

CROWN ISLE COMMUNITY NEWS

DECEMBER 2021

# The Birdie



*Let it Shine*  
**HOLIDAY EVENTS**

**TIMBER ROOM  
MENU UPDATES**



**Light  
It Up!**

Spread the festive spirit through the Crown Isle community with our annual holiday light contest.

Vote for your favourites at the Residents Christmas Party or email your top 3 to [realestate@crownisle.com](mailto:realestate@crownisle.com).

  
**Crown Isle**

RESORT & GOLF COMMUNITY

*Nobody knows Crown Isle like we do!*

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**DECEMBER 1-17**  
**GINGERBREAD VILLAGE**  
**CHARITY AUCTION**  
Bid at [crownisle.com](http://crownisle.com)

**DECEMBER 3, 4, 5,**  
**10, 11, 12, 17-22**  
**HOLIDAY RESORT WALK**



**DECEMBER 1-17**  
**12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS**  
Specials at [crownisle.com](http://crownisle.com)

**DECEMBER 12**  
**CHRISTMAS MARKET**

**DECEMBER 14**  
**HOMEOWNERS**  
**CHRISTMAS PARTY**

**DECEMBER 19**  
**BREAKFAST**  
**WITH SANTA**

**DECEMBER 25**  
**CHRISTMAS**  
**DINNER BUFFET**

**DECEMBER 31**  
**NEW YORK**  
**NEW YEARS**

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# Crown Isle Gives Back

HOLIDAY RESORT WALK & GINGERBREAD AUCTION  
RETURN TO THE CLUBHOUSE



Christmas at Crown Isle returns with our **7th Annual Holiday Resort Walk** and **20th Annual Gingerbread Village**. Visit the spectacle of lights, music and Christmas fun and celebrate the season with family and friends.

As soon as visitors turn into the drive leading to Crown Isle, they are greeted by lights and displays to put them in the holiday mood. The Holiday Resort Walk wraps around the outside of the Crown Isle Clubhouse, with thousands of lights, holiday scenes and characters set up on the grounds. Santa is waiting by the fireplace in the gazebo to hear your Christmas wishes and take photos. Stroll down Christmas Tree Trail and vote on your favourites decorated by local businesses while festive music fills the air. Have fun with the whole family while playing carnival games and mini golf, or watch a Christmas movie on the big outdoor screen. Warm up in front of the fire while you toast a marshmallow for a tasty s'more treat, or grab a hot chocolate and cookie. Crown Isle staff and volunteers are working hard to make this year even bigger and better than the last, and a memorable Christmas experience for all.

Inside the Clubhouse, check out the Gingerbread Village Charity Silent Auction on display December 1-17 with dozens of gingerbread creations and teddy bear baskets filled with goodies. These entries are all contributed by local community members and businesses, who work hard each year to help Crown Isle make this event a success. Bid on your favourites online

through [crownisle.com](http://crownisle.com) and take them home in time for the holidays.

The Holiday Resort Walk starts December 3, and continues on December 4, 5, 10, 11, 12, 17-22. Hours are 5:00 – 8:00pm each night. Admission to the Holiday Resort Walk is by cash donation; proceeds from both events benefit the **Comox Valley Transition Society**, **WeCan Shelter**, **MARS Wildlife Rescue**, and the **Comox Valley Foodbank**. Please note that after discussion with the Foodbank, we will not be accepting donations of nonperishable food items but cash is gladly accepted. Thank you to all our corporate sponsors including 97.3 The Eagle, the Comox Valley Record, 98.9 The Jet, Budget Blinds, Home Depot, Berwick Comox Valley and Comox Valley Curb Appeal.

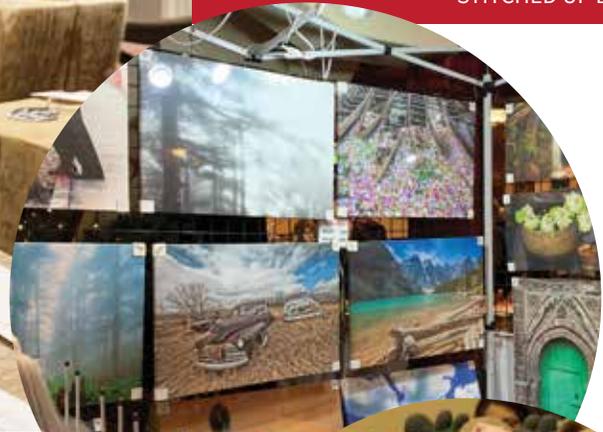


GINGERBREAD LIGHTHOUSE FROM 2020 AND THE LIGHTS OF THE HOLIDAY RESORT WALK

# Shop Local

## CHRISTMAS MARKET AT CROWN ISLE

RETURNING VENDORS GRETEL DESIGNS,  
LAURA MCGLONE PHOTOGRAPHY, AND  
STITCHED UP BY NANNY



Worried about the supply chain issues plaguing many retailers this season? Crown Isle has got you covered with our **Christmas Market on Sunday, December 12**. Over 30 local artisans and vendors will be showing their wares in all three conference spaces of the Clubhouse so you can pick out the perfect gift for that special someone.

“After an excellent launch year in 2019, we were forced to take a break last December,” says Crown Isle’s marketing manager Kristy Pedersen. “But we’re so excited to bring back the market and showcase our local artisan community.”

The Christmas Market will be open from **12:00 - 8:00pm** on December 12. Entry is free for shoppers, but a valid vaccine passport will be required for entry. Combine your holiday shopping with a visit to the Holiday Resort Walk that evening for a festive visit for the whole family.

A full list of vendors can be found at [crownisle.com](http://crownisle.com).

## Yoga for Golfers



If you’re looking to improve your flexibility and body strength in the new year, join us for an eight week yoga session at Crown Isle starting in January, designed specifically with golfers in mind.

Instructor Tina Pringle of Evolve Therapeutic Yoga will work on increasing your overall flexibility, improving body awareness and control, core strength and stability. This innovative class will improve your posture to help relieve lower back pain and counteract hours of hunching and bending down on the course. In addition, we will look at breath control and relaxation techniques which will assist you when you are under pressure. Never tried yoga? No problem, no experience necessary! Every body welcome, young or aging, new or experienced!



Tina is a registered yoga teacher with a specialty in therapeutic yoga. She specializes in working with people 50 and better to help them move better, feel better, recover from injuries and improve their overall wellbeing.

There is limited space for this class, so **please email Laura Russell** at [lrussell@crownisle.ca](mailto:lrussell@crownisle.ca) for more details if interested.



# 12 DAYS OF Christmas

**December 1 - 12**

A new special online everyday at [crownisle.com](http://crownisle.com). All specials available for purchase until December 17.



# New Flavours

## WINTER ADDITIONS TO THE TIMBER ROOM MENU

Chef Dan and his team have been busy crafting up some new dishes for the Timber Room menu. Stop in to try something new this winter, plus many of your favourites are still available such as your favourite burgers, salads, nachos and prime rib. A sampling of new items are below to get your mouth watering - visit [crownisle.com](http://crownisle.com) for the complete pub menu.

### **BAKED BRIE**

Natural Pastures brie cheese, seasonal compote, seed crisps, crostini, toasted walnuts, balsamic drizzle

### **PRAWN AND CHORIZO CROSTINI**

White wine, garlic butter, shaved parmesan and fresh herbs, toasted baguette

### **CHEESE & CHARCUTERIE**

A selection of cured meats and Natural Pastures brie cheese, seedy crackers, pickles, seasonal compote, mustard, house made red wine jelly, spiced walnuts

### **AL PASTOR TACOS**

House smoked pork shoulder, fresh pineapple, cilantro, onion, jalapeno-lime crema

### **POACHED PEAR AND PROSCIUTTO SALAD**

Red wine poached pear, thinly sliced prosciutto, artisan lettuce, brie cheese, toasted walnuts, pickled red onions, maple Dijon vinaigrette

### **WARM BEET AND GOAT CHEESE SALAD**

Balsamic glazed beets, crumbled goat cheese, spiced walnuts and artisan lettuce, red wine vinaigrette

### **CRISPY BUFFALO CHICKEN WRAP**

Crispy chicken tossed in Frank's hot sauce, artisan greens, corn, pickled red onions, feta cheese, jalapeno-lime crema, flour tortilla

### **BBQ PULLED PORK**

house smoked pork shoulder, crunchy slaw, crispy onions, house made pickles on a toasted artisan bun

### **COCONUT CURRY CASHEW NOODLE BOWL**

Cabbage, red onions, mushrooms, carrots, pea shoots with rice noodles, fresh cilantro and lime with our signature Thai red curry broth

### **BABY BACK RIBS**

St. Louis style, dry rubbed and smoked then glazed with bbq sauce served with roasted garlic potato puree seasonal vegetable

### **SQUASH RAVIOLI**

Sautéed mushrooms, sage cream sauce, goat cheese, toasted pistachio, garlic crostini

### **BROME LAKE DUCK BREAST**

Squash ravioli, seasonal vegetables, dried cherry pinot noir demi glaze

### **8OZ AAA NEW YORK STEAK**

Served with roasted garlic potato purée seasonal vegetables and demi glaze



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