

For Immediate Release
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Exhibit Opening: *Queer at Sea: Tales from the 2SLGBTQ+ Community* Opens at the Maritime Museum of BC

The Maritime Museum of BC is thrilled to announce that it will be home to an exhibit titled *Queer at Sea: Tales from the 2SLGBTQ+ Community* from 17 May, 2022 to 5 November,



2022.

*The Maritime Museum of BC launches new *Queer at Sea: Tales from the 2SLGBTQ+ Community* exhibit.*

Image courtesy of the Maritime Museum of BC.

About the Exhibit

Queer and trans communities have long been a part of BC's maritime history. This exhibit shares the stories of some of those community members in their own words. Their deeply personal reflections allow a glimpse at the many ways that orientation and identity have played into their experiences of life at sea. Each person has a unique story, each has moments of triumph and discrimination. What they all share is a passion for life around or on the waters of the coast – from marine recreation to decades-long maritime careers and everything in between.

The Maritime Museum of BC is honoured to showcase some of the histories and contributions of the 2SLGBTQ+ community to BC's maritime culture.



Media Details

Media are invited to come in on Tuesday, May 17 between the hours of 1:00 to 4:00 PM. Please identify yourself as media at the front desk.

Maritime Museum of BC staff will be available for comment. Photography is welcome.

Information for the Public

Exhibit Dates: 17 May - 5 November, 2022

Location: 744 Douglas Street

Hours of Operation: Tuesday to Saturday, 10 AM – 5 PM

Admission Rates:

- Adult – \$10.00
- Senior/Student – \$8.00
- Youth (12-17) – \$5.00
- Child (under 12) – Free

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