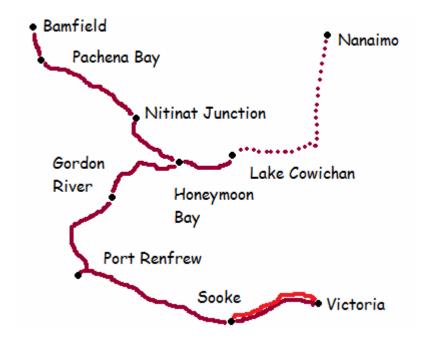
## ROUTE #14 JUAN DE FUCA

# VICTORIA / SOOKE / PORT RENFREW / LAKE COWICHAN / BAMFIELD

The remote South-western Coast of Vancouver Island does not have many options for transportation. BC Transit runs as far as Sooke. Beyond Sooke, the only option for those wishing to visit this area is the seasonal "Trail Bus". The Trail Bus runs from Victoria to Port Renfrew, then along old logging roads to Bamfield via Lake Cowichan. This bus primarily markets to those who are wishing to hike the Juan De Fuca Trail or the West Coast Trail, providing easy access in and out of the woods. Occasionally, locals use the bus as well.



West Coast Trail Bus 69 BC Transit – Victoria / Sooke 68, 69

#### WEST COAST TRAIL INFO

The West Coast Trail starts at Pachena Bay and continues for 75km following the rugged coastline to Gordon River. The trail was originally built in the early 1900's as a rescue trail; it is now one of the most popular hiking trails in the world. It usually takes 7 days to complete the trip, and hikers need permits to use the trail overnight. Only 30 overnight permits are issued per day from each end to limit the number of hikers accessing the trail. If you do the hike, be prepared. There are no services on the trail and the nearest community could be days away by foot.

#### JUAN DE FUCA MARINE TRAIL INFO

The Juan de Fuca Trail begins at China Beach, 35km west of Sooke and follows the rugged coastline for 47km to Botanical Beach, just outside Port Renfrew. This trail can be done as several day-hikes or as one long 4-6 day backpacking adventure. The wilderness camp spots are \$10 per night and do not need to be reserved. Unlike the West Coast Trail, Highway 14 is always not too far away.

#### GALLOPING GOOSE TRAIL INFO

The Galloping Goose Trail is a very easy walking / cycling trail that starts at the Johnston Street Bridge in Downtown Victoria and continues for 55km to the old ghost town of Leechtown, north of Sooke. The trail is paved for the first 13km. Leechtown used to be the beginning of the trail, but now it is officially the end of the trail, and the area becomes off limits before the end of the trail is reached. Sooke Potholes Provincial Park is an ideal destination point for hikers and cyclists as the park is near the end of the trail.

#### SOOKE POTHOLES INFO

Located on Sooke River, Sooke Pothole Provincial Park is known for its deep rocky canyon pools that are ideal for swimming. The transit bus will drop you at Sooke River Road, and from there it is a 5km (3 mile) walk up the road to the park. Allow an hour for the walk. Also see Galloping Goose Trail above.

## **BC TRANSIT - VICTORIA & LANGFORD / SOOKE**

VICTORIA ROUTE #61 CONNECTING SCHEDULE: VICTORIA ROUTE #50

## Greater Victoria / Sooke

Government   Langford   Langford   17 Mie   Otter Point
#50, 61 #50 #61 #61 #61
Monday to Friday EACEPT July 1
5:47a
6:22a
6:38a
6:15a -50 6:55a TRANSFER
6:57a 7:14a
7:52a 8:05a
7:20a -50 8:04a 8:05a 8:22a 8:35a
8:00a -50 8:44a 8:45a 9:02a 9:15a
9:00a -50 9:44a 9:45a 10:02a 10:15a
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12:52p-50 1:41p 1:41p 1:58p 2:11p
1:32p-50 2:21p 2:21p 2:38p 2:51p
2:01p-50 2:51p TRANSFER
2:55p 3:12p 3:25p
2:31p-50 3:22p 3:39p 3:52p
2:51p-50 3:44p TRANSFER
3:53p 4:10p 4:23p
3:38p-61 4:40p 4:53p
3:52p -61 4:56p 5:09p
4:05p -61 5:09p 5:22p
4:20p -61 5:19p 5:32p
4:40p -61 5:43p 5:56p
4:50p -61 5:49p 6:02p
5:05p -61 6:06p 6:19p
5:15p-61 6:13p 6:26p
5:40p-61 6:33p 6:46p
6:00p-50 6:46p 6:46p 7:03p 7:16p
7:00p-50 7:42p 7:42p 7:59p 8:12p
8:00p -50 8:40p 8:40p 8:57p 9:10p
9:00p -50 9:37p 9:37p 9:54p 10:07p
10:00p-50 10:37p 10:37p 10:52p 11:04p

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11:25p-50 MID

#### SOOKE PASSENGERS: NO NEED TO TRANSFER:

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Sooke	17 Mile	Langford	Langford	Victoria
Townsend	17 Mile	Langford	Langford	Government
& Sooke Rd. #61	Pub #61	Exchange #61	Exchange	& Superior
			#50, 61	#50, 61
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5:47a	6:01a			6:49a -61
6:16a	6:30a			7:22a -61
6:26a	6:40a			7:32a -61
6:36a	6:50a			7:46a -61
6:43a	6:57a			7:47a -61
6:58a	7:12a			8:10a -61
7:08a	7:22a			8:20a -61
7:17a	7:31a			8:21a -61
7:39a	7:53a			8:50a -61
8:25a	8:39a	8:59a	8:59a -61	9:44a -61
9:12a	9:25a	9:45a	9:45a -50	10:27a -50
9:42a	9:55a	10:15a	10:15a -50	10:57a -50
10:42a	10:55a	11:15a	11:15a -50	11:57a -50
11:42a	11:55a	12:15p	12:15p-50	12:57p -50
12:47p	1:00p	1:20p	1:20p -50	2:02p -50
1:47p	2:00p	2:20p	2:20p -50	3:02p -50
2:37p	2:50p	3:10p	3:10p -50	3:52p -50
3:18p	3:31p	3:51p	3:51p-61	4:37p -61
3:48p	4:00p	4:20p	4:20p -50	5:02p -50
4:13p	4:25p	4:45p	4:45p -50	5:27p -50
4:43p	4:55p	5:15p	5:15p -50	5:55p -50
5:10p	5:22p	5:42p	TRANSFE	ER
			5:45p -50	6:24p -50
5:33p	5:45p	6:05p	6:05p -50	6:42p -50
5:48p	6:00p	6:20p	6:20p -50	6:57p -50
6:18p	6:30p	6:50p	6:50p -50	7:26p -50
6:50p	7:02p	7:20p	7:20p -50	7:55p -50
7:35p	7:47p	8:05p	8:05p -50	8:39p -50
8:40p	8:52p	9:10p	9:10p -50	9:42p -50
9:40p	9:52p	10:10p	10:10p-50	10:42p -50
10:29p	10:41p	10:59p	TRANSFE	ER -
			11:10p-50	11:42p -50
11:24p	11:35p	11:50p	11:50p-50	12:22a -50
12:44p	12:55a	1:10a		

WEB PREMIUM ADVERTISING SPACE	

12:15a

12:27p

### BC TRANSIT - VICTORIA & LANGFORD / SOOKE

Otter Point

FULL SCHEDULE: VICTORIA ROUTE #61 CONNECTING SCHEDULE: VICTORIA ROUTE #50

## Greater Victoria / Sooke

Langford

Langford

Government Langford Langford

& Superior #50	Exchange #50	Exchange #61	Pub #61	& Sooke Rd. #61			
Saturday							
		6:37a	6:54a	7:05a			
6:55a	7:32a	7:32a	7:49a	8:00a			
7:40a	8:17a	8:20a	8:37a	8:48a			
8:40a	9:19a	9:20a	9:37a	9:48a			
9:40a	10:20a			10:48a			
10:40a	11:23a	11:25a	11:42a	11:53a			
11:40a	12:25p	12:25p	12:43p	12:54p			
12:40p	1:25p	1:25p	1:43p	1:54p			
1:25p	2:14p	2:15p	2:33p	2:46p			
2:30p	3:22p	3:22p	3:40p	3:53p			
3:30p	4:20p	4:20p	4:38p	4:51p			
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		6:25p	6:42p	6:55p			
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10:15a	10:55a	10:56a	11:11a	11:25a			
11:25a	12:08p	12:11p	12:28p	12:42p			
12:40p	1:25p	1:26p	1:43p	1:57p			
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Townsend	17 Mile	Langford	Langford	Government
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8:20a	8:32a	8:50a	8:50a	9:24a
9:20a	9:32a	9:50a	9:50a	10:27a
10:20a	10:32a	10:50a	10:50a	11:29a
11:20a	11:32a	11:50a	11:50a	12:30p
12:20p	12:32p	12:50p	12:50p	1:30p
1:20p	1:32p	1:50p	1:50p	2:31p
2:20p	2:32p	2:50p	2:50p	3:31p
3:20p	3:32p	3:50p	3:50p	4:31p
4:20p	4:32p	4:50p	4:50p	5:30p
5:20p	5:32p	5:50p	5:50p	6:28p
6:20p	6:32p	6:50p	6:50p	7:26p
7:20p	7:32p	7:50p	7:50p	8:25p
8:20p	8:32p	8:50p	8:50p	9:25p
9:20p	9:32p	9:50p	9:50p	10:25p
10:20p	10:32p	10:50p	10:50p	11:24p
11:05p	11:16p	11:34p	11:35p	12:09a
12:05a	12:16p	12:34a	12:35a	1:09a
	Sunda	y & Jul	y 1	
8:02a	8:15a	8:34a	8:35a	9:07a
9:17a	9:30a	9:49a	9:50a	10:26a
10:32a	10:45a	11:04a	11:05a	11:43a
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1:01p	1:14p	1:34p	1:35p	2:14p
2:16p	2:29p	2:49p	2:50p	3:29p
3:31p	3:44p	4:04p	4:05p	4:44p
5:02p	5:14p	5:34p	5:35p	6:13p
6:33p	6:45p	7:04p	7:05p	7:42p
8:03p	8:15p	8:34p	8:35p	9:08p
9:33p	9:45p	10:04p	10:05p	10:36p
11:03p	11:15p	11:34p	11:35p	12:06a

# TRAIL BUS - VICTORIA & NANAIMO / SOUTHWEST COAST

FULL SCHEDULE

## Salt Spring Island/Southern Gulf Islands/Vancouver

Victoria	Sooke	China Bch.	Sombrio Bch	. Parkinson Cr.	Port Renfrew	Gordon River	Lake Cow.	Nitinat Jct.	Pachena Bay	Bamfield
					Daily					
6:45a	7:30a	8:05a	8:25a	8:35a	8:45a	9:15a	10:15a	11:15a	12:30p	12:45p

## Salt Spring Island/Southern Gulf Islands/Vancouver

Bamfield	Pachena Bay	Nitinat Jct.	Lake Cow.	Gordon River	Port Renfrew	Parkinson Cr.	Sombrio Bch.	China Bch.	Sooke	Victoria
					Daily					
1:15p	1:45p	2:45p	4:15p	5:15p	5:45p	5:55p	6:05p	6:25p	7:00p	7:45p

## Nanaimo Connection:

Nanaimo	Lake Cow.	
Departure		
Bay		
TRAI	L BUS	CONNECTION
TRAI 8:20a	L BUS 10:15a	CONNECTION to Bamfield

	Lake Cow.	Nanaimo
		Departure Bay
TRAIL BUS	CONNE	ECTION
From Port Renfrew From Bamfield	10:15a 4:15p	11:35a 5:30p

TRAIL BUS SUBCONTRACTS THE NANAIMO PORTION OF ROUTE TO A THIRD PARTY