

# QUESNEL & AREA 2018 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

(For full listings visit [www.quesnelchamber.com](http://www.quesnelchamber.com))

- May 1 Quesnel Museum opens [www.quesnelmuseum.ca](http://www.quesnelmuseum.ca)
- May 5 Farmers' Market opens at Carson at Kinchant  
[www.quesnelmarket.net](http://www.quesnelmarket.net)
- May 5 Friends of Museum Book Sale  
[www.quesnelmuseum.ca](http://www.quesnelmuseum.ca)
- May 17 Barkerville opens [www.barkerville.ca](http://www.barkerville.ca)
- Jun 9 Pride Parade – Downtown Quesnel
- Jun 21 National Indigenous People's Day – Carson at Kinchant
- Jul 1 Canada Day Celebrations – LeBourdais Park
- Jul 6,7 BC Firefighters' Games – LeBourdais Park  
[www.firefightergames.ca](http://www.firefightergames.ca)
- Jul 15 Wildfire Recover Classic Car Cruise arrives  
[www.2018recoverycruise.com](http://www.2018recoverycruise.com)
- Jul 19 Bob Willson Crash to Pass – Quesnel Speedway  
[www.qara.ca](http://www.qara.ca)
- Jul 19-22 44th Billy Barker Days Festival  
[www.billybarkerdays.ca](http://www.billybarkerdays.ca)
- Jul 20-22 Quesnel Rodeo – Alex Fraser Park  
[www.quesnelrodeo.com](http://www.quesnelrodeo.com)
- Jul 21 Stock car racing – Quesnel Speedway  
[www.qara.ca](http://www.qara.ca)
- Jul 28 Quesnel's 1st Annual Food Fest - Downtown
- Jul 31 RCMP Musical Ride 7pm – Alex Fraser Park
- Aug 11 Stock car racing – Quesnel Speedway  
[www.qara.ca](http://www.qara.ca)
- Aug 24-26 Prospectors Car Club Show – LeBourdais Park  
[www.prospectorscarclub.com](http://www.prospectorscarclub.com)
- Aug 25,26 Quesnel Fall Fair – Alex Fraser Park  
[www.quesnelfallfair.com](http://www.quesnelfallfair.com)
- Sep 22,23 Stock car racing – Quesnel Speedway  
[www.qara.ca](http://www.qara.ca)
- Oct 7 Women's Fall Challenge –  
Dragon Lake Boat Launch
- Oct 6,7 44th Annual Pow Wow – Indoor Soccer Facility  
250 992 8347
- Jan 25-27 Gold Rush Trail Dog Sled Mail Run to Barkerville  
[www.dogsledmailrun.ca](http://www.dogsledmailrun.ca)
- Feb TBA Quesnel Winter Carnival [www.quesnel.ca](http://www.quesnel.ca)



*Billy Barker Days parade – third full weekend in July*

## QUESNEL FARMERS' MARKET

*(Saturdays at Kinchant & Carson)*

- May 5 (First summer market), 12, 19
  - May 26 (Giant Pumpkin Kick Off)
  - Jun 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 (Canada Day Celebration)
  - Jul 7, 14, 21, 28
  - Aug 4, 11, 18 (Garlic Festival), 25
  - Sep 1, 8, 15 (Customer Appreciation Day), 22, 29
  - Oct 6 (Giant Pumpkin Weigh-in)
  - Oct 13 (Last summer market)
  - Christmas Markets (Arts and Rec Centre)
  - Nov 24, Dec 1 & 8
- NOTICE: Above event info subject to change.  
More info at [quesnelmarket.net](http://quesnelmarket.net)

Check out our new West Fraser Centre!



*Fido needs a little exercise? Check out our new Sugarloaf Dog Park! About 1 km north on Baker Drive from Marsh Drive in West Quesnel.*

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*Answer your call of nature at our new accessible public washrooms at Spirit Centre - Reid and St. Laurent - downtown Quesnel*



## Quesnel & District Museum and Archives

Welcoming travellers with  
interactive exhibits  
children's activities and a  
gift shop.

It's in our nature.

[quesnelmuseum.ca](http://quesnelmuseum.ca) | 250-992-9580  
705 Carson Ave  
(located beside the Visitor Centre)

# ACCOMMODATIONS



Whether it's a rustic lakeside retreat, a full service hotel with all the amenities, a clean 'n quiet RV park or an out-of-the-way bed 'n breakfast, you'll find it all in and around Quesnel. Our RV parks and campgrounds offer everything from "dry" camping to full hook-ups, many with cozy housekeeping cabins, alongside area lakes for fishing, boating or just plain lazing away our Cariboo summers. Further away from the hustle and bustle are numerous user maintained forestry campsites.



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## PLEASE WATCH FOR OUR FLAGGERS

Watch for improvement activity and obey highway construction speed limits. Major street and road infrastructure improvements throughout downtown Quesnel, major upgrades to Reid Street and Front



Street (Hwy 97). Expect delays due to repaving of Barkerville Highway from Wingdam to Barkerville.

Watch for contractors painting lines along our highways this summer, and please avoid crossing the wet paint. Motorists MUST slow down and pull over for road contractors and utilities crews with flashing lights. Watch for unscheduled highway maintenance, repairs and accident scenes. Visit [www.drivebc.ca](http://www.drivebc.ca) for more information.

## PLEASE EXCUSE OUR PROGRESS!



Visitors are reminded that construction activity and traffic detours will occur in downtown Quesnel from spring through fall as Front Street and Reid Street undergo major upgrades. Info at [www.quesnel.ca](http://www.quesnel.ca).



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