



Harbour Currents

June 29, 2011

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Cruise Clicks

The cruise industry in Victoria has a new home online at www.victoriacruise.ca.

Formerly hosted as part of the [Greater Victoria Harbour Authority](#) website, the new portal brings together a wide variety of information on Ogden Point cruise terminal and the ships that call on Victoria's port.



Website content includes:

- Ogden Point Cruise schedule
- Local environmental initiatives
- Media information

[Cruise Ogden Point – Your Gateway to Victoria](#)



Canada Day Breakfast at Ship Point

Have you ever wanted to start the day with maple syrup on your pancakes and a tour of a Canadian Navy vessel?

This Friday, you can have both. Start your Canada Day with a pancake breakfast at 9 a.m. on Ship Point pier. The cost is \$2 a plate, with proceeds going to Victoria's Rotary Club.

At 10 a.m., the Canadian Navy ship HMCS Edmonton opens to the public for tours. This maritime coastal defense vessel is primarily used for coastal surveillance. It also performs search and rescue, law enforcement, anti-smuggling, counter-terrorism, disaster relief and scientific research missions.

Economics Review

The Economic Planning Group (EPG) will conduct an independent third-party review of "Victoria as a Port of Call: The Costs and Benefits of Cruise Ship Visits" by Dr. Brian Scarfe.

Scarfe's work examines the various costs and benefits of the cruise industry in the regional economy.

EPG and local partner David Hall provide research and analysis services in tourism, transportation and business development.

Community Advisor Vacancy

GVHA is seeking 2 Community Advisors to join the Community Advisor Committee. The committee provides advice to management on the impacts of GVHA facility activities on

local residents and assists in finding mitigations to the impacts. Community Advisors are expected to bring a positive, solutions-based approach to addressing community concerns associated with working harbour activities on GVHA properties.

The Terms of Reference are available [on the GVHA website](#).

If you are interested in applying for one of these volunteer positions, please send a 1 to 2 paragraph statement about why you would be well-suited to this position to rpenz@victoriaharbour.org by **July 15, 2011**. Include where you live, your awareness of existing issues and your skills or experience that would help in solving the issues.

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