



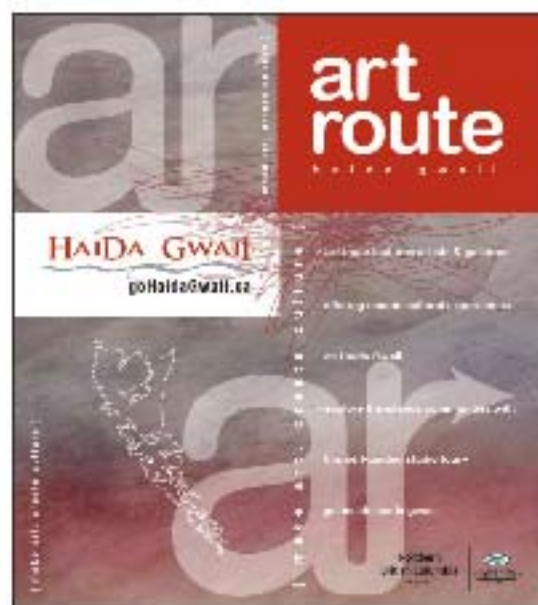
welcome

These Islands are remote and that's part of the appeal for artists who make their home here. •• The natural beauty of this place inspires all kinds of art — from traditional and contemporary Haida carving and weaving, to post-modern quilting, painting and pottery.

•• Unlike other studio tours concentrated over a week or weekend, **art route** runs year-round. Because of this extended commitment, some artists prefer visitors to call ahead while others maintain regular hours during the entire season. Please, don't be shy about contacting artists or visiting homes and studios during posted hours. •• The economy of the Islands is changing. There is now less emphasis on resource extraction by outside interests and more locally driven solutions. The arts play a large role in this shift and by putting visitors in contact with artists, **art route** contributes to the livelihoods of artists and business owners. Welcome to these shining Islands and enjoy **art route 11**.

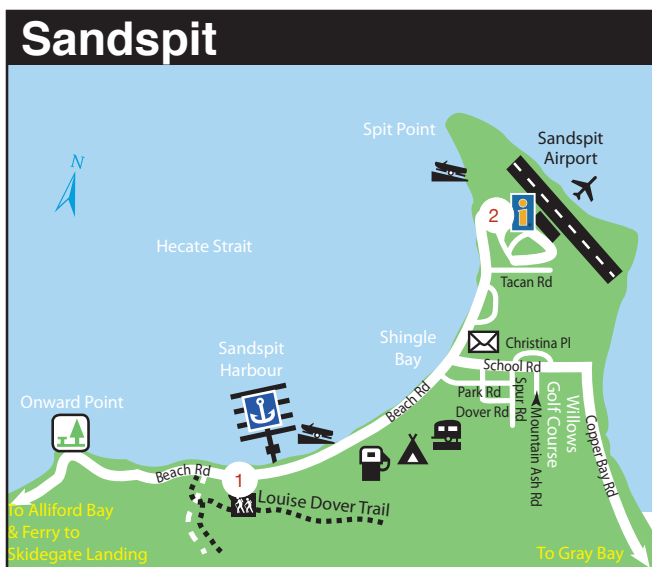
Haida Gwaii

When you've reached the edge of your world, ours begins.



welcome to sandspit

Located on the northern shores of Moresby Island, Sandspit is the arrival point for Air Canada flights and connects to Graham Island by a small vehicle ferry. •• Willows Golf Course offers a scenic course with a popular clubhouse. •• Sandspit is a hot bed for fishing, especially during the late runs of Coho in September and October, and offers an array of camping and hiking opportunities. Whale watching, birding and kayaking are all popular activities in the area.



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1 Karen Lumsden Tidal Haans Pottery

Karen Lumsden presents functional, thrown and hand built pottery in a variety of glazes. Greg builds unique willow and dogwood baskets.

587 Beach Road

250.637.2332

Open more often than not

Summer evening hours 5-9pm



2 Kathy Pick fibre art

Hand woven Baskets using sustainable materials-Pine needles, barks (cedar, willow, pine) and kelp gathered from the beach. Hand painted silk and knitwear. Summer basket weaving demonstrations and sale at the Sandspit Airport.

9am - 3pm Sundays

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