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YOUR STORY STARTS HERE!

Dive into a journey of discovery across Atlantic Canada, taking in food, festivals, fascinating history and fabulous nature along the way.

Planning to visit one of Parks Canada's 220 destinations? Plan ahead! Each year more than 20 million visitors explore these magnificent places, so make sure your camping, parking and/or shuttle reservations are in place, and verify what services might be available before you go. Leave with peace of mind and enjoy your vacation to the fullest.

Start living your story today!

EXPERIENCE MAJESTIC SEACOAST HIKING

CAPE BRETON HIGHLANDS
NATIONAL PARK

FORTRESS OF LOUISBOURG
NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

Majestic seacoast hiking is life-changing thanks to the grand distraction - the constant presence of the vast and wild Atlantic Ocean, dramatized by steep cliffs and deep river canyons carved from forested plateaus. Whichever trail you choose, there is so much to see and experience.



Find more day trips, weekend getaway
ideas and week-long itineraries at

parks.canada.ca/itineraries





IF YOU'RE A DAY TRIPPER

Your Majestic Seacoast Hiking day adventure focuses on the Skyline Trail (8.2-km loop) in **Cape Breton Highlands National Park**, with an elevated, unceasing, rugged coastal view that will leave you breathless. Depending on the time

of day, the Skyline has multiple personalities. For a quiet moment in nature, start early in the morning. Or try out the hike at sunset, considered a Canadian Signature Experience (aka a once-in-a-lifetime travel experience).

No matter the time of day, watch for whales in the Gulf from the viewing decks. Moose, bald eagles, bears and numerous birds thrive in this habitat. Picnicking is redefined in this live theatre of sea and sky.

IF YOU'RE AN OVERNIGHTER

Start your two days of activities on the west side of the national park and the nearby communities of Pleasant Bay and Chéticamp. There are 26 hiking trails within **Cape Breton Highlands National Park**. Between the Skyline Trail (see above) and Chéticamp, there is a necklace of experiences steeped in local Acadian heritage:

Le Chemin de Buttereau (4.6 km return); Le Buttereau (1.6 km loop) and Le vieux chemin du Cap-Rouge (9 km return). More advanced hikers should treat themselves to a trek up the Acadian Trail, where enchanting forest gives way to panoramic views of the Gulf of St. Lawrence at the top. Visit nearby Chéticamp Island Beach,

a beautiful sandy and pebbled strand where the water is known to be warm because of shallow, walkable sand bars, or within Chéticamp itself, where you can stroll along the waterfront boardwalk, scouting out opportunities for seafood.

IF YOU'RE A WEEKENDER

DAY 1: Begin with the diversity of seacoast trails in the national park between Chéticamp and Pleasant Bay, highlighted by the Skyline Trail.

DAY 2: Swing east toward Neil's Harbour, situated 90 km from Chéticamp and 47 km from Pleasant Bay. Atop Neil Head, a rocky cape that looks out over a natural working fishing harbour, sits one of the most accessible lighthouses in Canada. Within minutes of Neil's Harbour, there are three noteworthy coastal hiking trail experiences: Jack Pine (2.3 km loop); Coastal (2.4 km return); and, Green Cove (0.2 km return).

Continue traveling 27 km to Ingonish where the Middle Head Trail (3.8 km loop) follows a long, narrow peninsula separating two ocean

bays, ending on headland cliffs overlooking the Atlantic Ocean, Cape Smokey and Ingonish Island. There are opportunities to view seabirds, seals, whales and eagles, as well as active fishing boats. Two important hikes in this region include the Freshwater Lake Trail (1.7 km return), which begins next to the ocean, and follows the shoreline to a small lake that was once an ocean bay, and Freshwater Lake Look-off Trail (0.3 km return), short and steep with a picturesque vista that unfolds, showcasing views of the region.

DAY 3: Set sights on the largest historical reconstruction in North America, the **Fortress of Louisbourg National Historic Site**. Four coastal trails and two secluded, white sand beaches share stories of Louisbourg's 300-year history.

The Old Town Trail (2.25km) takes visitors along the shore of Louisbourg Harbour, and provides interpretive panels and impressive views of the fortress and harbour. The nearby Ruins Walk (2.3 km) leads visitors past the notable ruins and burial grounds associated with early French habitation.

Also recommended in the vicinity are two more treasures: the Gooseberry Cove Trail (7.7 km return), which skirts cliffs and has unbelievable coastal views and lush vegetation, and the Gull Cove Trail (10.5 km return), which winds through windswept woods, cobbled beaches, and coastal barrens to panoramic ocean views, including the Fortress of Louisbourg.

DAY TRIPS FROM HALIFAX

LET THESE NATIONAL HISTORIC SITES
INSPIRE YOUR NEXT ADVENTURE
AND TRAVEL INTO THE PAST



Halifax Citadel
National Historic Site

Downtown Halifax

- Join the 78th Highlanders! Don an authentic uniform, practice drills, and learn how to fire a rifle or play a drum.
- Visit the newest signature exhibit *Fortress Halifax - A City Shaped by Conflict* and immerse yourself in the history of Kijipuktuk (Halifax).
- Learn about the history of alcohol in the British military as you savour unique spirits created by Compass Distillers, and aged in oak barrels stored on-site.
- Slip into the shadows of the Citadel and hear stories of its haunted history on a ghost tour.
- Explore the vast Halifax Defence Complex - a series of forts and batteries that helped protect and defend this valuable harbour. Make plans to visit all five centrally located Parks Canada administered national historic sites including Georges Island, Fort McNab, York Redoubt and Prince of Wales Tower.



Georges Island
National Historic Site

Downtown Halifax

- Catch the ferry or join a guided kayak tour to the island, the views are one of a kind.
- Learn about the fascinating history of the island and its significant contribution during the world wars.
- Explore the subterranean maze of tunnels and hidden fortifications on a guided tour below Fort Charlotte.
- Discover why Georges Island is a sacred and culturally significant site for the Acadian community.



Grand-Pré
National Historic Site

 1 hour

- Immerse yourself in the Acadians' tragic upheaval during the 18th century with a guided tour.
- Walk in the Victorian gardens to view the famous Statue of Evangeline and admire the spectacular landscape of the UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- Weekend getaway anyone? Spend the night in an oTENTik for an immersive experience of Grand-Pré's magnificent landscape.
- On your way back, stop by Fort Edward National Historic Site. Step inside Canada's oldest blockhouse and travel back to the mid-1700s when British troops struggled for control of North America during the age of empire.

 Grand-Pré

Halifax Citadel  Georges Island

HALIFAX



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CONSERVING FOR THE FUTURE

THE CHALLENGE

How can we protect wild Atlantic salmon?

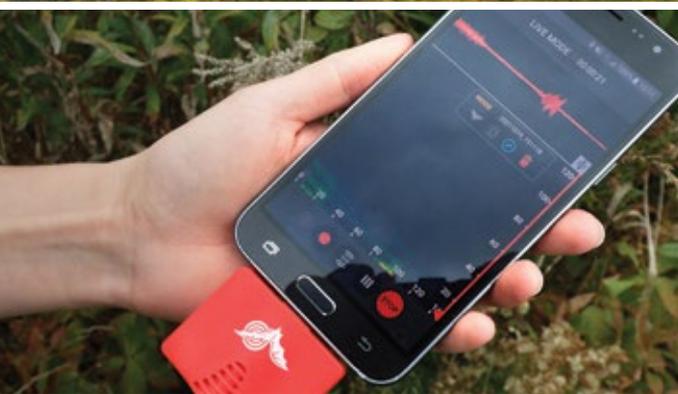
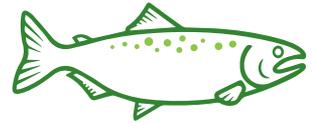
This iconic species has been declining for decades.

A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION

National parks across the Atlantic region have teamed up for salmon conservation and recovery to protect and improve aquatic ecosystems.

THE RESULT

Fundy, Cape Breton Highlands, Gros Morne, Terra Nova, and Kouchibouguac National Parks are studying conservation trends across five different salmon populations to inform future decisions on when and how conservation actions may be most effective.



GET INVOLVED NOW IT'S YOUR TURN

BACKCOUNTRY WITH BATS

Booked for backcountry camping in Fundy? Sign up and help biologists collect data to identify important bat habitats. Staff will loan you a bat monitoring kit to turn your smartphone or tablet into an interactive bat detector, allowing you to hear and record bats in real-time!

Fundy National Park in New Brunswick

COASTIE

Capture beautiful vistas and help monitor shoreline erosion! Simply upload your photo to the "Coastie" monitoring program and help understand the rates of change and resiliency of our coastlines in response to climate change.

Gros Morne and Terra Nova (N.L.), Cape Breton Highlands, Kejimikujik and Sable Island (N.S.), Fundy and Kouchibouguac (N.B.) and Prince Edward Island National Parks

BECOME A CITIZEN-BIOLOGIST

Help monitor wildlife populations by canoe or on foot! Register for loon, turtle or piping plover monitoring, or for any other programs to restore and protect the greater Kejimikujik ecosystem.

Kejimikujik National Park and National Historic Site in Nova Scotia





STAYING THE NIGHT?

WE'VE GOT YOU COVERED

Prices reflect 2023 rates
and are subject to change

Reserve today as
spots book quickly!

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FROM
\$18.50
PER NIGHT

TENT AND RV CAMPING

Stay close to nature at one of our wonderful campsites – at your preferred comfort level.

Available in Gros Morne, Terra Nova, Kouchibouguac, Fundy, Prince Edward Island and Cape Breton Highlands National Parks; and Kejimikujik National Park and National Historic Site.



FROM
\$12.75
PER PERSON
PER NIGHT

BACKCOUNTRY CAMPING

The ultimate overnight adventure: just you, your tent and the great outdoors – far from the beaten path.

Available in Gros Morne, Terra Nova, Torngat Mountains, Kouchibouguac, Fundy, and Prince Edward Island National Parks; and Kejimikujik National Park and National Historic Site.



FROM
\$96
PER NIGHT

oTENTik

The perfect mix of tent and A-frame cabin comes together in our oTENTik with its raised floors and cosy beds; great for campers who want a little extra comfort in the wild.

Available in Gros Morne, Terra Nova, Kouchibouguac, Fundy, Prince Edward Island and Cape Breton Highlands National Parks; Kejimikujik National Park and National Historic Site; and Grand-Pré National Historic Site.



FROM
\$106.50
PER NIGHT

YURT

Live life without corners in a circular yurt! This traditional dwelling of Central Asian nomads is just right for a night of camping with a dash of homelike comfort.

Available in Fundy National Park; and Kejimikujik National Park and National Historic Site.



FROM
\$74.75
PER NIGHT

CABIN

Cottage life at its best with a rustic home-away-from-home in the woods. A hassle-free camping experience with a bit more privacy than the campground. Sweet dreams for happy campers.

Available in Gros Morne, Kouchibouguac, Fundy, and Prince Edward Island National Parks; and Kejimikujik National Park and National Historic Site.



FROM
\$74.75
PER NIGHT

EQUIPPED CAMPING

No gear? No problem! You can rent the whole kit and enjoy our equipped campsites, thanks to our partnership with MEC. Ideal for stress-free vacays!

Available in Cape Breton Highlands and Prince Edward Island National Parks; and Fortress of Louisbourg and Fort Beauséjour–Fort Cumberland National Historic Sites.



FROM
\$74.75
PER NIGHT

HISTORIC STAY

Immerse yourself in one of Canada's national treasures with a very special overnight stay in truly historic surroundings.

Available in Fortress of Louisbourg and Fort Beauséjour–Fort Cumberland National Historic Sites.



FROM
\$128
PER NIGHT

ÔASIS

Spend the night under a natural canopy and fall asleep admiring the stars! This tear drop shaped accommodation has a bench that converts into a bed and a suspended hammock loft. Treat yourself to a drop of heaven for the night in a Dark-Sky Preserve.

Available in Fundy, Kejimikujik, Terra Nova and Kouchibouguac National Parks.



STAFF FAVOURITES

Get the inside scoop on the very best way to enjoy our parks and sites from Parks Canada pros!



Michelle
Promotions

A SOLDIER'S LIFE

I took my eleven-year-old son and his friend to the **Halifax Citadel** National Historic Site in Nova Scotia for his birthday to partake in the "Soldier's Life" program. Immediately after the role-playing began, you could see a drastic change in them both. Serious fun! From donning their uniforms and working on drills to announcing the changing of the guard, these boys were up for every challenge.



Asloob
Promotions

FIND THE HORIZON!

I treasure experiencing the rise and fall of Bay of Fundy's world famous tides from the cliff top balcony of Matthews Head. A moderately difficult trail, it follows the curve of Fundy's jagged coastline. The reward is panoramic views that are never changing but always new. Part of the trail is an old wagon road as it slopes down to the remnants of a 19th century homestead. This is where the natural and cultural history of **Fundy** National Park in New Brunswick meet in eternity.





Kate
Heritage
Tourism

LOVING THE LANE

Lover's Lane, part of Balsam Hollow trail, is my favourite place at **Green Gables** Heritage Place in Cavendish, PEI. It's a beautiful red dirt lane with grand trees arching overhead. I feel inspired just like L.M. Montgomery when she walked this same path years ago. I can also picture the story coming to life with Anne Shirley exploring the woods with her friends.



HIKING ON THE EDGE

Hiking around **Signal Hill** National Historic Site in Newfoundland gives such a serene feeling. The cliff-side trails bring you physically as close to the Atlantic Ocean as possible, and spiritually immerse you in the salt air and the deep fishing history that makes this place special. Throw in a fantastic sunrise and the chance to see whales on top of that, and it really does feel as if you are far away from any of life's stressors.

Ashley
Internet Content
and Media



Cedric
Heritage
Presentation

GOLDEN PLATEAU

One of the most fascinating and unusual places in **Gros Morne** National Park in Newfoundland is without a doubt the Tablelands. Every time I walk on this golden plateau of mantle rocks, my soul fills with joy and curiosity. The Tablelands are an open-air museum of natural beauty and mystery!



A TUCKED AWAY COVE

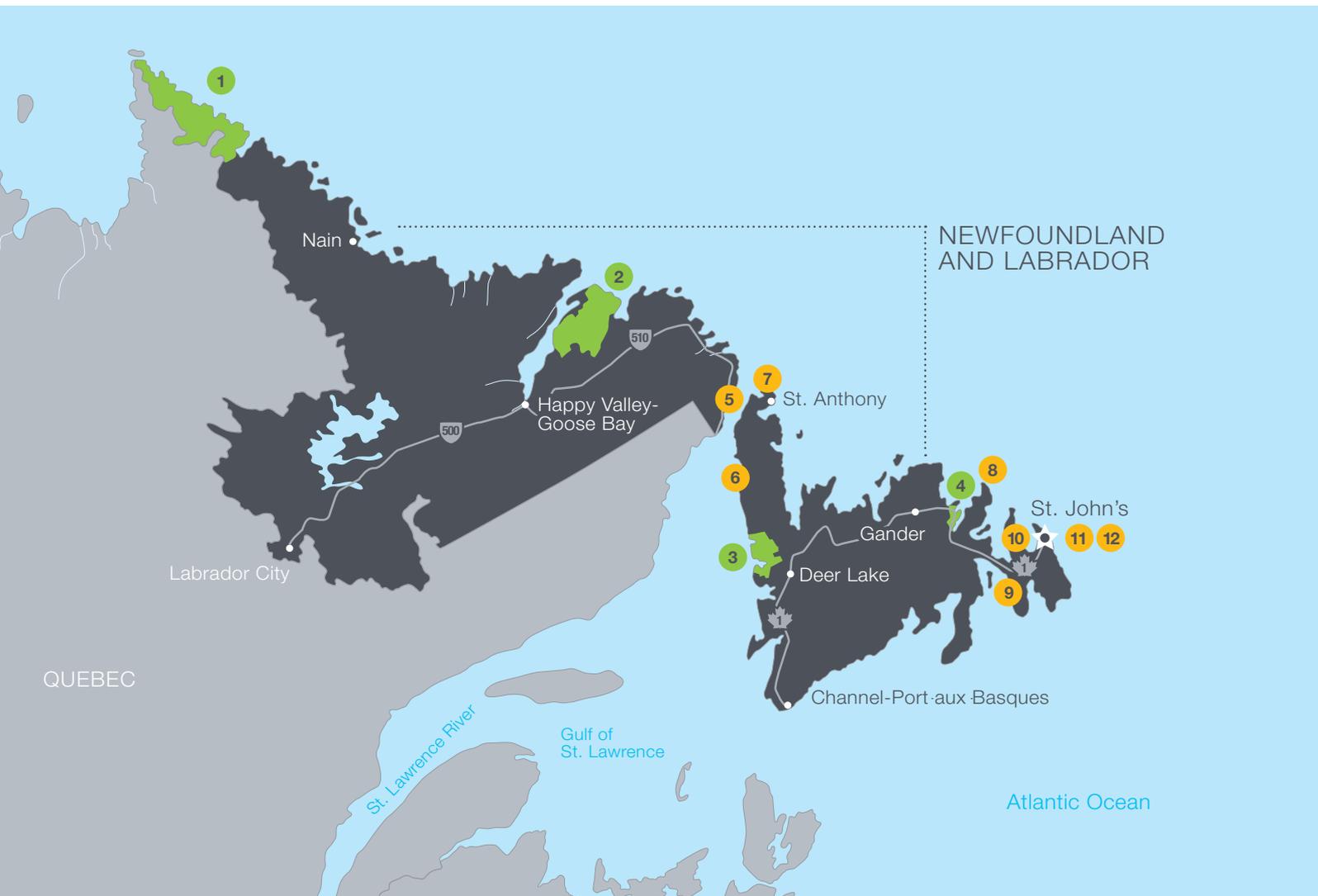
My absolute favorite spot at the **Fortress of Louisbourg** National Historic Site in Nova Scotia is the beach. Tucked away along the coast, Kennington Cove's sandy beaches are the perfect place to play in the waves and watch the sunset. I always bring my binoculars for a chance to spot eagles and seals. Dogs are permitted on leash, and my puppy loves it there too!

Véronique
Outreach



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NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR



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1 Torngat Mountains

Polar bears and caribou roam this ancient Inuit homeland.

DON'T MISS

- Hiking across tundra, on the lookout for caribou and bears.
- Enjoying the company of local Inuit peoples over a fresh Arctic char lunch and a welcoming cup of tea.



Nain | 709-922-1290

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2 Akami-Uapishku-KakKasuak-Mealy Mountains (Park Reserve)

A protected area covering 10 700 km² of mountain tundra, marine coasts, boreal forests, islands, and rivers that holds great cultural significance for the Innu, Inuit and others.

Potential visitors should be aware that infrastructure and services are minimal, including search and rescue capabilities. In collaboration with Indigenous partners and others in the tourism sector, Parks Canada will work to create these experiences and services.

Goose Bay | 709-896-2394

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3 Gros Morne

A visual wonder of fjords, mountains, forests, barren cliffs and coastlines.

DON'T MISS

- Walking upon the Earth's mantle – normally found far below the earth's crust.
- Cruising the fjord along the base of the sheer cliff walls where waterfalls tumble.



Rocky Harbour | 709-458-2417

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4 Terra Nova

A wonderland of boreal forests and remote shorelines that will awaken your sense of adventure.

DON'T MISS

- Heading off the beaten path; hiking the trails and trying backcountry camping.
- Visiting Newman Sound Campground for fabulous family fun in the outdoor theatre and playground featuring a zipline, climbing wall, swings, and more!



Glovertown | 280 km from St. John's
709-533-2801

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5 Red Bay

A major commercial whaling port established by Basque whalers in the 16th century.

DON'T MISS

- Listening to amazing tales of shipwrecks and adventure in *Echoes from the Past*.
- Discovering the most bizarre artifacts in *Red Bay's Weird and Wonderful* collection.



Red Bay | 709-920-2051

709-458-2417 (off-season)

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6 Port au Choix

Home to Indigenous peoples over the past 6 000 years who were drawn to the area by the rich marine resources.

DON'T MISS

- Discovering the seal industry with a unique culinary experience – *Seal for All Seasons*.
- Observing rare and endangered wildflowers in rugged limestone barrens.



Port au Choix | 709-861-3522

709-458-2417 (off-season)

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7 L'Anse aux Meadows

The first known site established by the Norse in North America.

DON'T MISS

- Taking part in an evening of Viking myth and storytelling at *Sagas and Shadows*.
- Getting in touch with your inner Viking at the *Viking Encampment*.



L'Anse aux Meadows | 709-623-2608
709-458-2417 (off-season)
parks.canada.ca/meadows
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8 Ryan Premises

Take in the sights, sounds, and smells of this unique collection of historic waterfront buildings.

DON'T MISS

- The internationally-recognized *Cod, Seals and Survivors* exhibit.
- Bonavista's historic townscape and its many 19th-century clapboard buildings.



Bonavista | 709-468-1600 (June to Labour Day)
709-772-4734 (off-season)
parks.canada.ca/ryanpremises
@ParksCanadaNL | #RyanPremisesNHS



9 Castle Hill

Where European powers once battled for control of a continent.

DON'T MISS

- Spectacular views and panoramic scenery.
- Strolling the trails and exploring the remains of a 17th century fortification.



Placentia | 709-227-2401 (June to Labour Day)
709-772-4734 (off-season)
parks.canada.ca/castlehill | @ParksCanadaNL
#CastleHillNHS



10 Hawthorne Cottage

Historic family home of world-renowned Arctic explorer Captain Bob Bartlett.

DON'T MISS

- Seeing exhibits and artifacts from Bartlett's voyages while admiring this charming cottage in the picturesque town of Brigus.



Brigus | 709-528-4004 (June-Sept)
709-772-4734 (off-season)
parks.canada.ca/hawthornecottage
@ParksCanadaNL | #HawthorneNHS



11 Signal Hill

This stunning setting has hosted many exciting moments in military and communications history.

DON'T MISS

- Being a part of history by firing the Noon Day Gun.
- Exploring the Signal Hill Visitor Centre and discovering the fascinating history of this iconic landmark.



St. John's | 709-772-5367 (June-Sept)
709-772-0284 (off-season)
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@ParksCanadaNL | #SignalHillNHS



12 Cape Spear Lighthouse

The province's oldest lighthouse at the most easterly point in the country.

DON'T MISS

- Trying your hand at rope splicing and candle making. See what it was like to live in a lighthouse in the 1830s.
- Listening to storytellers' wild tales of adventure and mishaps.



St. John's | 709-772-2191 (June-Sept)
709-772-4734 (off-season)
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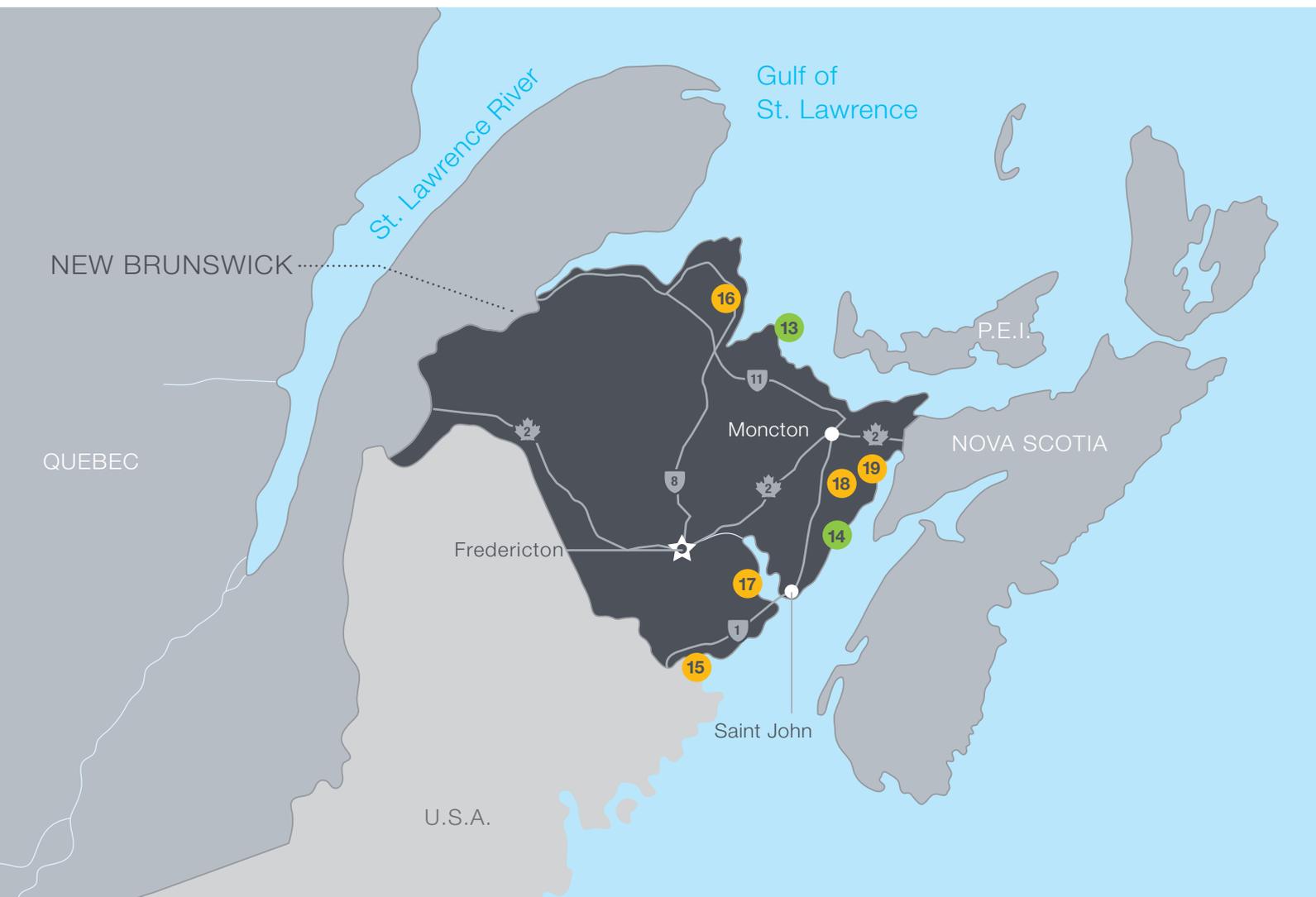
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Get a reward

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NEW BRUNSWICK



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**19 Fort Beauséjour–
Fort Cumberland**

Where the future of Acadie and North America hung in the balance.

DON'T MISS

- Fun Xplorers activities to keep the kids busy and happy!
- Taking in the scenery or seeing how many bird species you can spot.



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 506-364-5080
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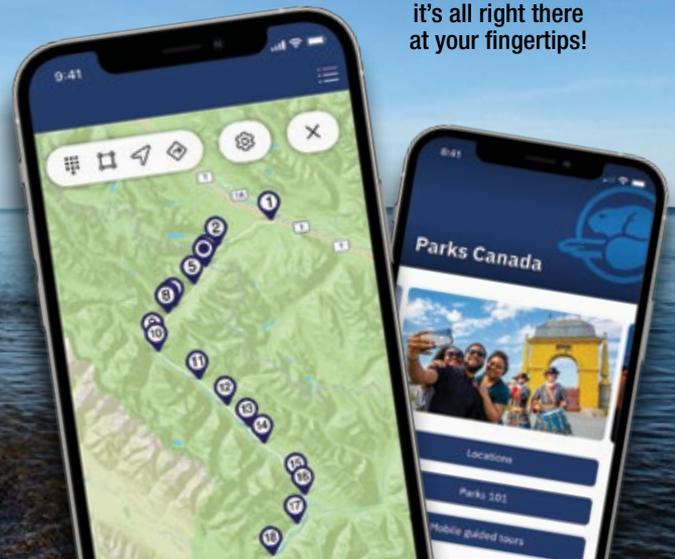
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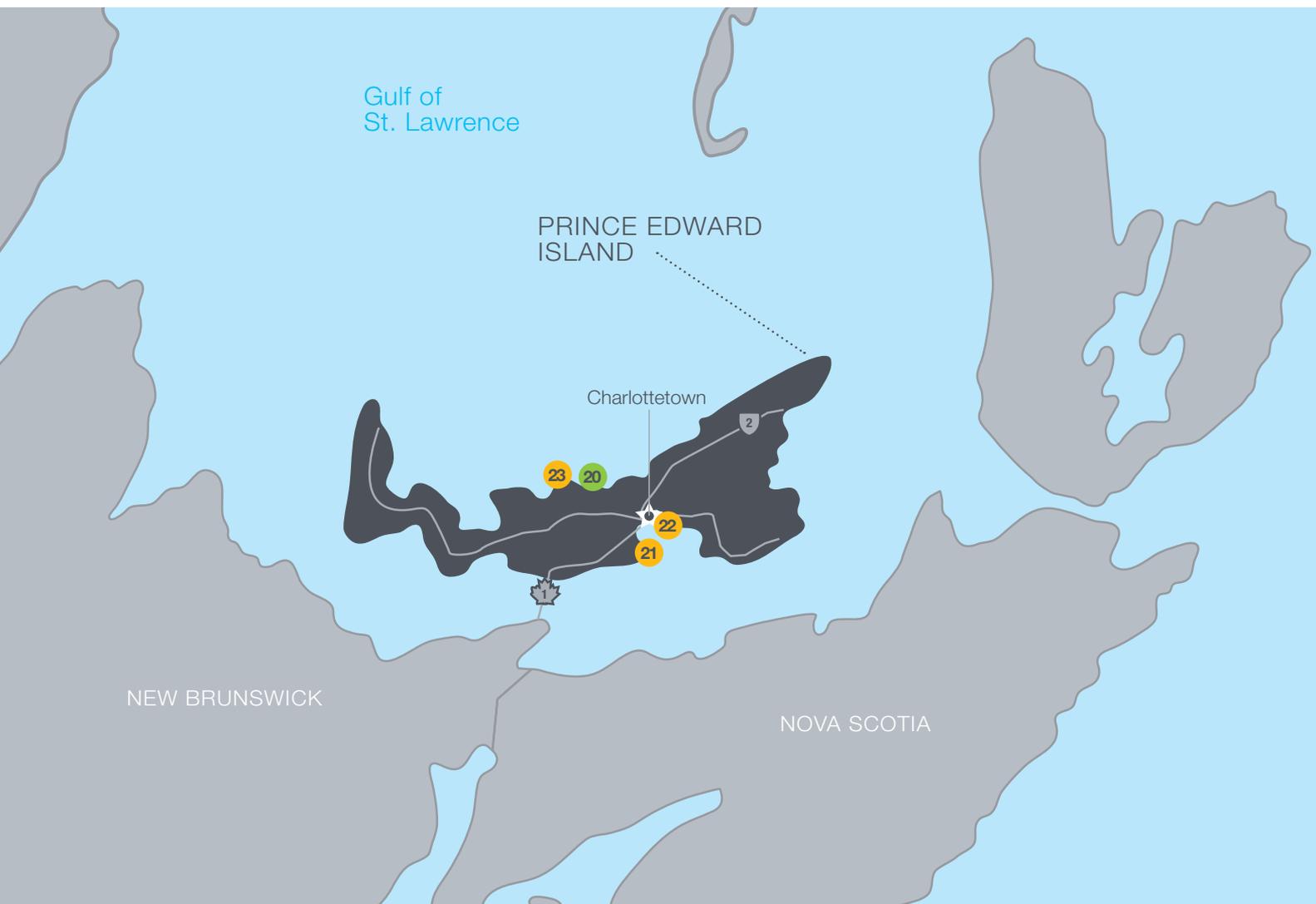
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- Locate nearby destinations, get directions, and start enjoying your favourite activities
- Plan your visit with pro tips, interactive content, videos, and more!
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DIRECTORY PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND



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20 Prince Edward Island

Cliff and dune-lined beaches, woodlands and wetlands rich with wildlife.

DON'T MISS

- Visiting Stanhope Beach for an entirely accessible beach experience!
- Dropping by the Beach Hut for interactive activities, including a touch tank and nature demonstrations.



Cavendish | 902-672-6350

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21 Skmaqñ-Port-la-Joye-Fort Amherst

Entry point for European settlers going to Île Saint-Jean to embark on a new life.

DON'T MISS

- Enjoying a peaceful escape with a breathtaking view of the Charlottetown Harbour.
- Exploring a 5 km trail network that crisscrosses the historic grounds.



Rocky Point | 902-566-7050

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22 Province House

The birthplace of Confederation and the seat of the provincial legislature since 1847.

The site is currently closed for conservation work.

Visitors are encouraged to seek out the *Province House Virtual Reality* experience and to visit *The Story of Confederation* exhibit next door at Confederation Centre of the Arts to find the replica of the Confederation Chamber and the film, *A Building of Destiny*.



Charlottetown | 902-566-7050

parks.canada.ca/provincehouse

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23 Green Gables Heritage Place

The farmstead that inspired author Lucy Maud Montgomery.

DON'T MISS

- Meeting Anne Shirley herself, from Montgomery's *Anne of Green Gables*.
- Touring Green Gables House and stroll on trails nearby.



Cavendish | 902-963-7874

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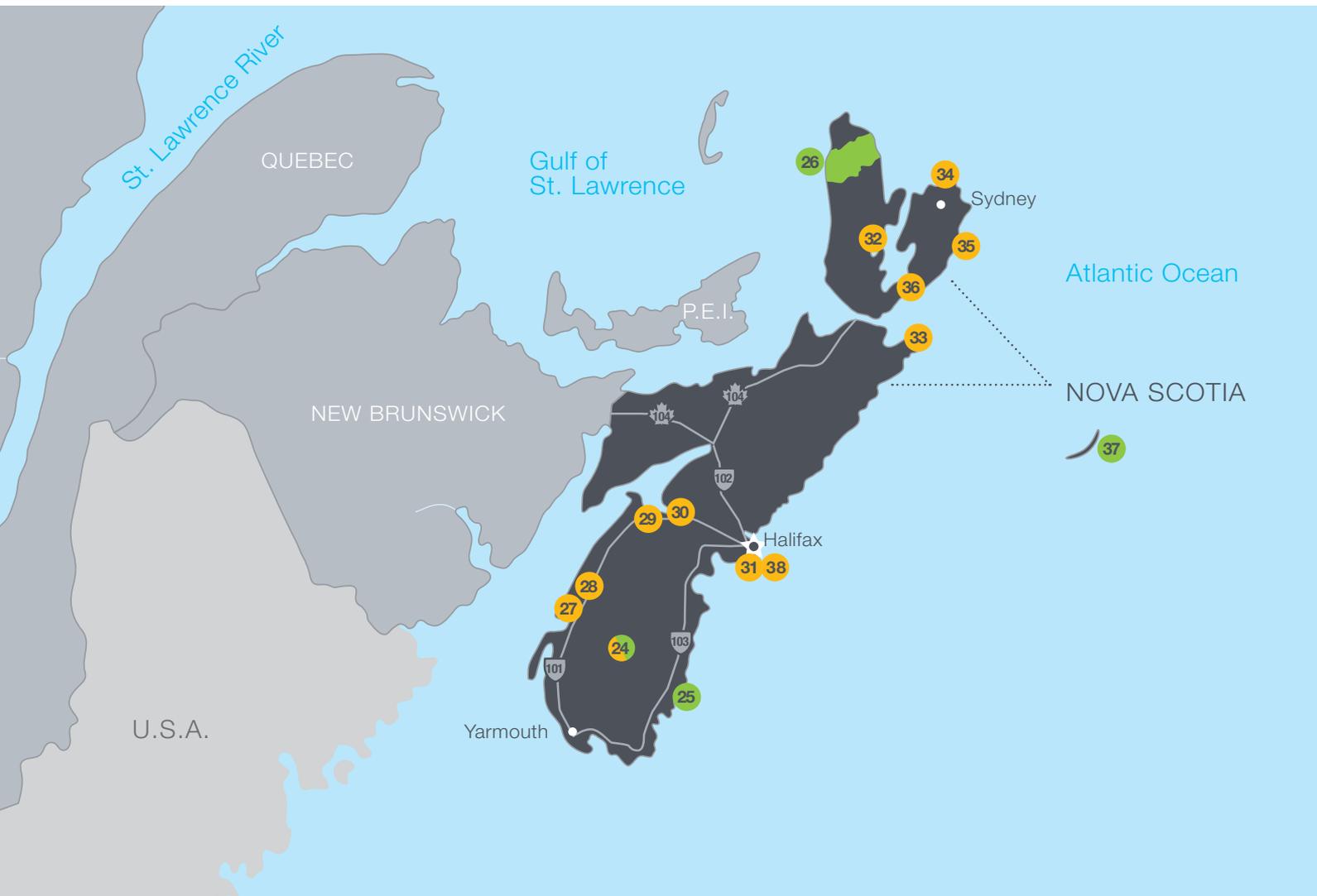
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DIRECTORY NOVA SCOTIA



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30 Fort Edward

Canada's oldest existing blockhouse sits on a hilltop overlooking Minas Basin.

DON'T MISS

- Enjoying a picnic lunch and dazzling views of the valley below.
- Stepping inside the blockhouse and spot soldiers' graffiti scratched into the walls.



Windsor – 65 km from Halifax
 902-532-2321
parks.canada.ca/fortedward
 @ParksCanada_NS | #FortEdward



31 Halifax Citadel

A strategic star-shaped hilltop fort with a commanding view of the Halifax Harbour.

DON'T MISS

- Playing a 78th Highlander and firing an authentic Snider-Enfield rifle!
- The noon cannon – one of the world's oldest cannon traditions!



Halifax | 902-426-5080
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32 Alexander Graham Bell

Site of a world-famous inventor whose genius helped shape the modern world.

DON'T MISS

- Holding history in your hands on a behind-the-scenes *White Glove Tour*.
- Racing Bell's HD-4, seeing its world speed record first-hand with a virtual reality experience.



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33 Canso Islands and Grassy Island Fort

Once renowned for its military importance and productive fisheries.

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- Seeing full-scale dioramas and a short film at the Canso Islands' Visitor Centre.
- Boarding the boat to Grassy Island and exploring the ruins of a battle-ravaged earthen fort.



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34 Marconi

Where Marconi transmitted the first wireless message across the Atlantic.

DON'T MISS

- Walking the site to see traces of where Marconi made global communications history.
- Seeing a model of the original station and tapping out a Morse code message.



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35 Fortress of Louisbourg

North America's largest historic reconstruction.

DON'T MISS

- Tasting Fortress™ Rum with the program *Rum: The Spirit of Louisbourg*.
- Discovering a part of the rich Mi'kmaw heritage of Unama'ki (Cape Breton Island).



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36 St. Peters Canal

Historic gateway connecting the Atlantic to an inland sea: the Bras d'Or Lake.

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- Setting sail, paddling or watching boats navigate through the intricate locks.
- Picnicking, fishing or reading the outdoor exhibits at this 800-metre long canal.



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37 Sable Island (Park Reserve)

A distant sandbar in the North Atlantic Ocean. This remote park reserve is a legacy of shipwrecks and lifesaving stations.

DON'T MISS

- Photographing wild horses, rare birds, and basking grey seals.
- Discovering how you can visit on the Sable Island website.



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38 Georges Island

A tiny island in the heart of the Halifax Harbour with a rich and fascinating history.

DON'T MISS

- Discovering Fort Charlotte's underground complex of tunnels on a guided tour.
- Enjoying a picnic with a spectacular view of the Halifax waterfront.



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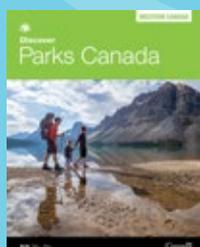


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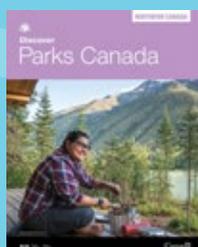
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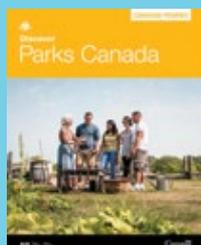
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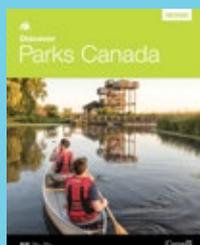
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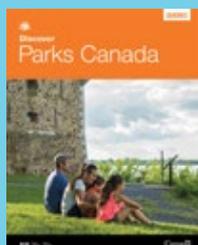
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