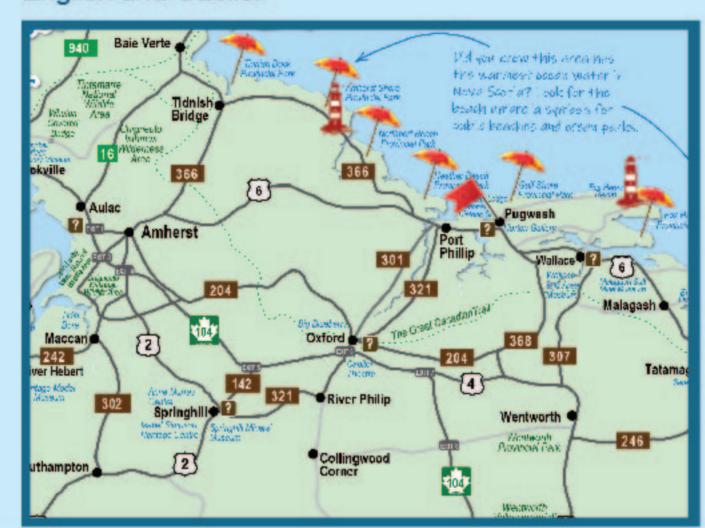




Pugwash, Nova Scotia

Pjila'si and céad míle fáilte to Pugwash! The original Mi'kmaq name for Pugwash was Pagweak, which means "shallow water". Also home to descendants of Highland Scots, you'll see the street signs in both English and Gaelic!



Malagash

Discover the rich history of the area at the Malagash Museum, participate in a sand castle competition and visit Bay Enterprises, the site of the oldest oyster farm in Canada, where you can purchase fresh oysters and quahogs. The warm waters of the Northumberland Shores also create an idyllic setting for growing grapes. Plan a stop at Jost Vineyards, the longest operating and largest farm winery in Nova Scotia. Sample award winning wines, take in live music and enjoy gourmet fare at Seagrape Cafe.

Wallace

Wallace is home to the Wallace River Golf Course, the Wallace and Area Museum and Wallace River Revival, an artisinal home decor and vintage store. Discover a 4 km looped trail along diked wetlands in the Wallace Bay National Wildlife Area, where rich tidal marshes are a haven to birds with over 168 species identified here. The Wallace River also runs through the area making adventures by canoe or kayak another great way to see the area.







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Nestled along the shores of the Northumberland Strait, Pugwash is home to Thinkers Lodge National Historic Site, where you can learn more about how this coastal community first gained international recognition for peace in 1957.

Did you know?

- First conference on nuclear disarmament, 1957
- Home of the 1995 Nobel Peace Prize
- First community in North America with bilingual street signs
- First memorial to a Canadian-born female in Canada, erected in 1870
- Sits atop a salt deposit measuring 457.2 m thick and home to the largest underground salt mine in Atlantic Canada

Self-guided Walking Tours

The Pugwash Open Air Gallery is an accessible outdoor art gallery of artwork by local, contemporary artists on the exterior walls of buildings in the village. Launched in the 2021, the gallery has received two Outstanding Achievement Awards from National Communities in Bloom for Youth Involvement and Heritage Conservation.

Like much of coastal Nova Scotia, the deep harbour community of Pugwash has a long and storied seafaring heritage. Learn more through this series of Heritage Interpretive Panels highlighting the history of the village.

