

There are a large number of options for getting to Victoria. Here are some of the more standard options.

### **Flying from the U.S.**

Fly to Seattle (SEA)

Alaska Air/Horizon flies into Sidney B.C. (called Victoria International YYJ). The cost is \$300 roundtrip

<http://www.alaskaair.com/>

#### **To Victoria BC Canada (YYJ)**

**From Seattle/Tacoma WA (SEA) 98 Mi.**

0755 0840 AS2382F DH4 1234567 0:45  
1035 1120 AS2384F DH4 1234567 0:45  
1435 1520 AS2386F DH4 1234567 0:45  
1730 1815 AS2388F DH4 1234567 0:45  
2300 2345 AS2380F DH4 1234567 0:45

#### **To Seattle/Tacoma WA**

**From Victoria BC Canada (YYJ) 98 Mi.**

0600 0650 AS2381F DH4 1234567 0:50  
0915 1005 AS2383F DH4 1234567 0:50  
1155 1245 AS2385F DH4 1234567 0:50  
1555 1645 AS2387F DH4 1234567 0:50  
1850 1940 AS2389F DH4 1234567 0:50

The Victoria airport is a wonderful place to clear security. From the curb to the gate is often about 10 minutes (but allow longer). You will have to clear customs in Seattle, but if you stay inside the airport at SeaTac you do not have to clear security again.

The taxi from the airport to the hotel will cost about \$60

OR

For a real thrill take a seaplane from Seattle's Lake Union to the Inner Harbor at Victoria (and it's cheaper than Alaska Air)

[http://www.kenmoreair.com/sub\\_content.php?content\\_type=32](http://www.kenmoreair.com/sub_content.php?content_type=32)

**\* Fares are per-person, one-way, including all taxes, subject to round-trip flight selection.**

**\*\* Flights include an inter-terminal shuttle connection at Seattle-Tacoma Intl. Airport and Kenmore Air's Seattle terminals. Click [here](#) for important details on this connection.**

Friday 04 June , 2010

SEATTLE, WA USA (SEATAC BAGGAGE CLAIM DOOR 00) to VICTORIA, BC CANADA (VICTORIA INNER HARBOUR)

Flight #	Departs	Arrives	Fare Type	Fare *
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<input type="radio"/> SEA30 / 330 **	10:00 am	12:00 pm	ADULT PEAK	\$133.50
<input type="radio"/> SEA50 / 350 **	1:00 pm	3:00 pm	ADULT PEAK	\$133.50
<input type="radio"/> SEA70 / 370 **	4:00 pm	6:30 pm	ADULT PEAK	\$133.50

## Choose your return flight

Tuesday 08 June , 2010

VICTORIA, BC CANADA (VICTORIA INNER HARBOUR) to SEATTLE, WA USA  
(SEATAC BAGGAGE CLAIM DOOR 00)

Flight #	Departs	Arrives	Fare Type	Fare *
<input type="radio"/> 311 > LKE11 **	9:00 am	11:00 am	ADULT	\$116.20
<input type="radio"/> 331 > LKE31 **	12:00 pm	2:00 pm	ADULT	\$116.20
<input type="radio"/> 351 > LKE51 **	3:00 pm	5:00 pm	ADULT	\$116.20
<input type="radio"/> 371 > DUCK2 **	6:30 pm	9:15 pm	ADULT	\$116.20

### Driving from the U.S.

Drive to Port Angeles, WA (about 3 hour drive over bridges or about the same or longer if you take a car ferry across Puget Sound - <http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/ferries/>)

Take the Coho car ferry <http://cohoferry.com/main/>

\$16 reservation fee; \$53 each way for car and driver; \$14.50 each additional passenger

### 90 minute crossing

LEAVE PORT ANGELES	DAYLIGHT TIME WHEN IN EFFECT	LEAVE VICTORIA
8:20 AM 12:45 PM 5:15 PM	May 20, 2010 to June 16, 2010	10:30 AM 3:00 PM 7:30 PM

OR

Drive to Anacortes Washington and take the Washington State ferry from Anacortes to Sidney, B.C

2 hour drive unless you hit rush hour in Seattle then add an hour

Ferry schedule is unknown at this time check

<http://www.wsdot.wa.gov/ferries/schedules/current/index.cfm?route=ana-sid>

## Boating from the U.S.

Public Transportation

<http://www.clippervacations.com/destinations/victoria.html>

Take the Victoria Clipper fast boat from Downtown Seattle

Cost is \$115 per person round trip non refundable

Or \$145 per person round trip refundable

### OUTBOUND

Fri Jun 04, 2010

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Departure / Arrival

Dep. SEA: 7:30 AM

Arr. VIC: 10:30 AM

Dep. SEA: 3:15 PM

Arr. VIC: 6:00 PM

### RETURN

Tue Jun 08, 2010

Departure / Arrival

Dep. VIC: 11:30 AM

Arr. SEA: 2:15 PM

Dep. VIC: 7:00 PM

Arr. SEA: 9:45 PM

OR

Ferry from Bellingham WA. <http://www.whales.com/index.php/victoria/schedules-fares>

2010 Schedule: May 7 - June 7 (Fridays / Saturdays / Sundays / Mondays Only) June 11 - September 6 (Daily) September 10 - September 27 (Fridays / Saturdays / Sundays / Mondays Only)	
Depart	Arrive
Bellingham 9:00AM	Victoria 12:00PM
Victoria 5:00PM	Bellingham 8:00PM

**2010 Cruise Fares: Round Trip With Dinner\***

	Adult	Youth 13-20	Child 3-12	Child Under 3
<b>May 7 - Sept 27</b>	99.00	69.00	39.00	FREE

\*A fuel surcharge fee may apply.

## **Renting your own boat**

Victoria is about 5 hours by powerboat (7 knots) from Anacortes and about 9 hours from Seattle. My favorite rental place is AYC <http://www.ayc.com/> but there are dozens of charter companies

## **Great website for information on travel from Seattle to Victoria**

[http://seattletimes.nwsources.com/html/travel/2008116402\\_trthreecities17.html](http://seattletimes.nwsources.com/html/travel/2008116402_trthreecities17.html)

Getting around Seattle—

Seattle has a new light rail that goes from the airport to downtown (and the ferries)

<http://www.soundtransit.org/x11204.xml>

## **From Canada**

There are even more options from Canada.

Westjet and Air Canada fly nonstop from Calgary to Victoria

BC Ferries has service to Swartz Bay (near Sidney) and Nanaimo (further north on Vancouver Island) from Tsawwassen (near Vancouver). <http://www.bcferrries.com/>

There are numerous float planes from Vancouver to Vancouver Island.

<http://uk.britishcolumbia.travel/en-CA/GettingAround/AirTravel/VancouverIsland.htm>