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Public viewing locations announced for the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge's Yukon visit

WHITEHORSE—Yukoners are encouraged to join in celebrating the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge's first official visit to Yukon by attending community events in Whitehorse or in Carcross.

Maps outlining areas designated for the public will be available at www.gov.yk.ca/royalvisit2016.

People attending the downtown Whitehorse community festival are asked to arrive no later than 8:30 a.m. on September 28, and are encouraged to carpool or take public transit to avoid parking congestion downtown.

People attending Carcross community celebrations are encouraged to arrive no later than 10:30 a.m. on September 28. Public parking is available near Montana Services gas station and RV parking. Shuttles will be available from the public parking areas to the designated public viewing area, near the Carcross Commons.

Yukoners are encouraged to go to events in either Whitehorse or Carcross, but not both, based on the timing of the events and expected traffic congestion moving between the two locations.

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See backgrounder on site and road closures.

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Backgrounder – Royal visit site and road closures September 27 and 28, 2016

Site and road closures in Whitehorse	
Date/Time	Location
5 p.m. to 7 p.m. September 27	North airport access road
7 a.m. September 27 to 3 p.m. September 28	100 block of Main Street and Steele Street
7 a.m. September 27 to 3 p.m. September 28	Front Street from Jarvis Street to Lambert Street
6 a.m. to 11 p.m. September 27	Kwanlin Dün Cultural Centre
5 p.m. to 9 p.m. September 27	Riverfront Trail east of the Kwanlin Dün Cultural Centre
5 p.m. to close September 27	Whitehorse Public Library
8 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. September 28	MacBride Museum of Yukon History

Site and road closures in Carcross	
Date/Time	Location
9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. September 28	Vehicle traffic access to town limited to Carcross residents only
9 a.m. to 1 p.m. September 28	Carcross Commons
8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. September 28	All access to Montana Mountain
11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. September 28	Carcross pedestrian bridge

There will be occasional traffic disruptions throughout the evening of September 27 and through the day September 28 in Whitehorse and Carcross.

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