EXPLORE THE WATERWAY: TOP TEN

TRIP MAP

Nova Scotia travel vloggers Davey & Sky share their top ten things to do along the Shubenacadie Waterway.

1. ENJOY BREAKFAST IN DARTMOUTH

Start the day in downtown Dartmouth, where there are tons of fantastic cafes and breakfast spots to choose from. Two If By Sea has great croissants and a cozy atmosphere.

2. DROP INTO THE FAIRBANKS CENTRE AND PADDLE THROUGH SHUBIE PARK

Open to the public year-round and free of charge, the interpretation center features exhibits and displays about the Shubenacadie Waterway. Afterwards, go explore the waterway by boat! Wildwood Water Sports offers seasonal canoe and kayak rentals at Shubie Park.

3. HIKE (OR BIKE) THE PORTOBELLO INCLINE PLANE

Portobello Incline Plane is a ten-minute drive from Shubie Park. A beautiful trail with picturesque waterside views awaits.

4. HAVE LUNCH IN ELMSDALE

As you roll into Elmsdale you'll be hungry for a good lunch stop and treating yourself to Rob Bitar's won't disappoint!

5. PERUSE A LOCAL SHOP

Sweet Spot Chocolate Shop is a local favourite. The selection of handcrafted chocolates, truffles, fudge, candy, and more, is a chocolate lovers' heaven!

6. VISIT THE TINSMITH MUSEUM

Built in 1896, this fascinating museum is filled to the brim with over a century's worth of antique artifacts and displays.

7. GRAB A DRINK AT COLDSTREAM CLEAR

After some adventuring, you'll be ready for a cold beverage. Coldstream Clear specializes in handcrafted Nova Scotia spirits and their signature cocktail flight is a must try.

STAY AT A RIVERSIDE ACCOMMODATION

Gravity Luxury Domes is a unique accommodation that provides guests with a luxury glamping experience. Each dome has its own stone patio, propane tabletop fireplace, and an incredible view of the Shubenacadie River.

9. EXPLORE THE FUNDY TIDAL INTERPRETIVE CENTRE

The Fundy Tidal Interpretive Centre is a fantastic place to learn about the world-famous Bay of Fundy tides and tidal bore – a natural wonder that occurs on the Shubenacadie river.

10. HAVE LUNCH IN MAITLAND

Grab lunch at Canada's oldest general store Frieze and Roy and its in-house Mudslide Cafe. Their club sandwich and fries are so good!



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