



**University
of Victoria**
Retirees
Association

VICTORIA'S STORY HISTORIC TOUR

Enjoy a **leisurely 90-minute walk** through the heart of Victoria's historic Old Town with father-and-son team, John and Chris Adams. **This is a special tour for UVic Retirees and their guests.** It will start at the Visitor Centre (812 Wharf Street, at the corner of Government Street) and will explore nearby places of significance in the history of Victoria and British Columbia. Indigenous origins, the building of Fort Victoria, the Gold Rush of 1858 and later commercial developments will all be included. Hear many colourful stories about the city and some of its famous residents such as Sir James and Lady Douglas, Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Emily Carr and other legendary people from the past. The tour will end in time for lunch at the *Sticky Wicket* (Douglas and Courtney Streets).

WHEN?

DATE: Thursday, November 17, 2022

TIME: 10:30 am to noon

WHERE?

PLACE: Tour starts at the Visitor Centre
812 Wharf St, at the corner of Government St.

HOW MUCH?

COST: \$14.00 tax and handling included

Lunch optional. Tour will end close to restaurants
Suggested restaurant is *Sticky Wicket* (Strathcona Hotel)

REGISTRATION & PAYMENT

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