



# TALAYSAY TOURS

AUTHENTIC CULTURAL & ECO EXPERIENCES

## Talaysay's Talking Trees – Porpoise Bay Provincial Park – Walking Tour

**Tour Description:** Each plant, each tree has its own special story. Explore Sechelt's iconic Porpoise Bay with a local Indigenous guide - cultural ambassador who will highlight how the local trees and plants of the Pacific Northwest are harvested by our people for food, medicine and technology. Our guides, who are members of the local Indigenous communities and the surrounding region, will share with you the rich cultural stories and our ecological practices, our history, stories, legends and Indigenous ways of living.

Options for all fitness levels. Talking Trees Walking Tour is approximately 1.2 km and we walk at a leisurely pace with frequent stops to explore and discuss.

**What to wear/bring:** good walking shoes. Wear layers with the changing seasons. Sunglasses, sunscreen and hats in the warm weather are recommended. Umbrellas if raining.

**Who we are:** Talaysay Tours, owned by Candace and Larry Campo, Shíshálh (Sechelt) and S̓kwxwú7mesh (Squamish) First Nation, offer you an enriched cultural outdoor experience.

## Talking Trees Tours- Indigenous Interpretive Walk - Porpoise Bay

**What to expect on your Tour:** We respect the schedules of all of our guests attending our cultural experiences and tours. **All of our tours begin promptly, and we ask to meet and greet you 15 minutes prior to the tour.** If you miss your tour due to unforeseeable circumstances, there will be no reimbursement. We will work with you to reschedule you on another tour at a later time or date.

When you book, you will receive a confirmation email and a receipt of payment from our office manager with the itinerary details for your tour which will include **digital maps links.**

Your guide is trained within our tribal cultural protocols to be your host and deliver and share an indigenous cultural experience. All questions are welcome. We like all of our guests to enjoy themselves and have fun.

**2020 Rates:** \$65 per adult. \$52 per child. This tour is recommended for children **12 and older.** **Parental discretion:** If your child is younger and you think that this tour suitable for them, we will be happy to have your child attend.

**Safety Practices:** We invite guests, if you feel more safe, to wear a mask. We follow the 2-meter distance safety practice and ask for your support in maintaining this safety guideline. We strongly encourage guests to use hand sanitizer before and after all tours. At present we are not shaking hands and will happily share how we say thank you the Coast Salish way with the hand gesture.

If you have any allergies or medical conditions you think we should know, please give us a call or send us an email. If you are sick or have a fever, we ask you to stay home and we will reschedule you within our scheduled operational season.

**Meeting Location Address: Location:** Porpoise Bay Provincial Park

Your guide will be waiting for you at the playground by the beach.

**Click on this Map Link:** <https://goo.gl/maps/wzMo1jhBCWp>



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