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# **SEPTEMBER 2021**

# RESIDENTIAL SALES BY PRICE (YEAR TO DATE

PRICE RANGE		2021	2020
\$280,000 to \$439,999		15	44
\$440,000 to \$479,999		8	31
\$480,000 to \$519,999		15	54
\$520,000 to \$559,999		27	87
\$560,000 to \$599,999		45	108
\$600,000 to \$699,999		232	322
\$700,000 to \$799,999		367	247
\$800,000 to \$899,999		406	167
\$900,000 to \$999,999		302	94
\$1,000,000 to \$1,199,99	9	265	86
\$1,200,000 to \$1,399,99	99	211	49
\$1,400,000 to \$1,599,99	9	89	27
\$1,600,000 to \$1,799,99	19	61	18
\$1,800,000 to \$1,999,99	9	41	12
\$2,000,000+		72	28
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	2021		2020
Average House Price	\$1,003,2 <sup>-</sup>	79	\$813,813
Median House Price	\$900,00	0 9	\$723,350
Avg. Mobile Home Price	\$221,87	6	\$210,918
Houses Listed	336		374

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ТҮРЕ	2021	2020
Acreage/House	123	67
Townhouse	870	565
Condo	1,590	727
Lots	325	148
Mobile Homes	191	161
Residential	2,435	1,567
Residential (Waterfront)	64	46
TOTAL	5598	3281

#### ACTIVE LISTINGS

RES	MOBILE	STRATA	LOTS
501	60	383	117
	Stats: August 202	1 vs August 2020	

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# THE REAL ESTATE

# HOW TO MAKE YOUR HOME FEEL BIGGER

# These tips will maximise your space and open up your home

Sometimes our home can feel like the walls are closing in or we are living in a shoebox. How do we maximize our space without having to add an extension? The answer may lie in your décor, design and organization. Here's a few tips to make your home feel bigger without needing to add any square footage:

# Furniture Fix Up

Rearranging your furniture can immediately change the flow of a room and open up the space. Face your furniture towards the window when possible, to increase the perspective of depth. If you can add a few pieces, choose furniture with legs that create the illusion of space by allowing your eyes to move through them. Or look for pieces that do double-duty like an ottoman that serves as a coffee table or holds storage.



Store and Stow

Speaking of storage, removing clutter by increasing your storage options will do wonders for your space. Make use of furniture with hidden storage, baskets for pet/ children's toys and chests to fold up blankets when not is use. One expert recommends a clutter bin kept in a central place where you put things that have moved from their place or that you didn't have time to deal with immediately. Then, develop a daily habit to empty the bin by putting everything away before bed so you wake up with your space fresh and clutter free.

# Light is Right

Use light to your advantage: light coloured paint, large mirrors to reflect light and enlarge rooms, and lots of little lamps and fixtures to light up all the dark corners of every room. Don't be afraid to leave dead space rather filling it with little things as the extra room can increase the perception of space.





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