



Spirit of Endeavour marks new endeavours for Victoria

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The Spirit of Endeavour arrives in Victoria on Wednesday at 8:00 a.m., kicking off the season for pocket cruise vessels in the Inner Harbour. Although the Endeavour was to have arrived last week, engine troubles caused a cancellation of that sailing. These mid range cruises create marine activity in the heart of the harbour and with long passenger stays provide the visitors with an excellent opportunity to experience the many attractions and activities Victoria has to offer.

Ship Point, where these ships berth, is a marine facility and Transport Canada security regulations are observed while the vessels are in port. Temporary aesthetic fencing will be placed on Ship Point for to accommodate their visits and we appreciate the public's support while it is in place.

Upcoming visits:

Wednesday, April 25	Spirit of Endeavour	ETA 08:00
Tuesday, May 1	Empress of the North	ETA 10:00
Wednesday, May 2	Spirit of Endeavour	ETA 08:00

The Greater Victoria Harbour Authority (GVHA) was incorporated as a not-for-profit society in February 2002, and began operating its four port facilities (Wharf Street, Ship Point/ Government Street, Fisherman's Wharf and Ogden Point) divested from Transport Canada in the spring and summer of 2002. The GVHA's Board is comprised of Directors representing the Authority's Member governments and organizations (Esquimalt Nation, Songhees Nation, Provincial Capital Commission, City of Victoria, Township of Esquimalt, the Victoria/Esquimalt Harbour Society, Tourism Victoria, the Greater Victoria Chamber of Commerce, and the Capital Regional District), and four Community Directors.

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