

2026 Victoria Hub & Spoke



A thank you goes out to all the Victoria Chapter directors & volunteers who made this H&S so successful & enjoyable for all the participants of this event.

We had 49 participants crossing the waters to Vancouver Island (some by ferry and some by plane, nobody swam that I know of).

Judging by the sign up for the 5 rides every day, I would say the most popular rides were the garden tours of Greater Victoria, Emily Carr ride, Royal Roads University with the historical Hatley Castle. Followed by the Galloping Goose ride to Pedder Bay, a scenic coastal ride & exploring the Saanich Peninsula. Some of the hardier cyclists went the distance of 100 km. to Kinsol trestle. We are very lucky in having so many trails leading us to the waterfront and forested rides throughout the southern Island. Mustn't forget the 'Sherry ride' !

With cyclists, it is not just about the ride, but also the destination which is ultimately leading to food.



Staying in the hub of downtown was a definite bonus for participants new to Victoria. They were close to the Parliament Buildings, the oldest China Town in Canada and very handy to numerous eateries. The group enjoyed a pub gathering at the Bard & Banker and a ten course dinner at Don Mees in China Town. Then there was the Ice cream in the evening followed by the Ghost and History Tour, all arranged by Bob Louie.

What a start to Spring. Thank you to all the participants for coming; and I hope you all enjoyed getting back in the saddle again and your visit to the best **blooming** (no swearing) city in Canada.

Cheers to all



