

Sep 12 - Northward Ho!

We left Errington this morning heading north on the inland island highway bound for Courtenay. The drive didn't take long. We'd driven past the Visitor's Centre many times, but today we decided to stop and have a look around.



The staff were very pleasant and extremely helpful. I thought our destination today was going to be Strathcona Park west of Campbell River, but when we asked about provincial campgrounds hereabouts, we were told Miracle Beach (north of Courtenay) was the place to head. So we did.

Before we left the Centre, we enjoyed a coffee by the pond.

On the way, we stopped in Courtenay for an oil change. Unlike Jiffy Lube in the US, we were able to nose the van into the bay without having to unhook Ali. Boy, that saved me a lot of effort. About 15 minutes later, we were backing out, on our way to Miracle Beach.



What a nice provincial park! Lovely big sites spread out so neighbours are a long way away. Our kind of camping - not that we're anti-social. We're here for two nights.



After setting up camp, we walked to the beach. What a view!



We're not sure what we're going to do tomorrow. You'll just have to join us to find out! See you then.