



## FACILITY RENTALS

*Past, Present  
& Future*

MAKING HISTORY  
TOGETHER

NORTHERN BC'S MUSEUM

### The Exploration Place

From business meetings to receptions and parties, The Exploration Place is a spectacular venue for your event. Surrounded by our region's history, dinosaurs, and thousands of plants, including our massive living wall, you won't find anywhere else that makes an impression quite like it.

Our experienced team will devote themselves to making sure you and your guests have an experience to remember. Your rental makes a difference – by renting our facility, you are supporting a Northern BC non-profit organization and registered Canadian charity.

#### LOCATION

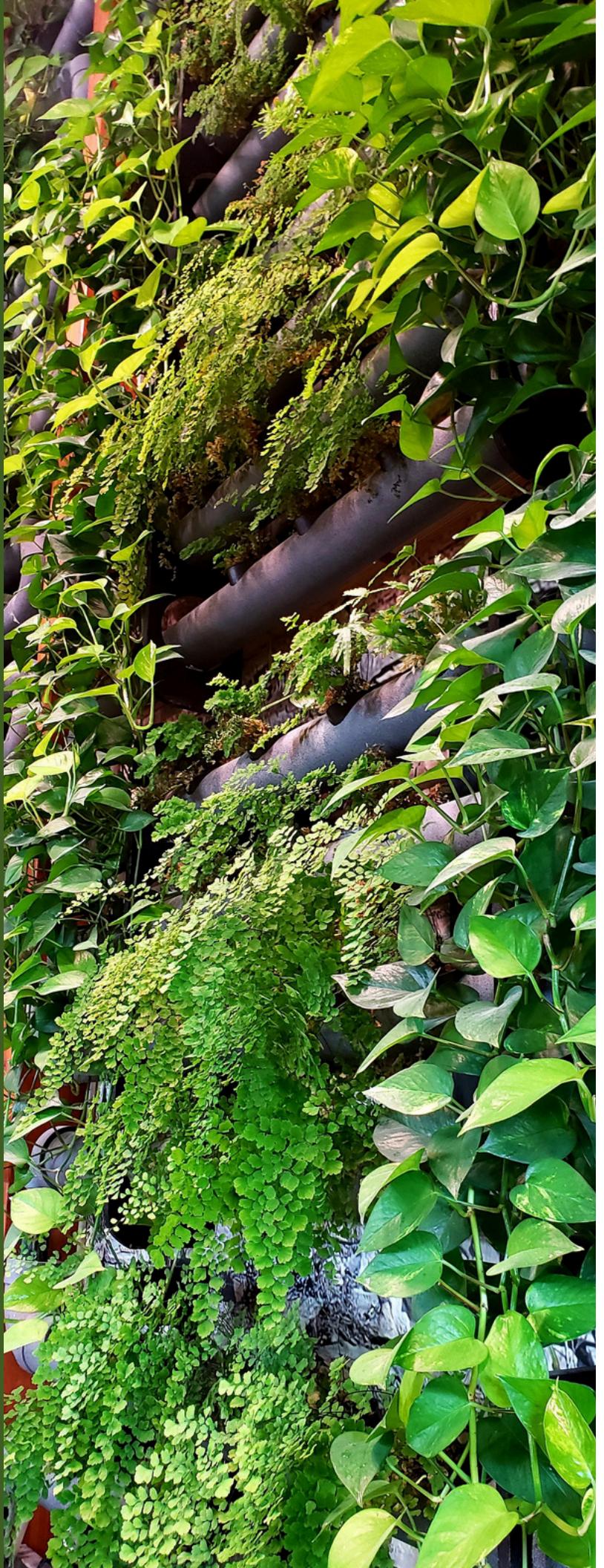
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## Gaia Gallery

**Greeted by lush, green foliage and towering ancient forests, you look around and realize you are not alone in this strange landscape.**

Exposed rocks reveal remnants of prehistoric ocean life while reptilian creatures lurk in the underbrush. A trail of giant footprints leads you to an enormous, armoured goliath that once walked these lands. Immerse yourself in this ancient world and imagine what it was like to live during this time. This gallery offers booth seating for guests to enjoy their surroundings while learning about British Columbia's ancient past from 565 to 66 million years ago.

This stunning gallery is the perfect unique setting for your event, and can be rented on its own or with full access to the rest of our museum galleries.







## CATERING

### Origins Kitchen

Catering for facility rentals at The Exploration Place is coordinated through Origins Kitchen, our on-site café.

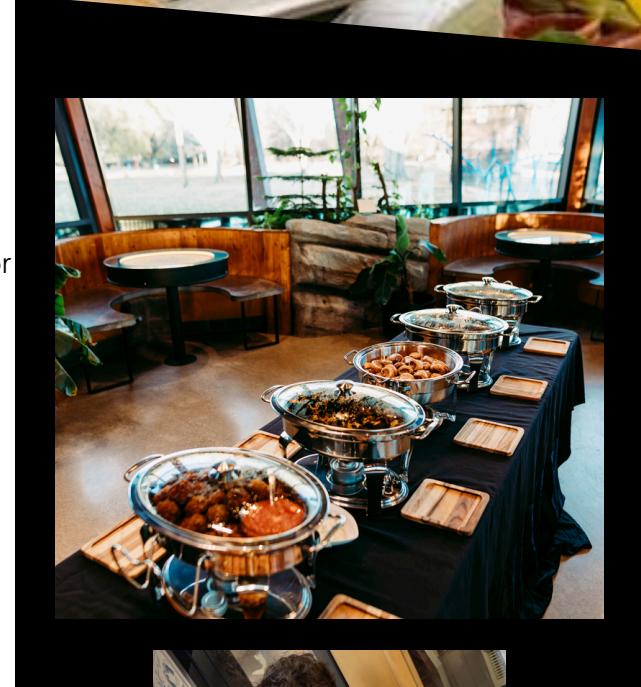
Origins Kitchen offers catering for small events and corporate lunches, based on availability. For larger events or those requiring more customized menus, we are pleased to work with Wildly Refined Provisions and Feasts, our preferred on-site catering partner, led by Executive Chef Jeni Arnott.

All catering requests begin with a consultation to determine the best fit for your event, and our team will guide you through the process.

The Exploration Place is a fully licensed facility and can provide liquor service for your event.

## CONTACT

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## MUSEUM GALLERIES

### Link Gallery

This gallery connects the paleo world with our current Biome by introducing visitors to Ice Age megafauna and living fossils—the Nechako White Sturgeon—that have survived from the time of the dinosaurs to the present.



### George Phillips Exhibit Gallery

The George Phillips Exhibit Gallery hosts travelling and locally curated in-house exhibits embracing a vast array of topics.



### Hodul'eh-a: A Place of Learning

The city of Prince George is situated on the unceded ancestral territory of the Lheidli T'enneh First Nation. This permanent gallery has been developed together with our partners from the Lheidli T'enneh.



### Mosaic Gallery

The Mosaic Gallery showcases neighbouring First Nations and highlights repatriation work being done in partnership with Indigenous communities in BC's central interior.



### Ted Williams History Centre

The Ted Williams History Centre contains permanent exhibits on the post-contact settlement history of the region, highlighting the many diverse groups that contributed to what we now know as Prince George.



### Biome

The Biome is home to over 20 Animal Ambassadors (and counting!) Each species and their native habitats. Each animal helps us spark a life-long interest in learning.



### Explorations Gallery

The Explorations Gallery is a hands-on discovery space where visitors of all ages can engage with the principles of STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math) through interactive exhibits that spark curiosity, creativity, and play-based learning.



# FACILITY RENTAL RATES

PACKAGE OPTIONS	VENUE	STANDING CAPACITY	SEATED CAPACITY	RENTAL FEE
A	<b>Gaia Gallery – Daytime</b> 2 hours minimum Between 9am-5pm, 9am-8pm on Thursdays Not private, open to the general public	70	48	\$195
	Additional hours			\$65
B	<b>Gaia Gallery – Evening</b> 3 hours minimum Between 6pm-12am, 8pm-12am on Thursdays Private, after-hours	70	48	\$325
	Additional hours			\$130
C	<b>Gaia Gallery with Full Museum Access – Daytime</b> 2 hours minimum Between 9am-5pm, 9am-8pm on Thursdays Not private, open to the general public	400	N/A	\$455
	Additional hours			\$130
D	<b>Gaia Gallery with Full Museum Access – Evening</b> 3 hours minimum Between 6pm-12am, 8pm-12am on Thursdays Private, after-hours	400	N/A	\$650
	Additional hours			\$195
Catering and/or liquor service – variable				

- Prices are subject to applicable taxes and may be subject to change without notice
- If an event requires The Exploration Place to close to the public, additional rental fees will apply
- If additional items are required that are not available from The Exploration Place, renter will be responsible for the applicable third-party rental fees
- Catering and liquor costs not included. Food and beverages must be provided by Origins Kitchen
- A 15% non-refundable deposit is required at the time of booking. Deposits will be applied to the total rental cost
- Members of The Exploration Place receive a 10% discount
- Also available to rent: tables, chairs, glassware, tableware, linens, podium, sound system, 70" TV, and more



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