

THE BEST OF *Nova Scotia* IN ONE PLACE

# Arts, Culture & Recreation



The Municipality of Chester has a higher concentration of arts, entertainment and recreation workers when compared to similar communities. Our creative economy positively impacts the quality of life, attracts more creators and innovators and contributes to our community's prosperity.

## By the Numbers



**1** Artist-in-Residence Programs at The Chester Art Centre



**2** Museums



**2** Farmers Markets with over 70 Vendors



**13+** Film and TV Productions shot here in the Municipality of Chester



**45 kms** of hiking and cycling trails



**5** Picturesque beaches



**4** Marinas



A **world class** sailing site since 1856



**3** Golf courses



**4** Public Islands



**6** Spectacular old rail bridges



**1st** Nordic Spa in Nova Scotia



**7** Kayak launch sites

## Fun Fact



Oak Island, located just off the coast of Western Shore—location of the hit History Channel series ***The Curse of Oak Island***.



## Natural Beauty

- ➔ Pristine Coastline
- ➔ Golden Beaches
- ➔ Unspoiled Lakes & Rivers
- ➔ Rolling Farmlands
- ➔ Diverse Forests



## Diverse Business Sector

# 19%

Businesses employ  
10+ employees

# 112

Retail Businesses

# 20

Industries including Mining,  
Manufacturing, Agriculture  
& Real Estate



## Tourism Chester

The Municipality of Chester is a popular tourist destination and our dedicated Tourism Chester program helps support the arts and culture sector and leverage your marketing reach.

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## Strategic Location



**60 minutes** to  
downtown Halifax



**100-series highway** provides  
access to market



**70 km** to Halifax Stanfield  
International Airport



**68 km** to Port of Halifax



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