

TOUR OPTIONS IN VERNON & AREA

ACTIVATE YOUR TOURS VERNON, BRITISH COLUMBIA

SALMON TOURS/ELEMENTS ADVENTURES



MURAL TOURS/ZEN SEEKERS/NANCY SHIELDS



HISTORIC O'KEEFE RANCH

With four seasons to explore and surrounded by beautiful lakes and stunning mountains, Vernon offers a diverse range of activities for tour groups, from agritourism to outdoor adventures.

- Large Groups (40+)
- ▲ FIT
- ◆ Medium Groups (<28)
- Customizable Experiences
- ★ Child-Friendly/Educational Experience

● ▲ ★ **Mural Tours** 28 murals depict the history of the area. Guided walking tours available in the summer through the Downtown Vernon Association.
Year round | downtownvernon.com

● ▲ ■ ★ **The Historic O'Keefe Ranch** A 50 acre western heritage, historic site offering interpretive tours, exhibits, horseback and stage coach rides, farm animals and visits with artisans.

Max group size: 100 people | May – Sep | Options: tractor/stage coach rides, meals/snacks | events@okeeferanch.ca

◆ ▲ ★ **Davison Orchards** Learn about what we grow, how we grow it and find out how the Davison Orchards' family farm has grown into what we are today.

Pre-booked tours only | May 1 – Oct 31 | Options: pie/lunch | office@davisonorchards.ca

● ▲ ■ ★ **Allan Brooks Nature Centre** Learn about the Okanagan's unique and diverse natural heritage through views, interactive information, animal programs and displays of the region's natural areas. Three lakes and five ecosystems can be seen from this site.

Apr – Oct | abnc.ca

● ▲ ★ **Vernon Farmers' Market** Experience one of the oldest Farmers' Markets in the Okanagan with 150+ vendors showcasing local fruit, vegetables, cheese, meat, artisans, food trucks and entertainers. It moves indoors for the winter. Free!

Apr – Oct (Monday & Thursday), Nov – Mar (Friday) | vernonfarmersmarket.ca

● ▲ **Marten Craft Brewery** Voted one of BC's Top 10 Tasting Rooms, this craft beer micro-brewery offers tastings and lunch.

Year round | Events.MartenBrewpub@gmail.com

● ▲ ★ **Planet Bee Honey Farm and Honeymoon Meadery** Family-owned and operated for over 20 years, Planet Bee offers visitors the chance to discover the amazing world of the honeybee.

Pre-booked tours only | Max group size: 55 people | Options: longer educational presentations, mead tastings | Year round | edwin@planetbee.com

◆ ▲ ■ **The BX Press Cidery** Tastings of artisan hard-ciders crafted from apples grown on the 3rd generation orchard.

Pre-booked tours only | Max group size: 30 | hello@thebexpress.com

● ▲ ■ ★ **Predator Ridge Resort**

The perfect basecamp to explore from with everything from fine-dining to outdoor adventure. Tour the Scenic Sip wine route 15km away or take the bike shuttle to the Okanagan Rail Trail. Bike rentals available to explore 13km of bike trails or hike or snowshoe 35km+ of multi-use trails. Year-round tennis and pickleball courts. 2 award-winning golf courses.

Max group size: 170 | Victoria Day weekend – Labour Day weekend | Options: lunch/dinner | jcollard@predatorridge.com



◆▲ Okanagan Skydive The view from 10,000 ft over Vernon is breathtaking. Tandem skydive with a highly experienced and certified instructor for the best thrill in the Okanagan.

Pre-booked groups | Apr – Nov | info@okanaganskydive.com

◆▲■★ Okanagan Ballooning

Enjoy breathtaking views of the Okanagan valley in the 6-passenger balloon, Aurora. This family owned and operated business has been flying out of the Okanagan for nearly 20 years.

Year round | Pre-booked tours | Max group size: 6 | info@okballooning.com

◆▲ Wine & Water Pair a tour of local wineries with an activity on one of our renowned lakes. Bike along the turquoise waters of Kalamalka Lake on the Okanagan Rail Trail, relax on a boat cruise or explore by kayak.

- MOJO Tours mary-jo@mojotours.com
- Cheers Okanagan Tours info@cheersokanagantours.com

◆▲ Scenic Sip Located between Kelowna and Vernon, the Scenic Sip Wine Route has some of the best wineries in the Okanagan. scenicsip.ca

- 50th Parallel 50thparallel.com
- Ancient Hill ancienthillwinery.com
- Arrowleaf Cellars arrowleafcellars.com
- Blind Tiger blindtigervineyards.ca
- Ex Nihilo exnihilovineyards.com
- Gray Monk graymonk.com
- Intrigue Wines intriguewines.com
- The Chase thechasewines.com

◆▲ Golf in Vernon Early, warm springs, long, hot summers, and gentle, fall breezes equal more time for spectacular golf! Vernon boasts a full spectrum offering of courses to meet every skill level and budget—each course as distinct as the terrain they were built on. Come play the best of BC.

- Predator Ridge predatorridge.com
- The Rise therisegolf.ca
- Spallumcheen Golf and Country Club spallumcheengolf.com
- Vernon Golf & Country Club vernogolf.com
- Hillview Golf Course hillviewgolf.ca

●▲ Okanagan Spirits Craft Distillery Learn about the art of craft distilling. Afterwards, head to the tasting bar to sample a selection of our award-winning spirits.

Year round | Pre-booked tours required for groups 6+ | vernon@okanaganspirits.com

●▲★ Sovereign Lake Nordic Centre Tour our breathtaking ski and snowshoe trails in a winter wonderland in SilverStar Provincial Park. Custom packages and products available.

Max group size: 40-50 with one week notice | Nov – Apr | Options: lunch/dinner | [Troy Hudson, 1-877-768-5253](mailto:Troy.Hudson@1-877-768-5253)

●▲■★ SilverStar Mountain Resort Champagne powder and varied terrain attract skiers to BC's third largest ski area, with over 3,282 skiable acres. The colourful, mid-mountain village offers true ski-in, ski-out access and the all-inclusive lift ticket provides affordable, family-friendly fun.

Year round | groups@skisilverstar.com

◆▲■★ Camelot Haven Alpacas Observe and learn about these endearing creatures at this operational alpaca ranch and country store.

Pre-booked tours only | mid-May to mid-September | info@camelothaven.com

●▲■★ Okanagan Sleigh and Wagon Adventures Offering horse drawn sleigh ride adventures in the winter and wagon/carriage rides in the summer.

Pre-booked tours only | Year round | okanagansleighandwagon@outlook.com

◆▲■★ Elements Adventure Company Enjoy a day of wild-mushroom hunting or take an autumn voyageur canoe trip down the Shuswap River during the salmon run.

Pre-booked tours only | Salmon tour minimum age: 10 | Group discounts available | Sep – Oct | info@elementsadventures.com

