



Maritime Museum says goodbye to courthouse after 49 years

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The Maritime Museum of BC invites the public to visit in Bastion Square one last time before its doors close to ready the Museum for its move. All are welcome for one last visit with coffee and cake at the old courthouse.

“We are looking forward to the next chapter for the Maritime Museum,” says Jon Irwin, Executive Director at the Maritime Museum of BC. “This building has been home for the past 49 years. We will certainly miss its character and relish all the great moments we have had here.”

The Museum will host an open house on Oct 21 from 6:30pm to 8:30pm with coffee and cake to celebrate 49 years in the historic courthouse. Spark old memories and create new ones while walking through the galleries one last time.

The Maritime Museum moved into the building in 1965 after it outgrew its original location in Esquimalt on Signal Hill. To stay connected with the Museum through the move, visit the Museum’s blog, <http://maritimemuseumofbc.blogspot.ca/>.

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