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## Goldstream Provincial Park Campground Programs

**All programs meet at the amphitheatre.** Ask at the Gatehouse, or call the Goldstream Nature House at 478-9414 for more information. Make sure to make the trip up to the Nature House. We have lots of displays, naturalists, books and more!

**'Tis the season!** It's always the season to explore Goldstream Park, however this summer is particularly special because of our new summer line of forest perfume. Come and find out how to make your own!

**Aliens in the Park.** Did you know that aliens have invaded the park? Find out who they are and what you can do to help!

**Amazing Amphibians! Rad Reptiles!** What is the difference between a salamander and a lizard? Hop into the world of amphibians and reptiles to explore some amazing facts of these creatures, how long they've been around and have our chorus master direct you in the frog orchestra!

**Arrive Alive.** Learn the art of staying alive in the wilderness and how to keep our wild places safe and healthy.

**Berries and Bark.** Where can you find food plants and what do they look like? Learn about the wealth and diversity of wild edible plants to be found in British Columbia and their importance to the Coastal Salish First Peoples. Bring a mug and try some Stinging Nettle Tea!

**Cougar Connections.** Have you ever seen a cougar? One has probably seen you! Come challenge your senses and your muscles as we explore the life of this big kitty in the city.

**Eddie Eagle at the Estuary.** Learn about the life of a young eagle from the perspective of our nesting eagles at estuary. Discover why hundreds of eagles flock to Goldstream each winter!

**Forest Frolicking.** Bored? Tired of all your video games? The forest is the best playground you could ever wish for! Delve into dirt and magnify miniature worlds, be creative and run like the wind; you will definitely 'leaf' satisfied!

**Goldilocks and the Goldstream Bears.** There sure are a lot of black bears on Vancouver Island. Discover why these amazing animals are so important on the island, and learn how you keep yourself (and the bears) safe in bear country!

**Hooters.** Whose that hooting in the woods? Find out about our local owls, and learn how to "speak owl"!

**In Defense of Bats.** Explore the world of bats and discover how amazing these much maligned creatures really are! Discover the truth about bat myths, learn about echolocation, hibernaculum, and why bats are great to have around.

**Insect Exploration.** Insects are everywhere! Learn who insects are, and forage with a naturalist for some of our local insects.

**Insect Olympics.** Be a spectator at the first annual Insect Olympics as we discover who is the biggest, fastest, and best in the insect world! Meet competitors from all over the world and get a chance to hold them!

**Leave No Trace.** Minimum Impact Camping (Leave no trace) (EV): Avoid scarring the land while camping or backcountry traveling by using practical techniques for preserving fragile wilderness places. Learn the eight principles of leave no trace behaviour!

**Lost in the Woods.** Find out what to do if you find yourself lost in the woods. An "in-the-woods" workshop will teach the lifesaving benefits of orange garbage bags and boxes of raisins.

**Mission Possible.** Climate Kids! Your mission, should you choose to accept it: the climate sure is changing and we need YOUR help!

**Mythbusters.** Are bats *actually* blind? Can toads *really* give you warts? Learn why these animals have a negative reputation and debunk some of nature's most prevalent myths about the creatures that we love to hate!

**PARKS DAY.** Join us at the Goldstream Nature House on July 21<sup>st</sup> and help us celebrate our special place on Canada's National Parks Day. There will be food, fun activities and crafts, and walks for kids and adults. Join us anytime between 11 am and 3:00 pm.

**People and the Parks.** Endangered Species and Protected Places (EV): As human activity alters the face of our planet, it is important that we protect natural landscapes and associated wildlife habitat. Learn how Vancouver Island parks are designed to protect biodiversity in British Columbia and how you can help!

**Postcards From the Edge.** Here on the edge of British Columbia, we have some amazing Provincial Parks. Team up with other campers to play a giant board game that will teach you all about them!

**Prospector Penelope.** Gold Rush at Goldstream (JR): Become a 19th Century prospector of the Goldstream Gold rush and learn of a time when money was based on gold. Gold miners sought gold and found history at Goldstream Provincial Park.

**Salmon Tales.** Why does that tree you are leaning against need a salmon run? Find out how Goldstream's fall salmon run has helped make the park such a special place.

**Shark Tales.** Meet the giants who used to share the Saanich Inlet with Goldstream and learn about the importance of marine protected areas and how they might help to bring our gentle giants back.

**Should I stay or should I go?** Come soar through the skies with us and discover why some birds choose a tropical vacation and others prefer a wet west coast winter!

**Talking Trees.** Trees of Vancouver Island (Day/Roving): Discover the fascinating flora of Goldstream Provincial Park! Learn quick tricks to identifying common plants and trees.

**The Good News about Cavities.** Come and discover why wildlife like cavities and what that has to do with your campfire.

**The Salmon Egg Lottery.** What does it take for a salmon to survive? How many baby salmon survive to spawning? Find out as we explore the lifecycle of a salmon!

**The Salmon Forest.** Take a walk with a naturalist in the salmon forest, and find out how salmon are connected to all the things you see and hear!

**Welcome to the Dark Side.** Come and learn how to build the ultimate night creature!