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Ahhh, the mighty shadfly! Prehistoric in nature, massive in numbers, and just plain amazing!...

Okay, not everyone agrees with us on this, BUT you can't deny the shadfly swarms that dominate downtown North Bay in July of every year certainly are one of the many things that make North Bay so unique!

Well, we are just so happy to make this announcement!

@discoverynorthbay is embracing our Shad-y surroundings, and has produced for the first time ever this amazing North Bay t-shirt. The original art on the shirt is thanks to none other than our director-with-hidden-talents, and the graphic design has been done by Katelynn, our on-staff graphics guru.

Here, you can see Kyle sporting the end result of all of our hard work!

Everything sold in the museum gift shop supports our heritage education, conservation, and outreach projects. Your purchase of a Shadwear t-shirt helps to support our ongoing community efforts.



Summer Camp – Registration is open.

Are your kids bored already? Museum Camp is a great cure for summer boredom. Join in the fun @discoverynorthbay! Call 476-2323 or email education@heritagenorthbay.com for more information.

Monday July 27th: Super Science

Let's dust off our beakers and test tubes for this day. We are going to be scientists and will be conducting a variety of exciting experiments, and analyzing our findings. We will be erupting a volcano, making a geyser, and making our own balloon rocket.

Tuesday July 28th: Good Ol' Fashion Day of Fun

For this day we will explore early settlers. We will be playing with toys from the past, making home-made ice cream, and examine some artifacts.

Wednesday July 29th: Dinomite Plants and Dinosaurs

ROAR! We will be looking at plants and dinosaurs this day. We will be conducting our own dinosaur dig, as getting to paint and do some planting.

Thursday July 30th: Arrr Matey

Arrrr it's the pirate's life for me! Shivers me timbers this will be a fun pirate themed day. We will be looking at some pirate terminology, making our own pirate attire, and playing some pirate themed games.

Friday July 31st: Super Hero Academy

Up up and away! This is a super hero dedicated day; we will get to design

our own super hero, as well as our own comic book strip. We will be doing a ton of super hero themed crafts and games, as well as a super hero training course.

Rave Reviews for the Second Season of Haunted Hikes



Have you joined us for the North Bay Haunted Hike yet? Join us on Friday and Saturday nights at 8pm for a guided tour of North Bay's haunted past.

Read what one brave Haunted Hike participant had to say about the tour:

"Thank you Kyle and Discovery North Bay for a great Ghost Tour! My son and I went on the tour as a last minute cure to boredom! Yes, boredom already, and schools only been out for a week! What a great way to spend a Saturday night!

We didn't have to dodge too many shadflies, thankfully, but we did enjoy our walk around North Bay, especially our tour inside the old Royal Theatre. Also interesting was the history at the Courthouse, formally, the North Bay Jail.

Not originally from North Bay, it was a pleasure to learn some history about the people and buildings in the downtown. Even the history/haunting of the Manitou Islands was fascinating.

Thank you Kyle and helpers for a wonderful Saturday night! We really enjoyed ourselves.

We'll tell everyone we know about these tours!"

100th Anniversary Edition, Gateway to Silverland – Now Available



Dr. Françoise Noël dropped by the Museum recently with a very exciting delivery. We have been looking forward to the outcome of her most recent project; the 100th Anniversary edition of Anson Gard's Gateway to Silverland. This highly influential book has been reprinted by Community History Publications and is now available at Discovery North Bay Museum, The Dionne Quints Museum, Gulliver's Books and other locations.

"It is now 100 years since Gateway to Silverland was first published....This book deserves to be better known in North Bay. This new edition will make it possible for more people to see for themselves the text that influenced much of what we know about early North bay."
Dr. Françoise Noël, 2009. Preface to the 2009 Edition

Copies of the 100th Anniversary Edition of Gateway to Silverland are available in the Museum gift shop for \$19.95.

Dr. Noël will also be featured in the impressive lineup of authors at [Books by the Bay](#), a northern festival to celebrate Canadian authors. Learn more about the Gateway to Silverland book: [click here](#).

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