



Welcome to Summerland's Bottleneck Drive

A beautiful, scenic route connects all of Summerland's [Bottleneck Drive](#) wineries and cideries. This meandering drive offers sweeping views of vineyards, orchards and Okanagan Lake with new discoveries around each corner.

New & Exciting

Edu-tourism – local wineries such as [Okanagan Crush Pad](#) are part of the New Okanagan; creating wines with a sense of place based on the terroir of our region – fruit driven with good acidity and balance.

Food – opened in summer of 2015 [Evolve Cellars](#) is the only Summerland winery with a gourmet restaurant on site.

Sustainability – [Sage Hills](#), [Okanagan Crush Pad](#) and [SummerGate](#) wineries have vineyards that are Certified Salmon Safe. Their water usage and irrigation practices are registered and monitored to prevent any adverse affects on salmon and wildlife and protect our urban and agricultural watersheds.

The Most Fun?

Legend has it that during our wild west history, a Chinese laundry on the waterfront was also the home of 'ladies of the night'. This naughty history has been re-created at [Dirty Laundry Vineyard](#) where wines like Woo-Woo, Bordello and Secret Affair delight wine lovers. Catch their story here: http://www.dirtylaundry.ca/our_story.php

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Unique to Bottleneck Drive

History – [Sumac Ridge](#) is BC's first operating estate winery and the first winery to produce traditional method sparkling wine.

Artisanal – all but one of Summerland's 18 wineries are estate wineries where some or all of production is located on-site.

Technology – [Okanagan Crush Pad](#) is Canada's first custom crush facility and the first winery to use concrete tanks in fermentation.



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