

Vancouver Island Recreational Opportunities

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Mosaic Forest Management is a timberlands management company. We are passionate about sustainable forestry and about giving back to the communities where we live, work and play.

Alongside their value as a sustainable timber resource, our forests provide recreational opportunities for wildlife viewing, hiking, biking, camping, hunting, fishing, and firewood cutting.

CAMPING

Mosaic offers fourteen not-for-profit campgrounds on scenic Vancouver Island. For more information, visit MosaicForests.com/Camping.

HUNTING

Mosaic provides several designated areas for general hunting on its managed forest land, including during deer hunting season. Additionally, Mosaic offers access opportunities to hunters who have won Limited Entry Hunt (LEH) tags that involve our managed forest lands. For more information, visit MosaicForests.com/Access.

ROAD ACCESS

Mosaic offers access to designated roads on weekends only when weather, safety and operational conditions permit. Opportunities are updated weekly with details available online at MosaicForests.com/Access.



ACCESS AGREEMENTS

Mosaic has long standing Access Agreements with a number of organized groups, including mountain-bike clubs, fish and game clubs, hiking groups, ATV clubs and snowmobile clubs.

While enjoying access opportunities to Mosaic private forest lands, club members advocate for responsible stewardship of Mosaic forests lands by helping to reduce wildfire, vandalism and illegal dumping. To learn more about Mosaic Access Agreements, visit MosaicForests.com/Access.

Public access on Mosaic's forest land is successful when we look out for each other and the forests. Suspicious activity on Mosaic's forest lands should be reported to 911, or to your local RCMP detachment for non-emergencies. To report a wildfire, please call 1 800 663-5555, or *5555 from a cell phone.

FIREWOOD

Mosaic offers firewood cutting opportunities as part of its sustainable approach to forest management. Firewood cutting permits can be purchased online to cut firewood at designated locations on weekends only for personal use, such as heating a home. For more information, visit [MosaicForests.com/Firewood](https://www.mosaicforests.com/firewood).



DID YOU KNOW?

Each year, Mosaic donates all the proceeds from the sale of firewood permits to a deserving community organization. In 2022 Mosaic's matching donation of \$20,000 went to Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Vancouver Island.

SEASONAL CLOSURES

Access opportunities to Mosaic managed forest lands change seasonally and regionally depending on safety, operational, and weather conditions. For example, roads may be closed when the risk of wildfire is high, or during periods of harvesting activity.

Mosaic uses many tools to manage access, including its website, signage, gates, permits, and formal land use agreements.

SEASONAL CLOSURES

Recreational access to Mosaic forest lands is available on most weekends. Why weekends? Because industrial activities occur on Mosaic lands mainly during the week.

Before heading out for weekend access to Mosaic forest lands, visit www.mosaicforests.com/access for the latest information on safety notifications and gate opening and closing times.

RULES OF THE ROAD

Travelling on Mosaic private roads on the weekend? Please ensure you know the gate opening and closing schedules, and that you drive with care:

- >> TURN HEADLIGHTS ON
- >> READ SIGNS
- >> DRIVE ONLY ON DESIGNATED ROADS
- >> OBEY THE POSTED SPEED LIMIT
- >> YIELD TO INDUSTRIAL TRAFFIC THAT MAY BE USING THE ROAD



FOR MORE INFORMATION

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