

# The City By the Sea

# Summerside is the Island's secondlargest city complete with all the amenities you need or expect.

Summerside has become a hotspot for business travel. Offering over 600 guest rooms, registering almost 60,000 square feet of meeting space. These amenities are all available for your next meeting or convention, and you unquestionably will be greeted by our authentic people, breathtaking ocean waterfront, and countless parks and green spaces.

#### EXPLORE Summerside The City by the Sea

# **5 Reasons to Choose Summerside**

Choosing a destination for your meeting or convention can be a challenge. Selecting one with the appropriate amenities with a balance of timeless sights and attractions is crucial for you and your delegates. To make your decision easier, we've outlined a few favourites from our beautiful city.



#### Walk the Waterfront

The Summerside Baywalk is a 7km walk along the waterfront. If you're lucky, you'll catch the beautiful sunrise in the morning or the enchanting sunset in the evening. Equipped with lighthouses and nature at her finest.



#### Rich History, Art and Culture

From outdoor murals and live music to heritage properties and historic homes; however, you like to interact with culture and heritage, Summerside has something to offer.



### **Unique Company**

In 2016, Expedia marked
Summerside, one of the **Top 10 Small Towns in Canada** You
Need To Visit. From catching
a show at The Harbourfront
Theatre or College of Piping to
snacking on the culinary delights
and local seafood, Summerside
will surely make you want to
extend your stay.



#### Festivals and Events

With year-round festivals and events, Summerside continues to attract visitors from all over. A local favourite is the Summerside Lobster Festival in the summer months.



#### **Adventure Awaits**

Kayak or paddleboard to Holman's Island, take a tour of the downtown by segway or try kiteboarding in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Summerside has your adventure covered.

# Finding Summerside

Located less than 20 minutes from the Confederation Bridge, Summerside is the closest city to Prince Edward Island's primary method of arrival and only 45 minutes from Charlottetown Airport.

The Confederation Trail, cycling, walking, running trail that goes from tip to tip, runs right through the heart of Summerside.

Summerside has got you covered with a range of transportation methods, including bus charters, car rentals and taxi services.



## Venues in Summerside

Whether you're hosting a business meeting, course, wedding reception, awards banquet, workshop or long weekend convention, Summerside is equipped with the facilities, experience and expertise needed to ensure your event is a success. With a multitude of venues in the city (or within proximity), you're not only offering delegates the take-aways from your meeting or convention but a unique Island experience in a vibrant city that has much to explore and offer.

With over 60,000 square feet of meeting space, meetings and convention spaces and facilities vary from large to small, and will surely meet your requirements.

Select venues host accommodation on-site, while others have accommodations just up the road. Summerside offers over 600 guest rooms that vary from hotels to motels to quaint bed & breakfasts.

Venue	Room	Size (sq ft)	# of People
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Credit Union Place	Convention Hall A, B and C	4,620 ft	400
	Convention Hall A	1,568 ft	120
	Convention Hall B	1,568 ft	120
	Convention Hall C	1,568 ft	120
	Meeting Room 1	374 ft	20
	Meeting Room 2	488 ft	30
	Meeting Room 3	464 ft	30
	The Oval	3,782 ft	275
	The Overlook	2,714 ft	280
	PEI Sports Hall	782 ft	60
Loyalist Country Inn &	Empire I	1,458 ft	150
Conference Centre	Empire II	1,836 ft	150
	Empire (Combined)	3,348 ft	300
	Bray I	340 ft	50
	Bray II	391 ft	50
	Bray (Combined)	748 ft	90
	Parlour	696 ft	80
	InnKeepers	360 ft	40
The Quality Inn	Board Room	360 ft	10
and Suites	Dunning Room	600 ft	60
	Rankin Room	600 ft	60
	Dunning-Rankin	1200 ft	130



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Slemon Park Hotel &	Lancaster Room	3,136 ft	200
Conference Centre	Argus Room	1,824 ft	100
	Lancaster + Argus	8,892 ft	300
	Harvard Room	2,400 ft	80
	Neptune Room	1,102 ft	60
Centre Belle-Alliance	Between Two Seas	2,600 ft	200
	Pierre-Part Lounge	400 ft	25
The Silver Fox	Board Room	-	40
Entertainment	Members Lounge	-	50
Complex	Horse Shoe	-	200
	Ice Shed	-	850

Accommodation	Room Type	# of Rooms
The Quality Inn & Suites	Standard Suite	84 10
Loyalist Country Inn & Conference Centre	Standard Suite	80 2
Summerside Motel	Standard Suite Cottage	24 1 4
HUB 223	Standard Lofts	7 13
Slemon Park Hotel & Conference Centre	Standard Suite Single Unit	40 1 10
Canada's Best Inn & Suites	Family Unit Standard Suite	12 14 10



Accommodation	Room Type	# of Rooms
Traveller's Inn	Standard Suite	22 18
Island Home Bed & Breakfast	Rooms	3
Cairn's Motel	Rooms	20
Baker Shore Bed & Breakfast	Rooms	3
Warn House Bed & Breakfast	Rooms	4

# Sights in Summerside

Whether you're looking for a group or individual activities while visiting for a meeting or convention, Summerside offers everything from historic cultural events to adventure and experiential tourism. Take a walk through our historic downtown, paddleboard to Holman's Island or cruise the waterfront by segway. Summerside will surely captivate you with much to explore. Near your accommodations you will find a marina, yacht club, historic buildings, museums, live theatre, dinner theatre, casino, concert venues, harness racing, art and culture festivals, paddleboard and kayak rentals, walking tours, outdoor tours, outdoor murals, farmers' market and a 7km stretch of boardwalk.

- Lefurgey Cultural Centre
- Wyatt Historic House Museum
- MacNaught History Centre & Archives
- International Fox Museum
- Bishop Machine Shop
- PEI Sports Hall of Fame
- Summerside Art Murals
- Harbourfront Theatre
- Eptek Centre and Culture Centre
- Summerside Farmers Market

- PEI Segway Tours
- Spinnaker's Landing
- Redshores Racing (harness racing)
- Feast Dinner Theatres
- Credit Union Place
- Indian River Festival
- College of Piping and Performing Arts of Canada
- The Paddle Shack
- Evermoore Brewing Co.



## Eat and Drink in Summerside

Summerside prides itself on fresh local cuisine. Fresh seafood, farm to table, traditional or comfort foods conceptualized by innovative chefs, make the region a focal point of Island cuisine. The culinary scene ranges from contemporary to casual, offering visitors and locals a variety of options when choosing a meal or treat out.

- Anson's Restaurant and Bar
- Breakwater Bar and Grill Silver Fox Entertainment Complex
- Brothers 2
- Deckhouse Pub
- Iron & Salt Loyalist Country Inn & Conference Centre
- fiveelevenwest
- Greco Pizza
- Captain Sub
- Frozu

- South Central Kitchen & Provisions
- West End Bar & Grill Red Shores
- Evermoore Brewing Co.
- Arsenault's Fish Market
- JMK Fish Mart
- Samuel's Coffee House
- Da Mama's Kitchen
- Alex's Ice Cream
- Holman's Ice Cream Parlour
- Kool Breeze Farms Ice Cream Barn

## Services in Summerside

Summerside offers a variety of services that cater to delegates when attending a meeting or conference. Whether you're looking for transportation, catering, audio/visual, a public gym or a tee time, Summerside will surely have what you need.

Nestled in our vibrant and friendly city, you'll find:

- Taxi services
- Car rentals
- Charter bus tours
- Audio/visual rentals
- Catering
- Public gyms
- Public libraries

- Golf course
- Spa
- Salons
- Barbershops
- Public pools
- Walking and running tracks
- And more

Whether it is a major convention, conference or a business meeting, Summerside has facilities, services and experiences to complement and transcend your meeting and convention requirements.

Choose Summerside, Prince Edward Island for your next Meeting or Convention.

