Sep 22 - Woss and Beyond

We're heading back to Campbell River today with a stop at Woss, following the North Island route south.



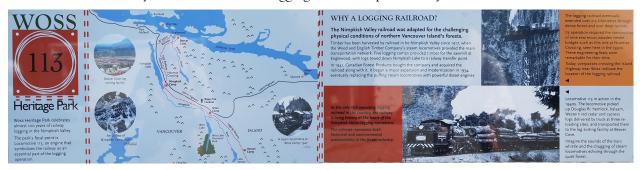
Woss is a Canadian Forest Product's lumber town/village/community located in the Nimpkish valley. CFP owns and operates the only logging railroad in Canada.

We're looking for locomotive 113, a 2-8-2 Mikado steam engine, on display somewhere around here.

Here she is at the end of the rail yard. We pull in to look around and have a coffee.



Here is a bit of history about Loci 113 and logging in the Nimpkish valley.



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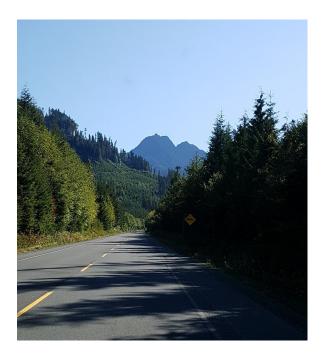


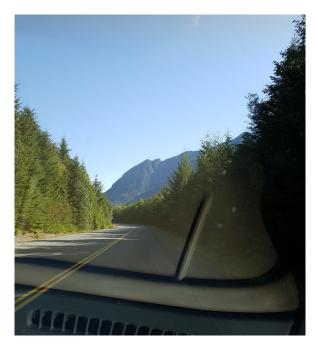
Well that was enjoyable and so was the coffee. Good thing we pack a thermos with hot water before we headed out.

Back on the highway, there are more trees and mountains.

I couldn't resist hopping on the tender running board.







After a stop for lunch at the Sayward junction, we arrive in Campbell River. We had already decided we'd head back to Elk Falls for tonight, maybe two.

Here's our campsite and the Quinsam river running behind us.



On our evening walk, we stopped further up the river and chatted with a couple watching the fish. I wasn't sure it would work, but I shot a video of the fish. I didn't catch any of them jumping. Drat!

We're going to stay a couple of nights here then see where we go Saturday. The days are warm but the nights are definitely cool.

Check back to see where we go next.