



# ART GALLERY WALK

## STOP #1 WHISTLER VISITOR CENTRE (MAP GUIDE #27)

Find the Whistler Visitor Centre in the Gateway Loop and pick up a Village Map and Gallery Guide. Note: Most Galleries will open after 10 am.

## STOP #2 VILLAGE COMMON

View the newest welcome figure, carved by Squamish Nation Master Carver Tawx'sin Yexwulla Poolxtun (Aaron Nelson Moody)

## STOP #3 JAMES STEWART GALLERY (MAP GUIDE #31)

Stewart captures the energy, power and pure emotion of the human experience, mastering the rare ability to permeate his figures with the subtlety of gesture and nuance. These elements bring Stewart's figures to life. An accomplished photographer, his well-documented journeys inspire him to recreate his experiences in bronze, transcending these provocative figures into timeless works of fine art.

## STOP #4 MOUNTAIN SQUARE - ART GALLERY ROW IN THE HILTON HOTEL (MAP GUIDE #7)

**FATHOM STONE ART:** is Whistlers' premier stone art studio and gallery. They are a team of artists sculpting the best of the northwest stone types.

## BLACK TUSK GALLERY: NORTHWEST COAST NATIVE ART

Black Tusk Gallery's mission is to provide an outlet for the finest Northwest Coast Native artists. Trust, respect and service are essential with customers and artists represented.

## MARK RICHARDS GALLERY

Mark has been working in his own medium for the last ten years which is a combination of photography and painting.

## WHISTLER VILLAGE ART GALLERY

Founded in 1992, The Whistler Village Art Gallery is dedicated to the promotion of distinctive Canadian and international contemporary art. We represent emerging, mid-career and established artists. Our art encompasses a diversity of styles including figurative, abstract and landscape.

## STOP #5 WESTIN HOTEL (MAP GUIDE #5) ADELE CAMPBELL GALLERY

Adele Campbell Gallery prides itself on nurturing the careers of emerging and established Canadian artists and developing deeper relationships with Canada's leading contemporary talents. *FEATURING THE SPRING FLING*

## UPPER VILLAGE WALK

Walk across Skier's Plaza toward the Gondola Transit Exchange, take the stairs up to Blackcomb Way and turn left. Follow the Fitzsimmons Trail to the covered bridge. Peace Park at, Fitzsimmons Creek, features Peace Tiles painted by Whistler Secondary School students. Next, you will pass under the Blackcomb Way overpass, take time to view the Full Circle Mural painted in 2009 by Daniel Poisson and Corinna Haight. You have now reached the base of the Blackcomb Mountain. Turn left toward the Fairmont Chateau Whistler for your next gallery stop.

## STOP #6 FAIRMONT CHATEAU WHISTLER MOUNTAIN GALLERIES (MAP GUIDE #7)

Mountain Galleries was established in 1992 in Jasper by artist/filmmaker Wendy Wacko. It is one of the largest commercial galleries in Western Canada with locations in Banff, Jasper & Whistler. The collection represents major and mid-career artist.

## STOP #7 GLACIER LODGE RON SMID GALLERIES - (MAP GUIDE #78)

Ron Smid discovered his passion for landscape photography during solo canoe excursions to the rugged Canadian Shield of Northern Ontario. He uses no post digital production and is one of few photographers dedicated to working exclusively with 1963 analog Cibachrome colour process in collaboration with master printer, Michael Wilder

## LORIMER ROAD WALK

Leaving Glacier Lodge turn left on the stroll and then left on Chateau Blvd to Blackcomb Way. Turn right. Squamish Lil'wat Cultural Centre will be on the left. Stop to view the totems and the spectacular carved wooden entrance doors. Walk down the steps to Blackcomb Way. Just across the Lorimer Bridge turn left onto the Valley Trail, take a look back under the bridge to view the mural painted by local artists Chilli Thom and Stan Matwychuk in 2007. Follow the trail toward

the village, passing by the Skateboard Park, which features street art painted on the ramps. Adjacent to parking lot #3 you will see the newest addition to the Whistler art world, the Audain Museum (MAP GUIDE #41) which is set to open in fall 2015. Use the Cross walk in front of the Audain Museum to cross Blackcomb Way to Whistler Village.

## STOP #8 MILLENNIUM GALLERY AT THE MAURICE YOUNG MILLENNIUM PLACE (MAP GUIDE #42)

Millennium Place, created by partnerships and a shared vision, boldly reflects the character and the people. Millennium Place is a figurative and literal stage, for residents and visitors alike, to interact and share their passions and life experiences. *FEATURING THE SACRED HEADWATERS*

## STOP #9 TOWN PLAZA SUITES - THE PLAZA GALLERIES (MAP GUIDE #43)

The Plaza Galleries is recognized as Whistler's largest and most important fine art gallery specializing in international quality fine art. The extensive collection of art is recognized and respected around the world

## STOP #10 OLYMPIC PLAZA- (MAP GUIDE #54)

The final stop on the tour will bring you to Whistlers' Olympic Legacy. Reminders of the days during the 2010 Winter Games are an important part of the plaza's design, which reflects the three pillars of the games: sport, environment and culture. The Olympic Rings and Paralympic Agitos, which graced the entrance to the Medals Plaza, remain at Whistler Olympic Plaza. Just beyond the Olympic Rings, eight aluminum panels commemorate every athlete who participated in the Games. A special memorial for Georgian luger, Nodar Kumaritashvili, is a reminder of the commitment, spirit, and passion displayed by amateur athletes. The original Olympic cauldron, lit to signify the opening of the Games, is also a permanent feature in the plaza. The Four Host First Nations' participation in the Games was essential to its success.

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