

Enjoying Historic Bonavista

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Bonavista is a pedestrian's delight. The streets were made for walking! Bonavista's trademark maze of narrow lanes and side streets has its roots in the early 19th century. By then, most of the waterfront property was occupied and locals began building houses and outbuildings back from the shore. Footpaths eventually became the roads you see today. Experience them the way they were meant to be experienced...on foot.

Wander

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Set aside some time to just wander. We can't predict where you'll end up, but with an active harbour, more than a thousand heritage buildings, century-old neighbourhoods with names like Mockbeggar and Canaille, and plenty of picture-perfect scenery, you're guaranteed to discover something memorable along the way.






Town of BONAVISTA

Tourist Map



Bonavista | Legend

1. Alexander Bridge House
2. Bonavista Museum
3. Garrick Theatre
4. Memorial United Church
5. St. Joseph's Catholic Church
6. Mockbeggar Plantation, Provincial Historic Site
7. Loyal Orange Lodge #4
8. Ryan Premises National Historic Site
9. Mortuary Chapel and Lynch Gate
10. Playground and Splash Pad
11. Tennis and Basketball Courts
12. Long Beach UNESCO Geopark Site
13. Old Days Pond Boardwalk
14. Hospital Pond Boardwalk
15. Harbourfront Boardwalk
16. Scotiabank
17. Canada Post
18. The Commons
19. Fire Department
20. Public Library
21. Bonavista Courthouse
22. Town Hall
23. White Rock Lookout
24. EV Charging Station
25. Bonavista Cabot Stadium
26. Softball Field & Soccer Field
27. Dog Park

-  Hospital
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Cape Bonavista Lighthouse 

Dungeon Provincial Park 

Klondike Trail 

RCMP 



Shop Local



Church Street is Bonavista's commercial centre. Historically, this is where public buildings - churches, schools, halls - were built. As space along the waterfront was scarce, Church Street began to attract both new businesses and middle-class residents who didn't need waterside homes. Today, Church Street retains much of its historical character, with 20th-century commercial buildings squeezed in next to older houses. An increasing number of these have been restored and re-imagined as independent, locally-owned and operated businesses.



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- 28. Spell Rock
 - 29. Puffin Viewing Site
 - 30. Cape Bonavista Lighthouse, Provincial Historic Site
 - 31. Landfall Municipal Park
 - 32. Statue of John Cabot
 - 33. Fisherman's Memorial
 - 34. Cape Shore Hiking Trail, Hike Discovery
 - 35. Dungeon Provincial Park and UNESCO Geopark Site