





The landscape for local B.C. food is growing, and with it, new opportunities for B.C. food and beverage products.



Pitch&Plate After two successful Feed BC events in January and November 2021, Pitch & Plate is back with a focus on B.C. producers and processors from Vancouver Island region that are ready for the Institutional Food Service market.

This unique event designed and delivered for Feed BC and the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Fisheries by B.C. food industry educators, Good to Grow, collaborates with Feed BC public sector Partners. Pitch and Plate gives local B.C. food and beverage companies the opportunity to meet and pitch to B.C. public institutions including post-secondary and health care, broadline distributors, and suppliers that are all looking to use more B.C. local food.

Thank you to Feed BC partners on Vancouver Island that helped support this event, Camosun College, University of Victoria, Royal Roads, Vancouver Island University and Island Health. A special thank you to Camosun College Interurban Campus for hosting the event location.

We respectfully acknowledge that land on which we gather is within the territories of the Lekwungen (Esquimalt and Songhees), Malahat, Pacheedaht, Scia'new, T'Sou-ke and WSÁNEĆ (Pauquachin, Tsartlip, Tsawout, Tseycum) peoples.

Feed BC offers a range of tools, resources and individualized supports to increase B.C. food in public institutions. More information is available on the Feed BC website (gov.bc.ca/Feed BC) under Feed BC Institutional Partnerships, Producer and Processor Resources and Value Chain Innovation.

Agenda | March 16th, 2022 12:30–3:30pm

			PRESENTATION
12:00рм - 12:30рм	Doors Open: Refreshments and Seating		IN-PERSON ONLINE SAMPLES
12:30рм - 12:55рм	Opening Remarks		 On-site presentations
12:55рм - 1:05рм	 Hornby Organic 	Chocolate Chip Peanut Butter Snackbar	will be streamed live for remote attendees.
1:10рм - 1:20рм	 Bake My Day Gluten-Free Bakeries 	Sausage Roll	 Online presentations
1:25рм - 1:35рм	 Island Farmhouse Poultry (Rossdown Farms and Natural Foods) 	Chicken Wings *	will be broadcast live for in-person attendees.
1:40рм - 1:50рм	 Sutra Foods 	Butter Chicken Sauce with Tandoori Rub	Samples will be available on-site and mailed to remote registrants.
1:55рм - 2:05рм	 The Samosa Box Victoria 	Vegetarian Samosas and Tamarind Chutney	* Samples are available on-site
2:05рм - 2:20рм	Break		mailed sample package.
2:20рм - 2:30рм	 Walcan Seafood 	Smoked Wild BC Salmon	
2:35рм - 2:45рм	 Natural Pastures Cheese Company 	Boerenkwas Cheese	
2:50рм - 3:00рм	 Arbutus Farms Kitchen 	Gourmet Potato Salad *	
3:05рм - 3:15рм	 Rawmbas Foods 	Apple Raspberry Muffin	
3:15рм - 3:25рм	Update On Past Presenters		
3:25рм - 3:30рм	Closing Remarks		

Vendors

HORNBY ORGANIC

Organic Gluten-Free Energy and Snack Bars



Located in Comox B.C., Hornby Organic hand crafts certified organic and gluten-free energy and snack bars and supplies them to customers across Canada. The company's mission is to make delicious organic foods without the negative impact on people and the planet. Their simple combination of high quality organic ingredients truly sets their bars apart; not only in quality, but in taste as well.

CERTIFICATIONS:	QAI certified (organic) GFCO certified (gluten-free)
BROADLINE DISTRIBUTION:	yes
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BAKE MY DAY GLUTEN-FREE BAKERIES

Gluten-Free Ready-to-Bake Frozen Pastries



Bake My Day Gluten-Free Bakeries is a dedicated gluten-free commercial bakery located in Duncan, B.C. specializing in gluten-free puff pastry and shortcrust. The company offers delicious easy to prepare and Ready-to-Bake items. Owner Dale Norton sources many of the ingredients from within B.C.

CERTIFICATIONS:	HACCP compliant
BROADLINE DISTRIBUTION:	yes
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ISLAND FARMHOUSE POULTRY

Rossdown Farms and Natural Foods Raw Chicken Products



Located in Cowichan Bay, B.C., Island Farmhouse Poultry provides 100% Island-raised, Island-processed, and Island-sold fresh, frozen, and further prepared chicken. Island Farmhouse Poultry is part of the Rossdown Family of brands – all of which have been proudly serving 100% farmerowned and B.C.-raised premium chicken and turkey products for more than three generations.

CERTIFICATIONS:	HACCP compliant HACCP certified (Rossdown)
BROADLINE DISTRIBUTION:	yes
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SUTRA FOODS

Indian Simmer Sauces



Sutra Foods manufactures fresh frozen authentic Indian simmer sauces in Duncan, B.C. They currently offer four flavors: Butter Chicken, Coconut Korma, Red Thai, and Rosée. All of their products are gluten-friendly with dairy-free options. The company sources local ingredients when possible. Their sauces are a great canvas to create your own culinary masterpieces.

CERTIFICATIONS:	HACCP certified
BROADLINE DISTRIBUTION:	no
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THE SAMOSA BOX VICTORIA

Samosas and Tamarind Chutney



Samosa Box Victoria, located in Victoria, B.C., is a family-run business specializing in gourmet, high quality samosas and tamarind chutney. The company currently offers lightly fried frozen vegetarian, chicken, and beef samosas that can be re-heated in the oven or air fryer. Ingredients are sourced local when in season.

CERTIFICATIONS:	none
BROADLINE DISTRIBUTION:	no
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WALCAN SEAFOOD

Wild B.C. Seafood



Walcan Seafood is an independant and family operated seafood wholesaler and primary processor on Quadra Island, B.C. The company specializes in wild B.C. seafood (salmon, spot prawns, halibut, and cod) in a variety of frozen, fresh and shelf stable preparations with value added products available seasonally. Walcan has export markets and domestic brands with reach across Canada, the U.S., Asia and Europe.

CERTIFICATIONS:	HACCP certified
	DFO (Fishery Traceability)
	BC Kosher
	SQFI (Costco)
BROADLINE DISTRIBUTION:	yes
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NATURAL PASTURES CHEESE COMPANY

Buffalo and Cow Milk Cheese



Natural Pastures Cheese Company is a Courtenay, B.C. based producer of award winning artisan cheese using water buffalo and cow milk from Vancouver Island farms. The company offers over 20 varieties of cheese produced using a blend of traditional European techniques and local innovation to bring out the unique flavour and terroir of Vancouver Island produced milk.

CERTIFICATIONS:	HACCP certified
BROADLINE DISTRIBUTION:	yes
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ARBUTUS FARMS KITCHEN

Fresh Deli Foods



Arbutus Farms is an independent food company located in Duncan, B.C. supplying fresh deli foods to retailers across Western Canada. They offer clean, preservative free, locally made salads, sides, and HMR options. The company uses local ingredients whenever possible, many of which are sourced from Vancouver Island and the Fraser Valley.

CERTIFICATIONS:	HACCP certified
BROADLINE DISTRIBUTION:	self-distributed
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RAWMBAS FOODS

Gluten-Free and Vegan Muffins



Rawmbas Foods is an Indigenous and family owned company in Nanaimo, B.C. manufacturing certified gluten-free and vegan muffins made with premium ingredients.Quality is ensured as every Rawmbas muffin originates from their own state-of-the-art production facility.

CERTIFICATIONS:	HACCP certified GFCO certified (gluten-free) Vegecert certified (vegan) LVL1 and LVL2 food safe
BROADLINE DISTRIBUTION:	no
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Bringing B.C. food to public institutions

About Feed BC | Feed BC is a provincial government initiative led by the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Fisheries, to encourage, inspire and support a shift to more B.C. food in hospitals, residential care facilities, public post-secondary institutions, and other government-supported facilities.

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GOOD TO GROW NATURAL PRODUCTS COACHING



food producers and processors. We firmly believe in giving local brands a hand up by providing them with the tools to enter and thrive in the market. Three cheers for local!

About Good to Grow | We are teachers, coaches, and supporters to B.C.

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CAMOSUN COLLEGE



March 2022 Pitch and Plate Location | Camosun College is located in beautiful Victoria, British Columbia. Their two campuses serve approximately 19,000 learners a year in certificate, diploma, bachelor's degree and continuing education programs.

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