

# Cape Breton Island

*your heart will never leave.*

**2023 WINTER ADVENTURE GUIDE**



The highlands of Cape Breton Island have an extensive trail system with spectacular views, drive-up eateries, cozy accommodations, and of course, great camaraderie among riders.



## Four-Day Snowmobile Itinerary

Designed by **Clifford Aucoin**  
Cabot Snowmobile Club

### DAY ONE

1. Start at the Whycocomagh Provincial Park.
2. Travel to the look-off at Campbell's Mountain.
3. Travel along the trails to Inverness and stop for lunch.
4. Follow the trails to Baddeck for dinner and overnight.

*Driving Distance: 165 km*

### DAY TWO

5. Hit the trails to Northeast Margaree and have lunch at the Dancing Goat.
6. Take trails North and stop at scenic look-offs.
7. Follow trail to Chéticamp for dinner and overnight.

*Driving Distance: 120 km*

### DAY THREE

8. Take trail back toward Margaree, then to the look-off at Cape Clear for a picnic lunch.
9. Follow trails toward North River for look-off over North River Falls.
10. Take the northward trail to Wreck Cove for supper and overnight.

*Driving Distance: 120 km*

### DAY FOUR

11. Follow trails southward back to Whycocomagh to depart.

*Driving Distance: 130 km*







Hike one of our many trails to breathtaking ocean vistas, ice-covered waterfalls, or for a peaceful walk in the woods. You can also take in one of our many guided treks. Snowshoe rentals are available at various locations.



## Four-Day Snowshoeing Itinerary

Designed by **Tammy Aucoin** and **Chris van den Berg**  
Local Outdoor Adventure Ambassadors

### DAY ONE

1. Start in Louisbourg and snowshoe along the Ruins Walk Trail at the Fortress of Louisbourg National Historic Site.
2. Have lunch in downtown Sydney.
3. Travel to Ben Eoin and spend the night at The Lakes and enjoy a delicious supper.

*Driving Distance: 58 km*

### DAY TWO

4. Travel to Eskasoni and snowshoe around Goat Island with or without a guide.
5. Have lunch at The Frolic'n Folk Pub and Grill in Iona.
6. Travel to Baddeck spend the night and have supper at the Inverary Resort.

*Driving Distance: 102 km*

### DAY THREE

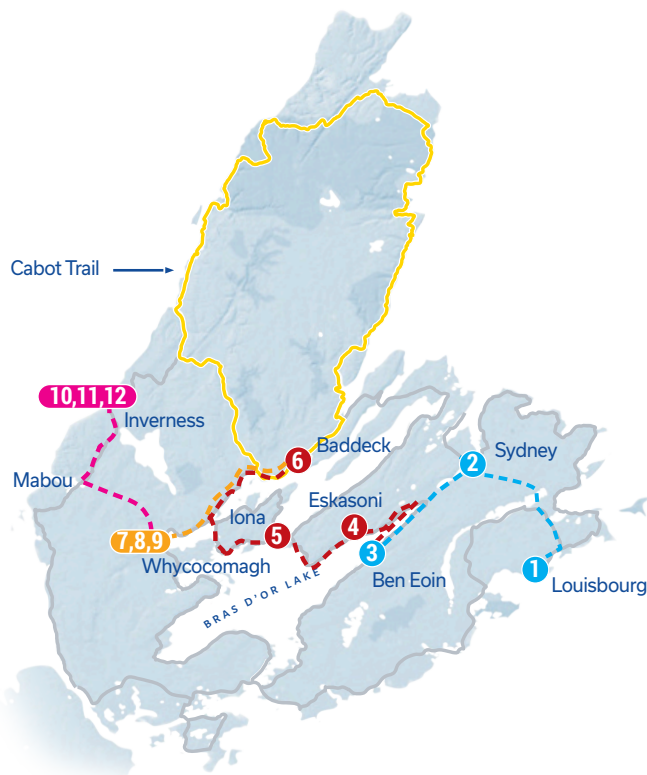
7. Travel to Whycocomagh and snowshoe Salt Mountain in the Whycocomagh Provincial Park.
8. Have a great meal at Farmer's Daughter Country Store.
9. Spend the night at Keltic Quay or Iron Mountain Wilderness Cabins.

*Driving Distance: 38 km*

### DAY FOUR

10. Travel to Inverness and visit the Inverness County Centre for the Arts.
11. Have lunch at A Small Town Deli.
12. Snowshoe along the Deepdale Trestle on the Celtic Shores Coastal Trail.

*Driving Distance: 45 km*







Cape Breton Island has a wealth of skiing facilities and trails that will appeal to cross-country, backcountry and even telemark skiers. Ski equipment rentals are available at various locations.



## Three-Day Nordic Skiing Itinerary

Designed by **Daniel Murray**  
Cross Country Nova Scotia

### DAY ONE

1. Start at the cross-country trail at Ski Ben Eoin.
2. Drive to North Sydney and have lunch at The Black Spoon Bistro before skiing the Cape Breton Nordic Trails.
3. Pick up some items for dinner for Day 2 at a grocery store in North Sydney.
4. Drive to the St. Ann's region to spend the night.

Driving Distance: 88 km

### DAY TWO

5. Head to Goose Cove and ski into Ski Tuonela to spend the day on trails there and overnight in their on-site cabins.

Driving Distance: 25 km

### DAY THREE

6. Ski out of Ski Tuonela and drive to Ingonish for lunch.
7. Drive to Cape North and spend the day on the trail at North Highlands Nordic.

Driving Distance: 111 km







# downhill skiing

Ski Ben Eoin



Only in Cape Breton will you find excellent downhill skiing overlooking the Bras d'Or Lake inland sea or the majestic Atlantic Ocean. Enjoy the slopes by day and cozy fireside dining at night after a great day of outdoor adventure.



## Weekend Downhill Ski Itinerary

Designed by **Katherine MacLeod**  
Local Skiing Enthusiast

### DAY ONE

1. Check into the Keltic Lodge at the Highlands.
2. Unwind and enjoy dinner and music at the Arduaine.

### DAY TWO

3. Ride the gondola and hit the slopes at Ski Cape Smokey.
4. Grab lunch at the Ski Cape Smokey Lodge.
5. Drive to Ben Eoin.
6. Check into The Lakes at Ben Eoin Golf Club and Resort.
7. Enjoy supper at Founders Restaurant.
8. Hit the slopes under the lights for a few last runs at Ski Ben Eoin.

*Driving Distance: 151 km*

### DAY THREE

9. Wake up and get ready for another day of skiing.
10. Spend the day at Ski Ben Eoin, have lunch at the Broken Buckle.
11. Leave for home.







# winter experiences & equipment rentals

No winter gear? No worries! A number of operators have equipment rentals to offer along with unique winter experiences. Snowshoes, skis, snowboards and snowmobiles are available for rent to allow you to enjoy one or all of our winter activities.







Snowshoe  
Rental



Snowmobile  
Rental



Ski  
Rental



Snowboard  
Rental



Skate  
Rental



Winter  
Experience



Snow  
Tubes

### 1. BADDECK PUBLIC LIBRARY

520 Chebucto St, Baddeck • 902-295-2055  
Tuesday-Thursday • 10am-8pm  
Friday-Saturday • 10am-5pm



### 2. BANNOCKBURN TOURS LTD.

1464 George St, Sydney • 902-295-3310  
bannockburntours.com



### 3. BRETON AIR

280 Silver Dart Way, Sydney • 902-789-2169  
bretonair.ca



### 4. CABOT SHORES WILDERNESS RESORT

30 Buchanan Dr, Indian Brook • 902-929-2584  
Monday-Sunday • All Day



### 5. CAPE BRETON HIGHLANDS NATIONAL PARK

37637 Cabot Trail, Ingonish  
Visitor Information Line • 902-224-2306  
Monday-Friday • 9am-4pm



### 6. CAPE BRETON NORDIC

370 Seaview Dr, North Sydney • 902-595-4149  
Saturday • 10am-3pm  
Wednesday • 1pm-6pm



### 7. CAPE BRETON REGIONAL LIBRARY LENDING PROGRAM

50 Falmouth St, Sydney • 902-562-3161  
Monday • 9am-5pm  
Tuesday-Thursday • 10am-8pm  
Friday-Saturday • 10am-5pm



### 8. CBRM RECREATION SNOWSHOE LENDING PROGRAM

320 Esplanade, Sydney  
902-563-5510 Ext 1 for Ashley  
Monday-Friday • 8:30am-4:30pm  
By Appointment Only



### 9. DESTINATION CAPE SMOKEY

38696 Cabot Trail, Ingonish Beach  
902-517-0371  
Wednesday, Thursday  
& Sunday • 9:30am-4:30pm  
Friday-Sunday • 9:30am-6:30pm



### 10. DESTINATION CAPE SMOKEY GONDOLA

38696 Cabot Trail, Ingonish Beach  
902-517-0371  
Wednesday, Thursday  
& Sunday • 9:30am-4:30pm  
Friday-Sunday • 9:30am-6:30pm



### 11. FORTRESS OF LOUISBOURG NATIONAL HISTORIC SITE

58 Wolfe St., Louisbourg • 902-733-3552  
Monday-Friday • 9:30am-4pm



### 12. FRAMEWORK CYCLE & FITNESS

333 George St, Sydney • 902-567-1909  
Monday-Friday • 9am-5pm  
Saturday • 9am-1pm



### 13. GLACE BAY LIBRARY

143 Commercial St, Glace Bay • 902-849-8657  
Monday • 12:30pm-8pm  
Tuesday-Thursday • 9:30am-8pm  
Friday • 9:30am-6pm  
Saturday • 9:30am-5pm



### 14. INVERNESS COUNTY WINTER GEAR RENTALS

375 Main St, Port Hood • 902-787-3508  
Monday-Friday • 8:30am-4pm



### 15. KNOTTY PINE COTTAGES

39111 Cabot Trail, Ingonish Ferry  
902-285-2058



### 16. MCINTYRE'S COTTAGES & CAMERON HOUSE

8908 Hwy 105, Baddeck • 902-295-1133



### 17. MEMBERTOU HERITAGE PARK

35 Su'n Awti, Membertou • 902-567-5333  
Monday-Friday • 9am-4pm



### 18. NORTH HIGHLANDS NORDIC

29481 Cabot Trail, Cape North • 902-383-2479  
Monday-Sunday • 9:30am-4:30pm



### 19. RICHMOND COUNTY WINTER GEAR LENDING PROGRAM

2357 Hwy 206, Arichat • 902-226-0664  
Monday-Friday • 8:30am-4pm



### 20. SKI BEN EOIN

5101 Hwy 4, Ben Eoin • 902-828-2804  
Monday-Thursday • 12pm-9pm  
Friday 9:30am-9pm  
Saturday • 9am-9pm  
Sunday • 9am-5pm



### 21. SKI TUONELA

49864 Cabot Trail, Goose Cove • 902-295-7694  
Monday-Sunday • Dawn-Dusk



### 22. SYDNEY & CAPE BRETON TAXI TOURS

60 Esplanade, Sydney • 902-549-2625  
Monday-Sunday • Dawn-Dusk



### 23. TNT ADVENTURES

1072 Cabot Trail, Hunter's Mountain  
902-227-7672  
tntoutdooradventures.ca



### 24. TWO RIVERS WILDLIFE PARK

4581 Grand Mira North Rd, Huntington  
902-727-2483  
Monday-Sunday • 10am-5pm



### 25. VALLEY VIEW CHALETs

360 Fielding Rd, Margaree Valley • 902-258-5621



### 26. VICTORIA NORTH REGIONAL LIBRARY

36243 Cabot Trail, Ingonish • 902-285-2544  
Tuesday-Thursday • 12am-5pm & 6pm-8pm  
Friday • 9am-12pm & 1pm-5pm  
Saturday • 10am-12pm & 1pm-5pm



### 27. WILFRED ORAM CENTENNIAL LIBRARY

309 Commercial St, North Sydney  
902-794-3272  
Monday • 12:30pm-5pm & 6pm-8pm  
Tuesday-Thursday • 9:30am-8pm  
Friday • 9:30am-6pm  
Saturday • 9:30am-5pm







# cultural & craft experiences

Flying Kite Studios  
Baddeck



Cape Breton Island's exceptional landscapes and rich living cultures make for the perfect inspiration for local art and craft. Visit our eclectic studios dotting the Island and see an artisan at work. Explore local stores for a unique shopping experience.



Shop  
Local



Craft  
Experience



Cultural  
Experience

## 1. ALBERT BRIDGE ALPACAS

173 Hillside Rd, Albert Bridge • 902-322-7149

Monday-Saturday • 9am-11:30am  
& 1:30pm-5pm

Appointment preferred



## 2. BOYSENBERRY BOUTIQUE AND CAFÉ

330 Charlotte St, Sydney • @boysenberry.cb

Saturday • 11am-4pm



## 3. CAPE BRETON BEARD FACTORY

60 Esplanade, Sydney • 902-574-8149

Monday-Saturday • 11am-6pm



## 4. CAPE BRETON CENTRE FOR CRAFT AND DESIGN

322 Charlotte St, Sydney • 902-539-7491

Monday & Saturday • 10am-4pm

Tuesday-Wednesday & Friday • 10am-6pm

Saturday • 10am-7pm



## 5. CAPE BRETON CURIOSITY SHOP

296 Charlotte St, Sydney • 902-564-4660

Tuesday-Saturday • 10am-4pm



## 6. CAPE BRETON GALLERY

15830 Central Ave, Inverness • 902-615-5586

Thursday-Monday • 10am-5pm





## 7. CELTIC MUSIC INTERPRETIVE CENTRE

5471 Hwy 19, Judique • 902-787-2708

Sunday Cèilidhs • 2pm-5pm

Gift shop open by appointment



## 8. CHOCOLATEA

9383 Pepperel St, St. Peter's • 902-317-9363



## 9. COLAISDE NA GÁIDHLIG | THE GAELIC COLLEGE

51779 Cabot Trail, St. Ann's • 902-295-3411

Wednesday Night Cèilidhs • 7:30pm-9pm



## 10. ESKASONI CULTURAL JOURNEYS

1 Goat Island Trail, Eskasoni • 902-919-2320

Trails open daily



## 11. FIRED CREATIONS • THE POTTERY PAINTING CAFÉ

582 George St, Sydney • 902-539-3473

Monday-Thursday • 10am-9pm

Friday & Saturday • 10am-10pm

Sunday • 11am-8pm



## 12. FUSED GLASS BY BRENT HARDING STUDIO

701 Main-à-Dieu Rd, Catalone • 902-574-6200

Monday-Sunday • Call For Appointment



## 13. GET NAUTI

211 Esplanade, Sydney • 902-270-0030

Monday-Saturday • 10am-5pm

Sunday • 12pm-5pm



## 14. GROOVY GOAT FARM & SOAP COMPANY

36028 Cabot Trail, Ingonish • 902-285-2265

Monday-Sunday • By Appointment Only



## 15. HIGHLINE BOARDSHOP

1290 Kings Rd, Sydney • 902-562-1671

Monday-Saturday • 11am-5pm



## 16. INVERNESS COUNTY CENTRE FOR THE ARTS

16080 Hwy 19, Inverness • 902-258-2533

Tuesday-Sunday • 12pm-5pm



## 17. JAC-OUT-OF-THE-BOX JEWELRY

54 Prince St, Sydney • 902-304-0032

Tuesday & Wednesday • 10am-4pm

Thursday • 10am-6pm

Friday & Saturday • 10am-4pm



## 18. LARCH WOOD ENTERPRISES

117 E Margaree Crossing, Margaree

902-235-2949

Manufacturing Facility Open Monday-Friday

8:00am-4:30pm



## 19. LA QUAINTELLE BOUTIQUE

258 Commercial St, North Sydney

902-574-7271

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday • 11am-5pm

Thursday • 11am-7pm

Saturday • 11am-4pm



## 20. MARGUERITE BOUTIQUE ET PROVISIONS

15347 Cabot Trail, Chéticamp • 902-371-0064

Monday-Sunday • 8am-6pm



## 21. MEMBERTOU HERITAGE PARK

35 Su'n Awti, Membertou • 902-567-5333

Monday-Friday • 9am-4pm



## 22. NOVA SOAPIA

3068 Kings Rd, Sydney Forks • 902-304-7500

Monday-Thursday • 12pm-5pm



## 23. OAKLEAVES NATIVE CREATIONS NANCY OAKLEY

Eskasoni • 902-577-1310

Monday-Sunday • By Appointment Only



## 24. PHEE'S ORIGINAL GOODS

170 George St, Studio 402, Sydney

902-623-2856

Monday-Friday • 11am-4pm



## 25. STANDING STONE SILVER BEN SICKLES

Eskasoni • 902-890-9810

Monday-Sunday • By Appointment Only



## 26. SHOP THE FIDDLE

74 Esplanade St, Sydney • 902-564-0800



## 27. SUGAR PIE HONEY SCRUNCH

54 Prince St, Sydney • 902-221-1738

Tuesday & Wednesday • 10am-4pm

Thursday • 10am-6pm

Friday & Saturday • 10am-4pm



## 28. THE BEST OF CAPE BRETON GIFT SHOP

188 Charlotte St, Sydney • 902-567-9666

Monday-Friday • 9:30am-4pm



## 29. THE CAPE BRETON FUDGE COMPANY

1290 Kings Rd, Suite 26, Sydney

902-539-9930

Monday-Friday • 10am-4pm



## 30. THE FARMERS DAUGHTER COUNTRY STORE

9393 Hwy 105, Whybocomagh • 902-756-9042

Monday-Friday • 8am-6pm



## 31. THE MIDDLE GROUND MARKET

54 Prince St, Sydney • 902-371-4440

Tuesday & Wednesday • 10am-4pm

Thursday • 10am-6pm

Friday & Saturday • 10am-4pm



## 32. THE OPULENT ALPACA

15753 Central Ave, Inverness • 902-258-3581

Thursday-Friday • 10am-4pm



## 33. THE SPACE BETWEEN CB

54 Prince St, Sydney • 902-304-0032

Tuesday & Wednesday • 10am-4pm

Thursday • 10am-6pm

Friday & Saturday • 10am-4pm



## 34. V POTTERY

26 Cap La Ronde Rd, D'Escousse

902-631-2995

Monday-Sunday • By Appointment Only



## 35. WILLOW AND TWIG

Marion Bridge • By Appointment Only

willowandtwigcreative@gmail.com







# where to eat & drink

The Brixton  
Glace Bay



There are numerous options for eating and drinking from funky cafés to award-winning craft breweries.

*\* Note: in addition to establishments listed here, there are many other year-round eateries, particularly in the Sydney and Port Hawkesbury areas.*



Drinks  
Only

## 1. A BETTER BITE CAFÉ • ELTUEK ARTS CENTRE

170 George St, Sydney • 902-539-9560 Ext 230  
Monday–Friday • 8:30am–4:30pm

## 2. A BITE OF ASIA

76-80 Dorchester St, Sydney • 902-270-7777  
Tuesday–Thursday • 11am–8pm  
Friday • 11am–8:30pm  
Saturday • 12pm–8:30pm  
Sunday • 4pm–8pm

## 3. ADMIRAL LOUNGE AND CAFÉ

148 Main St, Port Hood • 902-787-3494  
Tuesday–Saturday • 12pm–7pm

## 4. ANDREW'S PIZZERIA

37092 Cabot Trail, Ingonish • 902-285-2475  
Thursday–Saturday • 3pm–7pm

## 5. A SMALL TOWN DELI

15751 Central Ave, Inverness • 902-258-3710  
Monday–Friday • 8am–4pm

## 6. BOARDWALK TAPROOM & EATERY

320 Esplanade St, Sydney • 902-270-9255  
Sunday–Thursday • 11am–8pm  
Friday–Saturday • 11am–9pm

## 7. BIG INTERVALE FISHING LODGE

3719 W Big Intervale Rd, Margaree Valley  
902-248-2275  
Friday–Sunday • 12pm–8pm

## 8. BIG SPRUCE BREWING

64 Yankee Line Rd, Nyanza • 902-295-2537  
Wednesday–Thursday • 11am–6pm  
Friday–Sunday • 12pm–6pm

## 9. BITTEN MOON PUB

78 McKeen St, Glace Bay • 902-849-8970  
Tuesday–Wednesday • 2pm–11pm  
Thursday–Saturday • 2pm–1am  
Sunday • 11am–9pm

## 10. BRETON BREWING CO.

364 Keltic Dr, Sydney • 902-270-4677  
Monday–Wednesday • 12pm–8pm  
Thursday–Saturday • 12pm–9pm  
Sunday • 12pm–5pm



## 11. BROKEN BUCKLE AT SKI BEN EOIN

5101 Hwy 4, Ben Eoin • 902-828-2804  
Monday–Saturday • 12pm–10pm  
Sunday • 12pm–6pm

## 12. BROOK VILLAGE GROCERY

3482 Hwy 252, Brook Village • 902-945-2757  
Monday–Friday • 8am–6pm  
Saturday–Sunday • 10am–4pm

## 13. CAPE BRETON FARMER'S MARKET

15 Falmouth St, Sydney • 902-564-9948  
Saturday • 10am–2pm

## 14. CAPE BRETON FRIED CHICKEN

10003 Hwy 105, Nyanza • 902-295-0845  
Wednesday–Sunday • 2pm–8pm

## 15. CLEANWAVE RESTAURANT

10765 Hwy 105, Wagmatcook • 902-295-1542  
Monday–Friday • 11am–6pm

## 16. COAL MINER'S CAFE

15832 Central Ave, Inverness • 902-258-3413  
Sunday–Thursday • 8am–4pm  
Friday • 8am–7pm

## 17. COLETTE'S FAMILY RESTAURANT

201 Brookside St, Glace Bay • 902-849-8430  
Monday–Sunday • 6am–8:30pm

## 18. COUNTRY KITCHEN AT HEARTH-STONE INN PORT HAWKESBURY

388 Hwy 4, Port Hawkesbury • 902-625-2480  
Monday–Sunday • 7am–8pm

## 19. CROWN AND MOOSE PUB

300 Esplanade, Sydney • 902-567-7014  
Sunday–Thursday • 4pm–10pm  
Friday–Saturday • 4pm–12am

## 20. DANIEL'S ALEHOUSE AND EATERY

456 Charlotte St, Sydney • 902-562-8586  
Sunday–Wednesday • 11am–8pm  
Thursday–Saturday • 11:00am–11:00pm

## 21. DARBY'S OLD CHURCH KITCHEN

2689 Hwy 233, McKinnon's Harbour  
902-725-2500  
Friday–Sunday • 11am–7pm

## 22. DORYMAN PUB & GRILL

15528 Cabot Trail, Chéticamp • 902-224-9909  
Monday–Thursday • 11am–2pm & 4pm–8pm  
Friday • 11am–2pm & 4pm–9pm  
Saturday • 11am–8pm  
Sunday • 9am–8pm

## 23. DOUCETTE'S MARKET & EATERY

37867 Cabot Trail, Ingonish Beach  
902-285-2861  
Monday–Sunday • 9am–7pm

## 24. FLAVOR ON THE WATER

60 Esplanade St, Sydney • 902-567-1043  
Saturday • 10:30am–9:30pm  
Sunday • 10:30am–9:00pm  
Monday–Thursday • 11am–8:30pm  
Friday • 11am–9:30pm

## 25. FLEUR-DE-LIS TEA ROOM

634 Reeves St, Port Hawkesbury  
902-625-2566  
Monday–Sunday • 8:30am–7pm

## 26. FOUNDERS RESTAURANT AT THE LAKES GOLF CLUB & RESORT

5153 East Bay Hwy, Ben Eoin  
902-828-2277 Ext 2  
Thursday–Sunday • 4pm–9pm



**27. GO BISTRO AT CABOT SHORES  
WILDERNESS RESORT**

30 Buchanan Dr, Indian Brook • 902-929-2584  
Monday-Sunday • By Appointment Only

**28. GOVERNOR'S PUB & EATERY**

233 Esplanade St, Sydney • 902-562-7646  
Thursday-Saturday • 11am-10pm  
Sunday-Wednesday • 11am-9pm

**29. HAPPINESS IS HOMEMADE BAKERY**

29 Highland St, Ingonish • 902-285-4113  
Check Facebook for hours of operation:  
@Ingonishbakery

**30. IRON MOUNTAIN  
WILDERNESS CABINS**

901 Whycomomagh Mountain Rd,  
Whycomomagh • 902-932-7137  
Monday-Sunday • 9am-10pm



**31. ISLAND FOLK CIDER HOUSE**

52 Nepean St, Sydney • 902-270-5490  
Tuesday • 12pm-6pm  
Wednesday-Thursday • 12pm-8pm  
Friday-Saturday • 12pm-9pm  
Sunday • 12pm-6pm



**32. JUST IN THYME  
HOMESTYLE EATERY**

1290 Kings Rd, Sydney • 902-539-0317  
Monday-Sunday • 9pm-9pm

**33. KIJU'S RESTAURANT**

50 Maillard St, Membertou • 902-562-6220  
Monday-Sunday • 11am-9pm

**34. LA GOÉLETTE À PÉPÉ CAFÉ**

2393 Hwy 206, Arichat • 902-631-4051  
Monday-Friday • 6:30am-6pm  
Saturday • 8am-4pm

**35. LE GABRIEL SPORTS BAR**

15424 Main St, Chéticamp • 902-224-3685  
Monday-Sunday • 11am-7pm

**36. LOUIE'S COSY CORNER**

9985 Grenville St, St. Peter's • 902-535-3195  
Monday-Sunday • 8am-9pm

**37. MABOU RIVER INN PIZZA**

19 Southwest Ridge Rd, Mabou • 902-945-2356  
Friday-Saturday • 3pm-8pm

**38. MACBOUCH RESTAURANT &  
LOUNGE**

9975 Grenville St, St. Peter's • 902-535-3578  
Monday-Sunday • 11am-7pm

**39. MARGUERITE BOUTIQUE ET  
PROVISIONS**

15347 Cabot Trail, Chéticamp • 902-371-0064  
Monday-Sunday • 8am-6pm

**40. MCCURDY'S LANDING  
JA DOUGLAS MCCURDY AIRPORT**

280 Silver Dart Way, Reserve Mines  
902-564-5448  
Monday-Wednesday • 4:00am-8:00am &  
2:00pm-5:00pm  
Thursday • 4:00am-8:00am & 2:00pm-8:00pm  
Friday & Saturday • 4:00am-8:00pm  
Sunday • 4:00am-5:00pm

Find us on Facebook @McCurdysLanding

**41. MIAN'S RESTAURANT**

416 George St, Sydney • 902-270-2821  
Monday-Thursday • 11am-9pm  
Friday • 11am-10pm  
Saturday • 12pm-10pm  
Sunday • 1pm-8pm

**42. MILLER'S • MARITIME INN PORT  
HAWKESBURY**

717 Reeves St, Port Hawkesbury  
902-625-5250  
Monday-Sunday • 7am-9pm

**43. MIRA FERRY MARKET**

4114 Louisbourg Hwy, Albert Bridge  
902-562-4142  
Monday-Sunday • 6am-11pm

**44. MISSY'S DINER**

4114 Louisbourg Hwy, Albert Bridge  
902-562-4142  
Monday-Sunday • 7am-6pm  
Open until 8pm for takeout

**45. MR. CHICKEN**

15546 Cabot Trail, Chéticamp • 902-224-2975  
Friday-Sunday • 11am-6:30pm

**46. NARU SUSHI**

216 Bentinck St, Sydney • 902-270-8800  
Monday-Saturday • 11am-9pm

**47. NIGHT OWL COFFEE CO**

36188 Cabot Trail, Ingonish • 902-285-0770  
nightowlcoffee.ca for hours





## 48. NOT JUST CAKES SWEET STUDIO

340 Keltic Dr, Sydney River • 902-564-6000

Tuesday–Friday • 10am–6pm

Saturday • 10am–4pm

## 49. SANDEANNIE'S BAKERY & TEA ROOM

8263 Hwy 19, Port Hood • 902-787-2558

Wednesday–Sunday • 7:30am–3pm

## 50. SALTSPRAY

300 Esplanade, Sydney • 902-567-7015

Monday–Friday • 6:30am–10am

Saturday–Sunday • 7am–11am

## 51. SEAL COVE RESTAURANT & LOUNGE

474 Hwy 320, Louisdale • 902-345-0655

Monday–Tuesday • 11am–7pm

Wednesday • 11am–8pm

Thursday–Friday • 11am–10pm

Saturday • 10am–10pm

Sunday • 10am–8pm

## 52. SELKIE'S NEIGHBOURHOOD DINER

390 Charlotte St, Sydney

Wednesday–Saturday • 9am–2pm

## 53. STEEL CITY SPORTS BAR & STEAKHOUSE

252 Townsend St, Sydney • 902-562-4501

Monday–Tuesday • 10am–10pm

Wednesday • 10am–2am

Thursday–Saturday • 10am–12am

Sunday • 12pm–10pm

## 54. STEVENSON & SON FAMILY KITCHEN

25 Patti's Lane, Ingonish • 902-418-6909

Thursday–Sunday • 11am–7pm

## 55. SWAAGAT SYDNEY • THE REAL TASTE OF INDIA

453 Prince St, Sydney • 902-270-5686

Monday–Sunday • 11am–10pm

## 56. SWEET SIDE OF THE MOON BAKERY AND CAFÉ

78 McKeen St, Glace Bay • 902-849-5898

Monday–Saturday • 8am–6pm

## 57. THE ANNEX

66 Lower Railway St., Inverness • 902-258-3173

Thursday–Monday • Dinner

Opening February 2

## 58. THE ARDUAINÉ IN THE Keltic LODGE AT THE HIGHLANDS

383 Keltic In Rd, Middle Head Peninsula,  
Ingonish Beach • 902-285-2880

Monday–Sunday • 6:00pm–10:00pm

## 59. THE BLACK SPOON BISTRO

320 Commercial St, North Sydney

902-241-3300

Wednesday–Saturday • 11am–7pm

## 60. THE BREW AND BUBBLE

76 Townsend St., Sydney • 902-500-0526

Tuesday–Friday • 11am–6pm

Saturday • 12pm–5pm

## 61. THE BRIXTON

115 Commercial St., Glace Bay • 902-919-4201

Tuesday–Saturday • 5pm–11pm

Sunday • 10am–2pm

## 62. THE CHICKEN SHACK & PIZZA PI

295 Commercial St, Glace Bay • 902-849-5050

Monday–Sunday • 11am–10pm

## 63. THE CLANSMAN MOTEL

9 Baird St, North Sydney • 1-800-565-2668

Monday–Sunday • 7am–8pm

## 64. THE DANCING GOAT CAFÉ & BAKERY

6289 Cabot Trail, NE Margaree • 902-248-2727

Tuesday–Saturday • 7:30am–4pm

Sunday • 8am–4pm

## 65. THE DANCING MOOSE CAFÉ, COTTAGE & CAMPING CABINS

42691 Cabot Trail, Birch Plain • 902-929-2523

Friday–Sunday • 8am–2pm

## 66. THE DORY PUB AND RESTAURANT

600 Westmount Rd, Sydney • 902-562-0515

Sunday–Thursday • 4pm–9pm

Friday–Saturday • 4pm–10pm

## 67. THE FARMER'S DAUGHTER COUNTRY MARKET

9393 Hwy 105, Whycocomagh • 902-756-9042

Monday–Sunday • 8:00am–6:00pm

## 68. THE GASLIGHT CAFÉ

1467 George St, Sydney • 902-270-3135

Monday–Saturday • 10am–6pm

## 69. THE GROUNDSWELL PUB & INN

3283 Hwy 320, D'Escousse • 902-777-7777

Thursday–Sunday • 4pm–9pm

## 70. THE ISLAND NEST

2334 Hwy 206, Arichat • 902-226-0033

Monday–Sunday • 11am–7pm

## 71. THE LEBANESE FLOWER RESTAURANT

14 Dorchester St, Sydney • 902-562-3412

Monday–Saturday • 11am–8pm

Sunday • 2pm–8pm

## 72. THE NARROWS CAFÉ AND BAR

368 Shore Rd, Baddeck • 902-295-3500 ext 1

Monday–Sunday • 8am–10pm

## 73. THE OLD TRIANGLE IRISH ALEHOUSE

424 Charlotte St, Sydney • 902-270-8003

Monday–Tuesday • 12pm–10pm

Wednesday–Thursday • 12pm–11pm

Friday–Saturday • 12pm–2am

Sunday • 4pm–10pm

## 74. THE STEEL GROUNDS CAFÉ THE NEW HORIZON ACHIEVEMENT CENTRE

258 Ferry St, Sydney • 902-539-8553

Monday–Friday • 8am–3pm

## 75. THE UGLY MUG CAFÉ & EMPORIUM

1290 Kings Rd, Sydney • 902-270-8459

Monday–Friday • 7:30am–4pm

Saturday • 9am–4pm

Sunday • 10am–3pm

## 76. TOM'S PIZZA RESTAURANT

464 Chebucto St, Baddeck • 902-295-1516

Monday–Wednesday • 11am–9pm

Thursday–Saturday • 11am–10pm

## 77. TRIO

380 Esplanade, Sydney • 902-563-7009

Monday–Sunday • 5pm–9pm

## 78. WABO'S PIZZA, SUB & DONAIR

15279 Cabot Trail, Chéticamp • 902-224-3756

Monday–Wednesday • 4pm–7pm

Thursday–Friday • 11am–9pm

Saturday–Sunday • 3pm–8pm

## 79. WRECK COVE GENERAL STORE

42470 Cabot Trail, Birch Plain • 902-929-2900

Wednesday–Saturday • 9am–5pm

Sunday • 10am–4pm









# where to stay

The Keltic Lodge at the Highlands  
Ingonish



From cozy cabins to luxurious suites to Mongolian yurts, we have a range of accommodation options to meet your taste. We recommend you book early, especially on weekends, to ensure you get your preferred accommodation.







Dining  
Option

### 1. A B&B BY THE RIVER

351 Helmut's Ln, Cleveland • 902-625-6541  
by-the-river.com

### 2. AUBERGE BAYWIND SUITES

15299 Cabot Trail, Chéticamp • 902-224-3800  
baywindsuites.com

### 3. BACK COVE COTTAGES

222 New Haven Rd, Neil's Harbour  
902-336-2812  
backcovecottages.com

### 4. BACK HOME BED & BREAKFAST

2000 Gabarus Hwy, Dutch Brook  
902-562-5555  
backhomebedandbreakfast.ca

### 5. BADDECK INN

8282 Hwy 105, Baddeck • 902-295-2200  
baddeck-inn.com

### 6. BIG INTERVALE FISHING LODGE

3719 W Big Intervale Rd, Margaree Valley  
902-248-2275 • bigintervale.com



### 7. BUFFETFLY COTTAGE VACATION HOME

36785 Cabot Trail, Ingonish • 902-285-2294  
ingonishvacationrentals.com

### 8. CABOT SHORES WILDERNESS RESORT

30 Buchanan Dr, Indian Brook • 902-929-2584  
cabotshores.com



### 9. CAMBRIDGE SUITES SYDNEY

380 Esplanade, Sydney • 902-562-6500  
Monday-Sunday • All Day



### 10. CAPE BRETON VILLAS

43 Godfrey Rd., Inverness • 902-615-5000  
capebretonvillas.com

### 11. CAPE SMOKEY VACATION COTTAGE • CAPE ESCAPE

36785 Cabot Trail, Unit # 17, Ingonish Beach  
902-285-2294  
ingonishvacationrentals.com

### 12. CASTLE ROCK COUNTRY INN

39339 Cabot Trail, Ingonish • 902-285-2700  
castlerockcountryinn.com



### 13. CHÉTICAMP OUTBACK INN LTD.

909 Chéticamp Back Rd, Chéticamp  
902-224-8025

### 14. CLIFF WATERS VACATION PROPERTIES

1026 Red River Rd, Pleasant Bay • 902-241-1130  
cliffwaters.ca

### 15. COASTAL DREAM VACATION HOME

36785 Cabot Trail, Ingonish • 902-285-2294  
ingonishvacationrentals.com

### 16. CQ VACATION HOME • CAPTAIN'S QUARTERS

120 Beach Crossing Rd, Ingonish • 902-285-2294  
ingonishvacationrentals.com

### 17. CRANTON COTTAGES

29 Cranton Crossroads, Margaree Centre  
902-248-2316 • crantoncottages.com

### 18. FIELDSTONE GARDEN COTTAGE

45810 Cabot Trail, Indian Brook • 902-929-2270  
fieldstonegarden.com

### 19. GAIA COTTAGE VACATION HOME

36785 Cabot Trail, Ingonish • 902-285-2294  
ingonishvacationrentals.com

### 20. HAMPTON INN BY HILTON SYDNEY

60 Maillard St, Membertou • 902-564-6555



FOR GUESTS ONLY

### 21. HEARTHSTONE INN PORT HAWKESBURY

388 Hwy 4, Port Hawkesbury • 902-625-2480  
hearthstonehospitality.ca



### 22. HEARTHSTONE INN SYDNEY

560 Kings Rd, Sydney • 902-539-8101  
hearthstonehospitality.ca

### 23. HEBRIDEAN MOTEL

39 Company Rd, Port Hood • 902-787-3214  
hebrideanmotel.ca

### 24. HIGHLANDS HOSTEL

29295 Cabot Trail, Cape North • 902-383-2371  
highlandshostel.ca

### 25. HOLIDAY INN SYDNEY WATERFRONT

300 Esplanade, Sydney • 902-562-7500



### 26. INGONISH BY THE SEA

4067 Hwy 2, Ingonish • 902-285-2294  
capebretonvacationrentals.com

### 27. INGONISH CHALETs

36784 Cabot Trail, Ingonish • 902-285-2008  
ingonishchalets.com

### 28. INN ON THE INTERVALE

134 Stoney Brook Rd, Judique • 902-285-2008  
innontheintervale.com

### 29. INVERARY RESORT

368 Shore Rd, Baddeck • 1-800-565-5660  
inveraryresort.com



### 30. IRON MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS CABINS

901 Whycocomagh Mountain Rd,  
Whycocomagh • 902-932-7137  
ironmountaincabins.ca





# where to stay

Inverary Resort  
Baddeck



Dining  
Option

## 31. JACQUES CARTIER MOTEL

1396 Grand Lake Rd, Sydney • 902-539-4375  
jacquescartiermotel.com

## 32. Keltic Lodge at the Highlands

383 Keltic In Rd, Ingonish Beach • 902-932-7137  
kelticlodge.ca



## 33. Keltic Quay

90 Main St, Whycocomagh • 902-756-1122  
kelticquay.com

## 34. Knotty Pine Cottages

39111 Cabot Trail, Ingonish Ferry • 800-445-2058  
knottypinecottages.ca

## 35. Lakeland Cottages

23 Broad Cove Marsh Rd., Inverness  
902-317-7263

## 36. Lakeside Luxury Domes

3741 West Bay Rd, St George's Channel  
902-482-8820  
lakesideluxury.ca

## 37. Lynwood Inn

441 Shore Rd, Baddeck • 902-295-1995  
lynwoodinn.com

## 38. Mabou River Inn

19 Southwest Ridge Rd, Mabou  
902-945-2356 • mabouriverinn.com



## 39. Maison Fiset House

15050 Cabot Trail, Chéticamp • 902-224-1794  
maisonfisethouse.ca

## 40. Maritime Inn Port Hawkesbury

717 Reeves St, Port Hawkesbury  
902-625-0320 • maritimeinns.com



## 41. McIntyre's Cottages & Cameron House

8908 Hwy 105, Baddeck • 902-295-1133  
mcintyrescottages.com

## 42. North River Lodge

24 Murray rd., North River Bridge  
902-929-2344

## 43. Pepperell Place Inn

9383 Pepperell St, St. Peter's • 902-317-9363  
pepperellplace.ca

## 44. Port Morien Rectory Bed & Breakfast

2652 Morien Hwy, Port Morien • 902-737-1453

## 45. Sally's Brook Wilderness Cabins

118 Black Head Rd, Englishtown  
902-500-4450  
sallysbrook.com

## 46. Seaweed and Sod Farm, Bed and Breakfast

7952 Kempt Head Rd, Kempt Head  
902-577-1129  
seaweedandsod.ca

## 47. Selkie's Rest

157 Twining St, Baddeck • 902-302-9771  
selkiesrest.com

## 48. Shoreline Adventure Center

41682 Cabot Trail, Wreck Cove • 902-929-2246  
shorelineadventurecenter.com

## 49. Sidanna Retreat

70 Maggie's Ln, Sugarloaf • 902-999-1774  
sidannaretreat.com

## 50. Spanish Bay Inn

10 Pitt St, Sydney • 902-562-5747  
spanishbayinn.ca

## 51. St. Esprit Lake Wilderness Holiday

4834 Fourchu Rd., St. Esprit • 902-587-2979

## 52. Telegraph House Motel

479 Chebucto St, Baddeck • 902-295-1100

## 53. The Clansman Motel

9 Baird St, North Sydney • 1-800-565-2668  
clansmanmotel.com



## 54. The Dancing Moose Café, Cottage & Camping Cabins

42691 Cabot Trail, Birch Plain • 902-929-2523  
thedancingmoosecafe.com



## 55. The Groundswell Pub & Inn

3283 Hwy 320, D'Escousse • 902-777-7777  
Monday-Sunday • All Day • thegroundswell.ca



## 56. The Iona Heights Inn

4115 Hwy 223, Iona • 844-733-4662  
lonaheightsinn.com  
\*Closed in January



## 57. The Lakes at Ben Eoin Golf Club & Resort

5153 East Bay Hwy, Ben Eoin • 902-828-4653  
lakesresort.ca



## 58. The Spruces Accommodations Inc

36056 Cabot Trail, Ingonish • 902-578-7127  
thespruces.ca



## 59. Troy Lodge Cottages

719 Hwy 19, Troy • 902-625-1684

## 60. Valley View Chalets

360 Fielding Rd, Margaree Valley  
902-258-5621 • valleyviewchalets.ca

## 61. Welcome Waves Beachfront House

36791 Cabot Trail, Ingonish • 902-285-2294  
ingonishvacationrentals.com

## 62. Wreck Cove Wilderness Cabins

42321 Cabot Trail, Wreck Cove • 902-929-2800  
wreckcovecabins.ca









# 2022 winter events

## JANUARY

### WEST MABOU GUIDED MOONLIT SNOWSHOE EVENT

2399 Little Mabou Rd. West Mabou

January 6 • 6:30pm

### ROBBIE BURNS NIGHT AT THE INVERARY RESORT

Music By the Barra MacNeils

368 Shore Rd, Baddeck • 902-295-3500 ext 1

January 21 • inveraryresort.com

### WEST MABOU GUIDED SNOWSHOE/WALK

West Mabou Provincial Park, 1757 Little Mabou Rd. West Mabou

January 22 • 1:30pm

### SNOWSHOEING AND STORYTELLING ON GOAT ISLAND

with Eskasoni Cultural Journeys

1 Goat Island Trail, Eskasoni • 902-919-2320

January 28 • 1pm-5pm

### INVERNESS COUNTY CENTRE FOR THE ARTS

EXHIBITION: *When Walls Come Tumbling Down: The Hidden*

History of Orangeism in Inverness

16080 Hwy 19, Inverness • 902-258-2533

\*Exhibition running until January 21

Tuesday-Sunday • 12pm-5pm

## FEBRUARY

### MICROBREWERY FESTIVAL AT DESTINATION

CAPE SMOKEY

38696 Cabot Trail, Ingonish Beach • 902-517-0371

February 4 • capesmokey.ca

### SONGWRITERS SHOWCASE AT THE INVERARY RESORT

Music by Dave Gunning, Aaron MacDonald, Steve Luxton and

Steve MacIntyre

368 Shore Rd, Baddeck • 902-295-3500 ext 1

February 4 • inveraryresort.com

### LA MAGIE DE L'HIVER A LA RIGOUECHE

Cape Breton Highland National Park 16648 Cabot Trail, Chéticamp

February 4 • 11am to 1pm & 7pm to 9:30pm

Activities and games for the whole family

### WEST MABOU GUIDED MOONLIT SNOWSHOE EVENT

2399 Little Mabou Rd. West Mabou

February 5 • 6:30pm

### FAMILY SNOWSHOE WALK

Creignish Recreation Centre, 2123 Hwy 19, Creignish

February 11 • 10am Snowshoes provided

### MARGAREE HIGHLANDERS SNOWMOBILE RALLY

Cranton Crossroads Community Centre, 206 Cranton Crossing Rd,

Margaree Centre

February 11

### LEGENDS OF THE GRAND OLE OPRY

The Savoy Theatre, 116 Commercial St., Glace Bay

February 11 & 12 • 902-842-1577 • savoytheatre.com

### CATCH AND COOK ICE FISHING ON GOAT ISLAND

with Eskasoni Cultural Journeys

1 Goat Island Trail, Eskasoni • 902-919-2320

February 18 and 20 • 1pm-5pm

### SNOWSHOEING AND STORYTELLING ON GOAT ISLAND

with Eskasoni Cultural Journeys

1 Goat Island Trail, Eskasoni • 902-919-2320

February 19 • 1pm-5pm

### CAPE BRETON HIGHLANDERS RIDE SNOWMOBILE RALLY

Inverary Inn, 368 Shore Rd., Baddeck

February 18

### GLENDALE WINTER FAMILY FUN DAY

Father John Angus Rankin Cultural Centre, 4248 Hwy 105 Glendale

February 20 • 1pm-3pm

### INVERNESS CAPERS SNOWMOBILE RALLY

Lake Ainslie Fire Hall

February 25

### CROSS THE HIGHLANDS EXPEDITION

Guided expedition with Live Life In Tents

February 20-26 • livelifeintents.com

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Please call ahead to ensure establishments are open when you will be visiting. We thank you for visiting Cape Breton Island and being kind to our workers.



## MARCH

### SEAWALL TRAIL WINTER EXPEDITION *Guided expedition with Live Life in Tents*

March 10-15 • [Livelifetents.com](http://Livelifetents.com)

### CATCH AND COOK ICE FISHING ON GOAT ISLAND *with Eskasoni Cultural Journeys*

1 Goat Island Trail, Eskasoni • 902-919-2320

March 11 • 1pm-5pm

### MI-CARÊME FESTIVAL

Les Trois Pignons, Chéticamp

March 12-18 • 902-224-2642

### CELEBRATION AT THE INVERARY RESORT

*Music by Hauler and finishing the evening with Rankin MacInnis and The Broken Reeds*

368 Shore Rd, Baddeck • 902-295-3500 ext 1

March 17 • [inveraryresort.com](http://inveraryresort.com)

## WINTER-LONG

### APRÈS SKI AT DESTINATION CAPE SMOKEY

38696 Cabot Trail, Ingonish Beach • 902-517-0371

Saturdays 3pm-6 pm in the Blue Moose Pub with local live music  
[capesmokey.ca](http://capesmokey.ca)

### CÈILIDHS AT THE CELTIC MUSIC INTERPRETIVE CENTRE

5471 Hwy 19, Judique • 902-787-2708

Every Sunday • 2pm-5pm • [celticmusiccentre.com](http://celticmusiccentre.com)

### CÈILIDHS AT COLAISDE NA GÀIDHLIG | THE GAELIC COLLEGE

51779 Cabot Trail, St. Ann's • 902-295-3411

Every Wednesday • 2pm-5pm • [gaeliccollege.edu](http://gaeliccollege.edu)

### DORYMAN PUB & GRILL - LIVE ENTERTAINMENT

15528 Cabot Trail, Chéticamp • 902-224-9909

Fridays 7pm-9pm • [doryman.ca](http://doryman.ca)

### TRUFFLE CAMP AT CHOCOLATEA

9383 Pepperell St., St. Peter's 902-317-9383

Thursdays 7pm in February & March • [pepperellplace.ca](http://pepperellplace.ca)

### TRIVIA NIGHT BRETON BREWING CO.

364 Keltic Dr, Sydney • 902-270-4677

Thursdays 6pm-8pm • [bretonbrewing.ca](http://bretonbrewing.ca)

### LIVE ENTERTAINMENT AT BRAS D'OR LAKES INN

10095 Grenville St., St. Peter's • 902-535-2200

Saturday evenings • [brasdorlakesinn.com](http://brasdorlakesinn.com)

### LIVE ENTERTAINMENT AT BRETON BREWING CO.

364 Keltic Dr, Sydney • 902-270-4677

Fridays and Saturdays 4pm-7pm • [bretonbrewing.ca](http://bretonbrewing.ca)

### MARGAREE WEEKENDS

*Intimate all-inclusive tours featuring snowmobile excursions and elevated dining. Hosted at The Shed in Margaree.*

See [margareeweekends.com](http://margareeweekends.com)

January 6 - 8

January 27 - 29

February 17 - 19

March 4 - 6

### SUNDAY MATINEES AT THE ANNEX

66 Lower Railway St., Inverness • 902-258-3173

3pm-6pm • [theannexinverness.com](http://theannexinverness.com)



**Visit the following websites for  
current information on events and  
updates happening all winter long:**

*Please be sure to check event websites for dates and times  
as scheduling changes may occur due to weather or other  
unforeseen circumstances.*

*CBRM Winter Activities*  
[www.cbrmrecreation.ca](http://www.cbrmrecreation.ca)

*34<sup>th</sup> Richmond County Winter Festival*  
[www.richmondcounty.ca](http://www.richmondcounty.ca)

*Inverness County Winter Festival 2023*  
[www.canadasmusicalcoast.com](http://www.canadasmusicalcoast.com)

*Port Hawkesbury Winter Fest*  
[www.townofporthawkesbury.ca/recreation](http://www.townofporthawkesbury.ca/recreation)

*Cape Breton Highlands National Park*  
[www.pc.gc.ca/en/pn-np/ns/cbreton](http://www.pc.gc.ca/en/pn-np/ns/cbreton)





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