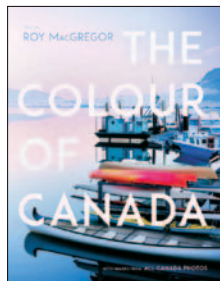


# Recommended Reading

These recent releases can help pass the time on planes, trains and automobiles. Find them at local bookstores (page 32).—*Sheri Radford*



*The Colour of Canada* by Roy MacGregor (McClelland & Stewart): This gorgeous full-colour book shows this vast country at its most picturesque, from the well-known attractions (Vancouver's Lions Gate Bridge, Toronto's CN Tower) to the obscure (an artist's studio, a stunning cloud formation).



*Pocket Vancouver, 2nd Edition* (Lonely Planet): Newly revised, this guide covers everything you need to know about the city. Honest reviews give you the inside scoop on what's worth seeing—and what to skip—in Yaletown, Gastown, Chinatown, Kitsilano and other popular neighbourhoods.



*Let's Find Momo! A Hide-and-Seek Board Book* by Andrew Knapp (Quirk Books): Kids and adults alike love searching for the world's most photogenic border collie, Momo. His adorable likeness is captured in colourful photographs by Andrew Knapp, a Vancouver resident and Momo's BFF.

Station Rd., Richmond. 604-231-5525. [www.mcarthurglenvancouver.com](http://www.mcarthurglenvancouver.com) & **Map 3: B3**

### METROPOLIS AT METROTOWN

BC's largest shopping destination boasts 400 stores, restaurants and theatres: it's home to Hudson's Bay, Sears, T&T Supermarket, Winners HomeSense, Zara, Toys 'R' Us and Silvercity Metropolis Theatres. Huge amount of free parking. A sky-walk links the mega-mall with Metrotown SkyTrain and bus loop. M-Sa 10 am-9 pm, Su and holidays 11 am-7 pm. 4700 Kingsway, Burnaby. 604-630-3340. [www.metropolisatmetrotown.com](http://www.metropolisatmetrotown.com) & **Map 4: E6**

### OAKRIDGE CENTRE

A leading shopping centre 15 minutes from downtown and a short drive from the airport. Browse a mix of luxury

shops, trendy independent boutiques and major brands such as Max Mara, Hugo Boss, BCBG Max Azria, Lacoste, Coach, Harry Rosen and Boys' Co. Also find modern essentials at Banana Republic, Gap, Lululemon and Hudson's Bay. Concierge services available. Free parking. Easy access with the Canada Line SkyTrain at Oakridge-41st Avenue station. M-Tu, Sa 9:30 am-7 pm, W-F 9:30 am-9 pm, Su and holidays 11 am-6 pm. 650 W. 41st Ave. at Cambie. 604-261-2511. [www.oakridgecentre.com](http://www.oakridgecentre.com) & **Map 4: E3**

### PACIFIC CENTRE

Downtown Vancouver's largest shopping centre includes stores such as Holt Renfrew, Harry Rosen, H&M, Max Mara, Hugo Boss, The Apple Store, Kate Spade, Bose, Hollister Co., Ted Baker, Sephora and much more. Adjacent to Robson St., the Vancouver Art Gallery and the

Four Seasons Hotel. Close to downtown hotels and attractions, along with major bus routes and the Granville SkyTrain station. M-Tu 10 am-7 pm, W-F 10 am-9 pm, Sa 10 am-7 pm, Su and holidays 11-6 pm. 701 W. Georgia St. at Howe. Guest services 604-688-7235. [www.pacificcentre.ca](http://www.pacificcentre.ca) & **Map 1: C5**

### PARK ROYAL AND THE VILLAGE AT

**PARK ROYAL** The only shopping centre situated at the foot of a mountain and the shore of an ocean. Home to over 275 retailers and services including Hudson's Bay, Anthropologie, Aritzia, Lululemon, J. Crew, Kate Spade, Michael Kors and Whole Foods, and restaurants such as Italian Kitchen and Cactus Club Cafe. M-Tu 10 am-7 pm, W-F 10 am-9 pm, Sa 9:30 am-7 pm, Su and holidays 11 am-6 pm. Restaurants and some retailers stay open later. At the foot of the Lions Gate



**FARM FRESH** Looking for fresh fruits and veggies, homemade sweets or local crafts? Visit one of the many farmers' markets (page 34) around town.