

Media Advisory

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BC FERRIES REMINDS CUSTOMERS THAT 50 PER CENT SAVINGS ON REGULAR PASSENGER FARES AND KIDS TRAVEL FREE STARTS TOMORROW Over 2,000 sailings eligible for the promotion

VICTORIA – BC Ferries reminds customers that a fleet wide pricing promotion of 50 per cent off regular passenger fares and kids travel free starts tomorrow and runs until March 30. Passengers travelling on select sailings will receive the discount off the regular passenger fare and kids 11 and under will travel free.

The promotional discount is applicable on regular passenger fares for adult, BC senior, student and persons with disabilities. The complimentary travel for kids is applicable on a child's fare. On South Coast Routes, the promotion will be in effect Monday through Thursday, Saturdays and Sundays on select sailings from March 11 - 30.

On North Coast Routes including Port Hardy – Prince Rupert, Prince Rupert – Haida Gwaii and Alliford Bay – Skidegate routes as well as the Discovery Coast Connector, the 50 per cent discount and kids travel free will apply on every sailing from March 11 - 30.

ExperienceTM Card users who receive a year-round discount that is less than 50 per cent will have their discount increased to match the promotional fare. This promotion allows those customers who do not participate in the ExperienceTM Card program an opportunity to travel at a discounted rate.

Space on the select promotional sailings is on a first-come, first-served basis. Reservations are recommended to ensure a spot on the sailing of choice. The discount is also available on select BC Ferries Vacations packages for customers looking for a Spring Break getaway. For more details about the 50 per cent passenger and kids travel free promotion, visit bcferries.com. For details on BC Ferries Vacations packages, visit bcferriesvacations.com.

Under contract to the Province of British Columbia, BC Ferries is the service provider responsible for the delivery of safe, efficient and dependable ferry service along coastal British Columbia.

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Sailing Schedule for Pricing Promotion Attached.

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Langdale – Gambier Island – Keats Island

Mar 11 – Mar 30

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Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		APPL	ICABLE SAIL	INGS		
	10:40 am 12:45 pm 3:00 pm		3:00 pm 3:20 pm 4:00 pm 5:20 pm 6:20 pm			

Comox (Little River) - Powell River (Westview)

Powell River to Comox, Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa			
APPLICABLE SAILINGS									
	11:50 am 5:15 pm 8:45 pm	11:50 am 5:15 pm 8:45 pm	11:50 am 5:15 pm* 8:45 pm	11:50 am 5:15 pm 8:45 pm		11:50 am 5:15 pm* 8:45 pm			

Comox to Powell River, Mar 11 - Mar 30

Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa			
APPLICABLE SAILINGS									
	10:00 am 3:15 pm 7:15 pm	10:00 am 3:15 pm 7:15 pm	10:00 am 3:15 pm* 6:50 pm† 7:15 pm*	10:00 am 3:15 pm 7:15 pm		10:00 am 3:15 pm* 6:50 pm [†] 7:15 pm*			

^{*}Mar 18 and 22 only. †Mar 11, 15, 25 and 29 only.

Powell River (Westview) – Texada Island (Blubber Bay)

On this route, return fares are paid at Powell River.

Mar 11 - Mar 30

Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa			
APPLICABLE SAILINGS									
	10:40 am 12:15 pm 7:40 pm 9:20 pm	10:40 am 12:15 pm 7:40 pm 9:20 pm	12:15 pm 7:40 pm 9:20 pm	10:40 am 12:15 pm 7:40 pm 9:20 pm		4:15 pm 6:40 pm 8:15 pm 9:45 pm			

Nanaimo Harbour – Gabriola Island

On this route, return fares are paid at Nanaimo Harbour.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

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Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa			
APPLICABLE SAILINGS									
	9:25 am 10:40 am 11:55 am 1:10 pm 9:00 pm 10:00 pm 11:00 pm	9:25 am 10:40 am 11:55 am 1:10 pm 9:00 pm 10:00 pm 11:00 pm	9:25 am 11:55 am 1:10 pm 9:00 pm 11:00 pm	9:25 am 10:40 am 11:55 am 1:10 pm 9:00 pm 10:00 pm 11:00 pm		6:55 am 8:10 am 6:10 pm 7:15 pm 9:00 pm 10:00 pm 11:00 pm			

Chemainus - Thetis Island - Penelakut Island

On this route, return fares are paid at Chemainus.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa			
APPLICABLE SAILINGS									
	10:10 am 12:15 pm 1:50 pm 8:25 pm 10:00 pm		1:50 pm 3:35 pm 5:10 pm 6:45 pm 8:25 pm 10:00 pm						

Vancouver Island (Buckley Bay) – Denman Island (Denman West)

On this route, return fares are paid at Buckley Bay.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		APPL	ICABLE SAIL	INGS		
	11:00 am 12:30 pm 1:15 pm 5:05 pm 6:05 pm 8:05 pm 9:45 pm	11:00 am 12:30 pm 1:15 pm 5:05 pm 6:05 pm 8:05 pm 9:45 pm	11:00 am 12:30 pm 1:15 pm 5:05 pm 6:05 pm 8:05 pm 9:45 pm	11:00 am 12:30 pm 1:15 pm 5:05 pm 6:05 pm 8:05 pm 9:45 pm		1:15 pm 3:15 pm 4:05 pm 5:05 pm 6:05 pm 8:05 pm 9:30 pm

Denman Island (Gravelly Bay) – Hornby Island (Shingle Spit)

On this route, return fares are paid at Buckley Bay.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa				
APPLICABLE SAILINGS										
	11:40 am 1:50 pm 2:20 pm 5:45 pm 6:45 pm		1:50 pm 2:20 pm 3:50 pm 4:45 pm 5:45 pm 6:45 pm							

Campbell River – Quadra Island (Quathiaski Cove)

On this route, return fares are paid at Campbell River.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		APPL	ICABLE SAIL	INGS		
	10:30 am 11:30 am 12:30 pm 1:30 pm 2:30 pm 8:30 pm 9:45 pm	11:30 am 12:30 pm 1:30 pm 2:30 pm 8:30 pm 9:45 pm	10:30 am 11:30 am 12:30 pm 1:30 pm 2:30 pm 8:30 pm 9:45 pm	10:30 am 11:30 am 12:30 pm 1:30 pm 2:30 pm 8:30 pm 9:45 pm		12:15 pm 1:15 pm 2:15 pm 3:30 pm 4:30 pm 5:25 pm 6:15 pm 7:30 pm 8:30 pm 9:45 pm 10:45 pm

Quadra Island (Heriot Bay) – Cortes Island (Whaletown)

On this route, return fares are paid at Campbell River.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa				
APPLICABLE SAILINGS										
	11:05 am 1:05 pm 3:05 pm	1:05 pm 3:05 pm	11:05 am 1:05 pm 3:05 pm	11:05 am 1:05 pm 3:05 pm		1:05 pm 3:05 pm 5:05 pm 6:45 pm				

Port McNeill – Alert Bay

On this route, return fares are paid at Port McNeill.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		APPL	ICABLE SAIL	.INGS		
	11:35 am 2:20 pm 7:40 pm 9:30 pm	11:35 am* 2:20 pm 7:40 pm 9:30 pm	11:35 am 2:20 pm 7:40 pm 9:30 pm	11:35 am 2:20 pm 7:40 pm 9:30 pm		2:20 pm 5:10 pm 7:40 pm 9:30 pm

*Except Mar 14 and Mar 28: Dangerous Cargo Sailings – not available.

Port McNeill – Sointula

On this route, return fares are paid at Port McNeill.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa			
APPLICABLE SAILINGS									
	1:10 pm 7:40 pm 9:30 pm		1:10 pm 4:05 pm 7:40 pm 9:30 pm						

Port Hardy – Prince Rupert, Mid Coast Connector Prince Rupert – Haida Gwaii

Mar 11 - Mar 30

Passenger Fare Discount applies to all scheduled sailings.

Haida Gwaii: Skidegate – Alliford Bay

On this route, return fares are paid at Skidegate.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

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Enjoy half off regular passenger fares, plus kids 11 and under sail free. Choose from over 2,000 sailings, March 11–30.



South Coast Routes
SELECT SAILINGS*



North Coast Routes
ALL SAILINGS**



UPDATED FEB 20

Vancouver (Tsawwassen) – Victoria (Swartz Bay)

Vancouver to Victoria, Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa				
APPLICABLE SAILINGS										
7:00 am 9:00 am		11:00 am 1:00 pm 7:00 pm 9:00 pm	11:00 am 1:00 pm 7:00 pm 9:00 pm	1:00 pm 2:00 pm 9:00 pm		3:00 pm 5:00 pm 7:00 pm 9:00 pm				

Victoria to Vancouver, Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa				
APPLICABLE SAILINGS										
7:00 am 9:00 am		11:00 am 1:00 pm 7:00 pm 9:00 pm	11:00 am 1:00 pm 7:00 pm 9:00 pm	11:00 am 12:00 pm 9:00 pm		3:00 pm 5:00 pm 7:00 pm 9:00 pm				

Vancouver (Horseshoe Bay) – Nanaimo (Departure Bay)

Both ways, Mar 11 - Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	
APPLICABLE SAILINGS							
6:30 am 8:30 am	6:30 am 8:30 am 5:00 pm 7:00 pm 9:00 pm		6:30 am 7:00 pm 9:00 pm				

Vancouver (Tsawwassen) – Nanaimo (Duke Point)

Both ways, Mar 11 - Mar 30

Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa		
APPLICABLE SAILINGS								
8:15 pm 10:45 pm	5:15 am 7:45 am 5:45 pm 8:15 pm 10:45 pm		ALL DAY					

Vancouver (Horseshoe Bay) – Sunshine Coast (Langdale)

On this route, return fares are paid at Horseshoe Bay.

Mar 11 - Mar 30

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Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa			
	APPLICABLE SAILINGS								
6:00 am [†] 6:20 am [*] 7:20 am 8:05 am [†] 8:20 am [*] 9:25 am 10:15 am [†] 10:25 am [*] 11:30 am 12:25 pm [†] 12:30 pm [*]	10:15 am [†] 10:25 am [*] 11:30 am 12:25 pm [†] 12:30 pm [*] 2:35 pm 6:50 pm [*] 7:05 pm [†] 9:45 pm	10:15 am [†] 10:25 am [*] 11:30 am 12:25 pm [†] 12:30 pm [*] 2:35 pm 6:50 pm [*] 7:05 pm [†] 9:45 pm	10:15 am [†] 10:25 am [*] 11:30 am 12:25 pm [†] 12:30 pm [*] 2:35 pm 6:50 pm [*] 7:05 pm [†] 9:45 pm	10:15 am† 10:25 am* 11:30 am 12:25 pm† 12:30 pm* 2:35 pm 6:50 pm* 7:05 pm† 9:45 pm		ALL DAY			

^{*}Mar 11-Mar 19 only †Mar 20-Mar 30 only

Victoria (Swartz Bay) – Salt Spring Island (Fulford Harbour)

On this route, return fares are paid at Swartz Bay.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

	Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa			
APPLICABLE SAILINGS										
		11:00 am 1:00 pm 3:00 pm 7:00 pm 9:00 pm		1:00 pm 3:00 pm 5:00 pm 7:00 pm 9:00 pm						

Victoria (Swartz Bay) – Gulf Islands

On this route, return fares are paid at Swartz Bay.

To Galiano, Mayne and Pender Islands, Mar 11 - Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa					
	APPLICABLE SAILINGS										
		6:35 pm									

To Galiano and Mayne Islands, Mar 11 - Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa			
	APPLICABLE SAILINGS								
	10:25 am	10:25 am	10:25 am	10:25 am		4:00 pm			

To Pender Island, Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa		
APPLICABLE SAILINGS								
	2:15 pm	2:15 pm	2:15 pm	2:15 pm				

To Mayne and Saturna Islands, Mar 11 - Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
	2:50 pm	2:50 pm	2:50 pm	2:50 pm		

To Pender and Saturna Islands, Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa				
	APPLICABLE SAILINGS									
			7:10 pm							

To Mayne, Pender and Saturna Islands, Mar 11 - Mar 30

Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
	7:40 pm	7:40 pm	7:40 pm	7:40 pm		2:30 pm

Southern Gulf Island Inter-Island Travel

Includes Galiano, Mayne, Pender, Saturna and Salt Spring Islands Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa		
APPLICABLE SAILINGS								
	All Day	All Day	All Day	All Day		All Day		

Powell River (Saltery Bay) – Sechelt Peninsula (Earls Cove)

On this route, return fares are paid at Saltery Bay.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	
		APPLICABLE SAILINGS					
	11:20 am 3:50 pm 9:25 pm		3:50 pm 5:55 pm 9:25 pm				

Crofton - Salt Spring Island (Vesuvius Bay)

On this route, return fares are paid at Crofton.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
	11:45 am 12:50 pm 2:30 pm 7:40 pm 8:50 pm		2:00 pm 3:35 pm 4:45 pm 5:55 pm 7:40 pm 8:50 pm 9:55 pm			

Vancouver (Horseshoe Bay) – Bowen Island (Snug Cove)

On this route, return fares are paid at Horseshoe Bay.

Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		INGS				
	11:00 am 12:00 pm 2:25 pm 8:30 pm 9:30 pm		2:25 pm 3:30 pm 4:30 pm 5:30 pm 6:30 pm 8:30 pm 9:30 pm			

Vancouver (Tsawwassen) – Southern Gulf Islands

Vancouver (Tsawwassen) to Gulf Islands, Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa		
APPLICABLE SAILINGS								
	7:20 pm	7:20 pm	7:20 pm	7:20 pm		8:45 pm [†]		

†Sailing does not stop at Pender Island or Saturna Island.

Salt Spring Island (Long Harbour) to Vancouver, Mar 11 – Mar 30

	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	
APPLICABLE SAILINGS								
		6:15 am	6:15 am	6:15 am	6:15 am		6:30 am	

Pender Island (Otter Bay) to Vancouver, Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa			
APPLICABLE SAILINGS									
	7:05 am	7:05 am	7:05 am	7:05 am		9:05 am			

Saturna Island (Lyall Harbour) to Vancouver, Mar 11 – Mar 30

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa		
APPLICABLE SAILINGS								
	6:25 am	6:25 am	6:25 am	6:25 am		9:55 am		

Mayne Island (Village Bay) to Vancouver, Mar 11 – Mar 30

	Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa	
APPLICABLE SAILINGS								
		7:45 am	7:45 am	7:45 am	7:45 am		10:40 am	

Galiano Island (Sturdies Bay) to Vancouver, Mar 11 - Mar 30

	Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
APPLICABLE SAILINGS							
		8:25 am	8:25 am	8:25 am	8:25 am		9:40 am

Mill Bay – Brentwood Bay

Mill Bay to Brentwood Bay, Mar 11 - Mar 30

Su	Мо	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		APPL	ICABLE SAIL	INGS		
	11:35 am 1:50 pm 3:00 pm 4:10 pm		1:50 pm 3:00 pm 4:10 pm 5:20 pm 6:30 pm			

Brentwood Bay to Mill Bay, Mar 11 - Mar 30

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		APPL	ICABLE SAIL	INGS		
	11:00 am 1:15 pm 2:25 pm 3:35 pm		1:15 pm 2:25 pm 3:35 pm 4:45 pm 5:55 pm			

"50% Off Regular Passengers" Promotional Fares			Promotional Fares		
SOUTH COAST ROUTES* Select sailings. March 11 to March 30, 2017. Fuel rebate is 2.9% on South Coast routes.	Adult Passenger Fare	Adult Passenger Fare with BC Ferries Experience™ Card Discount	Adult	Child (5-11 yrs)	BC Senior
Tsawwassen - Swartz Bay	\$17.20	n/a	\$8.60	\$0.00	\$4.30
Horseshoe Bay - Departure Bay	\$17.20	n/a	\$8.60	\$0.00	\$4.30
Tsawwassen - Duke Point	\$17.20	n/a	\$8.60	\$0.00	\$4.30
† Horseshoe Bay - Langdale	\$16.15	\$12.65	\$8.05	\$0.00	\$4.00
† Swartz Bay - Fulford Harbour	\$12.60	\$8.65	\$6.30	\$0.00	\$3.15
† Swartz Bay - Gulf Islands	\$13.45	\$9.00	\$6.70	\$0.00	\$3.35
Inter-Southern Gulf Islands	\$6.75	\$4.50	\$3.35	\$0.00	\$1.65
† Crofton - Vesuvius Bay	\$12.60	\$8.65	\$6.30	\$0.00	\$3.15
† Earl's Cove - Saltery Bay	\$15.85	\$12.35	\$7.90	\$0.00	\$3.95
[†] Horseshoe Bay - Snug Cove	\$12.35	\$7.50	\$6.15	\$0.00	\$3.05
Gulf Islands to Tsawwassen	\$10.20	n/a	\$5.10	\$0.00	\$2.55
Tsawwassen to Gulf Islands	\$19.80	n/a	\$9.90	\$0.00	\$4.95
Mill Bay - Brentwood Bay	\$8.00	\$5.00	\$4.00	\$0.00	\$2.00
Langdale - Gambier - Keats	\$7.75	\$5.45	\$3.85	\$0.00	\$1.90
Powell River (Westview) - Little River (Comox)	\$15.90	\$12.90	\$7.95	\$0.00	\$3.95
† Powell River (Westview) - Texada Island	\$11.45	\$7.15	\$5.70	\$0.00	\$2.85
† Nanaimo Harbour - Gabriola Island	\$11.45	\$6.70	\$5.70	\$0.00	\$2.85
† Chemainus - Thetis Island - Penelakut Island	\$10.90	\$6.35	\$5.45	\$0.00	\$2.70
† Buckley Bay - Denman Island	\$10.50	\$6.10	\$5.25	\$0.00	\$2.60
† Denman Island - Hornby Island	\$10.50	\$6.10	\$5.25	\$0.00	\$2.60
† Campbell River - Quadra Island	\$10.50	\$6.10	\$5.25	\$0.00	\$2.60
† Quadra Island - Cortes Island	\$12.35	\$8.15	\$6.15	\$0.00	\$3.05
† Port McNeill - Alert Bay - Sointula	\$12.35	\$8.15	\$6.15	\$0.00	\$3.05

NORTH COAST ROUTES** All sailings. March 11 to March 30, 2017. Fuel rebate is 1.9% on North Coast routes.	Adult Passenger Fare	Adult Passenger Fare with BC Ferries Experience™ Card Discount	Δdult	Child (5-11 yrs)	BC Senior
Port Hardy - Prince Rupert (Shoulder)	\$148.25	n/a	\$74.00	\$0.00	\$49.50
Port Hardy/ Prince Rupert to Mid Coast (Shoulder)	\$89.00	n/a	\$44.50	\$0.00	\$29.75
Port Hardy/ Prince Rupert to Mid Coast (Residents)	\$66.00	n/a	\$33.00	\$0.00	\$22.00
Port Hardy or Prince Rupert to Bella Coola (Shoulder)	\$143.75	n/a	\$71.75	\$0.00	\$48.00
Bella Bella/ Shearwater & Ocean Falls/ Klemtu	\$43.00	n/a	\$21.50	\$0.00	\$14.25
Bella Coola to Mid Coast Ports (Off Peak)	\$54.75	n/a	\$27.25	\$0.00	\$18.25
Prince Rupert - Skidegate (Off Peak)	\$38.75	n/a	\$19.25	\$0.00	\$12.75
Skidegate - Alliford Bay	\$10.50	\$6.10	\$5.25	\$0.00	\$2.60

[†] Fare includes return trip

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^{**}North Coast Routes: Offer valid on all sailings March 11 - March 30, 2017 on the following routes: Inside Passage; Haida Gwaii; Discovery Coast Connector; Skidegate – Alliford Bay, in either direction.