


2011

# Brant Wildlife Festival March Schedule of Events

To register for an event and for more information,  
please visit [www.brantfestival.bc.ca](http://www.brantfestival.bc.ca)  
or call 1-866-288-7878

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
 <p><b>Brant Wildlife Festival</b> <b>The Nature Trust</b> of British Columbia</p>							
		1	2	3	4	5 <b>Opening Night Kick Off</b> Keynote Speakers: Briony Penn & Rob Butler 6:30 pm – 9 pm Parksville Community & Conference Centre \$20 in advance \$30 at the door	
<b>Brant in the Bay Opening Day</b> 10 am – 2 pm Parksville Community Park Free. <b>Wild Shores Herring Spawn Tour</b> 10 am – 2 pm \$20 per person Register: 250-248-3667 or <a href="mailto:mail@rainforestnaturehikes.com">mail@rainforestnaturehikes.com</a>	<b>Monday Night at the Movies</b> Film: Taking Root 6:30 pm – 9 pm Parksville Community & Conference Centre \$7 in advance, \$10 at the door	<b>The Amazing Lives of Pacific Black Brant</b> Speaker: Guy Monty 7 pm – 8 pm Craig Park Heritage Museum Free				<b>Plant for the Planet Tree Planting Party</b> Noon – 2 pm Englishman River Estuary <b>Dark in the Park Star Party</b> 5:30 pm – 9:30 pm Rathtrever Beach Prov. Park \$10 per person (children free with adult)	
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<b>Learn to Fish</b> 10 am – 2 pm Horne Lake Regional Park Ages 5 to 15; \$10 per child (parents free) <b>Wild Shores Tidepool Tour</b> Noon – 3 pm \$20 per person Register: 250-248-3667 or <a href="mailto:mail@rainforestnaturehikes.com">mail@rainforestnaturehikes.com</a>	<b>Kids Spring Break Nature Camp</b> 9 am – 3 pm Craig Park Heritage Museum \$35 per day   \$150/week <b>Monday Night at the Movies</b> Film: Dirt! The Movie 6:30 pm – 9 pm Parksville Community Centre \$7 in advance, \$10 at the door	<b>Kids Spring Break Nature Camp</b> 9 am – 3 pm Craig Park Heritage Museum \$35 per day   \$150/week	<b>Kids Spring Break Nature Camp</b> 9 am – 3 pm Craig Park Heritage Museum \$35 per day   \$150/week <b>Junior Streamkeepers</b> With Qualicum Beach Streamkeepers 9 am – 3 pm Ages 8 to 12; \$20 per person	<b>Kids Spring Break Nature Camp</b> 9 am – 3 pm Craig Park Heritage Museum \$35 per day   \$150/week	<b>Kids Spring Break Nature Camp</b> 9 am – 3 pm Craig Park Heritage Museum \$35 per day   \$150/week <b>Get the Dirt on Dirt</b> Noon – 2 pm Craig Park Heritage Museum History, exhibit & soil testing \$10 per person	<b>Learn to Cave</b> 10 am – 3 pm Horne Lake Caves Provincial Park Ages 8 & up Register: <a href="mailto:info@hornelake.com">info@hornelake.com</a> or 250-248-7829	
<b>Wild Heritage Photography Tour</b> 9 am – 2 pm Craig Park Heritage Museum \$50 per person <b>Wild in Alberni Somass Estuary Tour</b> 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm Port Alberni Free. Pre-registration required.	28	29	30	31	<b>Festival Sponsors</b>      		

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<p><b>Nearshore Explorers Intertidal Adventure</b> <b>3</b></p> <p>10 am – 1 pm Rath Trevor Beach Prov Park \$20 (children free with adult)</p> <p><b>Wild Shores Heritage Tour</b></p> <p>9 am – Noon \$20 per person Register: 250-248-3667 or <a href="mailto:mail@rainforestnaturehikes.com">mail@rainforestnaturehikes.com</a></p>	<p><b>Monday Night at the Movies</b> <b>4</b></p> <p>Film: In Transition 6:30 pm – 9 pm Parksville Community &amp; Conference Centre \$7 in advance, \$10 at the door</p>	<p><b>5</b></p>	<p><b>Learn to Bird Pt. 1 Classroom Session</b> <b>6</b></p> <p>5 pm – 7 pm Craig Park Heritage Museum \$20 per person - includes Fieldtrip on April 8 (adults only)</p>	<p><b>7</b></p>	<p><b>Learn to Bird Pt. 2 Fieldtrip</b> <b>8</b></p> <p>8 am – Noon Craig Park Heritage Museum</p>	<p><b>Big Day Bird Count Counting: 4:30 am - 3 pm Awards at Deez Bar &amp; Grill 3:30 - 5:30 p.m. Pre-registration: 250-248-5305</b> <b>9</b></p> <p><b>A Celebration of Trees</b> Noon – 2 pm Presentation by the Organic Mechanic: 1 pm Cannor Nursery, Parksville Free. Pre-registration: 250-248-0093</p>
<p><b>Buds n' Blooms Botany Walk</b> <b>10</b></p> <p>10 am – 2 pm \$20 per person Register: 250-248-3667 or <a href="mailto:mail@rainforestnaturehikes.com">mail@rainforestnaturehikes.com</a></p>	<p><b>11</b></p>	<p><b>Wild Heritage of an Artist</b> <b>12</b></p> <p>Speaker: Lyndia Terre 7 pm – 8 pm Craig Park Heritage Museum Free</p>	<p><b>13</b></p>	<p><b>Big Qualicum Salmon Tour</b> <b>14</b></p> <p>10 am – 1 pm With Qualicum Beach Streamkeepers Big Qualicum River Hatchery \$20 per person</p>	<p><b>15</b></p>	<p><b>Freedom of Flight Bald Eagle Release</b> <b>16</b></p> <p>9 am – 4:30 pm Eagle Release: 2 pm Bird presentation: 2:30 pm All day booths, hot dogs &amp; refreshments North Island Wildlife Recovery Centre By donation</p>
<p><b>Hamilton Marsh Pond Slush</b> <b>17</b></p> <p>10 am – 2 pm Hamilton Marsh, Qualicum Beach Fun for the whole family \$5 per person, \$10 families</p>	<p><b>18</b></p>	<p><b>Voices of Nature</b> <b>19</b></p> <p>7 pm – 8:45 pm Port Theatre, Nanaimo Tickets: \$12; 250-754-8550 or <a href="http://www.porttheatre.com">www.porttheatre.com</a></p>	<p><b>20</b></p>	<p><b>21</b></p>	<p><b>22</b></p>	<p><b>Wildlife Viewing at Goose Spit</b> <b>23</b></p> <p>Noon – 3 pm Goose Spit Regional Park, Comox Contact Art Martell at 250-334-2979 Free</p>
<p><b>24</b></p>	<p><b>25</b></p>	<p><b>26</b></p>	<p><b>27</b></p>	<p><b>28</b></p>	<p><b>29</b></p>	<p><b>30</b></p>