

Arctic Bay and Nanisivik 2006

Arctic Bay, known to the Inuit as *Ikpiajruk*, "the pocket", is surrounded on three sides by high hills. Located on northern Baffin Island, it is a great place to experience the sights of narwhals, walruses, seals & other sea mammals.

Arctic Bay is connected to the nearby mining community of Nanisivik by a 32 kilometre road. Nanisivik was developed in the 1970's to support Breakwater Resources' lead/zinc/silver mine, which is now in the last stages of closing.

Each year on Canada Day, the area draws visitors from around the world for the Midnight Sun Marathon. During the run, the participants can view the spectacular panorama between Nanisivik and Arctic Bay. During the summer months, tourists also arrive on cruise ships to experience the sights and sounds of traditional Arctic Bay. Marble carvings, ivory sculptures, clothes and other arts and crafts are viewed and purchased from talented local artists and seamstresses.

For more information about Arctic Bay and Nanisivik, visit the Nunavut Handbook website at: <http://www.arctictravel.com>.

Getting There: Flights to Nanisivik are operated by First Air. Routes are possible on jet via Iqaluit-Resolute Bay on Saturdays and Wednesdays. Please check with the airline for schedule changes.



(For larger map use zoom tool)

Community Services and Information

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| Population | Arctic Bay ~ 646 + Nanisivik ~ 0 |
| Region | Qikiqtaaluk |
| Time Zone | Eastern |
| Postal Code | X0A 0A0 |

Population based on 2001 Stats Canada Report

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| RCMP | General Inquiries 867-439-0123 Emergency Only 867-439-1111 | Qaggivik Hall Friendship Centre | 867-439-8207 867-439-8277 |
| Health Centre | 867-439-8816 | Local Communications (FM 107.1) | |
| Fire Emergency | 867-439-4422 | Atta Suvaguuq Radio Society (on air) | 867-439-9922 |
| Post Office | 867-439-8026 | Second line | 867-439-8709 |
| Schools/College | | Community Aerodome Radio station | 867-439-7554 |
| Inuujaq (K-12) | 867-439-8843 | Hunters and Trappers Organization | 867-439-8483 |
| Arctic College | 867-439-9913 | Banks | |
| Early Childhood | | Light banking services available at the Northern and Co-op stores; Interact services available at most retail outlets | |
| Aqsuksivik Daycare Centre | 867-439-8317 | Hamlet Office | 867-439-9917 |
| Aboriginal Head Start | 867-439-8511 | For more information about Qikiqtani regional government departments, Inuit organizations, industry associations and development corporations, see the Qikiqtani regional page. | |
| Churches | | | |
| All Saints Anglican Church | 867-439-8717 | | |
| Full Gospel Church | 867-439-8523 | | |
| Community Wellness/Recreation | | | |
| Arena (Hamlet Office) | 867-439-9917 | | |

Canada

Canada-Nunavut Business Service Centre
1-877-499-5199

Nunavut

Arctic Bay and Nanisivik Businesses

Accommodation and Dining

Kiggavik Enterprises

(Inuit)

Contact Clare & Leah Kines

P.O. Box 73

PH: 867-439-8193

FX: 867-439-8530

Email: clareleah@nv.sympatico.ca

Bed & Breakfast and Eco-tours (will start operation winter 2005, please contact above for details)

Tangmaarvik Inn

Contact: Arqvirtuuq Services, Moses and Zipporah Oyukuluk

P.O. Box 130

PH: 867-439-8227

FX: 867-439-8017

**Hotel accommodation opening in 2006 please contact above for details.*

Expediting, Contracting & Equipment Supply

Arctic Bay Development Corporation

(Inuit)

Contact: David Swoboda

PH: 867-439-8273

FX: 867-439-8273

Construction Infrastructure Development, Commercial Rental Space, Property Management

High Arctic Transportation

Contact: Bill Hughes

P.O. Box 171

PH: 867-439-9965

FX: 867-439-8229

Local courier

Ikpiaryuk Services Ltd.

(Inuit)

Contact: Frank May

P.O. Box 25

PH: 867-439-8750

FX: 867-439-8052

Lumber supply, general contracting

Retail

Taqut Co-operative Limited

(Inuit)

P.O. Box 69

PH: 867-439-9934

FX: 867-439-8765

General retail, groceries, postal outlet

Northern Store

P.O. Box 30

PH: 867-439-9914

FX: 867-439-8725

Groceries, general retail, light banking services

Qutiktuqmit Coffee Hut

(Inuit)

Contact: Anna Qaunaq

P.O. Box 15

PH: 867-439-8721

Coffee and tea and coffee and tea accessories

Technical and Communications

Nunavut Power Corporation

General Delivery

PH: 867-439-8337

Suppliers of electricity

Qamanirq's Interpreting and Translating Services

Contact: Audrey Qamanirq

P.O. Box 66

PH: 867-439-8443

Interpreting and translating services

Qaunnaq's Translating Services

Contact: Mathew Inutiq

General Delivery

PH: 867-439-8277

Translating Services

Tourism and Culture

***Ikajutit Hunters & Trappers Organization**

Contact: Vera Pauloosie

P.O. Box 39

PH: 867-439-8483

FX: 867-439-8916

Local information about the land, country foods, local outfitters

Immakti Outfitting

Contact: Ikie Naqitarvik

PH: 867-439-8281

Local Outfitter

North Baffin Outfitting

Contact: Easu Tatatoapik

PH: N/A

FAX: 867-439-8344

Local Outfitter

Tikiq

(Inuit)

Contact: Aloo Eecheak

PH: 867-439-8266

Seamstress (parkas, amautiqs, etc.)

Ullivik Outfitting

Contact: Andrew Taqtu

P.O. Box 17

PH/FAX: 867-439-8158

Local Outfitter

**Outfitting and guiding services dependant upon annual license renewal*

Transportation and Shipping

Arqartuuq Services Ltd.

(Inuit)

Contact: Moses Oyukuluk
P.O. Box 26
PH: 867-439-8227
FX: 867-439-8017
Taxi, bus services and vehicle rentals

High Arctic Transportation Services

Contact: Bill Hughes
PH: 867-439-9965
FX: 867-439-8229
Local cartage and courier

First Air

Local PH: 867-436-7481
Toll free: 1-800-267-1247
Web: www.firstair.ca

Other Services

Niksiglagu Services

Ron Elliott Photography

Contact: Ron Elliott
P.O. Box 141
867-439-8022
Photography

Contact: Niore Iqalukjuak
P.O. Box 32
Email: niqalukjuak@hotmail.com
Photo and printing services

Nunavut Youth Consulting

Contact: Ron Elliot
P.O. Box 141
PH: 867-439-8022
Supports youth programs

RH & CS

Contact : Lisha Qavavauq
P.O. Box 105
PH: 867-439-8345
Repair heating and cleaning furnaces

Tununirusiq Survival

Contact: Samson Ejangiaq
P.O. Box 42
PH/FX: 867-439-8413
Sales of camping/survival gear

Tununet

Contact: Jack Willie
PH: 867-439-8287
Local ISP

(Inuit) = On NTI Inuit Firm Registry 2006

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Inuksugait Plaza, Box 1000 Station 1198
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