



## South Vancouver Island Beach Sampling Results

Sampling Season for 2021



No Water Quality Issues Identified



Moderate Water Quality Issues



Swimming Not Recommended



No Results Available


**Notes:**

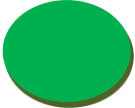
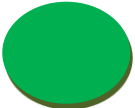
- Results indicated are the number of *E.coli* (fresh water) or Enterococci (salt water) per 100 mL of sample water
- L1 indicates there were less than 1 *E.coli* or Enterococci present in the sample
- **Updates will be provided once a week to reflect any new sample results received.**
- **Results are most predictive of overall water quality for 2 days after the sample date.**

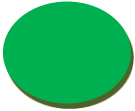

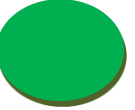

**Interpretation:**

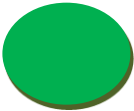

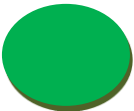

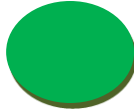
- **GREEN:** Beaches are generally considered microbiologically safe for swimming when single sample results, and/or the average (geometric mean) for the most recent five samples, are less than 200 (fresh water) or 35 (salt water)
- **YELLOW:** An individual result has exceeded 200 (fresh water) or 35 (salt water), so a higher risk of illness may be present and more sampling needs to be conducted to further inform the situation.
- **RED:** Results from a single sample has exceeded 400 (fresh water) or 70 (salt water), or the average (geometric mean) for the most recent five samples is greater than 200 (fresh water) or 35 (salt water) so there is a significant risk of illness and a beach advisory is generally necessary.
- **GREY:** Results not received for a particular beach during this current bathing season, please contact your local government/municipal office to inquire about testing ability.


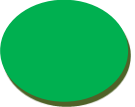

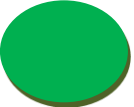
Under certain circumstances, an Environmental Health Officer may deviate from the above recommendations for a particular beach. If you would like further information, please contact your local [Health Protection office](#).

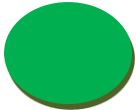
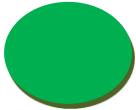
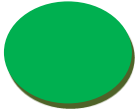

Beach	Location	Sample Results
BANFIELD PARK DOCK	Victoria – Salt Water 	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – Enterococci : 10
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 21/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 05/07/2021 – Enterococci : 23

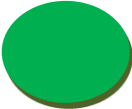
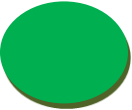
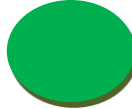

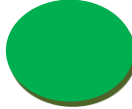
BAZAN BAY	North Saanich – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 01/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		
BEAVER LAKE	Saanich – Fresh Water	Bacteriological Sample on 25/05/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 01/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 08/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 16/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 22/06/2021 – E. Coli : 45
		Bacteriological Sample on 06/07/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
BLACKBURN LAKE	Salt Spring Island – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
CADBORO BAY BEACH	Saanich – Salt Water	
	Gyro Park	Bacteriological Sample on 25/05/2021 – Enterococci : 20
		Bacteriological Sample on 31/05/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 14/06/2021 – Enterococci : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 21/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 28/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 05/07/2021 – Enterococci : LT5

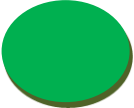
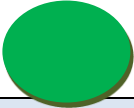
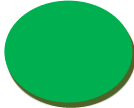
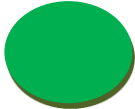
	Gyro Park - Left of Outfall	Bacteriological Sample on 25/05/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 31/05/2021 – Enterococci : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 14/06/2021 – Enterococci : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 21/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 28/06/2021 – Enterococci : 140
		Bacteriological Sample on 05/07/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
CLOVER POINT/COOK STREET	Victoria – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 07/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 05/07/2021 – Enterococci : 120
COLES BAY	North Saanich – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 01/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		
CORDOVA BAY BEACH	Saanich- Salt Water	
	Agate Park	Bacteriological Sample on 25/05/2021 – Enterococci : 10
		Bacteriological Sample on 08/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 22/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 06/07/2021 – Enterococci : LT5

	Water Park	Bacteriological Sample on 25/05/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 08/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 22/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 06/07/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
CRAIGFLOWER KOSAPSOM	Saanich – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – Enterococci : 10
		Bacteriological Sample on 08/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – Enterococci : 15
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/07/2021 – Enterococci : 25
CUSHEON LAKE	Salt Spring Island – Fresh Water	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – E. Coli : 15
		Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – E. Coli : 15
DURRANCE LAKE	Saanich – Fresh Water	Bacteriological Sample on 31/05/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 16/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
EAGLES LAKE	Highlands – Fresh Water	Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		


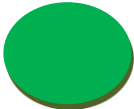


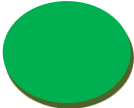

ELK LAKE - Hamsterley Beach	Saanich – Fresh Water	
	Eagles Beach 	Bacteriological Sample on 25/05/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 08/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 22/06/2021 – E. Coli : 159
		Bacteriological Sample on 06/07/2021 – E. Coli : 5
	Hamsterley Beach East 	Bacteriological Sample on 25/05/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 01/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 08/06/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 16/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 22/06/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 06/07/2021 – E. Coli : 10
	Hamsterley Beach West 	Bacteriological Sample on 25/05/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 01/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 08/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 16/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 22/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
Bacteriological Sample on 06/07/2021 – E. Coli : 23		
ESQUIMALT GORGE PARK – Kinsmen Beach	Esquimalt – Salt Water	
		Bacteriological Sample on 25/05/2021 – Enterococci : 1200
		Bacteriological Sample on 01/06/2021 – Enterococci : 25
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/06/2021 – Enterococci : 20
		Bacteriological Sample on 21/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 05/07/2021 – Enterococci : 20


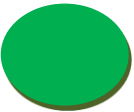
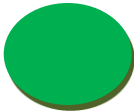

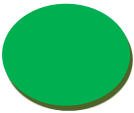

ESQUIMALT LAGOON	Colwood – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – Enterococci : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 09/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/07/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
FLEMING BEACH	Esquimalt – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 25/05/2021 – Enterococci : 70
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/06/2021 – Enterococci : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 21/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 05/07/2021 – Enterococci : 5
FLORENCE LAKE	Langford – Fresh Water	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 09/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/07/2021 – E. Coli : 5
GLEN LAKE	Langford – Fresh Water	
	Glen Lake – Glen View (Park)	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – E. Coli : 20
		Bacteriological Sample on 02/06/2021 – E. Coli : 41
		Bacteriological Sample on 09/06/2021 – E. Coli : 15
		Bacteriological Sample on 15/06/2021 – E. Coli : 265
		Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – E. Coli : 60
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/07/2021 – E. Coli : 230


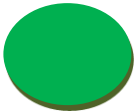

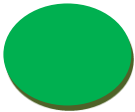
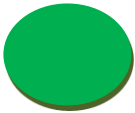
	Glen Lake - South	Bacteriological Sample on 02/06/2021 – E. Coli : 60
		Bacteriological Sample on 09/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 15/06/2021 – E. Coli : 15
		Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/07/2021 – E. Coli : 5
GONZALES BAY	Victoria – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 31/05/2021 – Enterococci : 10
		Bacteriological Sample on 14/06/2021 – Enterococci : 82
		Bacteriological Sample on 28/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
HOLLAND POINT	Victoria – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 31/05/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 14/06/2021 – Enterococci : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 28/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
ISLAND VIEW BEACH	Central Saanich – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 01/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 22/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
KEMP LAKE	Sooke – Fresh Water	Bacteriological Sample on 02/06/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		

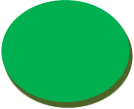

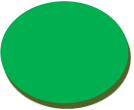
LANGFORD LAKE	Langford – Fresh Water	
	Langford Lake – Goldstream 	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 02/06/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 09/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 15/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/07/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
	Langford Lake – Leigh Road (Playground area) 	Bacteriological Sample on 02/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 15/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
	Langford Lake – Ed Nixon Lane/Tce 	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – E. Coli : 9
		Bacteriological Sample on 02/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
Bacteriological Sample on 09/06/2021 – E. Coli : 15		
Bacteriological Sample on 15/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5		
Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – E. Coli : 5		
Bacteriological Sample on 07/07/2021 – E. Coli : 5		
LOOK OUT LAKE	Colwood – Fresh Water 	Bacteriological Sample on 09/06/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/07/2021 – E. Coli : 10



MCNEILL BAY	Oak Bay – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 07/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 28/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
MOUNT DOUGLAS PARK	Saanich – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 31/05/2021 – Enterococci : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 21/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
PATRICIA BAY	North Saanich – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 01/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		
PROSPECT LAKE	Saanich – Fresh Water	Bacteriological Sample on 31/05/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 16/06/2021 – E. Coli : 70
ROSS BAY	Victoria – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 14/06/2021 – Enterococci : 30
		Bacteriological Sample on 05/07/2021 – Enterococci : 20
SAANICH INLET	Central Saanich – Salt Water	
	Clarke Road	Bacteriological Sample on 29/06/2021 – Enterococci : 1350
		Bacteriological Sample on 06/07/2021 – Enterococci : 20

	Stelly's X-Rd	Bacteriological Sample on 29/06/2021 – Enterococci : 490
		Bacteriological Sample on 06/07/2021 – Enterococci : 45
	Todd Inlet	Bacteriological Sample on 22/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		
SAYWARD BEACH	Saanich – Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 08/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 06/07/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
SAXE POINT BEACH	Esquimalt– Salt Water	Bacteriological Sample on 07/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 05/07/2021 – Enterococci : 18
SOOKE POT HOLES	Sooke – Fresh Water	Bacteriological Sample on 02/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		
ST. MARY LAKE	Salt Spring Island – Fresh Water	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – E. Coli : 5

STOWEL LAKE	Salt Spring Island – Fresh Water 	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – E. Coli : 27
		Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – E. Coli : 15
TATLOW BEACH ACCESS	North Saanich- Salt Water 	Bacteriological Sample on 01/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
THETIS LAKE	View Royal – Fresh Water 	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – E. Coli : 15
		Bacteriological Sample on 02/06/2021 – E. Coli : 15
		Bacteriological Sample on 09/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 15/06/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 07/07/2021 – E. Coli : LT5
WEIR'S BEACH – Sandgate	Metchosin – Salt Water 	Bacteriological Sample on 15/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
WESTON LAKE	Salt Spring Island – Salt Water 	Bacteriological Sample on 26/05/2021 – E. Coli : 5
		Bacteriological Sample on 23/06/2021 – E. Coli : LT5

WILLOWS BEACH	Oak Bay – Salt Water	
	Foot of Estevan 	Bacteriological Sample on 31/05/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 14/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 28/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
	South End 	Bacteriological Sample on 31/05/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 14/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
		Bacteriological Sample on 28/06/2021 – Enterococci : LT5
WITTY'S LAGOON	Metchosin – Salt Water 	Bacteriological Sample on 15/06/2021 – Enterococci : 5