



*Your  
Event*  
AT THE SLCC



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SQUAMISH LILWAT CULTURAL CENTRE

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*where rivers, mountains and people meet*

# WELCOME TO YOUR EVENT

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Distinctive private parties and various corporate events, large or intimate, the Cultural Centre is built to host, foster partnerships and celebrate in style. Hold your event amongst the totem poles and under exhibits suspended in the Great Hall, or dine amidst the beauty of the Pacific Northwest forest setting on our Mezzanine Patio, enjoying spectacular views of Blackcomb Mountain. In any of our unique and versatile spaces, an event at the Cultural Centre is a truly unforgettable event.

## Private Events at the Squamish Lil'wat Cultural Centre are some of the most spectacular events in Whistler.

- An external event planner/DMC is required to manage all events activating more than one venue space OR for anticipated guest counts exceeding 150.
- Decor, furniture & equipment should be arranged independently and directly with the supplier or through a planner/DMC of choice. The SLCC has a limited supply of equipment for rent—please discuss with Sales Manager directly.
- Planners unfamiliar with the venue must book a site visit to walk through logistical parameters of facilitating an event in this First Nations Museum and agree to adhere to our policies and procedures.



# VENUE OPTIONS

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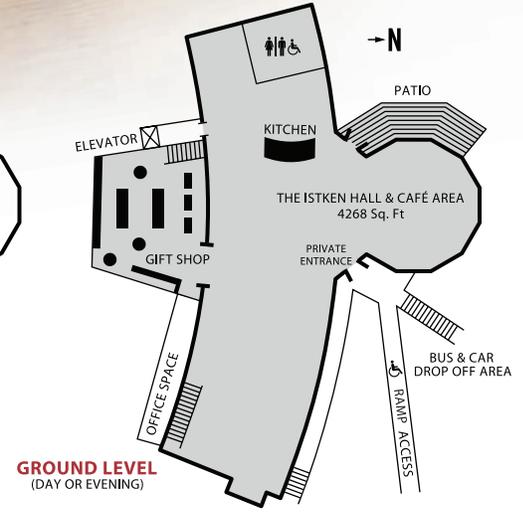
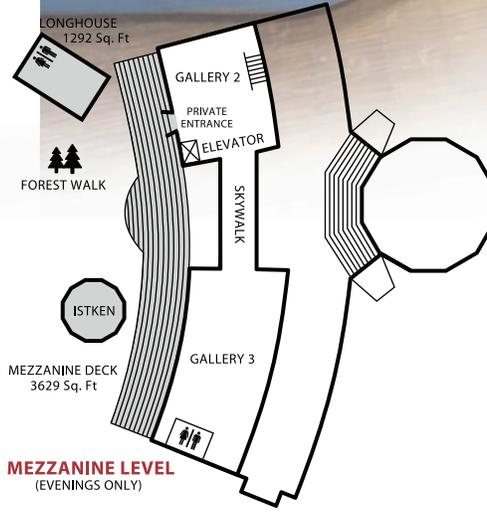
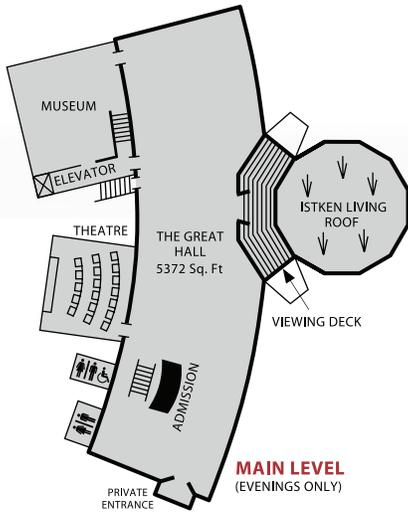


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## Great Hall

The Great Hall located on the main level can accommodate up to 300 guests for an evening reception or 150 for a sit down dinner. Decorating the Great Hall are spectacular weavings, canoes, carvings and expansive floor-to-ceiling windows that look north over Lost Lake and Garibaldi Mountain Ranges. Great Hall rental includes the 78-seat Theatre.

## Mezzanine Patio

The Mezzanine Patio's 5,000 sq ft of decking floats into the forest and allows guests a view of Blackcomb Mountain. 2,500 sq ft of patio is covered in retractable awnings creating an outdoor weather-resistant event space. *(Awnings cannot hold snow load so should not be relied upon during winter months.)* A fire pit provides a wonderful ambiance for after-dinner drinks and story-telling — a great setting to start or end a sit-down dinner.

## Istken Hall

The Istken Hall is a dynamic round room with wrap-around windows showcasing stunning views of the picturesque northerly mountain ranges and Lost Lake woods. Istken Hall can be used day or night and in combination with the neighboring cafe/lounge space *(for evening events only)* for optimal customization for your specific event requirements.

## Capacities

Room	Area (sq. ft)	Reception (# people)	Banquet (60" Rounds) (# people)	Theatre (# people)
Great Hall	5,372	300	150	250
Istken Hall & Café Area	4,268	250	130	200
Mezzanine Level and Longhouse	4,921	300	200 (outdoor events)	n/a
Longhouse	1,298	80	50	75
Buyout	16,145	900	310	n/a

# RENTAL PRICING & GUIDELINES

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## Rental Pricing

Venue Space	Rate	Overtime Fee
Buyout (5pm-1am)	\$8,700	See Below
Great Hall (5pm-1am)	\$4,900	\$300/hr
Istken Hall including Café & Lounge (4pm-1am)	\$2,600	\$200/hr
Istken Hall ONLY (9am-4pm)	\$1,200	\$200/hr
Mezzanine Patio & Longhouse (4pm-1am)	\$2,600	N/A
Mezzanine Patio ONLY (9am-4pm)	\$900	\$200/hr
Longhouse ONLY (9am-4pm)	\$900	\$200/hr
Theatre (5pm-1am)	\$850	N/A

\* Early Access: \$300/hr (Istken Hall, Mezzanine Patio & Longhouse) and \$400/hr (Great Hall)

## Access Times and Early Access / Overtime Fees

The SLCC is a venue that operates multiple layers of programming throughout the day for our museum tours and activities as well as daytime conferences and meetings. When renting the Cultural Centre as venue space, the contracted access determines the handover of the hired spaces from time of load-in of suppliers to load-out. We can negotiate access times to accommodate earlier starts or set-up times on a case by case basis but cannot guarantee earlier access unless stipulated in the Venue Agreement and charged accordingly.

## Disclaimers

- \* Early access to event spaces can be negotiated on an individual basis and charged accordingly.
- \* Dancing permitted in all contracted spaces; Great Hall, Istken Hall, and Longhouse.
- \* Additional charges may apply for vendors/suppliers that require more time to teardown after an event.
- \* The SLCC requires that all weddings are managed by a professional wedding planner.
- \* Access times do not include Kitchen Access. Kitchen Access is 5pm unless other arrangements have been made at an additional cost.

**Please note:** The Mezzanine Patio is restricted by noise bylaw commencing at 10pm. The Longhouse is available until 1am for evening rentals.

## Rental Guidelines

### Payment Policies

The venue rental payment policy requires that 40% of the venue rental be paid upon signing the contract and the remainder be due 30 days prior to the event. Payments and contracts with caterers and event suppliers are separate from the Squamish Lil'wat Cultural Centre contracts.

### Parking

There is very limited on-site parking at SLCC. All event guests are asked to park in nearby Municipal day lots, a picturesque 5-minute walk away, or to arrange for shuttles/taxis to facilitate drop-offs. Parking stalls on site will be restricted to those guests with mobility issues.

### Preferred Catering Partners

The SLCC works very closely with our preferred catering partners to ensure exceptional quality of events. Our partners were chosen based on their ability to cater a variety of different style events, meet different price points and ensure service quality is of the highest level. **Non-preferred catering is not permitted.** Please contact these catering partners directly for sample menus.



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## We are proud to offer a wide variety of catering options to choose from

Our world-class catering partners work with you or your event planner to plan your exceptional event at the SLCC. From food and beverage to entertainment and décor, these knowledgeable teams will ensure your event delivers an incredible guest experience.



### Squamish Lil'wat Cultural Centre

The SLCC's in-house Catering Department specializes in local seafood, free range game meat and, of course, bannock, baked fresh daily. We use traditional ingredients that are prepared and presented with a modern flair. All-inclusive menu packaging allows us to work with you in seamless ease from menu planning to on-site event execution. In the spirit of First Nations' traditions, our intention is to provide a gathering place where the focus is honouring your special day with a fantastic feast.



### West Coast Wedding Feast (Buffet)

This three course wedding buffet menu will delight your guests with a sensational selection of dishes made with fresh, local ingredients. Customize your dining experience by selecting from a variety of delicious options for all three courses. Begin your reception with passed hors d'oeuvres and platters, then indulge in a bountiful buffet for your main course, and finish your dining with a delicious dessert ensemble.



### Family Style Dinner

This three course family style dinner menu will delight your guests with a sensational selection of dishes made with fresh local ingredients. Customize your dining experience by selecting from a variety of delectable options for all three courses, designed for sharing at your table.

*\*available for events with 80 guests or less*



### Plated Menu

This three course plated dinner menu will delight your guests with a sensational selection of dishes made with fresh local ingredients. Customize your dining experience by selecting from a variety of delicious options for all three courses, or add a fourth soup course if desired.

\*Above menu prices starting from \$85 per person. Our in-house catering includes: White china plates, cutler & basic glassware, black or white linen for all food & beverage stations, in-house tables and chairs (please refer to furniture rental brochure) and basic labour (based on industry staffing ratios of 1 staff member per 30 guests OR 1 per 10 guests for plated service). Should additional staffing be required, a minimum of 4 hours per staff member will be charged \$25/per staff/hour.

### As the Evening Winds Down – Pricing from \$26 per dozen

Offer your guests a delicious late night snack.

If not using our in-house catering, our preferred catering partners are:

Fairmont Chateau Whistler, Four Seasons Resort Whistler, The Bearfoot Bistro, Westin Whistler Resort & Spa, Whistler Cooks and Collective Kitchen.

