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I am honoured to be the Mayor of this wonderful town, strategically located in the South Okanagan Valley. We offer year round resort facilities and activities, while many of us are fortunate enough to live here full time.

Recognized as Canada's only pocket desert, we enjoy hot dry summers beside the warmest lake in Canada. Many generations of families have spent summers camping, picking sweet ripe fruit and boating and swimming in our lake. In 2016 Osoyoos will celebrate Canada Day with our 68th annual Cherry Fiesta parade, music and fireworks. Our Farmers' Market is held weekly from May to September, with fresh produce, artisans' crafts, wine tasting from local award-winning wineries, and music featuring multi-talented Osoyoos musicians. We recommend a variety of activities - from biking and hiking on numerous trails, playing on championship golf courses, fishing for salmon, trout or bass, to learning about our unique ecology at our Osoyoos Desert Center or the NK'Mip Desert Cultural Centre.

Whether you are an annual summer visitor, a winter Snowbird residing at one of the many motels or resorts, or attending a conference, you will soon love our small town.

On behalf of Osoyoos Town Council and staff, I sincerely welcome you to Osoyoos. We offer "Canada's warmest welcome" to everyone.

Warmest regards,

Mayor Sue McKortoff

Town of Osoyoos



NK'MIP Resort is the ultimate Aboriginal tourism destination offering world class amenities and activities. Our four-season resort offers our residents and visitors a choice of experiences including premium accommodation, an award winning winery, gourmet dining and a manicured desert golf course. You can experience this unique environment on horseback, by helicopter, walking the trails or just relax at the full service spa.

For mobile tourists, we offer a year-round full-service campground & RV Park in the resort located on the lake front. There is more than you would expect from this fun family campground including full amenities, water sports, lakefront bistro and activities for Snowbirds that come in the winter. All this, just minutes from downtown Osoyoos in the South Okanagan.

Spirit Ridge at NK'MIP Resort is a 4.5 star condo-hotel with breathtaking vineyard or mountain views of the valley. NK'MIP Conference Centre is the ideal location for weddings, family reunions, conferences, meetings and retreats. Managed by Spirit Ridge, the Centre has built-in audio/visual options and elegant dining with catering for up to 250 people. The NK'MIP Cultural Centre is only steps away and celebrates thousands of years of a precious Okanagan First Nations culture and habitation on desert lands. At the end of the day stop at NK'MIP Cellars and try our award winning wines at the first Aboriginal Winery in North America.

I send you my best wishes and invite you to come to NK'MIP – for work, an action packed adventure, culture or relaxation – we offer it all at our resort! It will be our great pleasure to make your stay an unforgettable one. At NK'MIP, we don't catch dreams, we make them a reality.

Sincerely,

Chief Clarence Louie

Osoyoos Indian Band and CEO, Osoyoos Indian Band Development



On behalf of our community, I would like to extend a very warm welcome to you. I invite you to come here to check out and enjoy what we have to offer. We are more than just a summer fun community. Having been born and raised here,

I am likely somewhat biased, but Osoyoos is both a wonderful place to visit and live.

We have always been known for our hot summers and fresh fruit, and now the local wines and food are making a name for themselves. From golf to weddings, great bass fishing and even a summer sockeye salmon season, you can do it all here.

I am confident you will enjoy Osoyoos!

Mark Pendergraft

Director Area A/Board Chair, Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen



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Introduction to Osoyoos



Introduction

Welcome to Canada's only true desert. Turn these pages and immerse yourself in the valley of stunning beauty and unlimited vistas awaiting you.

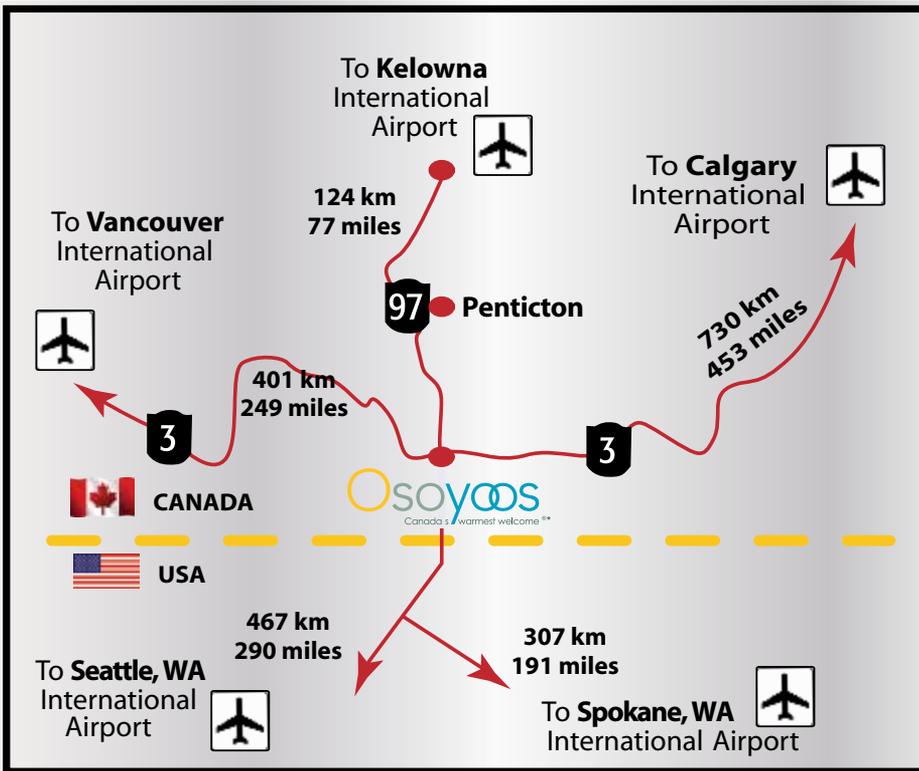
But, there's more to us than just bright skies and wineries set against gentle sloping hills. While we embrace and proudly showcase our vintner industry we also have sophisticated resorts,

championship golf courses, the nation's warmest lake, and a wide range of cultural, intellectual and artistic experiences.

We're a place where First Nations culture and contemporary lifestyles exist side by side and where our ancient traditions and modern life have each carved out their place within a dramatic and welcoming environment. Framed by sunny, blue skies, desert hills, lakes, vineyards and orchards, we are the ultimate year-round desert destination with a climate that will allow you to luxuriate in our unique surroundings, taste our delicious fresh fruit and drink our award-winning wines directly at their source.

Our friendly and intimate resort town, rich in a unique culture and colorful desert history, is also a notable centre for business meetings, conferences, weddings, weekend escapes, and recreation. And there's a reason for that. Osoyoos does have it all – golf, spas, beaches, wineries, orchards, culinary delights, mountains, wildlife watching, First Nations culture and eco-desert experiences are yours to enjoy.

We are set on a vast and rugged landscape of hills and grasslands that invite hiking, mountain

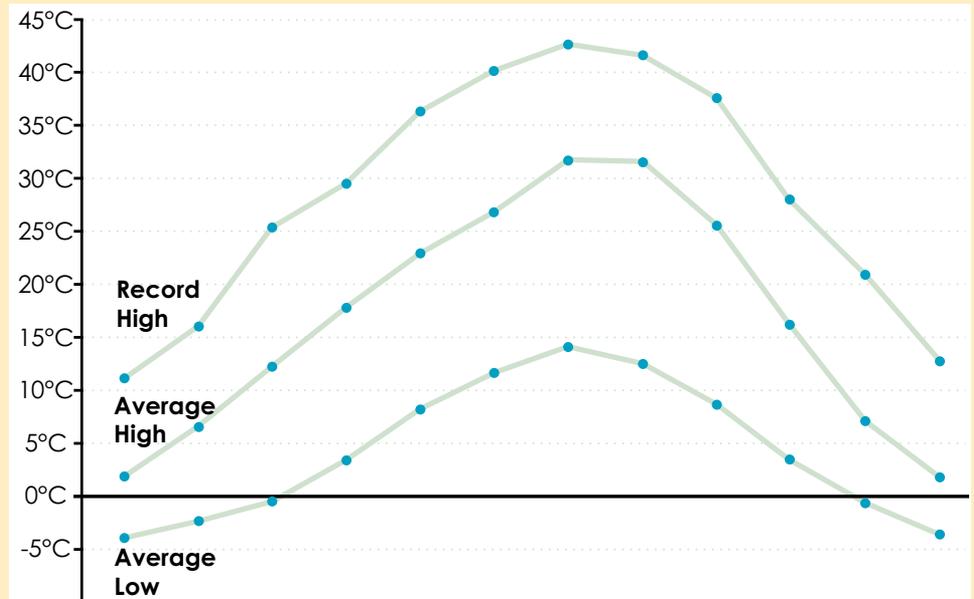


Fast Facts

Osoyoos and area boasts some pretty unique statistics that make the area distinct from any other:

- Population: 4,845
- Elevation: 227 m (909 ft)
- Home to Canada's only desert environment
- Home to Canada's warmest freshwater lake: Osoyoos Lake
- Home to some of the warmest average temperatures in Canada: average summertime temperature is 28C (82.4F) and the average winter temperature is 1.3C (34.3F)
- Home to an average of 2,039 hours of sunshine annually, an average annual rainfall of less than 25 cm (9.8 inches) and an average annual snowfall of 5.4 cm (2.1 inches)
- Home to North America's first aboriginal owned and operated winery: NK'Mip Cellars

Monthly Temperatures



	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Rec. High	11.7	16.2	25.4	29.3	36.1	39.9	42.8	41.7	37.5	28.2	20.8	12.9
Avg. High	2.0	6.7	12.5	18.1	23.1	26.8	31.5	31.1	25.6	16.4	7.1	2.0
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biking and wildlife viewing within easy access to the town. Osoyoos Lake is easily accessed from downtown for fishing, sightseeing or water activities.

We are on the migratory path of many bird species, making us one of the best places in the province to bird watch. And if you want an up-close First Nations experience, you can absorb the many tales and fascinating legends of the Okanagan Syilx First Nations culture at the Nk'Mip Desert Cultural Centre while studying the distinctive desert ecology.

Awaken your senses by having a local lavender permeated massage at a health and beauty spa or shop for a one-of-a-kind treasure found in our many quaint boutiques.

And when you're here in winter, nearby Mt. Baldy is high in the hills just 40 minutes away from Osoyoos. With one of the highest base elevations in B.C. at 1,726 metres (5,665 feet), you can count on an annual snowfall of over 600 cm (20 feet), perfect for snowshoeing and cross country skiing.

We also have rich and diverse cultures and a history that we love sharing with visitors who want to know more about us. We've had our lifestyles shaped by our environment and enhanced by storied First Nations activity and history in the area. And by exploring the facilities that we've built to reflect our cultures, you'll go away feeling you've experienced something special by having been here.

So whether you've decided on a luxurious con-

do at one of our spectacular resorts, a lakeside bed and breakfast, sleeping in your own RV, or if you're here on business and need high-tech access, you'll find a gracious, warm and hospitable link to the region's colorful history. It's all here, year-round, in Canada's hottest destination with Canada's warmest welcome.

Nk'Mip Desert Cultural Centre

The Okanagan Syilx Peoples settled in this valley thousands of years ago and this cultural centre vividly demonstrates how they developed a close relationship with the land. The interactive facilities will provide an insight and introduction to the historical traditions and cultural tapestry of the First Nations who settled here and who still have an enormous impact on the cultural and economic life of the valley.

Osoyoos Desert Centre

This is where you can see first-hand how our special and fragile desert ecosystem works and how each part of it – plants and animals – are so dependent on one another. Osoyoos is a unique landscape and home to one of North America's most fragile and endangered ecosystems. We're referred to as a "Pocket Desert," dry shrub grassland that is the northernmost extension of the shrub-steppe community of the Great Basin Desert. The Centre provides an introduction to this special ecosystem and includes a 1.5 km (.9 mi.) boardwalk that takes visitors on a guided or self-guided tour into 27 ha (67 ac.) of sagebrush.

Osoyoos District Museum and Archives

Here's where you'll learn about the valley's first non-native settlers 200 years ago. Exhibits and collections trace the impact that successive waves of traders, farmers, ranchers, builders, and vintners had on the original environment and their relationships with the First Nations people. You'll be able to see how the city grew from a customs post near the US/Canada border to a 21st Century town. The museum is conveniently located at the foot of Main Street and is open all year.

Osoyoos Art Gallery and Okanagan Art Gallery

We have a thriving arts and culture community with an abundance of artists in many forms – quilters, painters, potters, musicians, photographers, wood carvers and writers. You'll meet many of them at the galleries located at either end of Main Street. If you're here as a family, the galleries offer art classes for children. Other activities and events showcase the work of many regional artists.

Haynes Ranch

The old Haynes Ranch House, a local heritage site, is a must-see location for photographers and history buffs. It was constructed in 1882 and its main house, bunkhouse, and barn still stand.



John Carmichael Haynes was an early settler, colonial official, judge, and customs officer in early Osoyoos. While the buildings are off-limits for interior exploration, you're free to take exterior photos. 📷



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A lake within a desert.

No other place in Canada can make that claim because our part of the Okanagan is the nation's only living desert. Much of our focus and attention is on Osoyoos Lake and its myriad of water activities. And for good reason!

With an average high summer temperature of 31°C/87°F and long stretches of sandy beach, it's an ideal playground for swimming, water skiing, wakeboarding, wake surfing, jet skiing, windsurfing and kayaking. Many of the resorts, motels, RV parks, campgrounds, and Bed and Breakfasts are located directly shoreline, offering a wide selection of accommodation with water views to fit any budget.

Our water season on the lake begins in early April and lasts through October and even longer, depending on the individual sport or activity. The best part of being here for water sports is that our expansive waterfront provides very easy access.

You want beaches? We have plenty for sun worshippers, activity seekers, walkers, or loungers who just want to relax and let the warmth of the

sun and surf melt away their cares. The two most popular are Gyro Beach located in the heart of town in front of Watermark Beach Resort, while the other is Cottonwood Beach on the east side of town. Both of these beaches are great for anyone who likes warm, clear waters and hot days when the temperature reaches upwards of 35°C (95°F). For an out-of-the-way beach, try Legion Beach, tucked into a cove on the southwest side of the channel bridge.

If you're an angler, Osoyoos Lake and the Osoyoos Oxbows are also excellent fishing spots. Drop a line for bass, trout, salmon and lake whitefish or any one of the 43 species found locally. On a good day it's not unusual to haul in a six-pound bass. The average smallmouth is from three to four pounds and if you're here just after the spawning season from mid-May to mid-June, you'll find a lot of hungry fish willing to bite. And for big-fish trollers, Osoyoos Lake is the destination for the Columbia River sockeye stock returning in abundant numbers beginning in mid-July, as they make their way to the Okanagan watershed.

Want to sail or learn how to? The Lake Osoyoos

Sailing Club offers memberships and lessons. And our boat launching sites at swiws Provincial Park (Haynes Point), Osoyoos Lake Regional Park at the end of Lakeshore Drive, Nk'Mip Road at Nk'Mip Campground and Desert Sunrise Marina in downtown Osoyoos provide easy access for boaters to the lake.

We're also the home to Osoyoos Marine, Wake-pilot, Spirit Beach Water Sports, Starlight Marina and Beach Shop, and Above the Board Water-sports. All of them offer new equipment and local information for anyone new to water activities. For those looking for variety on the water, there's a wide selection of pontoon boats, kayaks, canoes, water skiing and paddleboards, among other water activities equipment. Spirit Beach Water Sports offers Stand Up Paddling lessons and rental equipment. Informational brochures are available at most motels, resorts and B&Bs and at the B.C. Visitor Centre.

And even if a calming gaze over the water is all you want, we have plenty of restaurants with gorgeous lake views for you to enjoy. 🌊

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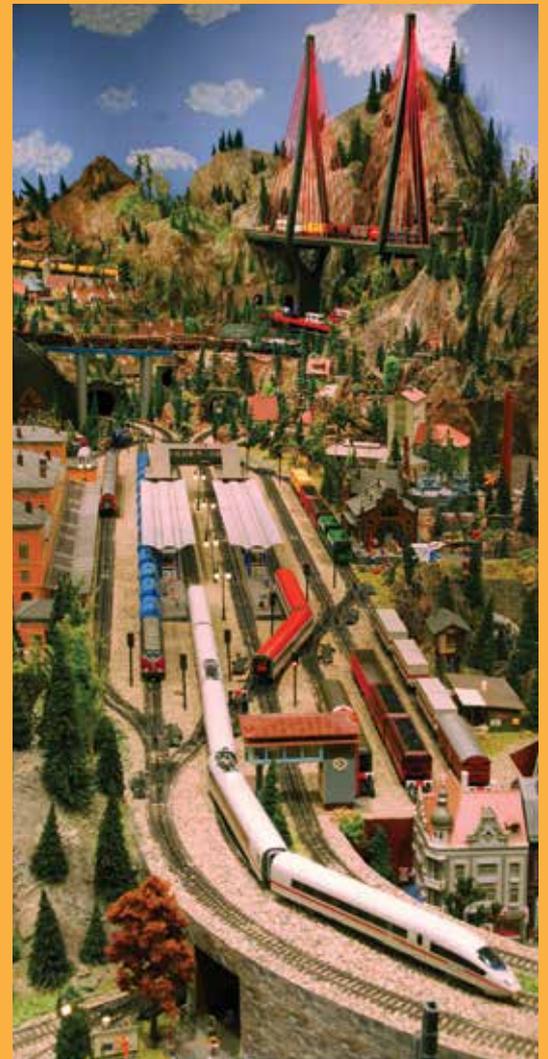


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Adventure



Adventure in Osoyoos comes in many sizes and forms, as adventure here is all in the eye of the beholder.

For some, it might mean horseback riding among the hills, riding downhill on your mountain bike, or wakeboarding on Osoyoos Lake. For others it might mean the discovery of a rare wine at one of our extraordinary wineries, or sinking a side-hill, twisting 35-foot putt at one of our exceptional golf courses. In our town and region, you'll have multiple choices for high-fives all around!

Whatever your adventure, you'll remember it and talk about it for years whether it's a heart thumping or soft adventure, whether it's on water or land – or above ground.

Horseback riding is one of our most popular activities. And you have choices – take a half-day,

a full day, or just rent a horse for an hour or two. Take a slow ride or a fast one. If you're a novice, then you'll probably want to ride short distances. Better riders will go with a group and/or with a guide.

Hiking the hills around Osoyoos is a major pastime for locals and visitors alike. Around Osoyoos, for example, you'll find a terrain that varies from easy strolls along the shoreline and along the Okanagan River to more strenuous climbs on nearby Mount Kobau where you'll find yourself atop a rampart that separates two ancient river valleys.

It's worth the hike to find yourself among wildflowers that bloom on the slopes between the sage and pine, looking down on orchards, vineyards, wetlands, and grasslands. And at night, stargazers are in their element. Drive up the mountain, set up your telescope (if you have one) and be dazzled by the brilliance of the stars in our clear, bright skies.

Several trails throughout the area provide interpretive signage or guided tours with opportunities for bird watching and wildlife watching, with panoramic views. And, if you're a birder, bring your binoculars to see some of the 300 species found throughout the Okanagan – two-thirds of which breed in our area. The best hot spot for viewing is at South Okanagan Grasslands Protected Area around Kilpoola and Blue Lakes, the Osoyoos Ox-bows wetlands and the Golden Mile Trail north of Osoyoos. Among the species, depending on which habitat you're at, are great blue herons, woodpeckers, raptors, warblers, white tailed ptarmigan and the boreal chickadee.

Cyclists come to us for high road, back road, off road, mountain biking adventures. Many top-end athletes come to us for endurance biking, which you'll find in several locations. One of the most popular – and difficult – is the road up Anarchist Mountain, a straight up the mountain test that puts the heart rate up and muscles straining. Once you get to the top, you'll have one of the

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most spectacular views in the entire region.

More gentle cycle tours can be found on Black Sage Road and the International Hike and Bike Trail. Take the Black Sage Road, north of Osoyoos, and pass dozens of small and large wineries including Desert Hills Estate, Burrowing Owl, Black Hills Estate and Church and State Winery, among others. Stop in at one or two, have lunch and experience this exceptional industry. The 18 km (10 mi.) and generally flat International Hike and Bike Trail borders the Okanagan River Channel and like the Black Sage Road route, passes wineries and fruit stands. It's easy to combine the

two routes. Ask for a map at the British Columbia Visitor Centre. And be sure to monitor how much of our local liquid you consume before getting on the bike after lunch.

And for something truly unusual, drive to Spotted Lake, one of the Okanagan's most unique natural wonders. The self-contained lake contains dense deposits of magnesium sulphate, calcium and sodium sulphates among other minerals. When most of the water in the lake evaporates during the summer, it exposes large "spots" that are brightly coloured according to the mineral composition. The lake is known to the Okanagan First

Nations who own the land as a sacred site. The waters were historically therapeutic and are said to have healing powers. As a visitor, you can't hike to Spotted Lake itself because of environmental concerns and the sacred nature of the site, but there's an alcove off of Highway 3, west of Osoyoos, where you can stop for photographs. It's worth the short drive from town because you won't see anything like it anywhere else.

For those seeking thrills and adventure, there are also numerous opportunities for rappelling, helicopter tours and ATV tours. 🌈

Whether biking through the spectacular countryside or hiking in our nearby hills, there are a few things you should remember.

It can get really hot in mid-summer. We are, after all, the warmest place in Canada. So make sure you have plenty of water, sunscreen, a hat, and try to get out earlier on the hottest days.

Visitors should be mindful of their surroundings and realize the environment is sensitive. You should know what to do should you have an uncomfortable encounter with a rattlesnake. It is the desert and we do have them out there.

Bikers should carry tire repair equipment. The off-path areas do have the invasive plant Puncturevine (*Tribulus terrestris*) that can puncture a bike tire.

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And in this perfect golf world, the first tee would be minutes away. Well, in Osoyoos you've just

found golf perfection. The fact that you can play virtually year round is a giant bonus.

With a unique geographic landscape that allows courses to fit different terrains, the Osoyoos region has emerged as one of Canada's finest golf destinations.

But golf isn't the only activity in the varied topography that makes up the Osoyoos region. For ours is a place where an active lifestyle of varied interests is more than just a slogan. It's

simply what we do year-round and we've made it easy for you to join us.

In Osoyoos, summer isn't just another season. It's when our town and region merge into a physical playground and when each feeds off the other.

Take your pick. Osoyoos Lake, wetlands, surrounding grasslands and mountains provide a myriad of opportunities for water sports, hiking, biking, golf as well as wildlife viewing and bird

There are several top-notch tennis courts, a popular beach volleyball league, two squash courts, numerous soccer fields and baseball diamonds, beach, rooftop and SUP yoga classes.

The Sonora Community Centre offers a wide array of recreation programs and a well-equipped gymnasium and weight room.

The Sonora Centre offers drop-in basketball and floor hockey and the growing sport of pickleball which has become very popular.

watching. And in our short winter, there is snowshoeing, cross-country and downhill skiing. Osoyoos also offers ecological, aboriginal, cultural and family attractions, along with its spectacular desert sunsets.

Osoyoos Lake is the central focus for water activities. It's also the warmest lake in all of Canada. With an average summer temperature of 24°C/70°F and long stretches of sandy beach, it's an ideal playground. Throughout the summer there's swimming, water skiing, stand up paddling, sailing, wakeboarding, wake surfing, jet skiing, windsurfing and kayaking.

Drop a line in the lake or river and hook bass, trout, salmon or any one of the 43 species found locally.

You can deftly explore and learn about one of the most fragile and endangered ecosystems in North

America in which there's the largest concentration of species at risk in Canada. Learn about the rare plants and animals that make their home in the dry antelope brush ecosystem at the Osoyoos Desert Centre and the Nk'Mip Desert Cultural Centre.

Walking, hiking and cycling trails around Osoyoos include many easy pathways like the International Hike & Bike Trail just north of Osoyoos and the nature trails through the wetlands of swiws Provincial Park (Haynes Point).

With wetlands, grasslands, forests and mountain meadows surrounding Osoyoos, we are the ideal resting habitat for birds. The swiws Provincial Park (Haynes Point) on Osoyoos Lake and the Osoyoos Oxbows host numerous species in their wetlands. The Golden Mile Trail (16 km/10 mi. north) is part of the National Bluebird Trail and Vaseux Lake (35 km/22 mi. north) is the site of a bird sanctuary and summer banding station. 🌍

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Families



Osoyoos and families go hand in hand.

We are, in fact, a paradise for kids of all ages and even for the kid that's found in all adults. Look around when you get here and you'll instantly see a giant adventure playground with outdoor and indoor activities to entertain and even educate children and parents all day, every day, all year round.

And you and the family can start at Rattlesnake Canyon. But before you get frightened off, it's not a dried up canyon where you'll find an occasional rattler.

Rather, here you'll find a western mining town themed amusement park that offers quality entertainment at affordable prices. Enter the grounds and you'll find an 18 hole mini golf course, a Go Kart track consisting of 12 single karts and four double karts, an ice cream parlour in an authentic windmill, an arcade, bumper boats, a tumble whirl, bungee tree, a 35 foot rock climbing wall, gift store, tattoo parlour and a concession stand. It's pure entertainment and fun.

Step into an unforgettable, world-class, miniature fantasy world. The Osoyoos Desert Model Railroad is a must-see mini-world with 45 trains running through very detailed landscaping with European style towns and houses. 1,600 buildings & 18,000+ hand painted little people adorn

this 371 sq m (4000 sq ft) attraction.

Up the hill from downtown lies the Nk'Mip Desert Cultural Centre, one of B.C.'s most unique ecological centres. Take a guided tour along a trail winding through the arid shrubs and grasses to four interpretive kiosks. Here is where you will learn about desert ecology, ecological restoration and the conservation of the region's threatened and fragile desert ecosystem. They even have live snake shows.

Want to cool off on a hot summer's day? Let the Osoyoos Splash Park do that job with young kids turning water cannons on one another while parents relax and watch the kids burn off energy.

And for slighter older youth, hitch up a horse at the Indian Grove Riding Stables for a guided tour on horseback on the mountain trails that meander through the Osoyoos area. The half-day and full-day tours include riding, taking a break for fishing, exploring a nearby waterfall and then having a dinner on the trail. Horseback trail rides through the Osoyoos desert and along mountain trails provide a safe cowboy adventure with spectacular views and breath-taking trails.

Make the most of your resort and lake experience and visit one of our many rental businesses where rentals of motorboats, personal watercrafts, stand-up paddleboards, canoes and kayaks make for a terrific family excursion onto the

lake. You can also take stand up paddle, wakeboard, wake surfing and water ski lessons.

Take the family on a fishing trip. Our region offers amazing year round fishing and during salmon season, the Okanagan Nation Alliance fishing department is dedicated to providing you with a fishing experience you will never forget with many guided tours throughout the Okanagan.

Of course, there's skateboarding at the Osoyoos Skateboard Park near the parking lot at the Sun Bowl Arena. Located near the high school is the town's dog park as well as baseball diamonds and tennis courts.

Pioneer Walkway is a paved path that allows for amazing scenery while walking along the shores of Osoyoos Lake. It connects the motels of Osoyoos with the lake scenery. There are gardens, shelters and viewing benches located across the walkway. Not far away, off Cottonwood Drive, is Cottonwood Park, a popular gathering spot in the summer months because of sandy beaches, boating and swimming.

Also, located on the east end of town is a beautiful walking, biking or rollerblading path along Lakeshore Drive, which again provides amazing scenery and spectacular views of Osoyoos Lake.





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Snowbirds



We are without doubt, the Snowbird capital of Canada.

Every winter a flock of visitors, affectionately known as snowbirds, migrate to Osoyoos from all points east of Osoyoos to spend October to April at our charming lakeside town.

There are many reasons why they come. First and foremost, we're an inclusive and openly friendly place, welcoming anyone who wants to escape the harsh Prairie winters and who want to be part of a warm and open-hearted place. We're the ideal location for active retirees who want to play golf, get involved in the arts, curl, ski, go to spas, and do all of the year-round activities they now have time to do.

Located on the northernmost tip of the Sonoran Desert (the same desert that stretches to Arizona and beyond), we have a mild, dry winter climate, with pleasing temperatures from October through April and a low average annual snowfall of only 5.4 cm (2.1 inches). As for accommodations, snowbirds who come for the winter stay in facilities that offer a variety of styles, from resorts on the waterfront to RV parks.

Being one of the safest communities in Canada has made Osoyoos a desirable destination for relaxing snowbirds who want to feel secure no matter what they do. Another real plus to wintering in Osoyoos (and staying in Canada) is eliminating the need for expensive drugs where there are no worries about health insurance premiums, border crossings, fluctuating currency, passports,

and limitations on your stay or what you can or cannot bring with you. And if you need a big-city fix, we're just a four hour drive to Vancouver, five-and-a-half hours to Seattle, three-and-a-half hours to Spokane, and just a couple of hours to Kelowna and its international airport.

A variety of health services are offered at the local health centre, doctors clinics, two nearby hospitals, two pharmacies and a health and socialization program at the Cactus Centre. Other health service providers in Osoyoos include dentists, optometrists, physiotherapists, massage therapists, acupuncturists and chiropractors.

Doreen Megaffin and her husband Al come from Boissevain, Manitoba each winter to enjoy Osoyoos. "There is so much to see and so much to do in Osoyoos," Doreen says. "It is truly a unique destination in Canada and as proud Canadians, we look forward to many more visits in the years to come.

"We appreciate the warm welcome we always get when we come to Osoyoos. We find that the people are very friendly, and we really appreciate the 'at home' feeling we get when we stay. Osoyoos is a small community, like the community where we come from, and that small town hospitality is what makes us feel comfortable and happy here."

We are jam-packed with activities, events and places that keep snowbirds coming back, year after year. Winter events include Winter in Wine Country, Osoyoos Concert Series, Nk'Mip Festival of Trees and the Christmas Lite-Up. The nearby South Okanagan Events Centre hosts many

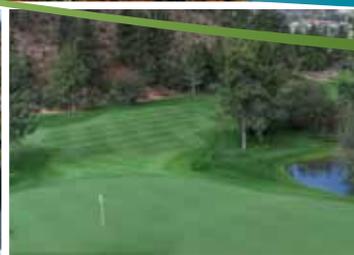
world-class entertainment acts year-round that appeal to all ages and tastes. Local transportation shuttles also offer entertainment excursions to concerts and casinos across the border in the USA.

Boasting one of the longest golf seasons in Canada, Osoyoos is a golf-lover's paradise. Cross country skiers and snowshoers can head to the many trails located within a 45 minute drive. Snowbirds can also move indoors for fitness with pickleball, bowling, carpet bowling, squash and curling. A variety of arts groups and classes offer pottery, quilting, wood carving and photography. A visit to the Osoyoos Seniors Centre or the Sonora Community Centre is a great outlet for both social and physical activities such as fitness classes, yoga, tai chi, dancing, bingo, lawn bowling, card games, pool tables and potlucks. For those looking for low impact aerobic activity, several hotels offer public access to their indoor swimming pools. A variety of aqua fitness classes are offered including gentle water aerobics, Aquafit and Aqua Zumba.

Fido fits in here easily with many pet friendly accommodations, a large off-leash dog park, agility training, groomers, kennels and a veterinary hospital.

For a listing of accommodations offering monthly winter rates, contact Destination Osoyoos by email at visit@destinationosoyoos.com or phone 250.495.5070 ext 206.

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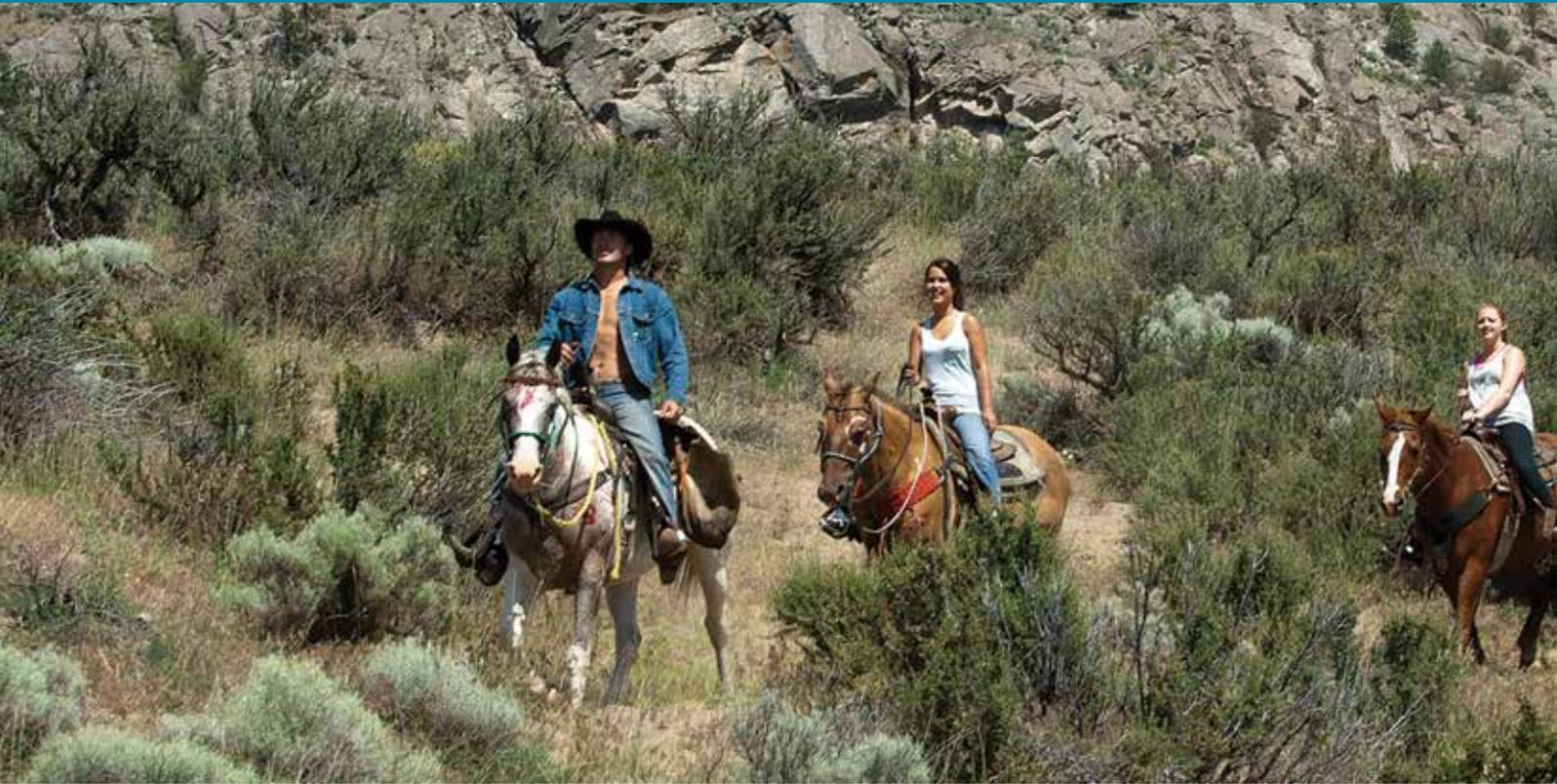


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(B) Strawberry Creek Trail
 62nd Ave. follow Irrigation canal
 Walkway to Hwy 3. Take left fork to
 Industrial Park - Unmarked trail
 Level: Moderate - Difficult

(C) Osoyoos Lake Oxbows
 Road 22 Off Hwy 97
 Level: Easy

(D) International Bicycling and Hiking Trail
 Road 22 off Hwy. 97
 Level: Easy

(E) Irrigation Canal Walkway
 Parking at 62nd Ave.
 Level: Moderate

(F) Kruger Ridge Trails
 Off Old Richter Pass Road - Unmarked trails
 Level: Moderate - Difficult

There's more to a trail than just a pathway to get you someplace.

More than a way to take a hike or a bicycle ride because in Osoyoos they're as much a part of our culture as our vineyards and our lake. They take us to places that remind us why we live here and where we came from.

We're a region that is rich in history and culture and it's easy to share in that understanding because we have trails and walkways everywhere, each leading to a different part of our living and historical environment.

You needn't go far to find one of these corridors. In fact, several begin in the heart of our town. Others are just on the outskirts. Some will take you around the lake, others into the hills that overlook the valley or along the water estuaries that feed into Osoyoos Lake. Some that are wheelchair accessible wind past gorgeous gardens that change with the seasons, and offer easy, short strolls with benches, picnic tables and public washrooms along the way.

Walk around the lake on a trail that begins downtown and look up to the surrounding hills and you're looking at what the First Nations peoples saw as they fished



and hunted in this area. Nomadic tribes were the Osoyoos region's first visitors, around 1066, followed later by European settlers and gold seekers in the 1800s.

If you want a quick step into the history of our wine industry, take the Irrigation Canal Walkway that can be accessed from the BC Visitor Centre and travels along the now-abandoned waterway that once provided water to the orchards and wineries in the area.

This was once the lifeline of Osoyoos, a water source that opened up the area for the fruit industry. Any part of this 12 kilometres (7.4 miles) trail is flat and great for walkers, cyclists, and those with strollers. The incredible desert ecosystem surrounds you as you wind your way along the trail.

The Okanagan River once meandered along a twisting and turning course known as oxbows that was bordered by rich marshes. Located at the north end of Osoyoos Lake, the Oxbows

are an amazing wetlands area where you can indulge in bird watching.

But, there's more to it than just a habitat for wildlife. Interpretive signage at the parking area on Road 22 provides information about why this marshland was so important to the growth of the region. The recently restored Osoyoos Oxbows trail takes in the wetland reserve at the north end of Osoyoos Lake and the 5 km (3 mi.) return trip trail is an easy walk, providing a close up view of one of Osoyoos' only remaining wetlands.

We have a wealth of history that will make your visit here just a short, fun walk away. Check with our museum, The Osoyoos & District Museum and Archives, located at 19 Park Place, at the foot of Main Street, near Gyro Park, next to the Osoyoos Seniors Centre. There is lots of free parking and the museum is wheelchair accessible. 🌈



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Remember when, not too long ago, you had time to do the things you wanted to do?

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We've known for a long time that Osoyoos, women and travel are a perfect match. Spas, wine, golf, great restaurants, and pampered relaxation are just a few of the reasons why the appeal of stealing away for quality time with your best friends has lasting staying power. And there's no better place than here, in Canada's only official desert.

Spend time with your girlfriends at one of our lakeside resorts; let your hair down and then up again at a spa after a massage and skin toning. Hang out on the beach, play a round of golf or take a lesson, go for a horseback ride through the desert hills, try yoga, and just have fun. So, if your New Year's resolution was to spend more time with the girls in 2016, you'll soon discover that we're the best place to bring those times at a girl's getaway.

Fitness outlets abound for a quick fitness fix. Ven-geance Fitness, Frequency Fitness, Matrix Yoga,

Sonora Centre and Tallulah are all located in town and focus on a variety of fitness instruction. Matrix Yoga has Zumba classes held in a variety of locations around Osoyoos that take advantage of the spectacular weather, a mountain backdrop and tranquil lake breezes. Breathe, located in the Watermark Beach Resort, specializes in indoor cycling, pilates, yoga, and SUP yoga while Three60Fitness on Main Street, focuses on personal training, fitness classes, nutrition and injury therapy. There are also kayak or SUP rentals at several places in town.

All of our golf courses offer individual and group lessons for any range of skills. So whether you're a low or high handicapper, or just a beginner, head to the Osoyoos Golf Club or Desert Golf Academy where golf professional, Wayne Hachey, will set you up for lessons.

For a round of golf that combines the game and offers samples of our lifestyle, give Sonora Dunes Golf Course a whirl. Located on the undulating hills behind Spirit Ridge at Nk'Mip Resort on the east bench of Osoyoos, play a round and then visit the winery, have lunch and make arrangements at the resort's Solterra Desert Spa for a wide variety of relaxing and rejuvenating treatments for later in your stay.

Of course you don't have to play golf to have fun

and rejuvenate here. Spirit Ridge is one of several full service resorts in Osoyoos offering a range of services and amenities including superb accommodations and spa treatments that pamper you with applications ranging from hot stone massages, nail and facial treatments, skin care to body wraps and therapies. At Watermark Beach Resort on Park Place, the spa and salon offers a variety of individual body treatments, pedicures, and an all-inclusive spa package. At the Oro Spa & Wellness Centre located at Casa Del Mila Oro Resort on Lakeshore Drive and Heaven on Earth on Main Street, enjoy a variety of massage, esthetic and wellness services designed to leave you looking good and feeling great. Beyond Beauty Hair Studio on Main Street in Cottonwood Plaza, provides a wide variety of hair care and body treatments, plus hair and body products. The Good Life and Osoyoos Nail Studio are both on Main Street, they have a variety of nail and body treatments and products.

Wine tours are fantastic fun for you and your friends. Several companies offer a variety of tours or rent bicycles at one of the local bike shops and tour wine country that way. Most of our wineries are open year round for tasting and tours, some seasonally or by appointment. The varieties will cater to every taste – reds, whites, rosés, sparkling wines and ice wines – all recognized internationally with a host of awards in prestigious

competitions. Some wineries have restaurants and most have unique gifts at their wineshops.

Of course, if you're here in the winter, enjoy the same amenities in town that you'll find here in the summer. Mckinney Nordick Ski club at km 26 on Mckinney Road on the way to Mount Baldy has approximately 9 km of cross country skiing trails and 4 km of snowshoe trails. The trails are groomed with a variety of levels of difficulty and trackset regularly by our volunteer groomer operators. There is an outhouse on site, but no lodge. Dogs are not allowed on the ski trails. Trail maps are posted at all junctions. Mount Baldy also has an annual snowfall of over 600 cm (20 feet), so there is plenty of snowshoeing and cross country skiing up there. Just because there is snow doesn't mean you'll miss out on our wine experiences. Winter wine tours are also available.

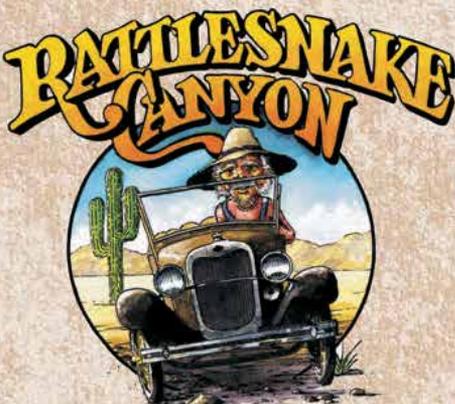
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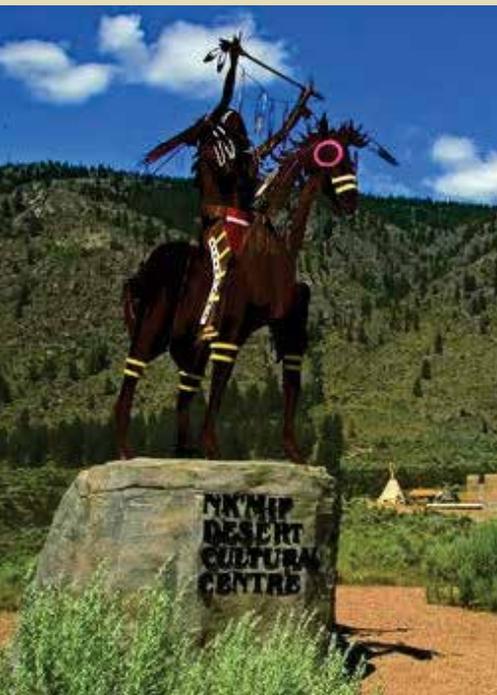




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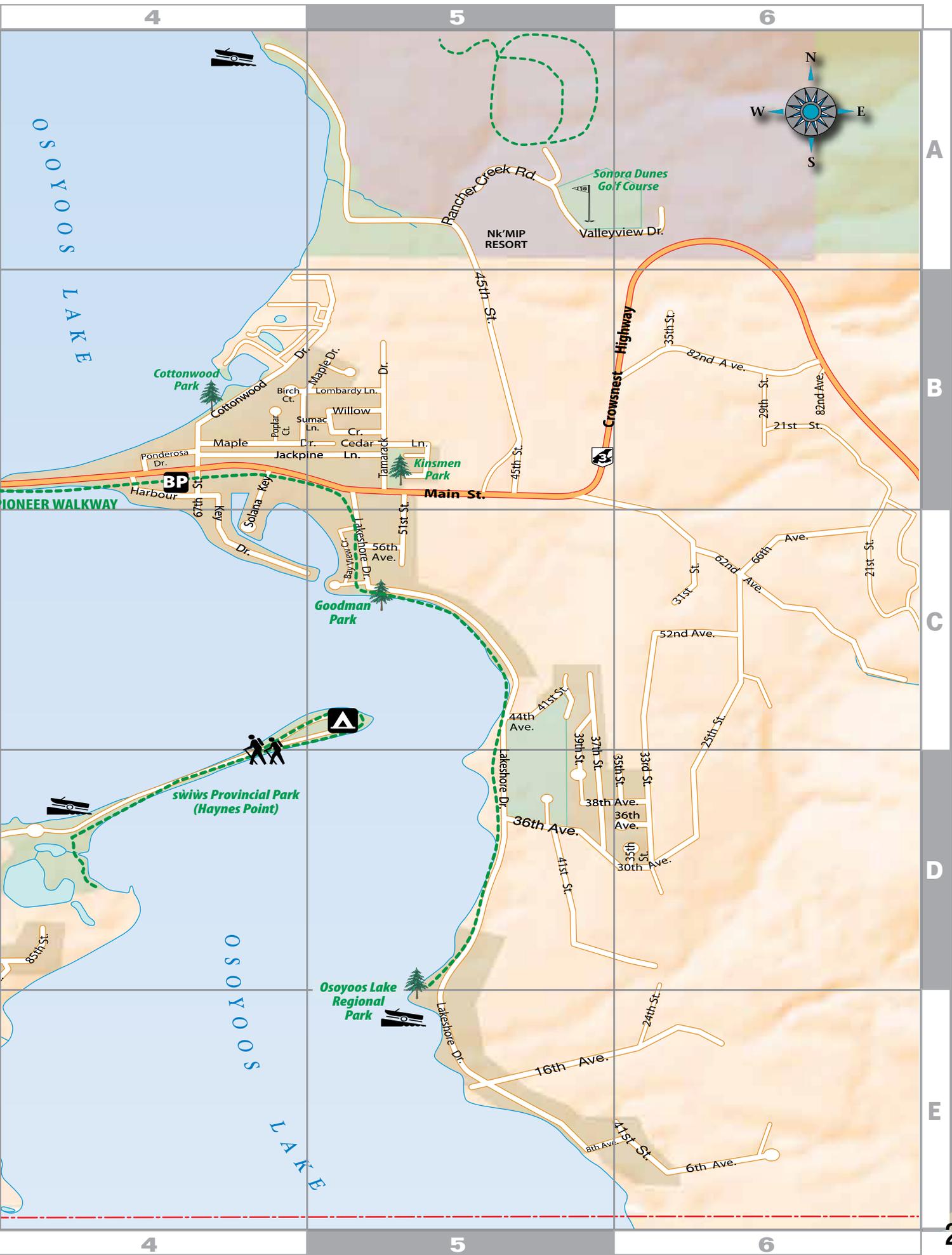
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us lucky enough to live along the vineyards positioned along the rolling desert hills. And it's a lifestyle in which you can indulge no matter how long the stay.

The major wineries are well advertised and they are easy to spot. But you can also enjoy some of the smaller wineries, sometimes having to travel off the main highways to reach them.

Most of our wineries are VQA rated (Vintners Quality Alliance), meaning that they have passed rigid quality standards and that the wines are made from 100 per cent BC grown grapes. Our

wines have won many prestigious awards for wines produced from the many grape varieties grown in our area. In fact, the region around Osoyoos produces most of the grapes grown in the Okanagan Valley.

The numerous microclimates and soil variations make it possible to cultivate some 60 different types of grapes within a small area. So you'll find wineries producing an assortment of varietal wines such as Merlot, Cabernet Sauvignon, Pinot Noir, Pinot Gris, Chardonnay, and our unique Ice Wine, among others.

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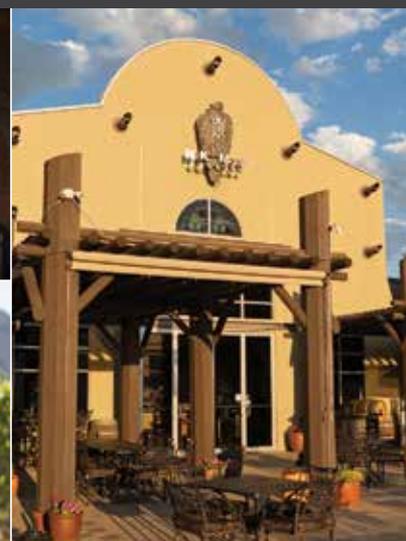
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We're not just known for our great wine. With local family farms just minutes away from our many restaurants, we attract foodies from around the world. Local chefs create dishes using an un-

believable variety of local fruits and vegetables picked at their peak of perfection, giving their creations an enormous depth of flavour and breadth of variety.

It's no accident that Osoyoos was chosen as the locale for the Slow Food Canada National Conference in 2013 held at the Watermark Beach Resort. Foodies from all over the world flocked to Osoyoos to share their ideas about promoting what Osoyoos has always been known for – the traditional pleasures of using food grown and

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Try picking your own and taking them home or to your RV. Cherries arrive in late June; peaches and nectarines ripen in July; and by August, fruit stands are filled with pears, plums, apples and more. Whether it's a quick lunch at one of our lakeside patios or an elegant dinner at a local winery, you'll experience culinary creations that will leave a lasting impression on your taste buds.



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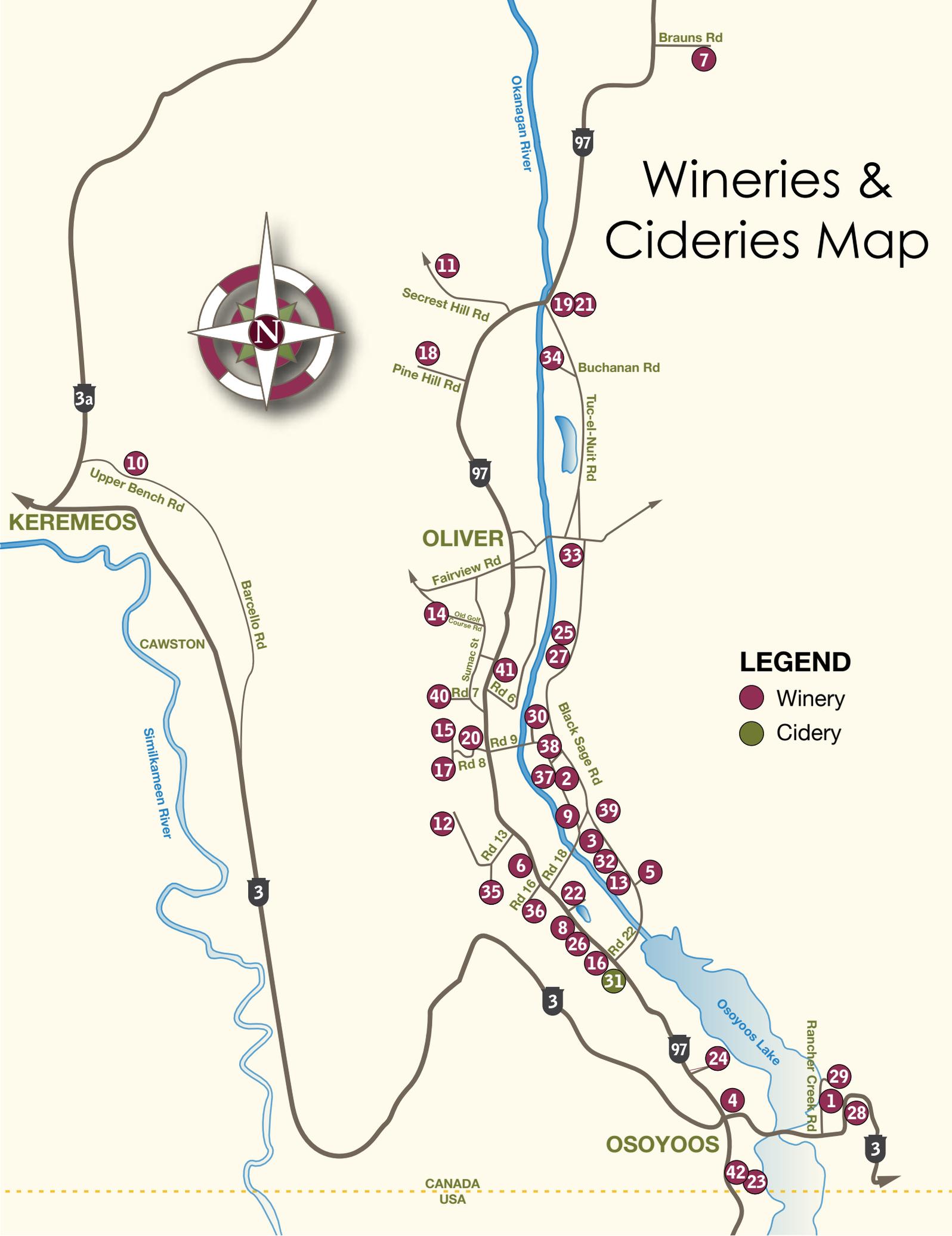
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Osoyoos Lake is one of the South Okanagan's primary fishing holes. At 16 kilometres (10 miles) long and extending south into the USA, its 2,318 hectares (5,729 acres) – of which 1,494 hectares (3,693 acres) are in British Columbia – are prime fishing habitat.

So, just what's in Osoyoos Lake that attracts fishers to its clear water that's open to angling year 'round? Forty three species of fish, among them are Black Bullhead, Black Crappie, Carp, Kokanee Salmon, Lake Whitefish, Largemouth Bass, Largemouth Sucker, Mountain Whitefish, Northern Pikeminnow, Pumpkinseed Sunfish, Rainbow

Trout, Smallmouth Bass, Sockeye Salmon, Steelhead, and Yellow Perch.

Depending on the time of year you'll have a better chance of catching some species than others. Spring and fall are the best times to reel in rainbow trout and salmon, but the bass fishing peaks in the summer. For the best chance to catch the dinner-sized fish of your dreams without venturing far, drop your line near the mouth of Solana Bay on the south side of Motel Row; and at the bridge on Highway 3. Or you can simply sit in your boat in the sunshine in the middle of the lake and enjoy the spectacular scenery.

The Okanagan River channel that runs south from Skaha Lake to Osoyoos Lake is also productive for bass and a number of other species. While the fish in the channel are usually smaller, they can supply a lot of fun and action for the kids. Fishing from the dike, especially south of Oliver, just a short drive away, is popular. The Osoyoos Oxbows, a wetland area where the Okanagan River empties into Osoyoos Lake, is also a popular spot for catching large bass.

If you brought your own boat, you can launch it at

one of Osoyoos' four boat launches - swiws Provincial Park (Haynes Point), Desert Sunrise Marina in town, Nk'Mip campground and Osoyoos Lake Regional Park at the end of Lakeshore Drive.

If you have time and want to venture out a bit, Vaseaux Lake on Highway 97 is just 30 kms north of Osoyoos and many fishers claim it's one of the best lakes in B.C. for huge bass. In fact, the lake has been producing nine-pound and larger bass for decades. Bring along your underwater minnow – type lures or flies for best success and fish near the weed beds at the north end and west side of the lake. Large rainbow trout, kokanee and perch are also residents of Vaseaux. Power boats are not allowed on the lake so be prepared to row or paddle your way around.

Of course, there are limits to what you can keep in any of the lakes depending on the species and those limits are available when you get your fishing licence either on line at the B.C. Ministry of Environment fresh water fishing website (<http://www.fishing.gov.bc.ca/>) or the British Columbia Visitor Centre in Osoyoos. If you prefer catch and release, there's no limit to the amount of fish caught. 🐟



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Your options out of Osoyoos are varied in any direction. The southern route along Highway 97 into Washington, for example, will take you to the resort area of Lake Chelan on Highway 150. Then link up with Highway 971 to the Chelan Navarre-Coulee Highway 2 that runs through the highlands back to Highway 97 and along the Columbia River. At Omak take Highway 155 that takes you through rolling farm country to Grand Coulee Dam. Come back to Highway 97 towards Osoyoos.

For a grand trip through the heart of the South Okanagan with its spectacular views

and its myriad of wineries with their restaurants and tasting rooms – you have several options.

Take Highway 3 west out of Osoyoos towards Keremeos. This is a route that offers many possibilities. Hook up with Highway 3A at Keremeos and past Yellow Lake and Trout Lake and ride along the Marron Valley until you reach Highway 97. There you have the option of heading north towards Penticton, or south to Okanagan Falls where you have other choices – north along the east side of spectacular Skaha Lake or south towards the wineries that line Highway 97 through to Oliver and Osoyoos.

Another option north once you reach Okanagan Falls is to take Green Lake Road south past Green and Mahoney Lakes to Willowbrook Road that will take you through rolling desert lands to Fairview Road and into Oliver

– and a hookup with Highway 3 past vineyards, wineries, and on back to Osoyoos.

But for a ride that will bring you face to face with the unique wild country of the region, veer off 3A to the Green Mountain Road north of Olalla after making the turn at Keremeos. It is spectacular country with farmlands, brush covered hills, and undulating topography. At Penticton, where the road ends, you have the option of driving on the east side of Okanagan Lake past Naramata and onto a dirt road to Chute Lake or turning south where you can ride on either side of Skaha Lake into Okanagan Falls and south to Osoyoos.

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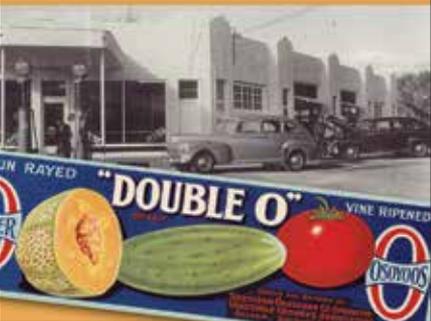
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Broccoli		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Cabbage				✓	✓	✓
Carrots		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Corn				✓	✓	
Cucumber			✓	✓	✓	✓
Garlic			✓	✓	✓	✓
Herbs		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Kale				✓	✓	✓
Onions	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Peas			✓	✓		
Peppers			✓	✓	✓	✓
Potatoes			✓	✓	✓	✓
Radishes	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Tomatoes		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

Fruit

SEASONAL	M	J	J	A	S	O
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Apricots			✓	✓		
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Cherries		✓	✓	✓	✓	
Grapes				✓	✓	✓
Melons				✓		
Nectarines			✓	✓		
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Dining and Shopping

Just as our accommodations reflect our closeness to nature and our surroundings, so too does our food and the way we enjoy it.

But, we're not just rustic with mama's cooking at every outlet. While we do cling to menus that reflect our way of life with farmers markets that bring the freshest of foods to neighborhoods, we're more complex in our eating habits. You'll find that in the décor, menus and wine lists of our high-end restaurants located in town, at wineries, and at our lakeside resorts. Yet these upscale restaurants retain the same laidback and friendly appeal as our intimate cafés and bistros, ethnic and casual food outlets.

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Restaurants in and around Osoyoos offer endless choices of cuisines unique to our culture and lifestyle. You might drop in at one of our nearby wineries for excellent vineyard, desert and lake views as well as menus that feature organic produce, fresh fruits, BC seafood, and cheeses com-

plimented by wines from their vineyards.

Beef eaters have plenty of choices for steak and prime rib while those who want something lighter might want to try tapas or even an outdoor salmon barbecue. We have restaurants that cater to Italian, European and Asian cuisines. Virtually all restaurants have extensive wine lists that embrace all of the grape varieties grown in our region. All feature the wonderfully fresh fruits and vegetables that are grown nearby during our growing season.

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	Wheelchair	Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner	Banquet	Children	View	Licensed	Patio	Reservations	Price Range
<p>Campo Marina 5907 Main St., Osoyoos, BC 250.495.7650 Voted the most popular restaurant in the South Okanagan, the host and the atmosphere will make you feel like you're in Italy, with fine dining, freshly made breads, and elegant wines. Specializing in veal dishes. * Reservations are available November through May. Walk-ins only June through October.</p>	●			●	●	●		●		*	\$ \$\$ \$\$\$
<p>Convivia Bistro Cuisine 8312 74 Ave, Osoyoos, BC 250.495.2223 Our restaurant, located in downtown Osoyoos warmly welcomes you in a Mediterranean atmosphere where the flavors of Italian and French cuisines come together. Our varied and affordable menu will delight any gourmet.</p>	●		●	●	●	●		●	●	●	\$ \$\$ \$\$\$
<p>Diamond Steak & Seafood 8903 Main St., Osoyoos, BC 250.495.6223 A local favorite for over 30 years. Over 300 different wines are available. Steaks are cut to order, from the finest Certified Sterling Silver Beef. The Diamond's varied menu has choices for everyone, steak, seafood, pasta, pizza prime rib of beef and authentic Greek cuisine. Where taste and flavour never change.</p>	●			●	●	●		●		●	\$\$ \$\$\$
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<p>Ella Greek & Mediterranean Restaurant Main Street (Hwy 3 East) 6511 Cottonwood Plaza, Osoyoos . 250.495.7488 "A Taste of Greece in Every Piece!" Serving lunch & dinner. Licensed. Eat in or Take out. **** 4 out of 5 star rating on Urban Spoon.</p>	●	●	●	●	●	●		●	●	●	\$\$
<p>Greenside Grill 12300 Golf Course Drive 250.495.7003 ext.17 offers a casual and warm experience to golfers and non-golfers alike. Our patios overlook the course and the beautiful panorama of orchards and lake below, our menus offer locally sourced food and beverages that cater to all. Call for reservations or visit us.</p>	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	\$ \$\$
<p>Golden Chopsticks Chinese Restaurant 8527 Main St., Osoyoos, BC 250.495.8092 Serving lunch & dinner. Licensed. Eat in or Take out. FREE DELIVERY within 3 km (\$30 minimum purchase). Locations in 4025 Walters St. Merritt B.C. 250-378-6333 and 7325 2nd St. Grand Forks B.C. 250-442-8889</p>	●		●	●	●	●		●		●	\$\$
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<p>JoJo's Cafe 8316 Main St., Osoyoos 250.495.6652 Neighborhood coffee bar specializing in freshly roasted espresso drinks pulled by a trained barista. We use locally grown produce in our homemade soups, salads and made to order sandwiches. Baked goods are made with care using old family recipes. We offer a comfortable, welcoming atmosphere with local art, knowledge and flavour. Free Wi-Fi. Open every day at 7am.</p>	●	●	●			●		●			\$
<p>Quiznos Restaurant 5506 Main St., Osoyoos 778.437.3004 Bold, toasty delicious sub sandwiches, soups, salads, cookies and pizza. Our signature toasting style gets you crisp edges, melted cheese, sizzling meat, and warm bread. You can't fake quality.</p>	●	●	●	●		●					\$

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Spirit Ridge Restaurant at Nk'Mip Resort 1200 Rancher Creek Rd., Osoyoos 250.495.5445 Overlooking Osoyoos Lake and vineyards, this restaurant offers a pleasant dining experience with indoor and patio seating. The menu features inventive dishes made with fresh, regional ingredients and pair with the best wines from the South Okanagan.	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	\$ \$\$ \$\$\$
Terrafina 887 Road 8 Oliver, BC 250.498.2229 Set on the perfect backdrop of the beautiful Golden Mile Bench in the heart of wine country, Terrafina is an upscale casual Italian Bistro priding itself on bringing you simple, classic and flavourful dishes while showcasing the award winning wines of Hester Creek Estate Winery. Reservations recommended.	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	\$\$ \$\$\$
Troy's Grill 8309 78th Avenue., Osoyoos 250.495.1611 Welcome to Osoyoos' newest family restaurant! Located conveniently across the street from the post office, Troy's Grill offers breakfast, lunch, dinner and take-out as well as off-site catering for any special event and a banquet room for all occasions. Great food, welcoming atmosphere and a chef's lifelong dream realized.	●	●	●	●	●	●		●		●	\$ \$\$
The Sonora Room at Burrowing Owl Estate Winery Black Sage Rd., Oliver, BC 250.498.0620 The perfect marriage of food, wine and ambience is found on the patio overlooking 125 acres of picturesque vineyards or inside the warm and inviting dining room. Experience local organic produce, fresh seasonal fruits and artisan breads and cheeses.	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	\$\$ \$\$\$
Vista Point Grill at Walnut Beach Resort 4200 Lakeshore Dr., Osoyoos, BC 250.495.5400 At Vista Point Grill you can kick back on a great patio, or book an inside table for a special night out at Osoyoos' best restaurant with pool side dining and lake views.	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	\$ \$\$ \$\$\$
Wine Bar & Patio at Watermark Beach Resort 15 Park Pl. Main St. Osoyoos 250.495.5500. Relax and enjoy our share plates, farm to table cuisine, outstanding wine list and signature cocktails. Relax on the Patio with outdoor BBQ kitchen, warm friendly atmosphere, stunning lake views. The perfect spot to gather friends.	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	\$ \$\$ \$\$\$

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Festivals and Events



Lifestyle, whether recreational, cultural, artistic, or just plain silly and fun, helps define us. We revel in celebrating what we are and sharing it with visitors by holding festivals and special events throughout the year. In fact there's rarely a month that goes by without us having a reason to show off who we are and what we do.

Easter Eggstravaganza – March 26
Easter is one of our major events with our Easter Eggstravaganza featuring an Easter egg hunt, live entertainment and fun for the entire family. www.osoyoosfestivalsociety.ca

Osoyoos Oyster Festival – April 20-24
Restaurants, bars, and special events showcase sustainably produced oysters from the west coast and pair them with local wines and craft beers. www.osoyoosoysterfestival.com

Pig out – April 30 An outdoor event at a farm north of Oliver in which scores of wineries from Oliver and Osoyoos are featured along with a pork menu by local chefs and music from local musicians. www.oliverosoyoos.com

Market on Main – May-September
Our local Saturday morning Market on Main next to Town Hall opens in mid-May and lasts through September. The Wednesday evening market featuring our fresh veggies and fruits opens during July and stretches into August. www.osoyoosmarketonmain.ca

Half-Corked Marathon – May 27-29
This is one of the most unique events in the country as runners jog, run, and walk for 18 kilometres between wineries from Osoyoos to Oliver sampling product and tasting cuisine. This is not a test of speed. www.oliverosoyoos.com/halfcorked

Tinhorn Creek Canadian Concert Series – May-September Featuring live music and wine once a month in the Winery's outdoor amphitheatre, ending with a grand finale just after Labour Day in September. www.tinhorn.com

Wine Country Racing Association Drag Races – May-October Drag car racing fans race here for the Wine Country Racing Association Drag Races at the Richter Pass Motorplex – actually, the Osoyoos airport runway – on selected Sundays May through October.

Meadowlark Nature Festival – May 19-23 One of Canada's premier outdoor nature celebrations offering more than 90 environmental tours and events that take people from Canada's unique desert to the alpine meadows. Enjoy the activities led by prominent naturalists, educators, artists, experienced guides and scientists. www.meadowlarkfestival.bc.ca

Tilt and Lance Joust – May 21-22
Desert Park will be transformed into a medieval village for the May long weekend. The Society of Tilt & Lance Cavalry will compete daily in an exciting and daring joust. Come and wander through the medieval village, buy some medieval souvenirs and taste some "food of yore". You are welcome to come in costume and join the festivities. For more information email Paddy at padhea@gmail.com or 250.495.4334. www.desertpark.net

Cactus Jalopies Show – June 3, 4 & 5
Are you a fan of classic cars? Then you'll love the Cactus Jalopies Show and Shine in early June at Gyro Park as classic vehicles come to town from all over the Okanagan and further afield. www.cactusjalopies.ca

National Aboriginal Day – June 21
Highlights Osoyoos First Nations Peoples culture and heritage with a number of live performances and demonstrations at the Nk'Mip Desert Cultural Centre.

Cherry Fiesta & Canada Day Celebrations – July 1 Cherry Festival announces the start of the fruit season in Osoyoos. The day is marked by family friendly events, a parade and fireworks along with the Miss Osoyoos Pageant on June 30.



Osoyoos Street Dances – July-August A popular event for 28 years and shows no sign of letting up. Two dance dates – mid-July and mid-August – are held in the parking area at the foot of Main Street near Gyro Beach.

Art in the Garden – July A showcase event for local artists in late July at four different locations. Garden settings of private homes provide a tranquil atmosphere for meeting artists and viewing their painting, pottery, photography and quilts. www.osoyoosarts.com

Desert Park Horse Racing – August Desert Park has dates in mid-August with thoroughbreds and quarter horses with full par-mutual betting. www.desertpark.net

Mount Kobau Star Party – July 30-August 7 The Star Party attracts pseudo-astronomers and star gazers in early August to the crystal clear skies seen from the top of nearby Mount Kobau. www.mksp.ca

Romancing The Desert – August 13 Enjoy an evening of fine wine and great cuisine under the light of a full moon at the Osoyoos Desert Centre's Romancing The Desert evening that also features a guided tour along the boardwalk through the desert. www.desert.org

Summer Open Bonspiel – August 17-21 The annual Summer Bonspiel is a great way to beat the heat of the summer. For all those curlers out there who can't wait for curling season, this is sure to tide you over. www.osoyooscurlingclub.com

McLean Construction's 4th Annual Charity Golf Tournament – August 27 A 1:00 p.m. shot gun start scramble format which includes cart, lunch, dinner, fun, and silent auction. The objective is to raise significant funds for local charities to support the ever growing demand for community based development programs for both youth and seniors.

Rotary Lobster on the Beach – September 10 Come down to Gyro Beach at 6 p.m. for fresh lobster, a live auction, dancing and fun.

Lake Osoyoos Sailing Club Regatta – September 10-11 An invitational gathering of sailboats at a time when the lake is still smooth and power boating has abated. www.sailosoyoos.org

Freak'n Farmer – October 2 An adventure obstacle race combined with organic food and wine held at Covert Farms, north of Oliver. www.thefreaknfarmer.ca

Festival of the Grape – October 2 Held in nearby Oliver in celebration of the grape harvest. Sponsored by the South Okanagan Chamber of Commerce, it combines wine tasting, live music, a parade, grape stomping, and works by local artists and artisans. www.oliverfestivalofthegrape.com

Desert Sun Soup Bowl – November Held in November has a different theme every year and is a fund raiser for the Desert Sun Counselling Resource Centre. Food is prepared by some of the area's top chefs. www.desertsuncounselling.ca

Winter in Wine Country – November-December Special tastings, pre-Christmas festivities, unusual gifts, and bright lights highlight the event as the Oliver Osoyoos Winery Association and local wineries start the Christmas season. www.oliverosoyoos.com

Festival of The Trees – November-January The magic-season has a number of events and festivals including the Festival of The Trees that lasts into January. This annual Nk'Mip fest of decorated trees is held at Spirit Ridge Vineyard and Resort and proceeds go to the BC Children's Hospital Association.

Christmas Lite-Up and Santa Parade – December 2-3 The first week in December, marks the beginning of the holiday season. Businesses get into the holiday spirit by opening late with goodies and Christmas cheer, followed by the big man himself in the Santa Parade.



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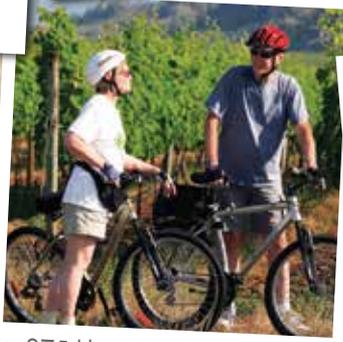
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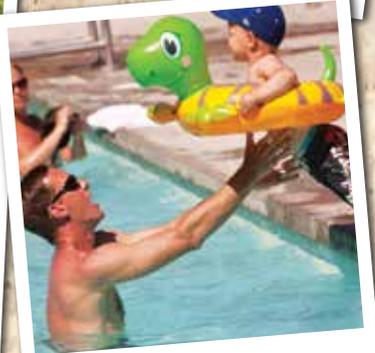
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