



The **“Great”** INTERNATIONAL WORLD  
CHAMPIONSHIP BATHTUB **“RACE”**  
&  
Nanaimo Marine Festival

**Loyal Nanaimo Bathtub Society**

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**2004 NANAIMO MARINE FESTIVAL SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

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\* **“Great” INTERNATIONAL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP BATHTUB RACE**

\* **Nanaimo Marine Festival**

\* **WORLD CUP SANCTIONED BATHTUB RACING (W<sup>™</sup> C<sup>™</sup> S<sup>™</sup> B<sup>™</sup> R)**

**2004 Nanaimo Marine Festival:** “Sail Past on Wheels Fun Parade” sponsored by *Woodgrove Centre*  
Salute & Parade Theme: **“CANADIAN POWER & SAIL SQUADRONS”**

**2004 Nanaimo Marine Festival:** Host Hotel **Coast Bastion Inn**, 11 Bastion Street, Nanaimo, BC V9R 6E4  
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### **2004 CORPORATE Members**

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**SUNDAY, JUNE 27<sup>TH</sup>**

“Salute to Summer” *Bathtub Race* a sanctioned “Nanaimo Daily Departure Bay News “WORLD CUP event

**MONDAY, JUNE 28<sup>TH</sup>**

7:00 PM **TUBBIN TIME TONIC** bartenders competition sponsored by Foundry Pub  
“*Bacardi Canada Inc*” Where Nanaimo's finest bartenders compete for the “Official” Marine Festival Month Drink..  
Celebrity Judges...Everyone welcome visit our website for  
More details or call the Bathtub Office 753-RACE

**THURSDAY, JULY 1<sup>ST</sup>**

Kick off of the **Greater Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce** 20th annual “*SPIRIT OF TUBBING*” competition. Awards for best decorated businesses and staff. Entry forms available at Chamber offices by calling 753-1191 or fax 754-5186 City of Nanaimo

**FRIDAY, JULY 9<sup>TH</sup>**

Kick-Off “Nanaimo Dragon Boat Festival” Nanaimo Harbour  
Runs SATURDAY July 10<sup>th</sup> & SUNDAY, July 11th

**FRIDAY, JULY 16**

Don't forget to visit the “**Official Bathtub Souvenir**” booth located in **County Club Centre**  
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Final day for registration for Greater **Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce** “*SPIRIT OF TUBBING*” competition. Forms must be in by 5:00 PM at Chamber Office. Info call Marilyn 751-8303 City of Nanaimo

**SATURDAY, JULY 17**

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10:00 AM **Silly Boat Regatta 2004** Swy-a-lana Lagoon  
Race starts 2:00 PM

### MONDAY, JULY 19

First day of judging for the 20th Annual **Greater Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce "SPIRIT OF TUBBING"** decorating and dress competition. (Judging also taking place on the 20<sup>th</sup>) City of Nanaimo

### TUESDAY, JULY 20

Second day of judging for the 20th Annual **Greater Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce "SPIRIT OF TUBBING"** decorating and dress competition. City of Nanaimo

### WEDNESDAY, JULY 21

Ceremonial cutting of the **ÖFFICIAL Nanaimo Marine Festival** cake by Miss Nanaimo/Mermaid. Sponsored By **Quality Foods** and **The Pepsi Bottling Group**. Public welcome to come & watch and have a piece of cake and a Pepsi Quality Foods Northridge Plaza

### THURSDAY, JULY 22

11:00 AM 8:00 PM	<b>Marine Festival Food Fare</b> , Displays, Food Booths Harbourside Playdock & Kiddies Karnival	Maffeo Sutton Park Swy-a-lana Lagoon
11:00 AM 4:00 PM	<i>The Big Green Thrifty's Food Tent</i> <b>Childrens' Games &amp; Fun</b> sponsored by <b>Avalon Cinemas &amp; Thrifty's Foods</b>	Maffeo Sutton Park
11:00 AM 10:00 PM	Visit the <b>Noon Rotary Club</b> of Nanaimo ICE CREAM booth serving <i>Island Farm Dairies</i> Ice Cream	Maffeo Sutton Park
11:00 AM 8:00 PM	<b>WaterWise Boat Safety Team</b> Water Safety tips Educational demos, updated Coast Guard & Pleasure Craft regulations. Enter the WATERWISE CONTEST	Swy-a-lana Lagoon Park & Lagoon
12:00 Noon	<b>Firing of Historic Bastion Cannon</b>	Pioneer Plaza
4:00 PM 8:00 PM	Opening of Bathtub Race Registration for 38th Annual <b>"Great" INTERNATIONAL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP BATHTUB RACE</b>	Rear of 55 Commercial Street (Brewers Wort)
	<b>Official Opening of TIM HORTONS MARINE FESTIVAL ENTERTAINMENT STAGE</b>	
4:30 PM 5:30 PM	<b>Jerry Paquette</b> ( <i>Nanaimo</i> ) – His folksy music and natural style is very West Coast. If you like roots music this fellow is a must to see and hear. A storyteller, singer and songwriter extraordinaire!	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</i> , Maffeo Sutton Park
6:00 PM 8:00 PM	<b>MANDATORY</b> motor and technical inspection for all tubs	Rear of 55 Commercial Street (Brewers Wort)
6:00 PM 7:00 PM	<b>The Fates</b> ( <i>Calgary</i> ) Making a stop in Nanaimo before heading to the Providence Farm Folk Festival these 3 ladies play a harmonious style of fold music. Check them out at <a href="http://www.thefates.ca">www.thefates.ca</a>	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</i> , Maffeo Sutton Park
7:30 PM 8:30 PM	<b>Bryon Clayton Thomas</b> ( <i>Duncan</i> ) – Another Providence Farm Folk Festival group, this Bluegrass foursome consists of guitar, bass, mandolin and banjo. An entertaining group that is a hit wherever they play.	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</i> , Maffeo Sutton Park

9:00 PM 10:00 PM	<b>The Pony Club</b> ( <i>Victoria</i> ) – This group is a country music hit wherever they play and their music will get you boot scootin' all over our grass covered dance floor.	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</i> , Maffeo Sutton Park
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**FRIDAY, JULY 23**

**AWARDS DAY** for “**SPIRIT OF TUBBING**” competition  
Sponsored by the Greater Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce

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9:00 AM	Press release of category winners of the 20th annual Greater Nanaimo Chamber of Commerce “ <b>SPIRIT OF TUBBING</b> ” display awards. Awards delivered to winners	
10:00 AM 10:00 PM	Start of <b>Bathtubs &amp; Ballyhoo</b> ” street fair presented by <b>The Downtown Nanaimo Partnership</b> All day Mainstage Entertainment featuring world beat with marimba drumming and dancing. Over 80 Artisan stalls, Sidewalk sales from Commercial to Church Street, Horse & Carriage rides & Free Family Entertainment.	Commercial Street Harbourfront Plaza
10:00 AM 10:00 PM	<b>Summer Street Party</b> with Live Entertainment hosted by CHLY Radio	China Steps
10:00 AM 2:00 PM	Downtown Nanaimo “ <b>FARMERS MARKET</b> ” Selection of different in season vegetables, fruits & baking plus much more	Pioneer Waterfront Plaza
10:00 AM 3:00 PM	<b>Nanaimo District Museum</b> <i>Free</i> Marine Festival Program Indoor & Outdoor Activities, Marine & Maritime related Games, Art, Music & more.	100 Cameron Road Free Admission
11:00 AM 4:00 PM	Visit the <b>Noon Rotary Club</b> of Nanaimo ICE CREAM booth serving <i>Island Farm Dairies</i> Ice Cream	Maffeo Sutton Park
11:00 AM 4:00 PM	<i>The Big Green Thrifty's Food Tent</i> <b>Childrens' Games &amp; Fun</b> sponsored by <b>Avalon Cinemas &amp; Thrifty's Foods</b>	Maffeo Sutton Park
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11:00 AM 4:00 PM	<i>The Big Green Thrifty's Food Tent</i> <b>Childrens' Games &amp; Fun</b> sponsored by <b>Avalon Cinemas &amp; Thrifty's Foods</b>	Maffeo Sutton Park
11:30 AM 8:00 PM	<b>WaterWise Boat Safety Team</b> Water Safety tips Educational demos, updated Coast Guard & Pleasure	Swy-a-lana Lagoon Park & Lagoon
11:30 AM 8:00 PM	<b>Shoppers Drug Mart</b> <i>Sun Safety &amp; Awareness Booth</i> Country Club Mall store	Swy-a-lana Lagoon Park & Lagoon
12:00 Noon	Opening of <b>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</b> sponsored by <b>TIM HORTON'S</b> .	Maffeo Sutton Park Lions Pavilion
12:00 Noon 1:00 PM	<b>Aunti Bobbi</b> ( <i>Nanaimo</i> )- Always a favorite with the little ones . Clowning around with Aunti Bobbi is a great way to start the day.	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Stage</i> Maffeo Sutton Park

12:00 Noon	<b>Firing of Historic Bastion Cannon</b>	Pioneer Plaza
1:00 PM 2:00 PM	<b>Kids Karaoke (Nanaimo)</b> – Spotlight Entertainment makes your kid the star. Have your little one test their vocals on our stage and see if they “got what it takes” to be the next Idol star	<b>TIM HORTONS Marine Festival Entertainment Stage, Maffeo Sutton Park</b>
1:00 PM 3:00 PM	<b>LNBS World Championship Waiters Race</b> Elimination's sponsored by <b>KOKANEE</b> and <b>THE PEPSI BOTTLING GROUP</b>	Harbourfront Plaza
2:00 PM 2:30 PM	<b>Kirkland Dance Academy (Nanaimo)</b> – A great display from the local dance academy	<b>TIM HORTONS Marine Festival Entertainment Stage, Maffeo Sutton Park</b>
3:00 PM 4:00 PM	Bastion City Cloggers (Nanaimo) – This dance group has preformed at all the Marine Festival Stage events	<b>TIM HORTONS Marine Festival Entertainment Stage, Maffeo Sutton Park</b>
4:00 PM 8:00 PM	<b>Bathtub Race Registration</b>	Rear of 55 Commercial Street (Brewers Wort)
4:30 PM 5:30 PM	<b>What's Up (Nanaimo)</b> – A local band playing a mix of all types of music	<b>TIM HORTONS Marine Festival Entertainment Stage Maffeo Sutton Park</b>
6:00 PM 8:00 PM	<b>Mandatory</b> motor and technical inspections for all Bathtubs competing in the <b>GREAT RACE</b>	Rear of 55 Commercial Street (Brewers Wort)
6:00 PM 7:00 PM	<b>The Us Band (Nanaimo)</b> – Just good	<b>TIM HORTONS Marine Festival Entertainment Stage, Maffeo Sutton Park</b>
7:30 PM 8:30 PM	<b>Wunderbread (Nanaimo)</b> – Disco extravaganza lives and and this group is the best example of what was happening back in the disco 70's and 80's . Disco is “stayin alive” with Wunderbread, so dust off those platform shoes and come reminisce	<b>TIM HORTONS Marine Festival Entertainment Stage, Maffeo Sutton Park</b>
9:00 PM	<b>Swingin Bachelors (Victoria)</b> – The music is swingin' and the band is jumpin'../you just can't sit still with this band. Performing mostly original material from ther 1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> CD's...this unique, talented and humorous quartet (guitar, trumpet, bass fiddle, drums all 4 sing) stylistically draw upon Swing, Country Gypsy Jazz, Latin and Rock-A-Billy	<b>TIM HORTONS Marine Festival Entertainment Stage, Maffeo Sutton Park</b>

### **SATURDAY, JULY 24**

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	First day of Special Event Station ( <b>VE7TUB</b> ) operated by the local Nanaimo Amateur Radio Association. They will be operating for 24hrs a day. They contacted over 210 stations last year.	Departure Bay (Drop by public welcome)
7:00 AM 11:00 AM	Canadian Scottish Regimental Association <b>Pancake Breakfast</b> (first day of two day event) sponsored by <b>QUALITY FOODS</b>	Parking lot in front Civic Arena

8:30 AM	Line up for <b>Sailpast on Wheels Fun Parade</b> sponsored by <b>WOODGROVE CENTRE</b>	Prideaux Street
9:30 AM	Judging for Sail past on Wheels Fun Parade	Line Up Area Prideaux St
10:00 AM 10:00 PM	Start of <b>Bathtubs &amp; Ballyhoo</b> ” street fair presented by <b>The Downtown Nanaimo Partnership</b> All day Mainstage Entertainment featuring world beat with marimba drumming and dancing. Over 80 Artisan stalls, Sidewalk sales from Commercial to Church Street, Horse & Carriage rides & Free Family Entertainment.	Commercial Street Harbourfront Plaza
10:00 AM 10:00 PM	<b>Summer Street Party</b> with Live Entertainment hosted by CHLY Radio	China Steps
10:00 AM 3:00 PM	<b>Nanaimo District Museum</b> Marine Festival Program Indoor & Outdoor Activities, Marine & Maritime related Games Call 753-1821 for more information.	100 Cameron Road Free Admission
10:00 AM 6:00 PM	<b>Bathtub Race Registration (Final Day)</b>	Rear of 55 Commercial Street (Brewers Wort)
10:30 AM	Start of <b>Sail past on Wheels Fun Parade</b> . This years salute & theme is to <b>CANADIAN POWER &amp; SAIL SQUADRONS</b> <b>Parade Marshal Chief Commander</b> , Tony Gardiner, SN. Parade sponsored by <b>WOODGROVE CENTRE</b> (NOTE: Dispersal on Comox Rd. by old foundry)	Down Fitzwilliam across Bastion St. Bridge to Front Street to Comox Road
11:00 AM 4:00 PM	<b>Marine Festival Information and Lost &amp; Found Booth</b> St. Johns Ambulance.. Drop by and pick up your FREE <b>Tourism Nanaimo Magazine</b>	Behind Civic Arena
11:00 AM 8:00 PM	Visit the <b>Noon Rotary Club</b> of Nanaimo ICE CREAM booth serving <i>Island Farm Dairies</i> Ice Cream	Maffeo Sutton Park
11:00 AM 4:00 PM	<b>The Big Green Thrifty's Food Tent</b> <b>Childrens' Games &amp; Fun</b> sponsored by <b>Avalon Cinemas &amp; Thrifty's Foods</b>	Maffeo Sutton Park
11:00 AM 8:00 PM	<b>Marine Festival Food Fare</b> , Displays, Food Booths Harbourside Playdock & Kiddies Karnival	Maffeo Sutton Park Swy-a-lana Lagoon Park & Lagoon
11:00 AM 3:00 PM	<b>Open House</b> Canadian Naval vessel <b>HMCS Nanaimo</b> 180 ft Kingston Class	Visiting Vessel Pier Nanaimo Boat Basin
11:30 AM 8:00 PM	<b>WaterWise Boat Safety Team</b> Water Safety tips Educational demos, updated Coast Guard & Pleasure Craft regulations.	Swy-a-lana Lagoon Park & Lagoon
11:30 AM 8:00 PM	<b>Shoppers Drug Mart</b> <i>Sun Safety &amp; Awarness Booth</i> Country Club Mall store	Swy-a-lana Lagoon Park & Lagoon
12:00 Noon	<b>Firing of Historic Bastion Cannon</b>	Pioneer Plaza
12:00 Noon 6:00 PM	<b>Mandatory</b> motor and technical inspections for all Bathtubs competing in the <b>GREAT RACE. Final Day</b>	Rear of 55 Commercial Street (Brewers Wort)
12:00 Noon 6:00 PM	Various Information Booths <b>Canadian Power &amp; Sail Squadrons, Nanaimo Rowing Club &amp; WaterWise</b>	Entrance to Swy-a-lana Lagoon Park
12:00 Noon 5:00 PM	<b>5 Field Regiment Artillery</b> <i>Recruiting Display</i> Come see the “Official Starting Gun” of the <i>Great Race</i>	Swy-a-lana Lagoon

12:00 Noon 7:00 PM	<b>Steve Marshall Ford Community Cruiser Caravan</b> <b>Aquafina Water</b> samples	Maffeo Sutton Park
12:00 Noon	<b>Registration for Nan Dog PET PARADE</b>	Maffeo Sutton Park
12:00 Noon	Opening of <b>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</b> sponsored by <b>TIM HORTON'S</b> .	Maffeo Sutton Park Lions Pavilion
12:00 Noon 1:00 PM	<b>The Mad Hatter</b> (Victoria) The Mad Hatter's comedy and magic show will keep you and little ones glued to the stage. "Jalapeno-butter-sandwich" will become the cry heard in your household from this day on	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Stage</i> Maffeo Sutton Park
12:00 Noon 6:00 PM	<b>Nanaimo Hornets Rugby Football Clubs "Bavarian Gardens" &amp; "Bikini Contest"</b> (4:00 PM) Live Band	beside Civic Arena
12:00 Noon	<b>The New VI Land Tubbers Race-</b> sponsored by the <b>New VI &amp; Nanaimo Daybreak Rotary</b> featuring corporate teams from around the city, the island and the world. Contact Bruce Williams at the <b>New VI</b> for entry forms. Plus music, refreshments and free family fun. .	Harbourfront Paza
1:00 PM 2:00 PM	<b>Nan Dog Bathtub Pet Parade</b> organized by the <b>Nanaimo Dog Owner Association</b> . This is the pinnacle of pageants for you pooch (okay all pets are allowed but pooch just sounds cuter. rWith categories like smallest pet, cutest costume owner/dog look a like, there is sure to be an event for your beloved furry and non-furry critter. This is a must see for the whole family.	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</i> , Maffeo Sutton Park
2:00 PM 4:00 PM	Final & Challenge of the <b>LNBS World Championship Waiters Race</b> sponsored by KOKANEE and <b>THE PEPSI BOTTLING GROUP</b>	Harbourfront Plaza
2:00 PM 2:30 PM	<b>Accent!</b> (Victoria-Nanaimo) – Pop, jazz, show tunes - Accent! Quartet sings "em all in gorgeous 4-part harmony and just wait 'til yuou see them dance! Julie, Eileen, Laurie and Deborah aim to take every audience on a musical journey they won't forget. Enjoy	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</i> Maffeo Sutton Park
2:30 PM 3:00 PM	<b>The Tidesmen</b> (Nanaimo) – There isn't anyone who hasn't heard of the Tidesmen! There Nanaimo's popular men chorus and if you want to end your guys singing in the shower, bring him to hear these guys..this what singing is is suppose to sould like!	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</i> , Maffeo-Sutton Park
3:00 PM 4:00 PM	<b>Island Idol</b> (Nanaimo )- Spotlight Entertainment held Vancouver Island's version of the American Idol and this is a showcase of the winner and the semi finalists. These singers are the next up and coming stars!	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</i> , Maffeo-Sutton Park
4:30 PM 5:30 PM	<b>Sadly Available</b> (Nanaimo) – This group plays popular radio friendly music that is popular with all ages. Sure to be a a crowd favorite.....	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</i> , Maffeo-Sutton Park
6:00 PM 8:00 PM	<b>Tubbers, Sponsors, Safety &amp; Communications and Military Appreciation Reception</b> (By invitation only)	Coast Bastion Inn (a ticketed event)
6:00 PM 12:00 AM	Take transit to the <b>Fireworks</b> with your <b>ISLAND FARMS BUS PASS</b> Compliments of <b>NANAIMO DAILY NEWS, ISLAND FARMS &amp; NANAIMO REGIONAL TRANSIT</b>	All regularly scheduled routes across Nanaimo



**Bus Passes** available at all participating grocery stores

7:30 PM 8:30 PM	<b>VISA Ska Jazz Orchestra</b> ( <i>Nanaimo</i> ) – With 13 members this group is a who's who in the local ska music scene. If you don't know what ska is, come check it out...If you do know what ska is, you'll be there	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</i> , Maffeo-Sutton Park
9:00 PM 10:00 PM	<b>Skavenjah</b> ( <i>Regina</i> ) – This 8 piece group has a great sound and when you hear the horns playing and the band is jumpin you just gotta' dance! Check them out at <a href="http://www.skavenjah.com">www.skavenjah.com</a>	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</i> , Maffeo-Sutton Park
10:00 PM	<b>QUALITY FOODS</b> " <b>Festival of Lights &amp; Music</b> " fireworks display sponsored by your <b>Quality Foods</b> stores and the <b>LNBS</b> and simulcast on <b>CKWV 102.3 The WAVE</b> (listen on your FM radio) " <i>Vancouver Island's Biggest Ever Fireworks Show</i> "	Nanaimo harbour adjacent to Swy-a-lana Park & Lagoon

### **SUNDAY JULY 25<sup>th</sup> "Great Race" DAY**

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7:00 AM 11:00 AM	Canadian Scottish Regimental Association <b>Pancake Breakfast</b> sponsored by <b>QUALITY FOODS</b>	Civic Arena front parking lot
8:00 AM	Setting of the start line markers for the <b>QUALITY FOODS START</b> line	Nanaimo harbor
8:00 AM 5:00 PM	Take transit to the <i>Bathtub Race Start &amp; Finish</i> with your <b>ISLAND FARMS BUS PASS</b> Compliments of <b>ISLAND FARMS, NANAIMO REGIONAL TRANSIT &amp; NANAIMO DAILY NEWS</b> . <b>Bus Passes</b> available at all participating grocery stores	All regularly scheduled routes across Nanaimo
8:00 AM 4:00 PM	<i>Marine Festival Information and Lost &amp; Found Booth</i> St. Johns Ambulance.. Drop by and pick up your <b>FREE Tourism Nanaimo Magazine</b>	Behind Civic Arena
8:30 AM	<b>MANDATORY</b> <i>Tub Pilots and Escort Boat Skippers Safety &amp; Communications Information Meeting</i> (roll call taken)	Coast Bastion Inn Main Salon
10:00 AM	Clearing of harbor for " <b>Great Race</b> " <b>START</b>	Nanaimo harbor
10:45 AM 10:50 AM 10:55 AM	First flare & Sound shell Second flare & Sound shell Third flare & Sound shell	Nanaimo harbor Nanaimo harbor Nanaimo harbor
10:59:30	30 second count down from <b>START CONTROL</b> (land based World Largest Bathtub)	Swy-a-lana Lagoon Park adjacent to Indian Carving
11:00 AM	Firing of the <b>5<sup>th</sup> Field Battery Howitzer</b> as well as sound shell for the <b>START</b> of the 38 <sup>th</sup> annual " <b>Great</b> " <b>INTERNATIONAL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP BATHTUB RACE</b> .	Maffeo-Sutton Park

11:00 AM 4:00 PM	Visit the <b>Noon Rotary Club</b> of Nanaimo ICE CREAM booth serving <i>Island Farm Dairies</i> Ice Cream	Maffeo Sutton Park
11:00 AM 5:00 PM	<b>WaterWise Boat Safety Team</b> Water Safety tips Educational demos, updated Coast Guard & Pleasure Craft regulations	Departure Bay
11:00 AM 4:00 PM	<b>Marine Festival Food Fare</b> , Displays, Kiddies Karnival, & Harbourside Playdock	Maffeo-Sutton Park
11:00 AM 4:00 PM	<i>The Big Green Thrifty's Food Tent</i> <b>Childrens' Games &amp; Fun</b> sponsored by <b>Avalon Cinemas &amp; Thrifty's Foods</b>	Maffeo Sutton Park
11:00 AM 4:00 PM	<b>Shoppers Drug Mart</b> <i>Sun Safety &amp; Awareness Booth</i> Country Club Mall store	Swy-a-lana Lagoon Park & Lagoon
11:30 AM 4:00 PM	<b>5 Field Regiment Artillery</b> <i>Recruiting Display</i> Come see the "Official Starting Gun" of the <i>Great Race</i>	Swy-a-lana Lagoon
11:30 AM 3:30 PM	Opening of <b>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage</b> sponsored by <b>TIM HORTON'S</b> . A day of fun for the KIDS	Maffeo Sutton Park Lions Pavilion
11:30 PM 12:30 PM	<b>The Mad Hatter</b> ( <i>Victoria</i> ) – The race starts at 11:00 AM and once the tubs have left the harbour you can remain at Maffeo Sutton Park with the kids and enjoy the Sunday kids fun-day beginning with the comedy and magic routine of the Mad Hatter.	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage, Maffeo Sutton Park</i>
11:30 AM 3:30 PM	<b>"Bavarian Gardens"</b> sponsored by <i>Nanaimo Hornets Rugby Football Club</i>	Departure Bay
12:00 Noon 2:00 PM	<b>Nanaimo District Museum</b> , Table Talk ask questions of a volunteer Heritage Interpreter.	Nanaimo Museum
12 00 Noon 5:00 PM	<b>Corporate Sponsors Food Fare &amp; Amusements</b> (all proceeds to Loyal Nanaimo Bathub Society [LNBS] year 2003 Marine Festival fund) Special thanks to the participating stores: <b>MID-ISLAND CO-OP FOODS, LONDON DRUGS, FAIRWAYS MARKET, THRIFTY FOODS, 711 CONVENIENCE STORES &amp; The PEPSI BOTTLING GROUP</b>	Departure Bay
12:00 Noon	Noon Firing of Historic Bastion Canon	<i>Bastion &amp; Pioneer Plaza</i>
12:30 PM 1:30 PM	<b>The Magic Garbage Can</b> ( <i>Nanaimo</i> ) – The kids will love the sing-a-long and frolicking by this local duo.	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage, Maffeo Sutton Park</i>
1:30 PM 2:30 PM	Banjo the Clown ( <i>Nanaimo</i> ) – Clowning around and singing with Banjo the Clown.	<b>TIM HORTONS</b> <i>Marine Festival Entertainment Stage, Maffeo Sutton Park</i>
????	Bathtubs start arriving at <b>FINISH LINE &amp; BEACH PARTY"</b> Covered by <b>CKWV 102.3 FM the WAVE</b>	Departure Bay Beach
*****	<b>Special Thanks</b> to <b>AQUAFINA</b> for supplying water for all the Bathtub Race finishers and to <b>FITNESS EDGE HEALTH CLUB</b> for bringing the the finishing tubs up the beach for weighing and teching.	Finish Line Kinsmen Park
	<b>KITE FLYING DEMONSTRATION</b> put on by the <b>BC KITEFLIERS ASSOCIATION (BCKA)</b>	Northend of Departure Bay
2:00 PM	<b>BATHTUB RACE TROPHY</b> presentations at <b>FINISH LINE</b>	<i>FINISH LINE</i> stage

Trophies sponsored by Nanaimo Noon Rotary Club

Departure Bay

2:30 PM  
3:00 PM

Aunti Bobbi (Nanaimo) – The final act on the stage and who better to bring in the curtain for another year.

**TIM HORTONS** *Marine  
Festival Entertainment  
Stage, Maffeo Sutton Park*

**A NOTE FROM THE ORGANIZERS**

A special THANK YOU to all the organizations, service clubs, and companies that put events on during the Nanaimo Marine Festival and to those who generated revenue from those events and donated a portion back along with those who donated all their profits back to the Loyal Nanaimo Bathtub Society. These proceeds will be used exclusively to make next years Bathtub Race and Marine Festival, July 21 to July 24, 2005 even better

**PLEASE NOTE**

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