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## 2018 Calendar of Events

### 2018 Museum, Café & Gift Shop Hours

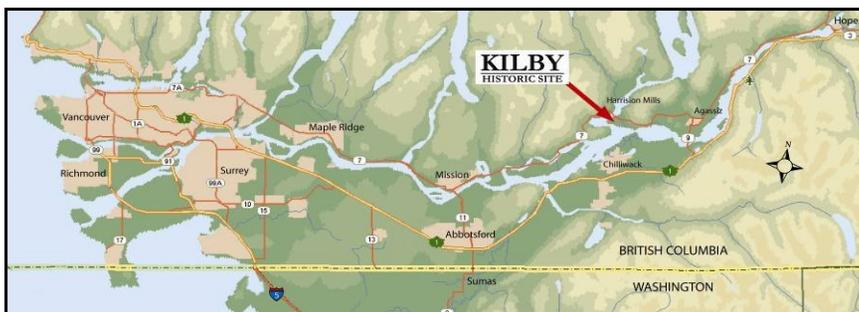
March 31 - May 13	Saturday & Sunday	11 am - 4 pm
May 17 - June 25	Thursday to Monday	11 am - 4 pm
June 28 - Sept 3	Open Daily	11 am - 4 pm
Sept 8 - Oct. 28	Saturday & Sunday	11 am - 4 pm
Nov 19 & 20 Dec 10 & 11	Saturday & Sunday	11 am - 4 pm

### Kilby Park

Kilby Park is situated on the confluence of the Harrison and Fraser rivers, just down the road from the museum. The park features a beautiful 35-site waterfront campground complete with sandy beaches, nature trails and boat launch.

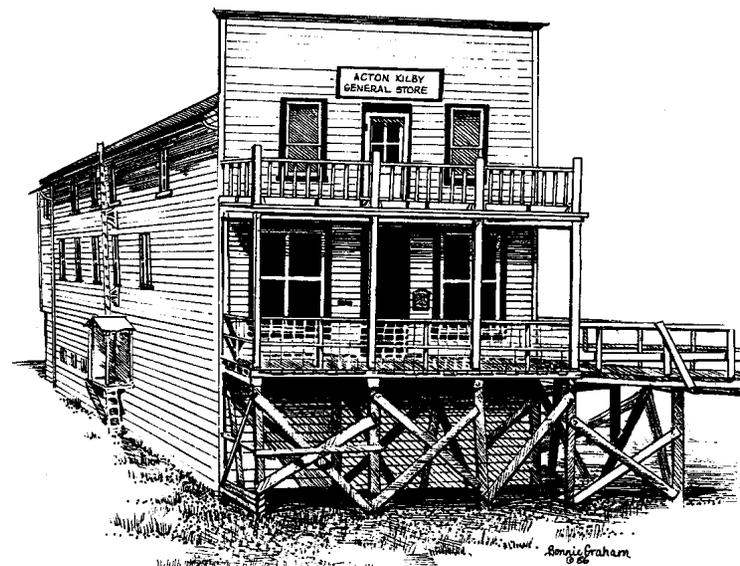
**Campground Reservations?** From April to October we have 16 sites that are available for reservation by phone. The reservation desk will be open Monday & Tuesday only between 10 am - 3 pm. Please call 604-796-9576.

Jan 2 to Feb 28	\$15	Camping in boat launch area only
March 1 to May 13	\$25	Senior Rate \$20
May 14 to Sept 30	\$30	
October 1 to 31	\$25	Senior Rate \$20
Nov 1 to Jan 1, 2019	\$15	



All events are subject to change without notice.

All Inquiries call (604) 796-9576, visit [www.kilby.ca](http://www.kilby.ca) or mail 215 Kilby Road, Harrison Mills, BC V0M 1L0  
#ExploreKilby



Located on the confluence of the Harrison and Fraser Rivers, the **Kilby Historic Site** stands as the only reminder of the once thriving community of Harrison Mills. Step back in time to the 1920s with costumed interpreters, as you explore the magnificent 1906 General Store museum, Manchester House Hotel and Post Office. This 5 acre BC Heritage site includes a visit to our working farm filled with friendly animals and orchard playground.

Stop for lunch in our quaint 50 seat café. Every Sunday afternoon we offer Roast Beef and Yorkie special. Have a peak at our new menu. Be sure to allow time to browse the gift shop filled with unique items from local artisans and producers

Within walking distance of the museum is the scenic **Kilby Park** located on the Harrison River. This Park features a beautiful 35-site campground, day use area, sandy beaches, nature trails and boat launch.

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## **Easter Egg Hunt & Luncheon Sat & Sun, Mar 31 & Apr 1**

Come & join the fun our annual Easter Egg Hunt. There'll be candy bags for everyone as children search the farmyard for eggs and a special prize if you find the Golden Egg sponsored by Rocky Mt. Chocolate Factory! Other activities include decorating an egg to hang on our Easter Tree, playing old fashioned Easter themed games, creating crafts or spending time with our friendly farm animals. Call to book the family into our cafe for a traditional Turkey Easter Luncheon includes beverage and dessert for \$22.95!

## **Mother's Day Sunday, May 13**

Visit our 1906 general store museum and reflect on nostalgic memories. The kids can make a special gift for Mom & Grandma and decorate a pot to plant a seed for spring, while enjoying live entertainment with Lawrence Coagie. Book your reservation in our cozy café, featuring our traditional Sunday Roast Beef & Yorkshire Pudding with mashed potatoes, seasonal veggies and gravy for \$17.95. Reservations are recommended.

## **Father's Day - Black Powder Sunday, June 17**

Join us as we step back in time to the 1880's for our 12th annual Black Powder event on Father's Day! We'll have muskets, pistols, bows and arrows and even a cannon! Bruce Coughlan from Tillers Follie will be our musical entertainment and the Red Mountain Renegades are back, performing their amazing & hilarious Wild West fast-draw gun show! The Fraser Valley Frontiersmen will be on site demonstrating antique firearms and primitive archery, as well as a knife and tom-a-hawk throw. Trader's Row is filled with vendors & displays from the 1880's plus spinners, weavers & basket-makers! And of course Father's Day wouldn't be complete without a sizzlin' barbeque! Another option is a traditional Roast Beef dinner in the café! Seatings are at noon and 2 pm, by reservation! Would you like to be a vendor at this event? Call 604-796-9576 for more information.

## **Dominion Day/Community Appreciation Day Sunday, July 1**

Celebrate Confederation by exploring your local history! We will be conducting a fully guided tour to give you a chance to hear the whole story of Harrison Mills & the Kilby Family. Other activities include crafts, a cake cutting and an old fashioned ice cream demonstration. Bring your blanket, stay the afternoon, enjoy live music & join us under the Willow Tree for a tasty summer BBQ. Admission by donation as we celebrate our community and appreciate the support of our visitors.

## **Summer Carnival Sunday, July 22**

Join us for our annual old-fashioned Summer Carnival! We will have music, carnival games, market stalls, crafts, a barbeque and lots of prizes for the kids! This year's event is Pirate themed, with a Treasure Hunt, Pirate Cove and sailing ship! "Triumph Acrobatics" will also be on site with juggling acts and a real tightrope! Café special is Roast Beef stuffed Yorkshire Pudding for \$15.95 with your choice of garden salad, potato salad or soup.

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## **Plein Air Painting Festival Friday-Sunday August 17, 18 & 19**

Don't miss Kilby's 4th annual "In the Open Air" painting festival! Come & see the competitors as their paintings develop on Friday and Saturday! All completed paintings will be displayed for sale to the public on Sunday & for the "People's Choice" award. Would you like to participate in next year's event? All ages and skill levels welcome. Email us at: [events@kilby.ca](mailto:events@kilby.ca) for details. This event is sponsored by Tourism Harrison!

## **Autumn Harvest Festival Sunday, September 9**

Join us as we celebrate the turning of the season! Witness an apple cider pressing demonstration on our 110 year-old apple press & browse our mini farmer's market for delicious local foodstuffs while the kids make autumn-themed crafts. Sample our BBQ, grab a slice of apple pie & later the kids can line up to have a go at our Pinata! Roast Beef dinners are back in the café.

## **Thanksgiving Saturday & Sunday, October 6 & 7**

Don't miss our famous Thanksgiving dinner - a traditional full course Turkey dinner, that includes roast turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing, seasonal vegetables, gravy, cranberry sauce, dinner roll, apple or pumpkin pie & a beverage for \$22.95. Call 604-796-9576 to reserve your spot, as we sell out early. On site we will have an apple pressing demo at 1:30 pm.

## **Kilby Kids Halloween Party Sunday, October 28**

Something wicked this way comes... the Kilby Kids Halloween Party! Dress up to win prizes in our costume contest, join our spooky scavenger hunt, play Halloween themed games and crafts. Enjoy a special treat with an amazing magic show Norden the Magician A delight for all ages! The event begins at 11 am. Throughout the day we will have crafts and games! The farm will also be open for kids to enjoy our friendly farm animals. And we will have a interactive scavenger hunt to find your treat! This event is sponsored by the Agassiz-Harrison Lions.

## **Bald Eagle Festival Saturday & Sunday, November 17 & 18**

Thanks to a sponsorship from the Fraser Valley Bald Eagle Festival folks, your admission is by donation this weekend! The festival is a charitable non-profit formed to celebrate the beauty & biodiversity of the Harrison River by honouring the majestic Bald Eagle & Salmon. Kilby is the perfect place to plan for lunch on this Festival weekend. Then enjoy a short walking tour "Where History & Nature Meet" at the confluence of the Fraser & Harrison rivers at Kilby Park at 10 am, noon or 2 pm. Vendors and displays on site.

## **Christmas at Kilby Saturday & Sunday, December 8 & 9**

Book your traditional roast turkey dinner early by calling 604-796-9576. This feature includes roast turkey, mashed potatoes, stuffing, seasonal vegetables, gravy, cranberry sauce, dinner roll, apple or pumpkin pie & a beverage \$22.95. The gift shop will have many unique items and exciting gift packs all ready for the holiday season.

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Kilby Historic Site is operated by a charitable non-profit with a volunteer board. Your admission for these events goes towards the sustainability of the site for future generations. Help fulfil the Society's mandate through attending events like this or purchasing a season's pass, as we strive to enrich the next generation through history, inspiring sense of wonder and deepen understanding of British Columbia's heritage.

### **BC's Museum of Rural Life!**

**Admission:** \$10 Adults | \$9 Seniors | \$8 Youth | \$25 Families *Children 5 and under Free!*

**Season Passes:** \$22 Adults | \$20 Seniors & Youth | \$60 Families - Unlimited entrance to the museum & farm, plus 10% off Café menu

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