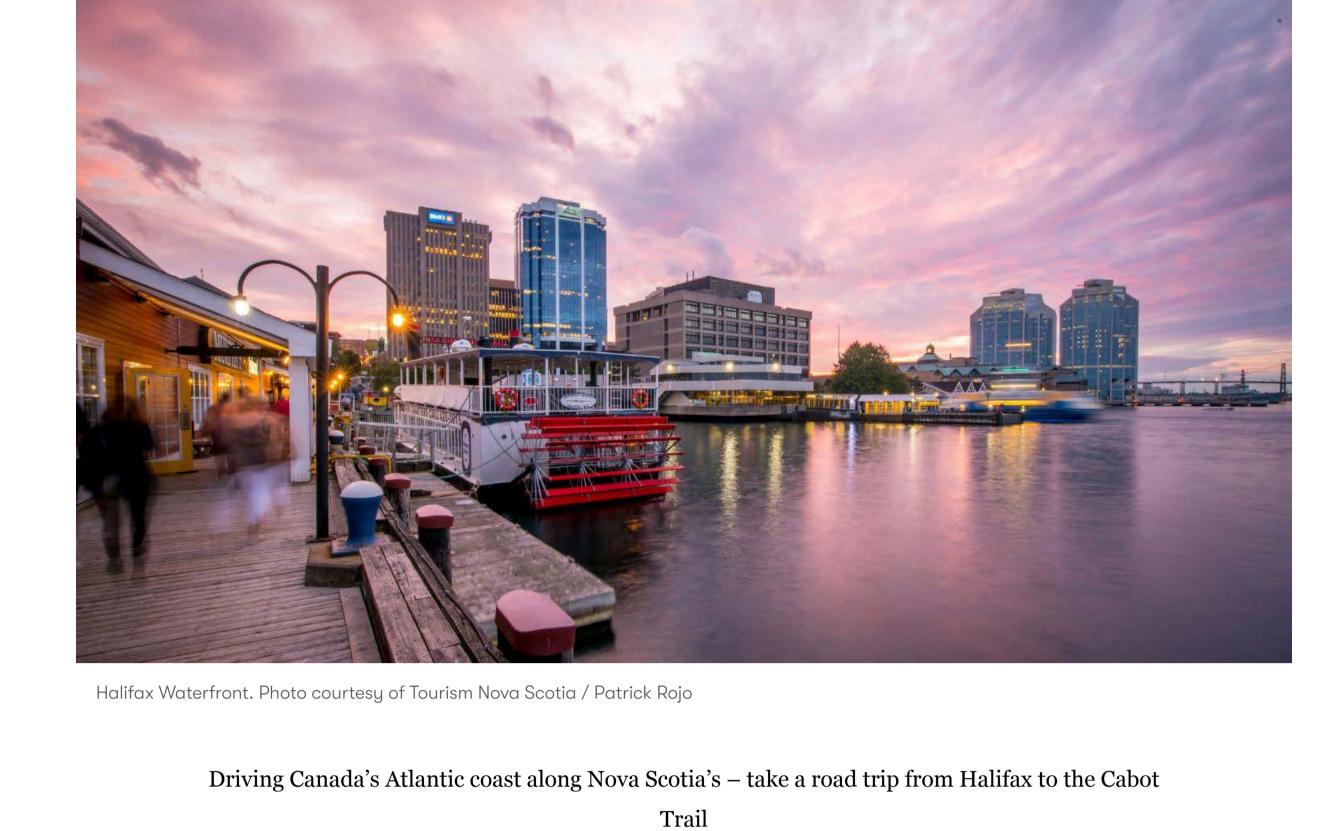
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ROAD TRIPS

## Road Trip: How to explore Nova Scotia

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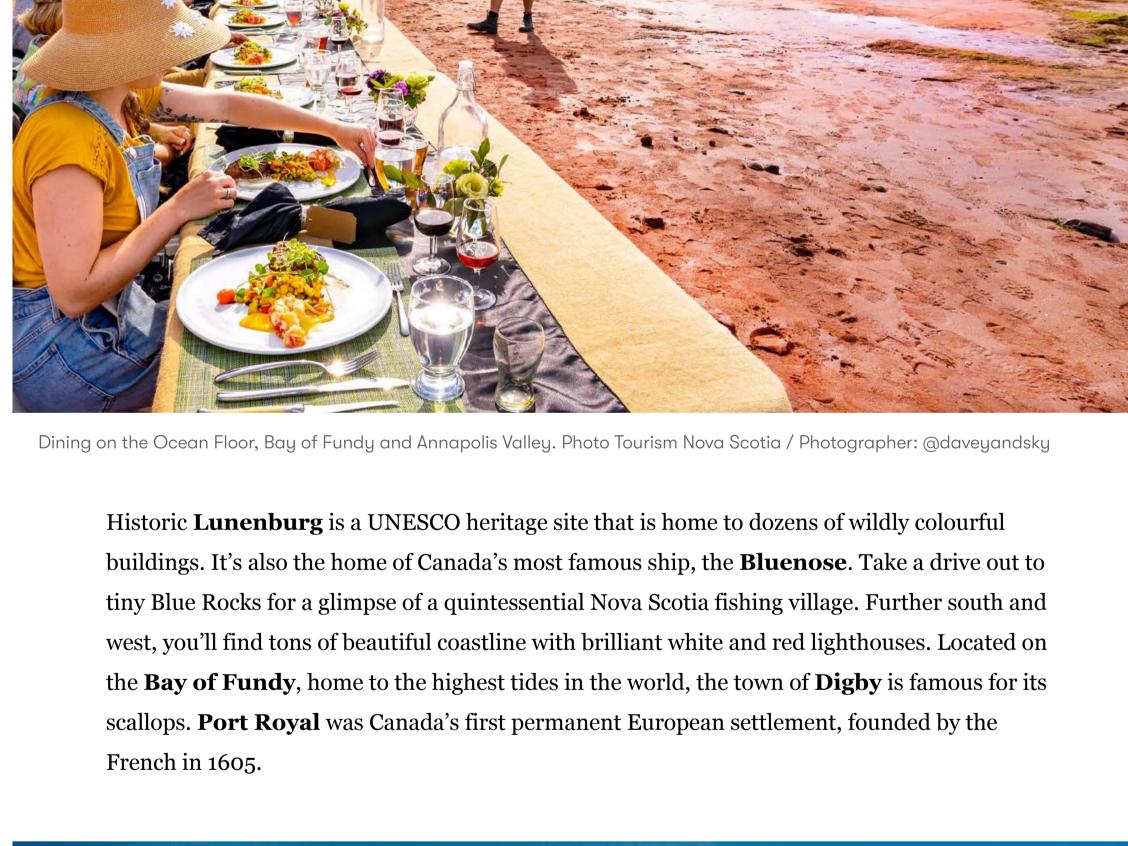


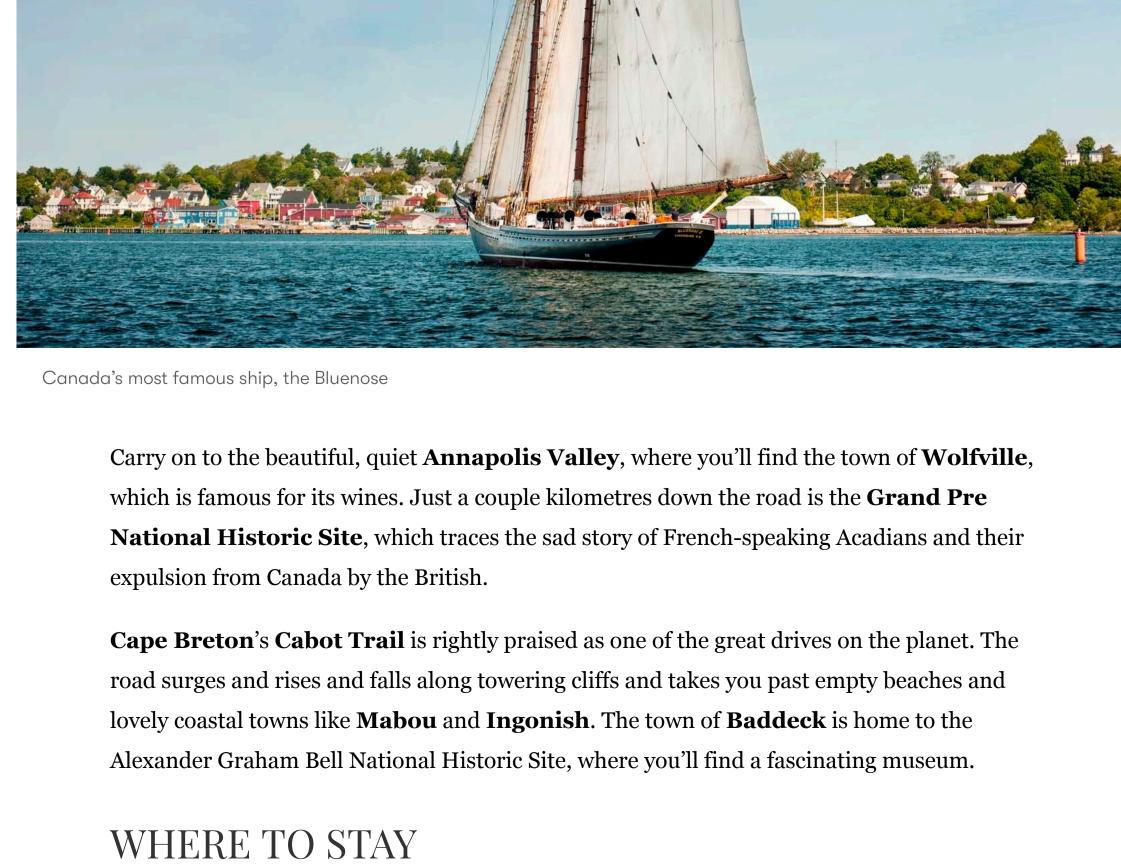
Lawrencetown Beach often has very good surfing.

Halifax is one of the great cities of Canada, complete with a wonderful waterfront, great restaurants and warm, welcoming locals. A walk along the harbour wall takes you past beautiful

boats and shops, not to mention lively pubs. The North End is an increasingly trendy area of

town, while **Dartmouth** also features great restaurants and boutique shopping. Closer to Halifax, take a drive along the quiet **Eastern Shore**, where you can kayak in beautiful bays, check out funky folk art, and explore small villages such as **Ecum Secum**. Just outside Halifax,



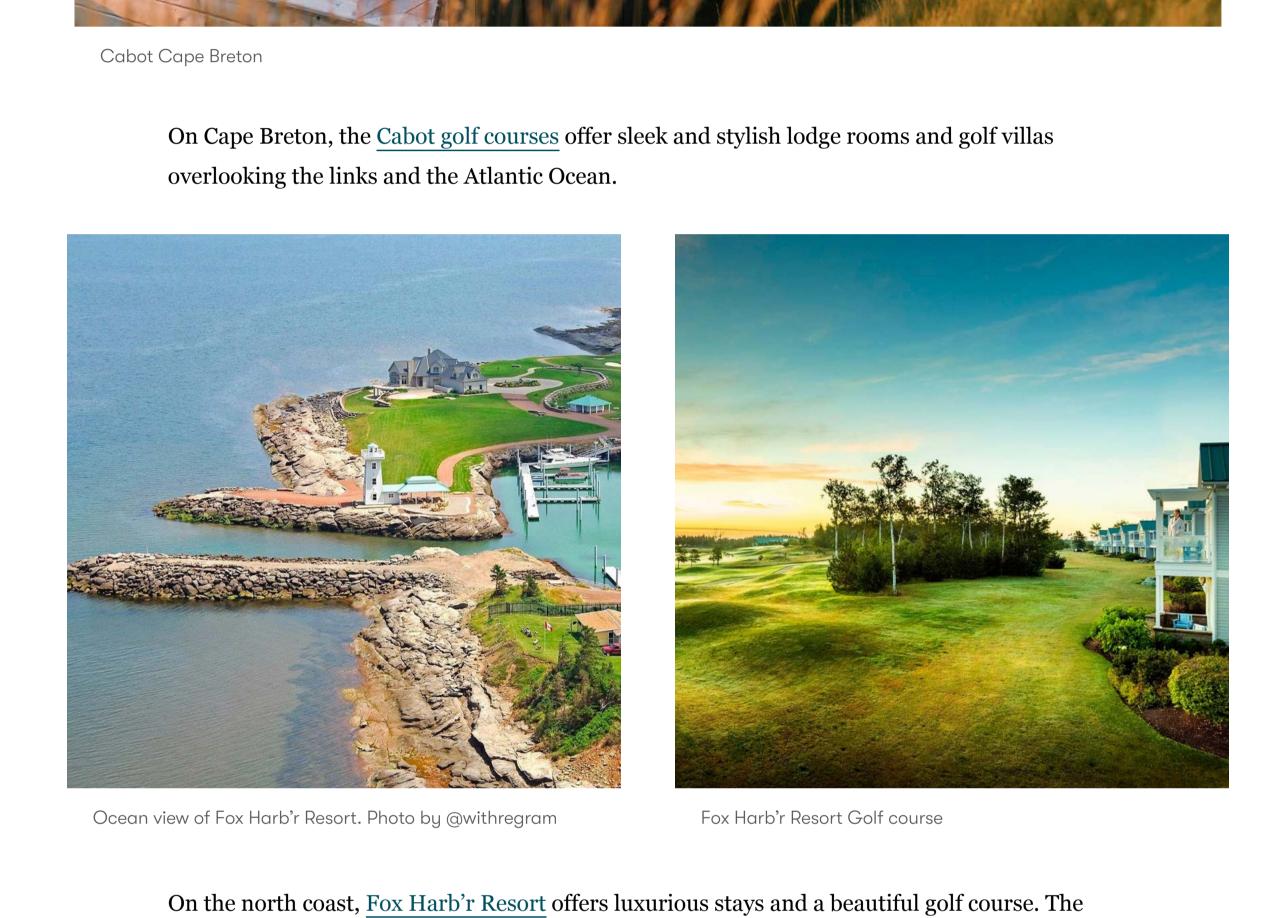


The Muir is a posh new addition to the Halifax waterfront, with stunning design from Toronto's

Studio Munge and an emphasis on local art. It's a Marriott Autograph Collection hotel.

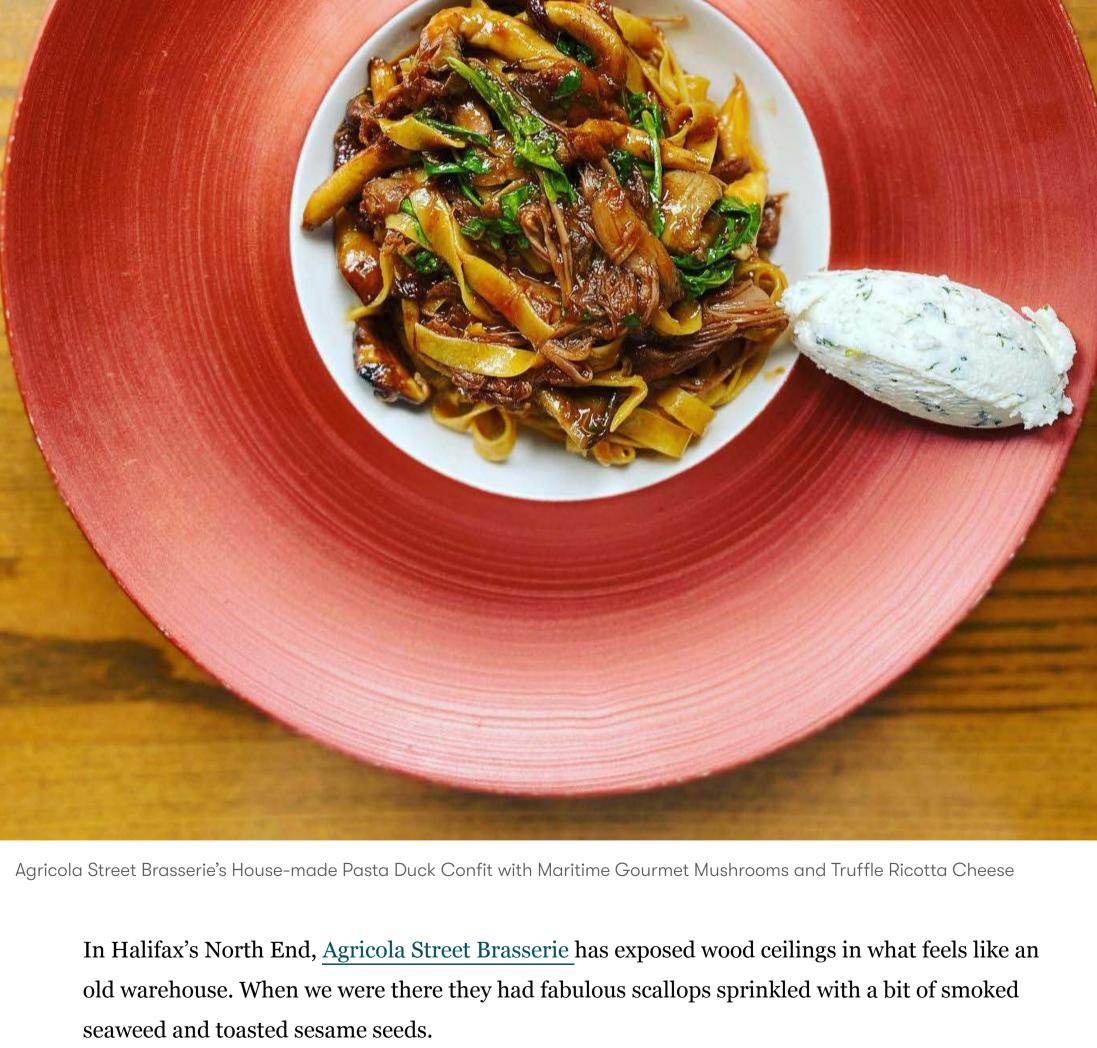
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The Watch, Presidential Suite at the Muir Hotel



WHERE TO EAT

resort was founded by legendary Canadian businessman Ron Joyce, of Tim Hortons fame.



Whiskey tasting



The Press Gang Restaurant and Oyster Bar is a Halifax classic that serves fantastic seafood in a

NS smoked salmon wrapped around Atlantic scallops and then

seared & flamed with sherry.

Take a History Lesson: Many Canadian immigrants made their first Canadian landfall in

Halifax. Check out the Canadian Museum of Immigration at Pier 21 to learn some of their

WHAT TO DO

Canadian Immigration Hall. Photo credit: Steven Evans

stories.

Cabo Cliffs. Photo by Jacob Sjöman

started a decade or so ago with an insanely beautiful course on the ocean. Its newer cousin, Cabot Cliffs, has been voted one of the best golf courses in the world.

Play a Round: Some of the world's best golf can be found on Cape Breton. Cabot Links got it all



Wine terrace

NV Rosé

Take a Sip: The wineries in and around Wolfville are making very good wine these days.

Benjamin Bridge has won awards around the world for its sparkling wine.