

Sjoukje in British Columbia, Canada (October 2002)

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Sjoukje Van Der Meulen stayed in British Columbia from Thursday 17-Oct-2002 until her departure to Seattle on Monday 28-Oct-2002. It was one of her stops on her 3 month long back packing trip through Canada and the USA. The trip started in Toronto on 20--Sep-2002. She met Ton on Sunday 20-Oct-2002 in Vancouver, when Joeck Stuyver introduced her on a trip to a cranberry farm. Sjoukje's trip will end on 20-Dec-2002 when she flies back to Holland from Toronto.

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- [CD](#) (Ton made this for her)

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Th 24-Oct-2002

Ton took the BC Ferrie from Tsawassan to Schwarz Bay (Sidney) on Vancouver Island to meet up with Sjoukje in Victoria at 11.30 hrs. We then drove to [Tofino](#), with stop in Nanaimo (Ton's former employer [Weyerhaeuser](#)), Parksville, Cathedral Grove National Park and Port Alberni. We also visited Long Beach at the West Coast of Vancouver Island.

Th 24-Oct-2002

Sjoukje in front of the cabin right at the Beach in Tofino. The cabin was at [Ocean Village Resort](#).



Th 24-Oct-2002 The cabins right on the beach.



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Sjoukje is enjoying the Pacific Ocean beach in Tofino.



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Pacific Ocean beach in Tofino.



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Pacific Ocean in Tofino.



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Sjoukje is taking one of her numerous holiday pictures, here the Pacific Ocean in Tofino and McKenzies Beach Resort.



Th 24-Oct-2002

Sjoukje in front of McKenzies Beach Resort, which is located on the rocks.



Fr 25-Oct-2002

The second night we stayed at the [Tin Wis Resort](#), which is located next to Ocean Village Resort. The Tin Wis is ran by a Frist Nations Indian band. This is the view from the room's balcony.



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Another view of the Pacific Ocean, as seen from the balcony.



Sa 26-Oct-2002

We had breakfast in the restaurant at the Tin Wis Resort before we headed back to Vancouver (via Schwarz Bay).



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Sjoukje and Ton in front of the Tin Wis resort.



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Sjoukje on Long Beach (Pacific Ocean).



Sa 26-Oct-2002

Long Beach near Tofino on Vancouver Island.



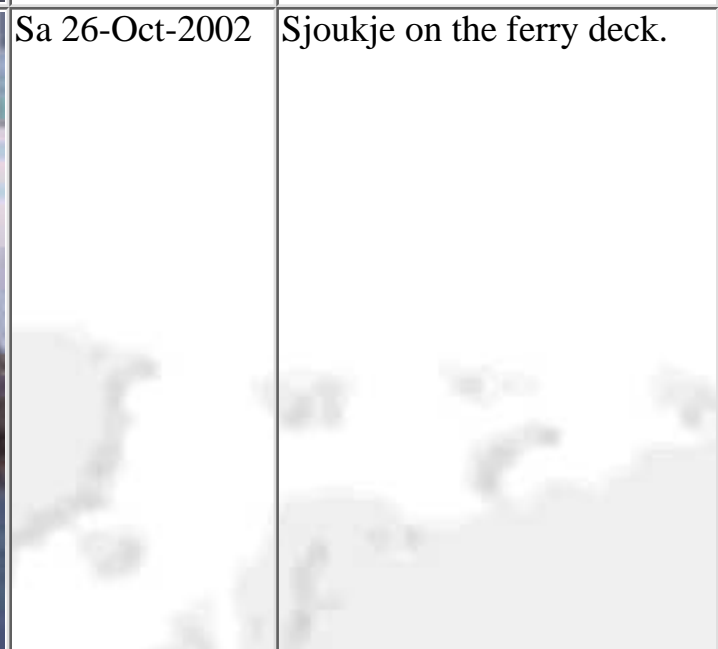
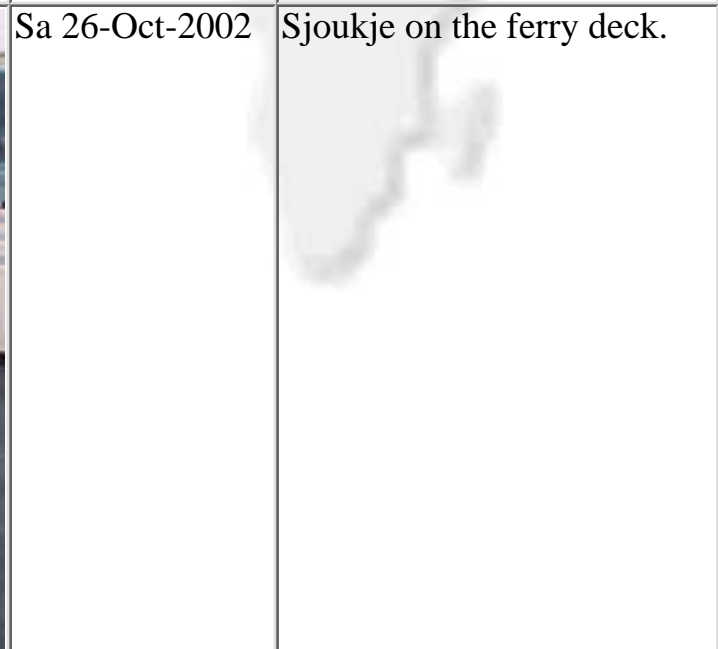
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One of the [BC Ferries](#) that sails between the Gulf Island (between Vancouver Island and the main land).



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Sunset from the ferry on our way back from Vancouver Island to Tsawwassen.





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The ferry sails between the Gulf Islands.



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Sjoukje on the ferry deck.



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On our way back we passed other ferries.



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Sjoukje is checking her email at Ton's apartment.



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Her back packing equipment.



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Good morning.



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Working on the computer.



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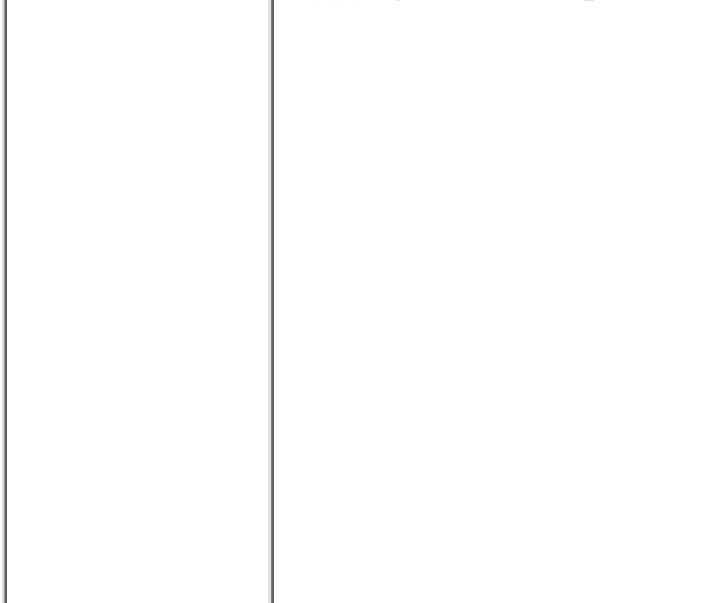
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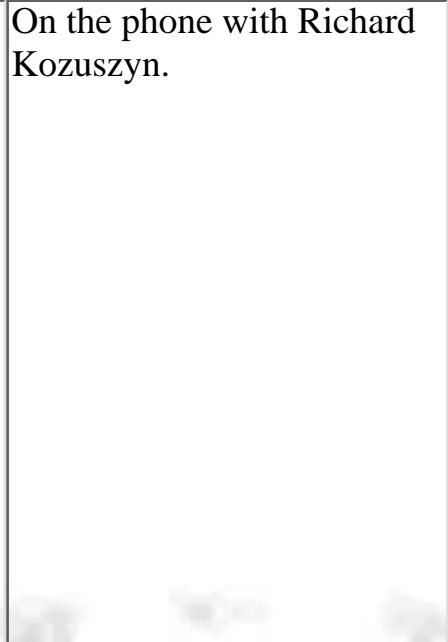
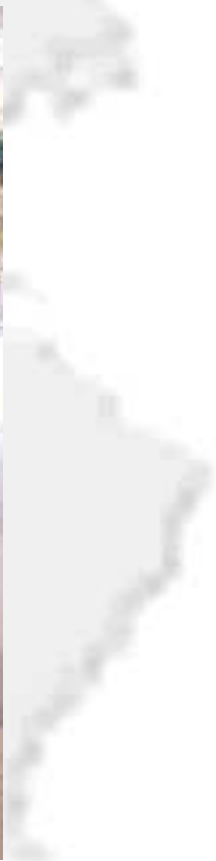


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Getting ready in [Ton's car](#) to go to the train station in Vancouver.

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Sjoukje is getting an Amtrak train ticker for her trip from Vancouver to Seattle.



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On the phone with Richard Kozuszyn.



Mo 28-Oct-2002

One more hour before checking in to the [Amtrak](#) train from Vancouver to Seattle. It left at 18.00 hrs.



Mo 28-Oct-2002

Last minutes before leaving to Seattle.



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