

Located along the 49th Parallel, amongst western Canada's coastal wealth of beauty and nature, Thistledown Farm offers a comfortable, relaxed rural retreat with all the amenities.



Our farm is a quiet place to get away, nestled between mountains and shores, rivers and trails, towns & villages ...and V.I.'s family-friendly destinations!



Just a few miles from the Island Hwy, near Cassidy airport, we're a dozen



kilometres south of Nanaimo, a half-dozen from the Tsawwassen

- Duke Point Ferry, and 20 kilometres or so from the Departure Bay ferry.

We are certified members of the Cedar Farmer's Institute, Island Farmer's Association, Land Conservancy & Environmental Farm Program.

Surrounded by V.I.'s Historical, Cultural & Natural Pearls...

Vancouver Island's natural heritage and cultural diversity awaits residents and visitors alike.



Thistledown Creek/Farm

Our eastern shores offer you tranquil moments alone, rich lands, a diverse history to explore, and special places to enjoy with family and friends.

If you're looking for sights to behold - mountains, beaches, coastal nooks and crannies ...you've come to the right place!



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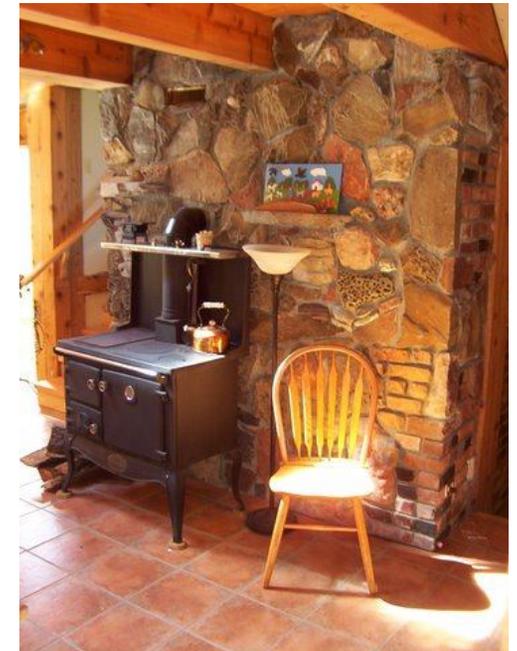
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Vancouver Island***



Suites in a Beautiful Cedar Home!



We have two suites available in our farmhouse, a beautiful new post and beam cedar home. The five floors are warmed by woodstoves, hearth and fireplace - a unique stone column extending throughout.

Each three-room suite has a double bed and sofa bed, cable tv/dvd and ensuite bathroom. Choose a suite with private entrance to the garden, or perhaps a crystal-lit stairway to the loft!



There's room to relax in our country kitchen, idle away the day in our living room and solarium ...or take in the fields and forests from the patio, picnic tables and benches placed in the great outdoors of our 20 acre farm.



Down on the Farm...



Gardens and orchard, a giant cedar grove, barns and workshops are but a stone's throw from home. Almost half the farm is wooded, with walking trails to take you along the creek and ponds, or for a good stroll through the forest.

Flowers are always blooming, birds always singing, the annual spring frog concert is absolutely fabulous, and we enjoy regular visits from eagles, herons, trumpeter swans, ducks, owls, deer and river otter.

A friendly cat wanders the grounds, with Canadian Champion collies close behind - happy to greet new faces or pose for photos! We harvest hay, market garden veggies, fruit & nuts ...and practice sustainable, organic, healthy, community & people-friendly farming!



Your Bed, & Breakfast, S.v.p...

Our european breakfast offers a selection of fruits, cereal, muffins, juice and coffee



...to get you up and going in the morning!

Special diets, & access to kitchen facilities, can also be arranged.

Each suite, double occupancy, comes to \$89/night, \$25 each additional person — special rates for longer stays, family gatherings and wedding celebrations.

Our home offers a great place to relax, and serves well as a base to explore Vancouver Island's diversity, beauty and special places.



Professional & business retreats, or vacationers seeking an extended stay, may wish to reserve the entire house and grounds.



Check-in, 4-8pm, by appointment, ...payment encouraged by cash or cheque, svp!

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