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Road Map Travel Guide

Nova Scotia Highway #6 "The Sunrise Trail Scenic Route Amherst to Pictou"

MILE	KM	ITEM	SUMMARY	MILE	KM
0.0	0.0	Junction of highway #104 The Trans Canada Highway	Town of Amherst, pop 10,000, all services. West to Nova Scotia / New Brunswick border. East to town of Pictou.	87.6	141.0
2.4	3.8	Junction of Highway #366	North to community of Tidnish Crossroads, Trans Canada Highway #16 & Prince Edward Island	85.3	137.2
2.9	4.6	Community of Gosling Glen	South side of highway	84.8	136.4
6.6	10.6	Community of Truemanville	Access from highway	81.0	130.4
9.7	15.6	Community of Amherst Head	Access from highway	77.9	125.4
14.9	23.9	Community of Shinimicas Bridge	Access from highway	72.8	117.1
17.0	27.3	Access to Amherst Shore Provincial Park	North to Amherst Shore Provincial Park. On the shore of the Northumberland Strait, Amherst Shore Provincial Park offers an attractive setting for camping, walking, and swimming. This park, like others along this coast, offers some of the warmest saltwater swimming north of the Carolinas. The park is open from mid-June until mid-October and offers a 45-site woodland campground, picnic areas, showers/comfort station, and a walking trail leading to the unsupervised beach area	70.7	113.7
18.6	29.9	Community of Upper Linden	Access from highway	69.0	111.1
19.5	31.4	Community of Oxford	South of highway	68.1	109.6
21.4	34.5	Tignish Linden Road	North to Heather Beach Provincial Park. Heather Beach (Pugwash) 8 km (5 mi) east of East Linden. An excellent supervised beach, crowded on weekends during good weather. Small parking lot.	66.2	106.5
24.7	39.8	Junction of Highway #366	Community of Port Howe. North to Heather Beach, Cameron Beach. North Port Beach Provincial Park. Open fields abutting on a red sandy beach accessible by stairs. At low tide, sandbars trap pools of warm water for wading, offering lots of opportunity for beachcombing. Change houses, vault toilets, picnic area and water outlets available.	62.9	101.2
25.4	40.9	Junction of Highway #301	South to community of Oxford	62.2	100.1
26.3	42.3	Junction of Highway #321	Community of Port Phillip. South to community of Springhill, Oxford	61.3	98.7
26.8	43.1	Community of West Pugwash	Access from highway	60.8	97.9
28.5	45.8	Access to Communities of Pugwash Junction, Conns Mills	South of highway. North of highway community of North Shore. Gulf Shore Provincial Park. Just outside the town of Pugwash, Gulf Shore Beach offers a sandy beach with warm water. A beautiful picnic park on a hilltop overlooking Northumberland Strait with picnic tables, some sheltered, in an open field. Change houses, vault toilets, picnic area and water outlets available.	59.2	95.2
29.4	47.3	Village of Pugwash	Tourist Information & Interpretive centre Canadian Salt Display, see how salt is mined Seagull Pewter, see pewter products & how they are made public restroom	58.2	93.7
30.3	48.7	Photo	View from highway	57.4	92.3
30.7	49.4	Photo	View from highway	56.9	91.6
31.1	50.0	Community of Irish Town	North of highway	56.5	91.0
31.8	51.1	Crowley Road	Access to community of Pugwash Junction	55.9	89.9
32.2	51.8	Sea Gull Pewter	North side of highway. 9926 Durham St. Pugwash	55.4	89.2
33.6	54.0	Community of Wallace Bay, Access to Fox Harbour	North of highway. Fox Harbour Beach Provincial Park. Fox Harbour Beach - Red sand shoreline beach offers ample opportunity for swimming and walking, Small picnic area, Change houses, vault toilets.	54.1	87.0
35.5	57.1	Junction of Highway #368	South to community of Wentworth Centre, City of Turo	52.1	83.9
37.7	60.7	Community of Wallace Bridge	Access from highway	49.9	80.3
38.8	62.4	West Road	South to community of Wallace River	48.8	78.6
39.0	62.7	Point of Interest	Crossing the Wallace River	48.7	78.3
39.7	63.9	Wallace Area Museum	South side of highway	47.9	77.1
40.2	64.7	Community of Wallace	South from highway	47.4	76.3
41.1	66.2	Junction of Highway #307	South to community of Wentworth, Folly Lake	46.5	74.8
48.6	78.2	Point of Interest	Crossing the Dobson River	39.0	62.8
50.1	80.6	Bay Head Radio Museum	South side of highway	37.5	60.4

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53.2	85.6	Junction of Highway #246 (Maple Street)	Community of Tatamagouche. South to community of Oliver, West Annan. On the south west corner of this intersection is the Hollings House Bed and Breakfast, emile staff stayed here, nice people and a great B&B	34.4	55.4
54.0	86.9	Tatamagouche Train Station B&B	North of highway	33.6	54.1
54.1	87.1	Services at Highway	North side of highway	33.5	53.9
54.3	87.4	Services at Highway	South side of highway	33.3	53.6
55.3	89.0	Tatamagouche Park	Picnic grounds, south side of highway	32.3	52.0
59.8	96.3	Community of Brule	Access from highway	27.8	44.7
60.5	97.3	Campground	North side of highway	27.2	43.7
61.3	98.6	Junction of Highway #326	North to community of Denmark. South to community of North Earltown, Earltown, Turo	26.3	42.4
61.8	99.4	Community of Marshville	South of highway	25.9	41.6
62.3	100.2	Photo	View from highway	25.4	40.8
63.5	102.2	Rushtons Beach (River John) Provincial Park	North of highway. Rushtons Beach (River John) No Campgrounds. Route 6, 4 km (2.5 mi) east of Brule. Sheltered picnic grounds. Broad sandbars at low tide and the salt marsh attract a great variety of birds; warmest salt water in Nova Scotia.	24.1	38.8
65.2	104.9	Community of River John	South of highway	22.4	36.1
65.6	105.6	Photo a	View from highway	22.0	35.4
66.7	107.3	Photo a	View from highway	20.9	33.7
66.7	107.3	Photo b	View from highway	20.9	33.7
66.9	107.7	River John Information Booth	North side of highway	20.7	33.3
67.8	109.1	Community of Melville	North of highway	19.8	31.9
71.0	114.2	Community of Seafoam	North of highway	16.7	26.8
76.6	123.2	Community of Toney River	Access from highway	11.1	17.8
77.9	125.4	Community of Caribou River	South of highway	9.7	15.6
80.9	130.2	Waterside (Caribou River) Provincial Park	No camping facilities 3 km (2 mi) north of Route 6, east of Caribou River. Long sandy beach with very warm water, salt marsh and open farmland.	6.7	10.8
85.7	137.9	Services at Highway	Fuel	1.9	3.1
85.9	138.2	Town of Pictou	All services. Access to visitor information	1.7	2.8
87.6	141.0	Caribou/Munroes Island Provincial Park	North on highway #106, 11 kms. Caribou/Munroes Island Provincial Park is open from mid-June until mid-October offering a 92-site campground, picnic areas, and an unsupervised beach. There is a walking trail along the beach out to the Island	0.0	0.0
87.6	141.0	Junction of Highways # 106, # 276, #376	East to downtown Pictou. West to Town of Amherst. North to community of Caribou. South to Trans Canada highway #104 east to New Glasgow. Start / Finish of Highway Travel Guide.	0.0	0.0