at fork)

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2. Hirsch Creek South

Trail Type: Out & Back

Length: 2km

Description: Follows the south side of Hirsch Creek.

Directions: Parking can be found at either Hirsch Creek Park (1) or Smith Street trailhead. Connects to Hirsch Creek North (3) and Hirsch Creek Canyon (9)

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3. Hirsch Creek North

Trail Type: Out & Back

Length: 1.5km

Description: follows the old road/ATV trail up the north side of the creek and becomes a true trail for the remaining 500 m to the logging bridge.

Directions: Cross over the Hirsch Creek Bridge on Hwy 37 and take the first right turn, opposite the entrance to Hirsch Creek Park. Follow the signage.

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4. Joe's Trail

Trail Type: Out & Back

Length: 3.5km

Description: Runs down the east bank of the Kitimat River to the end of the Lower Dyke Road.

Directions: Tr. Highway 37 to Haisla Boulevard to 3rd stop light. Turn left on Kuldo Boulevard, right on Columbia Avenue, travel until road ends at dyke. Turn right, take first left, drive about 1km to trailhead.

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5. North Cove

Trail Type: Out & Back

Length: 3.2km

Ev.G: 180m

Directions: Drive past Rio Tinto Alcan and turn right onto the Bish Creek Forest Service Road. Head south along the mainline for approximately 8 km. Directional signs are located about 1 km prior to the parking area located at the trailhead.

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6. Pine Creek Trails

Trail Type: Loop (x2)

Length: 2km (total)

Description: This trail has two loops, upper and lower loop. Each loop is 1 km.

Directions: Turn onto the Kitimaat Village Road and travel 2 km down the road, turn right at the Minette Bay Lodge sign. The upper loop starts about 0.5km down this road on the right just before the bridge. Parking is across the bridge on the left, and just beyond that is the start of the lower loop.

NOTE: The lower loop includes a section through private property, dogs must be kept on leash.

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- Moderate Trails -

7. Coho Flats

Trail Type: Out & Back

Length: 2km

Ev.G: 120m

Description: An easy to follow trail leading to the Kitimat River.

Directions: Trailhead is located on Baxter Avenue beside the Baxter Apartments. At the river the trail goes left along Fisherman's Trail (8) to the Rod and Gun club.

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8. Fisherman's Trail

Trail Type: Out & Back

Length: 3.7km

Ev.G: 28.3m

Description: Rugged rock terrain with short up and down pitches.

Directions: Turn right off of Haisla Boulevard just before you come to the Haisla Bridge heading west. Park in the Rod & Gun Club parking lot. The trail terminates where it joins Coho Flats Trail (7)

NOTE: Not recommended for children under 6 years of age.

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9. Hirsch Creek Canyon

Trail Type: Out & Back

Length: 4km / 400m (shortcut)

Ev.G: 237m

Description: Walk the longer route through forest alongside Hirsch Creek, or walk the short 400m one way shortcut to the canyon viewpoint.

Access via Forest Avenue: Head east along Forest Avenue for 1km, then turn left onto a gravel road and continue until you reach the trailhead. For a shortcut, from Forest Ave. continue onto South Hirsch forestry road for about 3.5 km, then turn left onto a 4WD road and follow to parking. Travel straight (west) along the trail.

Access via Hirsch Creek South (2): Continue following the south side of the creek after crossing to the east side of HWY 37. Continue straight (east) at the fork, do not cross the bridge.

Access via Hirsch Creek North (3): Follow the trail until you reach an old logging bridge, cross and continue to follow the trail to your left (east) at the fork.

NOTE: The viewpoint is very dangerous for small children.

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- Advanced Trails -

10. Clague Mountain

Trail Type: Out & Back

Length: 6km

Ev.G: 1442m

Description: A difficult trail that leads to alpine on the west side of the Kitimat valley with a return time of 8-10 hours. The trail branches off to a cabin owned by the Kitimat Snowmobile & Hikers Club.

Directions: From the Kitimat Service Centre head north along Enterprise Avenue until you reach the Wedeene Mainline Forestry Road. Continue heading north along the mainline for approximately 1km. Turn left and follow the side road for approximately 2km to the trailhead. Trail is gated approx 0.5 km from trailhead in summer months to restrict motorized access.

GPS reference points: (Datum NAD27):

Parking Lot / Trailhead = 519368E / 5992364N

(NAD83 = 518261E / 5992558N)

Peak / Cabin Trail Junction = 517983E / 5992816N

End Old Mining Road = 517359E / 5992938N

Peak = 514809E / 5993176N

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11. Mount Elizabeth

Trail Type: Out & Back

Length: 8.1km

Ev.G: 1435m

Description: Mount Elizabeth is a challenging trail and is only recommended for experienced hikers. The lookout is located in sub-alpine and takes approx. 2-2.5hrs to hike up to but provides a great view of Kitimat. You can continue to Little Elizabeth, which is another 2 hrs from the lookout, while the summit is another 1-1.5hrs additional hiking from Little Elizabeth. The last half of the hike is a very difficult trail of loose rocks and can be covered by patches of snow.

Directions: Drive north from the Kitimat Chamber of Commerce building along Highway 37, for about 7.5 km. Turn right just south from where the Hydro transmission lines cross the Highway and follow the North Hirsch Mainline for 13.5 km. From this point you may turn left onto a rough narrow 4WD road for the next 2.5 km. to the reach the trailhead.

NOTE: If your vehicle is not equipped for very rough, narrow, and steep terrain do not attempt to drive to the trailhead. Park at the access point and walk. There are dips in the road that a pickup truck may get stuck in without sufficient ground clearance.

GPS Reference Points: (Datum NAD27):

Mt. Elizabeth '14 km' road turnoff = 536328E / 5992140N

Trailhead/Kiosk = 537025E / 5992617N

Sub-Alpine = 538428E / 5993540N

Little Elizabeth = 540197E / 5994196N

Mt. Elizabeth Peak = 540068E

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12. Robinson Lake

Trail Type: Out & Back

Length: 3.8km

Ev.G: 354m

Directions: From the Kitimat Chamber of Commerce office, located on Highway 37, head east along Forestry Avenue and the South Hirsch forestry road for approximately 1.9 km. Turn right on to Wathl Main Road. There is a Wathl Main sign in the trees that marks the start of the road. Drive along Wathl Main for approximately 3.5 km to reach the Robinson Lake trailhead. Signage is located on the left hand side of the road at the trailhead. Parking is located along the road just past the trailhead. There is an increased amount of industry traffic on these forest service roads, so drive carefully and be aware of others on the road.

GPS Reference Points: (Datum NAD27):

Wathl Mainline Turnoff= 527372E / 5989944N

(NAD83= 527265E / 5990138N)

Trailhead/Parking Lot= 527038E / 5986938N

(NAD83= 526931E / 5987132N)

Robinson Lake (end of trail)= 528900E / 5985991N

(NAD83= 528793E / 5986185 N)

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13. Robinson Ridge

Trail Type: Out & Back

Length: 4km

Ev.G: 600m

Description: From the end of the road this trail climbs steeply up the west side of the ridge, through heavy timber, into the sub alpine and then continues south along the ridge to a rustic cabin. The trail is primarily a winter snowmobile route, as a result hikers will encounter wet areas and steep sections. There are excellent views of the surrounding mountain ranges from the trail.

Directions: From the Kitimat Chamber of Commerce office, located on Highway 37, head east along Forestry Avenue and the South Hirsch forestry road for approximately 7.5 km. At this point (Branch 100) turn right and the road begins to climb towards the south. After another 4 km the trailhead is reached. Sections of the road are rough and require 4WD.

GPS Reference Points: (Datum NAD27):

Br.100 turnoff 531020E / 5992466N (NAD83= 530913E / 59992660N)

Trailhead/Kiosk= 531290E / 5988884N (NAD83= 531183E / 5989078N)

Cabin= 533229E / 598792N (NAD83= 533122E / 5988115N)

Top of Ridge (view of Kitimat)= 532700E / 598665N

(NAD83= 532954E / 5986846N)

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Join us

Kitimat has top-notch amenities to ensure indoor recreation and leisure opportunities for its residents and visitors.

Kitimat Ice Rink & Tamitik Arena

Kitimat boasts two ice rinks! The Kitimat Ice Rink offers a 26 m x 58 m (85 ft. x 190 ft.) ice surface and hosts public skating and seasonal shinny programs. Tamitik Arena is a 27 m x 61 m (88.5 ft x 200 ft.) ice surface with a large seating capacity for ice hockey tournaments in season and indoor soccer, roller hockey, lacrosse, or special events in off-ice season. Skates are available for rent.

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Riverlodge is the place to keep in shape or maintain your exercise routine. Try out the gym, a game of tennis, hit a few softballs, play soccer or practise your rock climbing on the indoor rock wall. The recreation centre offers an ever changing range of special interest programs, an arts wing/pottery, community kitchen and facility rentals for a wide range of events.

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Sam Lindsay Aquatic Centre

The District of Kitimat owns and operates Sam Lindsay Aquatic Centre; a community swimming and leisure pool complex attached to Tamitik Arena.

Located downtown, the Sam Lindsay Aquatic Centre offers residents and visitors one of the best swimming experiences in Northern British Columbia.

Aquatic Features:

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Let's play!

Kitimat is home to a picturesque 18-hole golf course meandering through the forest, and a clubhouse where you can finish off the day with a frosty pint on the outdoor patio.

The Hirsch Creek Golf & Winter Club is home to an extremely challenging, superbly designed 18 hole, par 72, championship golf course.

The golf course is comprised of and recognized for its competitive and diverse design and presents a memorable round for both beginner and experienced golfers. The beautiful front 9, designed by Les Furber, winds its way through the wilderness to create outstanding views from tee boxes and fairways. The back 9 is an established layout that allowed nature to form a more traditional golf experience.

The facility offers professional knowledge and expertise, practice greens, driving range and rentals (golf equipment, motorized and pull carts).

The breath-taking views from the restaurant and lounge are amongst some of the most scenic views in Northern BC. The club has a 130 seat licensed clubhouse and deck, along with a private meeting / dining room that can accommodate up to 35 people. The raised sundeck at the front of the clubhouse is the perfect place to relax over a drink or a meal and soak in the sunshine after a round of golf.

When the thermometer dips, try your hand on the four sheet curling rink, which has long been a regional favorite where players of all ages and skill levels enjoy the varied programs and schedules. "Public Drop In" sessions give new curlers the chance to try out the sport and develop skills. These sessions are also an opportunity for league players to perfect their skills, families to try curling together and young people to "try something new." www.hirschcreekclub.com



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Proud to say: This is Home



Located in the traditional territory of the Haisla Nation, Kitimat is a vibrant and growing community that offers year-round recreational opportunities such as fishing on the Kitimat River, hiking on amazing mountain trails, and boating in Douglas Channel.

LNG Canada is proud to be part of this beautiful community and to call it home.

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Adventure

Enjoy spectacular scenery as you adventure through Kitimat's vast network of trails on your mountain bike or off-road vehicle of choice! Trails range from beginner to advanced.

All-Terrain Vehicles (ATVs)

The Kitimat region and its vast landscapes, epic scenery, tight trails and water crossings are perfect for adventurous types that love that off-road lifestyle, and it's no surprise there's a strong side-by-side (SxS) and quad culture in Kitimat, including community groups and clubs.

Kitimat's many trails range from beginner to advanced. Remember to ride responsibly and wear approved safety helmets at all times.

Onion Lake Fat Bike Trail

The Snow Valley Nordic Ski Club has introduced a fat bike and snowshoe trail at Onion Lake.

The 4.7 km one-directional trail will be solely for fat bikes with winter tires and snowshoes. The trail starts beside the club's electrical shed down to Onion Lake and returns parallel to the highway, with five exit loops to shorten the adventure.

Snow Valley Nordic Ski Club | www.snowvalleynordics.com

Mountain Biking

Kitimat's network of forestry roads and dedicated bike trails make for excellent mountain biking.

The Mount Elizabeth Cycling Association (MECA) is a non-profit society that is endeavoring to build and maintain mountain bike trails in the Kitimat Valley for the enjoyment of community members and visitors of all ages. Mountain biking is one of the fastest growing sports worldwide and provides a range of social, economic, and environmental benefits. For more information please email mecakitimat@gmail.com or find us on Facebook.

Paddle on

When out for a paddle on the Douglas Channel, you'll be rewarded with stunning scenery, a few wonderful beaches, incredible rock formations and the chance to see wildlife, including whales, on occasion.

Kayaking & Canoeing

To fully experience the beauty and majesty of British Columbia's inland coast, plan a kayak or canoe trip on the Douglas Channel. With proper planning there are paddling options for all skill levels.

Did you know?

The Douglas Channel comprises the main channels of the Douglas and Devastation, with smaller connecting channels that boast a kayakers paradise of calm waters, sheltered coves and landing options.

What's there to see?

Awe inspiring views, beautiful creeks, waterfalls and interesting rock formations.

Know Before You Go

The Douglas Channel is not for the ill-prepared paddler. Few landing opportunities exist where the channel is at its widest and roughest. Those who plan to kayak or canoe in Kitimat need to plan their routes carefully, equip themselves with the required safety gear and register a float plan with someone on land before departure.

Make sure the memories are good ones!

Stand Up Paddle Boarding (SUP)

Stand up paddle boarding is a fun way to enjoy and experience the picturesque Minette Bay West Park.

Best SUP spot in Kitimat: Minette Bay on a no-wind day!

For those who would like to get a taste of kayaking or paddle boarding, equipment rentals are available and reasonably priced.

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Watch for Wildlife! As you experience the salt spray and ocean wind, be on the lookout for sea lions, eagles, orcas, humpback whales and dolphins at play. You may even spot the elusive Kermode bear exploring the shores of the Douglas Channel or bald eagles as they pick salmon, or dolphins swimming alongside your boat.

Saltwater Fishing

Some of the largest halibut on the BC coast are found in the protected waters of the Inside Passage. Dungeness crab, snapper, and prawns can be found as well!

Kitimat's location at the head of the Douglas Channel - one of BC's longest inland fjords provides access to unbelievable saltwater fishing adventures. The Kitimat River and many more feeder creeks and rivers produce migrating salmon along this 90 km stretch of ocean to the Inside Passage.

Resources & Licensing

Fisheries and Oceans Canada manages saltwater (tidal) sport fishing. Licenses are available at Bradley's Bait & Tackle, MK Bay Marina, or Ron's Mobile Tackle & Bait Shop. More information can be found at www.kitimatbound.ca/fishing.

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Saltwater	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
Chinook	●	●	●	●		
Chum	●	●	●	●	●	
Cod	●	●	●	●	●	●
Coho			●	●	●	
Crab	●	●	●	●	●	●
Halibut	●	●	●	●	●	●
Pink			●	●	●	
Snapper	●	●	●	●	●	●

○ Available ● Peak Season

Freshwater Fishing

Our location at the head of the Douglas Channel and next to the Kitimat River makes us a sport fisher's paradise. Enjoy some of the world's best fly fishing in the pristine Kitimat wilderness or, for the more adventurous, try the many remote fly-in areas that provide spectacular scenery and tranquility.

Kitimat River has plenty of fish stocks 12 months of the year with some of the finest steelhead, salmon, and trout fishing in British Columbia!

Rivers in Northwest BC have their own personalities and fishing the meandering Kitimat River offers a unique, quiet serenity and a much needed change of pace. Spring is when steelhead are abundant, which average 8 to 12 pounds. A little later in the season and through the summer is when the powerful chinook salmon get up to 40 pounds.

Resources & Licensing

Freshwater sport fishing for species other than salmon is managed by the Government of British Columbia. Everything you need to know is covered online by the British Columbia Freshwater Fishing Regulations Synopsis. www.gov.bc.ca/FishingRegulations.

Licenses are available at Bradley's Bait & Tackle, MK Bay Marina, and Ron's Mobile Tackle & Bait Shop. More information can be found on www.kitimatbound.ca/fishing.

Freshwater	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
Chinook	●	●	●	●		
Chum		●	●	●	●	
Coho				●	●	●
Pink			●			
Steelhead	●					
Trout	●	●	●	●	●	●

○ Available ● Peak Season

Salmonid Identification

Chinook Salmon



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Chum Salmon

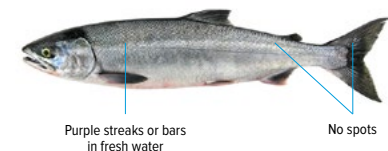


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Coho Salmon



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Steelhead



Pink Salmon

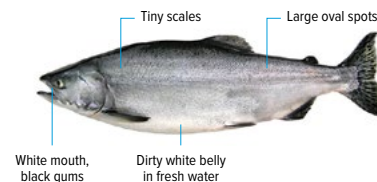
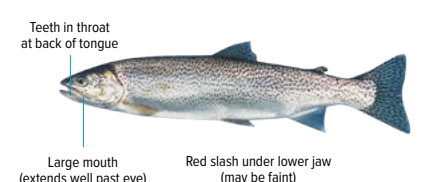


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Coastal Cutthroat Trout



Always check DFO fishery notices for official openings & closures. www.pac.dfo-mpo.gc.ca.

Before you head out to your favourite fishing spot, make sure that you have your BC Fishing Licences.

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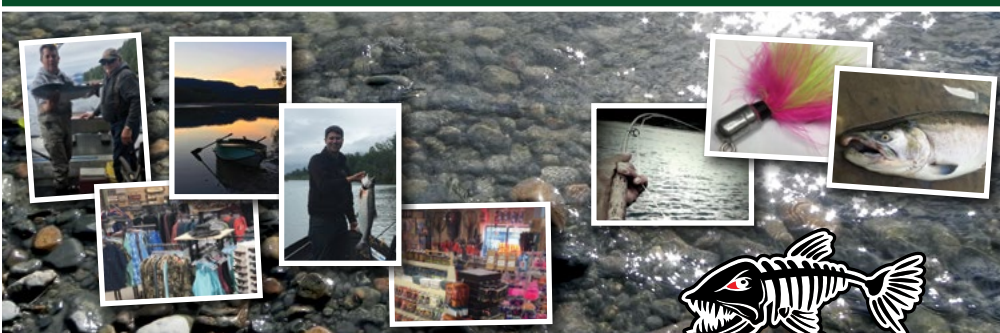
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Let it snow

Imagine a morning of cross-country skiing with the sunrise following you down trails, and an afternoon of sledding to cabins on snow covered mountains. If you're visiting in the winter months – get ready for unparalleled outdoor adventures. From Kitimat you have easy access to downhill and backcountry skiing options.

Snowmobiling/Sledding

Those who sled in Kitimat are rarely disappointed! Kitimat has hundreds of kilometers of trails, including two scenic trails to choose from.

Clague Cabin Trail

Groomed trail with a viewpoint of Squirrel Mountain.

Robinson Ridge Cabin Trail

Add this perfect trail to stunning views to your bucket list!

Snowmobile Trail Passes

Kitimat trail passes are available for purchase through the District of Kitimat Leisure Services Department, at either the Tamitik Sports Complex or the Riverlodge Recreation Centre.

Riverlodge Recreation Centre
654 Columbia Avenue West | 250-632-8970
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Tamitik Sports Complex
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Safety & Provincial Regulations

If you plan to operate a snowmobile in BC, make sure you have the following: Valid registration visibly displayed safety-approved helmet (both operator and passengers) and are 16 years and older (unless exemptions are met). Find out more information on snowmobiling in BC on kitimatbound.ca/winter-sports/

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Kitimat came close to setting a record for the highest snowfall over a 24-hour period in February 2015 with 109 cm of snow.

Snowshoeing

Snowshoe on Clague Mountain Trail. There are routes for everyone, from novice to more experienced. Cabin users need a membership with the Snowmobile & Hikers Club.

Snowshoeing is a great winter activity for the whole family and is one of the easiest and least expensive ways to exercise and/or get out and enjoy the snow. If you enjoy hiking, then you will love exploring the marked trails in winter too and possibly spot some wildlife along the way.

Trails are dependent on the amount of snow with routes for everyone: from novice to the more experienced.

Snowshoes are available for rent through the District of Kitimat's Leisure Services at the Riverlodge Recreation Centre. Call 250-632-8970 for more information.

At Onion Lake from Snow Valley Nordic Ski Club Snowshoe passes are available in the ticket booth at the front gate entrance. Snowshoe rentals are available on weekends when the rental shed is open: Saturdays 10-4, Sundays 11-4.

Backcountry Skiing

Kitimat locals love the convenience of having amazing backcountry ski access right at their doorsteps.

If you're a visitor, you'll enjoy easy access to the stunning, endless backcountry of the Kitimat Ranges.

Be sure to plan ahead, and consider getting or upgrading your avalanche skills training.

Cross-Country Skiing

About halfway between Kitimat and Terrace are 35km of groomed trails perfect for both classic cross-country and skate skiing. These are called the Onion Lake Ski Trails, which are maintained by the Snow Valley Nordic Ski Club.

The ski trails were built to suit a variety of skill levels while providing easy access to the small lakes and spectacular views of the valley. The vistas of the Kitimat Range Coast Mountains that surround the trails make skiing an awe-inspiring experience.

- Day passes available for purchase from the ticket booth at the trailhead.
- Lessons are available for beginners.
- Ski and gear rentals available.
- 5km of lit trails for night skiing.
- 6km "Doggy Trail" dedicated to dog owners and their best friends.
- A warming hut, parking and toilets are available next to the stadium free of charge for season pass holders and day users.

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Find out more about the Snow Valley Nordic Ski Club

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