

BASTION CITY WANDERERS VOLKSSPORT CLUB

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WALK SCHEDULE 01 May 2026 to 31 August 2026

DAY/DATE	START TIME*	LOCATION	STARTING POINT	TYPE/KM/RATING
Sat May 02	9:30 am	Nanaimo	Linley Valley – from Linley Road – park entrance Photo Presentation - Nanaimo North Library - 12:45-2:45	EX 5/7/10 km 2B
Sat May 09 Mothers' Day Wknd	9:30 am	Cedar	Yellowpoint Park – gravel parking lot on Yellowpoint Rd	EX 6/10 km 2B
Sat May 16 Victoria Day Wknd	9:30 am	Nanaimo	Waterfront, Bowen Park and Buttertubs Marsh – Meet in Port Place Mall parking lot opposite Gabriola Ferry	PT 5 km 1A 10/12 km 2B
Sat May 23 Event Walk	10:00 am	Nanaimo	Newcastle Island (Saysutshun) – Meet at ferry dock entrance in Swy-A-Lana Park. Registration at 9:15 -9:45 Return Fare \$15 Senior \$12	MW 5/8/11 km 2B
Sat May 30	9:30 am	Nanaimo	Harewood Plains – meet under the power lines on Harewood Mines Road @ Trans Canada Trail sign	EX 6 km 2B 8/10 km 2C
Sat Jun 06	9:30 am	Nanoose Bay	Fairwinds / Enos Lake – meet in the gravel parking lot across from Fairwinds Golf clubhouse	EX 5 km 2B 8/13 km 2C
Sat Jun 13	9:30 am	Nanaimo	Extension Ridge – meet at power lines on Harewood Mines Rd @ Trans Canada Trail sign	EX 5/7/11 km 3C
Sat Jun 20 Fathers' Day Wknd	9:30 am	Cedar	Hemer Park – gravel parking lot beside Country Grocer shopping centre	PT 6/7/8/10 km 2B
Sat Jun 27	9:30 am	Parksville	Tigh na Mara/Top Bridge 9/10 km or Rath Trevor Beach 6 km – parking lot of Tigh na Mara resort	PT 9/10 km 2B Rath Trevor PT 6 km 1B
Sat Jul 04	9:30 am	Nanaimo	Westwood Lake – back gravel parking lot	PT 6/8/10 km 2B
Sat Jul 11	9:30 am	Parksville	Englishman River Fish Hatchery – meet at Top Bridge parking lot at the end of Chattell Road	EX 5/6/8/10 km 2B
Sat Jul 18	9:30 am	Cedar	Cable Bay – parking lot at the end of Nicola Road.	EX 6/10 km 2C
Sat Jul 25	9:30 am	Parksville	Tigh na Mara/Rath Trevor Beach & Estuary – parking lot of Tigh na Mara resort	PT 6/10 km 1B
Sat Aug 01 BC Day Wknd	9:30 am	Nanaimo	Morrell/Colliery Dam Park – meet at the parking lot across from the Morrell Sanctuary entrance	EX 5/6/8/10 km 2B
Sat Aug 08	9:30 am	Nanaimo	Neck Point Park – parking lot at the end of Morningside Drive (alternate 10 km option.) AGM - Nanaimo North Library - 12:45-2:45	PT 5 km 2B 10 km 3B or 3C
Sat Aug 15	9:30 am	Ladysmith	Ladysmith PT – Town or Holland Creek - Upper parking lot @ Coronation Mall	PT 6/10 Km 2B 7/10 km Holland Creek 3B
Sat Aug 22	9:30 am	Nanaimo	Linley Valley – from Linley Road – park entrance Photo Presentation - Nanaimo North Library - 12:45-2:45	EX 5/7/10 km 2B
Sat Aug 29	9:30 am	Nanaimo	Buttertubs Marsh & parks from Nanaimo Aquatic Centre. Meet in corner of parking lot by Wakesiah & 3 rd St.	EX 6 km 1B 10/12 km 2B

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*Registration begins 15 minutes prior to start time unless otherwise indicated

PT – Permanent Trail

EX – Exploratory Walk

EGW - Evening Guided Walk

GW – Guided Walk

MW – Mapped Walk

Part 1 – INCLINE		Part 2 – TERRAIN	
1	Very little hill or stair climbing	A	Almost all pavement
2	Some moderate hill or stair climbing	B	Significant part on well groomed trails, with very little more difficult terrain
3	Some significant hill or stair climbing	C	Significant part on somewhat difficult terrain (rocky/rooted paths)
4	A good deal of significant hill or stair climbing	D	A significant part on difficult terrain
5	Many steep hills or high altitude trails	E	Majority of the walk on very difficult terrain

NOTE: Extreme weather conditions could raise the difficulty of the routes