



## What:

Come and play, everything's a-okay! Join the 15<sup>th</sup> Maquinna Rover Crew as we present **Mardi Gras: Sesame Street!**

## Where:

Camp Byng, on the sunny-days Sunshine Coast. Did you know it's **always** sunny on the Sunshine Coast? Sunshine! Sun!

## When:

The weekend of September 24<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>, 2010. Please, no arrivals before noon on Friday.

## Who:

The camp is open to all registered Rovers, Venturers, Senior Branches of Guiding, Link Members, and Group Advisors. We are a certified and registered camp with both the Scouting and Guiding movements.

## Registration:

Your registration can be mailed to us at any time but must arrive no later than September 10<sup>th</sup> – after the 10<sup>th</sup>, please bring it to camp. We even offer early registration incentives – check the website for details on how you could win free registration! Make cheques payable to **"Scouts Canada - Mardi Gras"** and mail your registration form to:

**15<sup>th</sup> Maquinna Rovers - Mardi Gras**  
c/o Highlands United Church  
3255 Edgemont Blvd.  
North Vancouver, BC V7R 2P1

## Transportation:

If you require pick up from the ferry terminal, please indicate your intended arrival time on the registration form, or if you're not pre-registering, please email us so we can accommodate. **Each person must have \$2 CASH for ferry pick-up at the ferry terminal, do not send your shuttle money with your registration!** We will only be taking people to the 10:20am and 12:20pm sailings on Sunday, if you wish to leave earlier or later, please make your own arrangements, as we require our staff at camp.

## Camp Law:

This is an official Scouting event – all rules, bylaws, policies and procedures are in effect and will be enforced. Please respect the rules and the staff – it will make the weekend more enjoyable for everyone.

### You are required to bring:

- A personal health form (current) for each member! (Your advisor will keep it for you.)
- Your MMS / IMIS group list for attendees. (See instructions on our website.)
- An advisor or leader.
- Food, shelter, clothing, etc... water is available onsite.
- There is extra emphasis on decorations and costumes! We have prizes for groups who embody the camp's theme.

### You will not be permitted to bring:

- Ghettobusters (Who are we kidding? Just keep the tunes pleasant for those around you.)
- Illegal drugs / alcohol – **ZERO TOLERANCE, there will be NO warnings! (0.5% is still alcohol)**
- Fireworks / firecrackers / bear bangers / guns / bullhorns / megaphones / air-horns / etc.
- Generators

### Other notes:

- **No fires in Byng's recycling barrels! You will be charged the cost of a barrel if you have a fire in one.**
- **Fire permits must be obtained from HQ prior to lighting; see our website for full campfire rules.**
- **Please obey the "road rules"; the road is one-way only. Do not drive back down the way you came in.**

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# REGISTRATION FORM

We, the \_\_\_\_\_  crew  company  group  other

Of the \_\_\_\_\_ area / district / division, \_\_\_\_\_ council / region

Wish to register \_\_\_\_\_ people to attend Mardi Gras 2010 – Sesame Street

\_\_\_\_\_ people x \$20 = \$\_\_\_\_\_ (early-bird registration – before September 1<sup>st</sup>)

*What does Early-Bird registration get you?  
How about a **free shuttle ride** and **the chance to win free registration**?  
See our website for full details!*

\_\_\_\_\_ people x \$25 = \$\_\_\_\_\_ (late registration – after September 1<sup>st</sup>)

\_\_\_\_\_ extra crests x \$3 = \$\_\_\_\_\_ (each participant receives 1 crest with registration)  
\* Back crests will be for sale at the camp for the low price of \$2 apiece! \*

**Total Enclosed:** \$\_\_\_\_\_

**\* Please do not send cash in the mail! Make all cheques payable to: "Scouts Canada - Mardi Gras" \***  
**\* Don't forget to write your GROUP NAME in the memo field if sending a personal cheque! \***

Planning on taking the shuttle? Number of people: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated **arrival** ferry time: **3:30 / 5:30 / 7:25 / 9:15**

Anticipated **departure** ferry time: **10:20 / 12:20**

Leader / Advisor's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Leader / Advisor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Your Mailing Address** (we only need one per group please!):

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Group \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_

Province \_\_\_\_\_ Postal \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ (No spam, promise!)

**Please note the special Scouts Canada registration requirements as noted on the website.**

**If you're not pre-registering, have this form handy on arrival.**

**We will collect it from you as you drive in to make for a speedier registry.**

**>>> You can also write the attendee names on the next page to help expedite the process! <<<**

All Mardi Gras 2010 information is available on our website...

## http://www.mgcamp.com

[registration@mgcamp.com](mailto:registration@mgcamp.com) for registration questions, [info@mgcamp.com](mailto:info@mgcamp.com) for all other enquiries



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# CAN YOU TELL ME HOW TO GET...

The great thing about taking the ferry to Langdale is you only pay once! That's right, there's no charge for the return trip. We realize that the ferry is expensive, so in order to cut down your expenses, we have organized a shuttle service from the Langdale ferry terminal to Camp Byng for those who decide to walk-on (there is ample parking in Horseshoe Bay - need more info? Call us!). As mentioned above, **EACH person wishing to use our shuttle service will be charged \$2** to help cover our fuel costs. Please indicate on your registration form which ferry you anticipate being on, as well as the numbers in your group, so we may have enough transportation at the terminal. **We will be meeting the 3:30 / 5:30 / 7:25 / 9:15 Friday ferries for arrivals!**

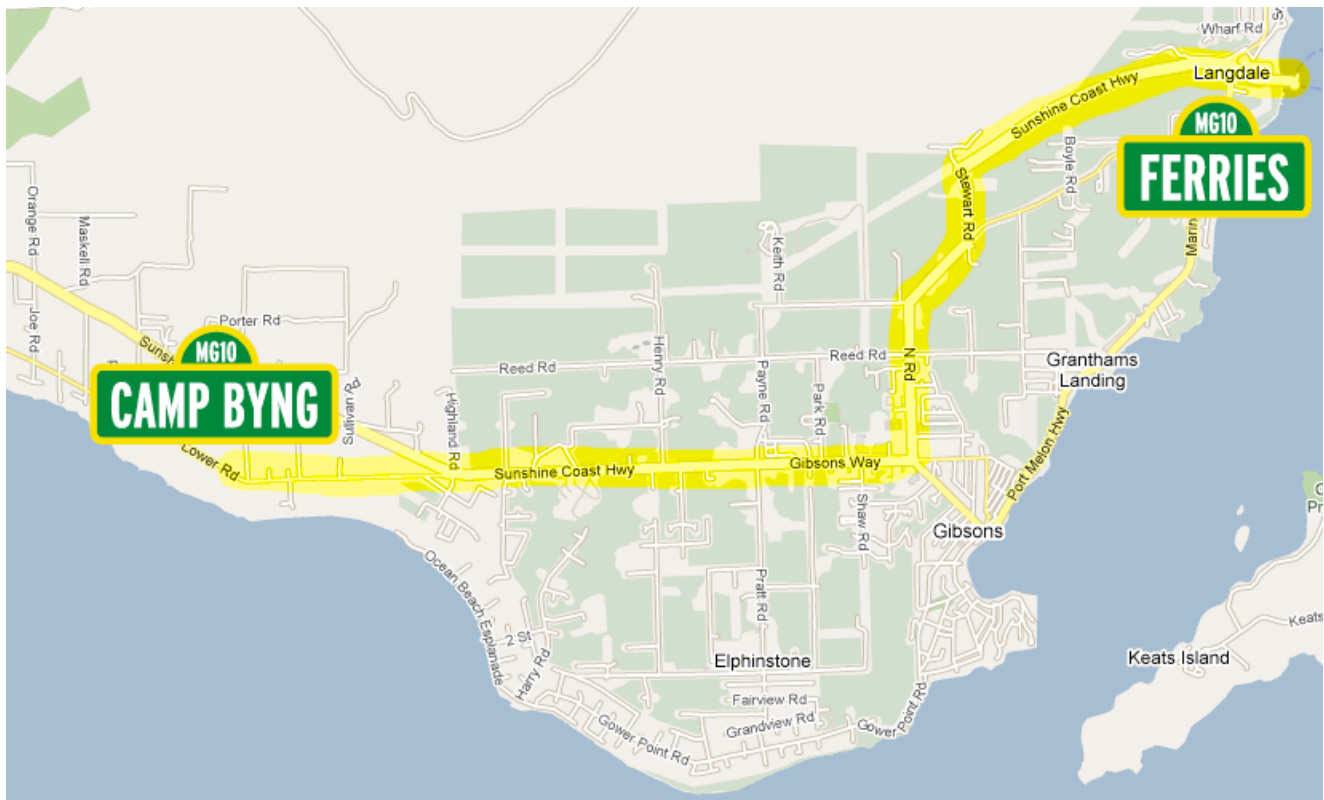
Ferry schedules: [bcferries.com](http://bcferries.com)

## Directions for walk-on:

- Get on Highway #1 Westbound, go all the way to Horseshoe Bay in West Vancouver down the hill and **follow the signs** to the passenger drop-off area – if you haven't been recently, please be aware that the approach has changed!
- If you're not being dropped off, you can park your car at the BC Ferries terminal lot, or you can go outside of Horseshoe Bay and park at the Lions Club lot.
- Get on the **Langdale** ferry, NOT Nanaimo or Bowen Island! It's a 35 minute ride, so enjoy the sun.
- Once at **Langdale**, walk to the passenger pick up area, and look for our greeter! If you're wearing your uniform (as you should be!), it'll be easy for us to identify you.

**Directions for drive-on** are same as for walk on to get to Horseshoe Bay except... drive onto the ferry...

- Once at **Langdale**, drive up the hill and at the top, take a left at Marine (it's a T junction at the top of the hill).
- At North Road take a right (just follow the traffic). Follow North Road 'till the Intersection at Coast Highway (101).
- At Coast Highway (101), take a right. Continue 'till the split for Roberts Creek Low Road (aprox. 4km / 2.5mi).
- At the split for the Low Road, take a left. (Immediately after the split, there is a cemetery on the right side of the road.)
- Continue along the low road 'till you get to Camp Byng! (Distance from the ferry terminal to Byng is 10.7 km or 6.5mi.)
- Do NOT go into lower Byng (through the gates), we're on the right (NORTH) side of the road, uphill.



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# EVENT SCHEDULE

All events and times will be posted at headquarters.

## Friday

Count-Off		(Registration / Camp Setup)
Monsterpiece Theatre	19:00	(Amazingly old movies)

## Saturday

Sunny Days	09:30	(Opening Ceremonies)
Greatest Puppet Show On Earth	10:00	(Offsite Scavenger Hunt – see list below)
Super Grover	11:00	(Obstacle Course)
C is for Cookie	12:00	(Campfire Cook-off)
Big Bird's Sing-Along	13:00	(All day requests - bring your iPods & CDs!)
"BIG" Fight	13:00	(Boffing)
Count's Challenge	14:00	(Onsite Scavenger Hunt, list given at camp)
Journey to Ernie	15:00	(Hide-and-Seek)
Guy Smiley's Game Show	16:00	(Trivia)
Chez Oscar	16:30	(Eating Contest)
Get Your Muppet On	19:00	(Fashion Show – not a talent show)
One Of These Things Is Not Like The Other	19:15	(Awards)
Two Headed Monster	19:30	(I think it's the dance, but I could be wrong)

## Sunday

Brought To You By The Letters...	09:00	(Closing Ceremonies; early to catch ferries)
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# OFFSITE SCAVENGER HUNT

There are points for each item... they will be disclosed at the event!

Directions to Sesame Street	Antron Fleece
Tickle me Elmo	A Sesame Street game
Unibrow	Big Bird's popcorn machine
Cookies	The Count's cape
Countmobile	Rubber ducky
Bananaphone	"Martians"
C is for...	Big Bird's nest
Oscar's trash can	Mr. Noodle
Bert & Ernie's bedroom window	Big Bird. The bigger the better
A <b>SHORT</b> edutainment presentation	Muppeteer shoes
Typewriter Guy	Near ... Far
Snuffy's trunk	Points for costumes, extra for muppets