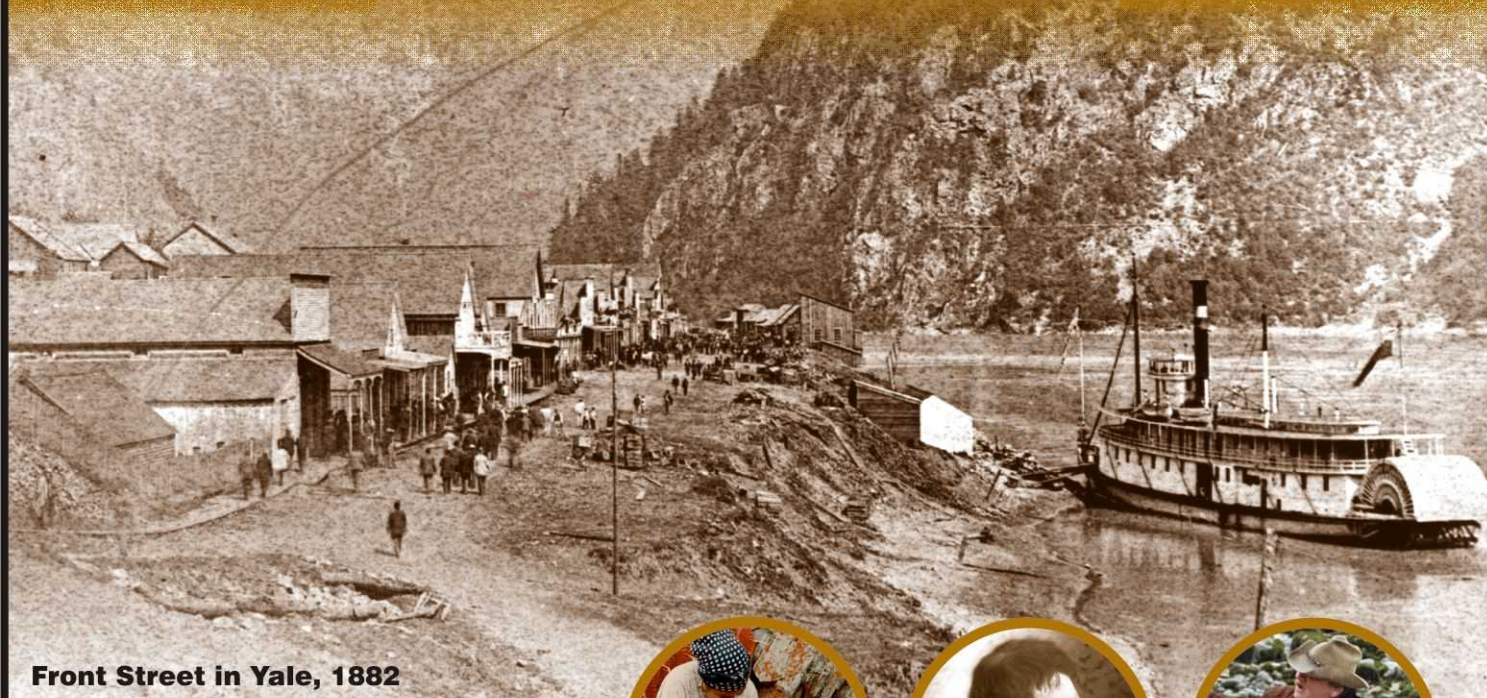


# CELEBRATE BC'S 150<sup>TH</sup> IN THE HISTORIC FRASER CANYON



Front Street in Yale, 1882

The Fraser Canyon echoes with history. For thousands of years, First Nations from the coast and interior came here for the abundant salmon. The fur trade arrived after Simon Fraser's journey of 1808, with small numbers of mostly French-speaking voyagers. The discovery of gold at Hill's Bar just below Fort Yale in March of 1858 brought changes few could have foreseen; thousands of miners traveled up the Fraser Canyon as news of the gold rush spread around the world.



First Nations have lived here for 8,000 years



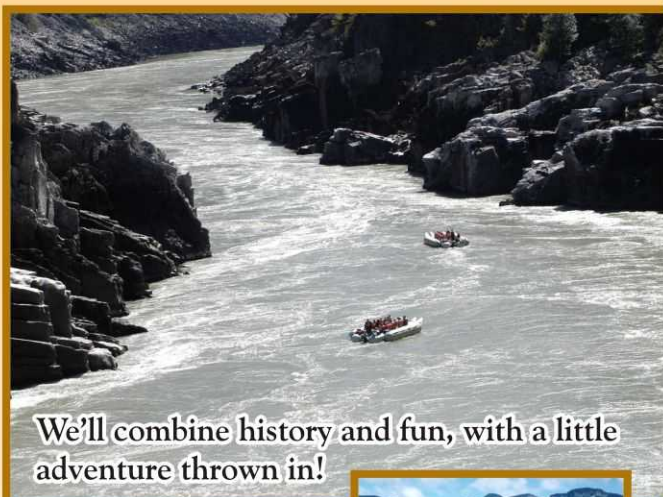
Simon Fraser came down river in 1808



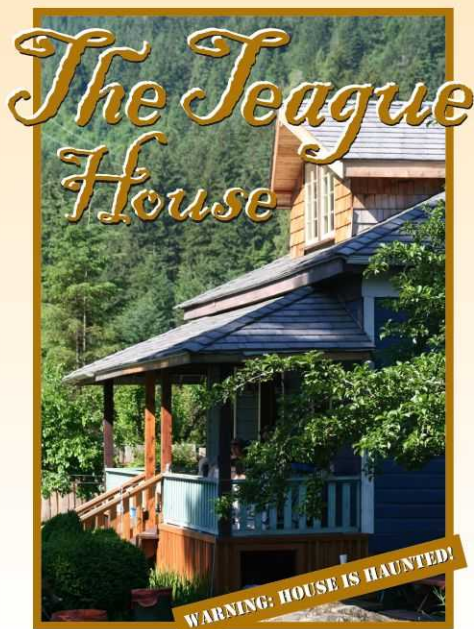
Fur, gold and railways made Yale a key centre

## LEARN BESIDE THE FRASER!

This is an opportunity to design a unique learning experience suitable for your group. Participants can enjoy half-day, full-day or two-day explorations. There are historic sites, great hiking, a float trip down the Fraser, A First Nations Village, a cemetery haunting, gold panning, and a visit to world-famous Hell's Gate.

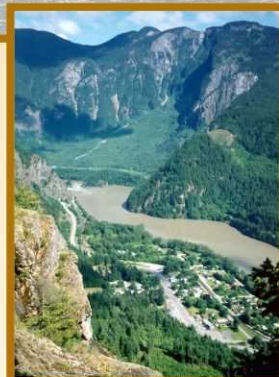


We'll combine history and fun, with a little adventure thrown in!



WARNING: HOUSE IS HAUNTED!

**HISTORIC YALE** Only two hours from Vancouver, Yale lies nestled beside the Fraser River at the entrance to the canyon. It is hard to believe this town once had a population of 10,000 miners and 14 saloons. Only about 200 hardy residents remain. Today, you can still feel the history....



Yale, from the Spirit Caves Trail

Contact us for pricing and details

**ACCOMMODATION** is provided on site at the Fraser River Raft Expeditions base camp, where students will have options of an overnight stay in the historic Teague House, miner's tents, or a First Nations-style teepee.

**TOLL-FREE:**  
**1-800-363-7238**  
**FRASER RIVER**  
**RAFT EXPEDITIONS**

