

On the Land and in the Sea: A Resource Guide to Nova Scotia's Agriculture, Aquaculture and Sportfishing Destinations and Activities, 2006

Farm Retailers

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Evangeline Trail

Angora Hill Farm & Goats 'n Coats Mohair Studio

134 East Torbrook Road

Kingston, NS

Telephone: 902-765-0747

Web site: www.goatsncoatsmohair.biz

Open May 15 - October 15. Our twenty (or so) Angora goats and four llamas provide most of the material we need to produce top quality: spinning fibers, knitting, weaving, and hooking yarns, hand-woven and knitted garments, as well as pelts.

Annapolis Herbs and Products Ltd.

#4280 Hwy 201

Bridgetown/West Paradise Nova Scotia

Telephone: 902665-5250

Fax: 902-665-2137

Naturally grown meats and farm products. Chemical free. Everything we sell is grown and processed on our farm. Our own slaughterhouse is provincial government inspected. We have available: beef, pork, lamb, chicken, geese, ducks, retail or by the side; sausages, smoked bacon and ham (nitrate free), honey, eggs and more. Our products are sold exclusively from our store. Store hours: Friday noon to 5 p.m., Saturday 10:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. and by appointment.

Barteaux Farms

806 Moschelle, Hwy 201

Annapolis Royal

Telephone: 902-532-5929/532-2951

Fax: 902-532-2951

Barteaux Farms is a family-owned and operated mixed farming business...orchard, garden, berries and beef make up this beautiful Annapolis Valley farm. Each season, the Barteauxs open their road-side fruit market starting with delicious strawberries and continuing through the summer and into the fall with various berries, plums, pears, garden vegetables and, of course, their well known apples and peaches. New to Barteaux Farms this year is the Barteaux Farms Raspberry U-Pick. Plump, juicy raspberries will be available for the public to pick at their leisure.

Bear River Vineyards

133 Chute Road

Bear River NS

B0S 1B0

Telephone: 902-467-4156

Web site: www.nswine.com

Between the Bushes Restaurant

Nova Agri Inc.
1225 Middle Dyke Road
Centreville, NS
Telephone: 902-582-3648 (restaurant) 902-582-1482 (U-pick)
Fax: 902-582-3676
Web site: www.novaagri.com

Located in the beautiful Annapolis Valley, Between the Bushes is one of Nova Scotia's premier agri-tourism destinations. Enjoy a country setting and warm hospitality as you dine beside the indoor fish pond or out on the patio set amidst and overlooking 60 scenic acres of highbush blueberries. The on-site Blueberry Acres U-Pick opens early-mid August through early-mid September. Come pick sweet highbush blueberries right off the bush. Restaurant and U-Pick are closed on Mondays. Please call for hours of operation.

Blomidon Estate Winery

10318 Hwy 221
Canning
Telephone: 1-902-582-7565
Fax: 902-582-3661
Web: www.blomidonwine.com

This local winery and vineyard produces Nova Scotia wines. Free tours and tastings of our wine are available. Wine sold on premises. Open year round, check hours.

Cameron's Roadside Market

Falmouth, Nova Scotia B0P 1L0
Telephone: 902-798-2347 (home); 902-798-0200 (work)

Cameron's Market sells good quality, in-season, fresh fruit and vegetables. This family-run market has a colorful, 80-year history and remains one of the province's truly authentic farm markets.

Comeau's Farm Market

PO Box 146, RR#1
Meteghan River, Nova Scotia B0W 2L0
Telephone: 902-645-2342
Fax: 902-645-3459

The market offers fresh produce and baked goods from its in-store bakery. There is also a garden center, dairy bar and greenhouse.

Cosman and Whidden Honey

9925 Hwy #1
Greenwich, Nova Scotia
Phone: 902-542-9443

The storefront is open 7 days a week year round. Centrally located, just one minute from Exit 11 off

Highway #101, visitors are welcome any time to tour our facilities. This is most interesting in September and October when the honey extracting plant is in full operation. They package and sell delicious honey gathered by bees from wildflowers and fruit blossoms. They also produce beeswax and makers of hand-dipped beeswax candles.

Dempsey Corner Orchards

Hwy 211
Aylesford
Telephone: 902-847-1855
Fax: 902-847-1855

Minutes for both Oaklawn Zoo and the Bay of Fundy. Fresh fruits, cider and vegetables available at the farm market. Petting zoo, walking trails and picnic sites. U-Pick available.

DenHaan's Enterprises

Lawrencetown
Telephone: 902-825-4722
Fax: 902-825-6252

This wholesale and retail outlet for Maritime businesses is one of Nova Scotia's largest greenhouse operations. The company's primary focus is greenhouse vegetables at three production sites with 7 acres under glass. One site is dedicated to plants (bedding and house) and two to vegetables.

Domain de Grand Pre

11611 Highway #1
Grand Pre
Telephone: 902-542-1743
Fax: 902-542-0060
Web Site: www.grandprewines.ns.ca

Within minutes of your arrival at Domaine de Grand Pr, Winery, you'll feel like you're in a different world. This beautifully restored 30-acre estate vineyard is a place where guests can tour the vineyard, sip a glass of wine while enjoying the fine European fare prepared in our restaurant, Le Caveau; or pick up an award winning bottle of wine from the wine shop. Guided tours offered daily, May to mid October.

Elderkin's Farm Market & Cider Company

10362 Hwy #1
Greenwich
Telephone: 902-542-7198
Fax: 902-542-3842

A full-line farm market featuring Elderkin's hard apple cider, a scratch bakery, plants and gifts. The farm u-pick has strawberries, apples, pears and pumpkins. Farm tours available.

Foote Family Farm

1972 Woodville Road, off Hwy 221
Woodville
Telephone: 902-678-4371

Fax: 902-678-1375

Web site: www.footefamilyfarm.com

This Annapolis Valley farm operates nearly 100 acres of orchard and sells to consumers by U-Pick and picked apples. Some the crop is processed into apple cider and is available 10 months of the year to sell on the premises. The farm keeps 450 hives of bees and extracts and sells all the honey at the farm gate. Beekeeping supplies are available. The Footes have 50 years experience keeping bees and this knowledge is shared with newer beekeepers.

Forsyth's Farm Market

Berwick, Nova Scotia B0P 1E0

Telephone: 902-538-9321

Fox Hill Cheese House

1660 Lower Church Street

Port Williams Nova Scotia B0P 1T0

Phone: (902) 542-3599

Fax: (902) 542-4024

Web site: www.foxhillcheesehouse.com

Our cheese house is located right on the farm. Our facility is licensed with the Nova Scotia Natural Products Marketing Council, and is federally registered with the Canadian Food Inspection Agency. We strive to develop cheese that reflects the natural elements and seasons of the Annapolis Valley. Fox Hill Cheese House is unique because our cheese is made strictly from the milk of our own 50-head herd of Holstein cows. A small herd allows us to pay strict attention to the quality forage fed to our cows, and to the production of clean, pure milk that is drug and hormone-free. Specializing in stirred cheddar, plain and herbed havarti and gouda, quark and fresh curds - with more varieties to come! We also offer imported cheeses as well as selected crackers and fruit juices. April – December: Monday – Saturday 10am to 5pm, Sundays 1pm to 5pm. January – March: Thursday – Saturday 1 to 5 Or by chance or appointment

Gaspereau Vineyards

2239 White Rock Road,

Gaspereau, Nova Scotia, Canada B4P 2R1

Telephone: 902- 542-1455

Web: www.gaspereauwine.com

Gaspereau Vineyards is open mid-May till mid-December from 9am-6pm, offering complimentary in-store sampling and informative guided tours daily at 12noon, 2pm and 4pm. Opening directly onto the vineyard, the Gaspereau Vineyards winery boutique is pleasing and inviting. Enjoy complimentary wine sampling and tours in a friendly and welcoming atmosphere. Along with superb Nova Scotia wines, Gaspereau Vineyards retails savoury delights, Nova Scotia books, etc.

Hennigar's Farm Market

Greenwich

Telephone: 902-542-3503

Fax: 902-542-7915

Web site: www.hennigars.com

The market is open April - December. Products include bakery, gifts, crafts, greenhouse, fruit and vegetables, country cookhouse and picnic area. There is a small animal and bird display, a 2.5 kilometer nature trail, and a large floral display. Farm tours available by appointment.

Hird's Ginseng Farm

1274 Hwy 360 North

Berwick

Telephone: 902-538-3376

Fax: 902-538 3376

Web site: www.hirdsginseng.com

Our value added products are processed under the watchful eye of Good Manufacturing Practices and meet all Health Canada Regulations.

Howard Dill Enterprises

400 College Road

Windsor

Telephone: 902-798-2728

Fax: 902-798-0842

Web site: www.howarddill.com

Home of Howard Dill and giant pumpkin patches. Visitors can see actual growing areas where Mr. Dill created the world's largest pumpkin variety - "Dill's Atlantic Giant." Seed centre and display building where visitors can purchase seeds, books, gifts, etc. In the fall, customers can also select from over 25 of the top pumpkin varieties in the world. Come see for yourself "The Home of the Giant Pumpkin." Mail order seeds.

Inglis Roadside Market

2611 Hwy 201

Tupperville

Telephone: 902-665-2427

Maple Lane Farms Ltd.

536 Greenhill Road, Greenhill, Hants County

Telephone: 902-757-2951

Fax: 902-757-2799

Web: www.maplelanefarms.ca

This is a family-run business specializing in home-grown, all-natural ranged chicken, turkey, eggs, beef and pork. The retail Meat and Feed Market where the family markets its impressive array of all natural consumer-ready meat and poultry products. The store is open Monday to Saturday, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. and on Sunday from 12:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Meadow Brook Farm Meat Market

318 Pleasant Valley Road

Somerset

Phone: 902-538-1106

Fax: 902-538-8284

Meadow Brook Farm Meat Market is a family-run farm located just outside Nova Scotia's apple capital, Berwick. All the pork sold in the meat market is grown on our Canadian Quality Assurance-inspected farm and the beef is locally produced. All the meat sold is government inspected and approved. Our staff members are friendly and experienced in advising customers on type of cuts as well as making suggestions for preparation and cooking of your pork and beef. We also offer Pork on Wheels, a barbequed whole pig roast delivered to your door. This is particularly popular for parties, wedding receptions, community dinners or any occasion in mainland Nova Scotia.

Mike Oulton Quality Meats/

W. G. Oulton & Sons Ltd.

5246 Hwy 14, Windsor

Telephone: 902-798-4734

Fax: 902-798-4734

They have an on-farm meat and produce store which they market their farm products. They also have a variety of animals which can be viewed at most anytime.

Noggins Corner Farm Ltd.

Hwy #1 Greenwich

Telephone: 902-542-5515

Fax: 902-542-1791

www.nogginsfarm.ca

This mixed farm encompasses a fruit packing and storage component, a dairy unit, a busy year-round farm market and 200 acres of horticultural crops. The farm's main focus is the 150 acres of orchard, producing 50 varieties of apples, as well as pears, peaches, plums, cherries and raspberries. Corn Maze on site

Richard Sterling's Farm Market

Newport, Nova Scotia B0N 2A0

Telephone: 902-757-1732

Roadside market - fresh fruit and vegetables, home baking, bedding plants, hanging baskets, trees and shrubs, Christmas trees and wreaths. People from many parts of the world have signed our guest book over the years.

Sainte Famille Wines Ltd.

Corner of Dyke Road and Dudley Park Lane

Falmouth

Telephone: 798-8311; 1-800-565-0993

Fax: 902-798-9418

web: www.st-famille.com

The winery and gift shop is situated next to 30 acres of premium vineyards on the hilly land of an original Acadian settlement. Nova Scotian crafts, gifts and premium wines are available year-round. Store hours M-Sat 9am - 5 pm, Sun 12-5 pm.

Stirling Fruit Farms Ltd.

10328 Highway 1,
Greenwich
Telephone: 902-542-3763
Fax: 902-542-2444
Web site: www.stirlingfruitfarms.ca

2 other locations
339 Bridge Ave, Blue Acres, Pictou County
325 Main Street, Bible Hill

For over 75 years the Stirling family has grown and distributed apples and apple products. Today our farm outlets offer a wide selection of locally grown apples, fresh pressed cider, mulling spices, apple juice, apple sauce, pies, honey and a whole lot more. Stirling Fruit Farms is proud to be part of the Taste of Nova Scotia Quality food program. Look for our "Taste" designated farm outlets that will be proudly promoting "Taste" member products.

Tangled Garden

Hwy 1, Grand Pre
Telephone: 902-542-9811
Fax: 902-542-9811

Tangled Garden grows herbs and produces herb jellies, chutneys and vinegars. The garden is open daily for viewing. This kitchen is also in production five days a week so visitors can smell the aroma and catch a glimpse of the process. The owners, Beverly McClare and George Walford, are artists and their work is displayed in the shop together with their herb products.

The Country Bumpkin

1756 Black Road
Waterville
Phone: 902-538-9399 or 1-866-538-9399
Fax: 902-678-5288
Web: www.stepsingstoneheritagefarm.ca

Open Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, 11 am - 6 pm. Nova Scotia's only year round, full service certified organic farm market! Retail supplier of certified organic livestock and poultry feeds and supplements. We also supply certified organic seeds and soil amendments for gardeners, greenhouse operators and commercial growers. We serve the New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island certified organic farming community.

Glooscap Trail**Masstown Market**

10622 Highway #2,
Masstown
Telephone: 902-662-2816
Fax: 902-662-2257
Web site: www.masstownmarket.com

This large roadside market offers farm fresh fruits and vegetables, garden center, bakery, ice cream, restaurant, groceries and gifts. Open year-round, seven days a week.

River Breeze Farm Market Ltd. and U-Pick

660 Onslow Road, Truro

Telephone: 902-895-6541

Web site: www.riverbreeze.info

Beef produced Naturally without steroids or animal by-products along with pork ,chicken, our famous sweet corn and many other favorites can be found in our market 'Year Round'. RiverBreeze Farm & Market Ltd. is the home of Atlantic Canada's largest 'Agri-Tainment' destination ! Come explore our 9 acre Corn Maze or the many events surrounding the Maze ! The most fun you will have in "Ears and Ears". Our 20 acres of u-pick strawberries will delight you along with other u-pick crops!

Stirling Fruit Farms Ltd. (Annapolis Valley Apples)

325 Main Street, Bible Hill

Web site: www.stirlingfruitfarms.ca

That Dutchman's Farm

Hwy 2 Upper Economy

Telephone: 902-647-2751

Web: www.denhoek.ca

Cheese Shop and Gift Shop are open daily, year-round, 9 a.m - 6 p.m. Seasonal restaurant/coffee shop (Fathers Day to Labour Day). For a small fee you can wander our barns, explore the herb garden, meander the trails, water and flower gardens. Discover our farm pets, heritage and exotic animals.

Williamsdale Winery

1330 Collingwood Road

Williamsdale

Telephone: 902-686-3117

Fax: 902-686-3776

This farm-based winery specializes in the production of wild blueberry products including jams, cookies, tea, honey, wine, etc. Farm & winery tours. Open May to December, 9 am - 7 pm daily.

Withrow's Farm Market Limited

Hwy 14 Upper Rawdon

Telephone: 902-632-2397

Fax: 902-632-2397

Withrows operate three farm markets, Elmsdale, Mount Uniacke and Rawdon. Products include local in-season produce, garden supplies, home-baking, ice cream, Christmas trees in fall. Crafts are available at the Rawdon location. Open May - December (Elmsdale and Mount Uniacke) and June - October (Rawdon). Some local produce from the Withrow farm is also available.

Sunrise Trail

Christensen Vegetable Farm Market

284 Alma Road, Alma, Pictou county
Telephone: 902-396-5407 or 1-866-396-5407

Specializing in sweet corn, tomatoes, cucumbers, rutabagas, and fresh vegetables in season. Open mid July til mid October.

Glenhill Farm Ltd.

Hwy #7 North Lochaber
Telephone: 902-783-2787

Roadside market with fresh strawberries, raspberries, wild blueberries, fresh fruit desserts, home-made jams. U-pick strawberries, raspberries, wild blueberries.

Holdanca Farms

12628 Hwy 6, Wallace
Telephone: 257-1871

We offer pasture-based beef, chicken, turkey and pork raised naturally on our 500 acre family farm. We sell directly to the consumer. Visit our farm daily from 2-4 pm.

Jost Vineyards

Malagash
Telephone: 902-257-2636; 1-800-565-4567
Fax: 902-257-2248
Web site: www.jostwine.com

On the shores of the Malagash peninsula, enhanced by the warm water of the Northumberland Strait, the Jost family continues a 300-year family tradition of wine making. Award-winning wines from numerous varieties of grapes grown on-site are available for purchase and taste at their showroom and licensed patio. Special events at the vineyard include the Summer Wine Fest and Fall Grape Stomp. Vineyard and winery tours are offered daily.

Lismore Sheep Farm Wool Shop

1389 Louisville Road
River John
Telephone: 902-351-2889
Web: www.lismoresheepfarmwoolshop.com

Here at Lismore Sheep Farm we use wool to create a wide range of products, some of which include ~ wool blankets, wool filled comforters, wool mattress pads, yarn, hand knit sweaters, socks, hats, mitts, etc. We also carry a variety of sheepskin products ~ mitts, slippers, seatbelt covers, dusters, insoles. Our washable sheepskins have proven to be extremely popular for a variety of uses, some of which include ~ floor rug, chair cover, motorcycle seat, wheelchairs, etc. Open May to December, 9 am to 6 pm or by chance.

Longhorn Market Garden

Main Street, Tatamagouche

Telephone: 902-351-2058

Longhorn Market Garden is a country store and farm on the Sunrise Trail. It carries a full line of certified organic foods including fruits and vegetables grown on the farm.

Meadow Brook Farm Meat Shop

767 Upper River John Road

Tatamagouche

Telephone: 902-657-2122

In our meat shop, you can find local, naturally homegrown grain-fed pork, chicken, beef and lamb. These animals are all raised the old-fashioned way without the aid of unnatural growth promotants. We also offer farm fresh eggs, a variety of preserves, and fresh vegetables in season. Open year round.

The Pork Shop

Rte 326 Denmark

902-657-3406

Telephone: 902-485-6629

Fax: 902-485-1882

The Pork Shop is a farm to retail business. It includes a small abattoir, newly renovated processing and retail outlet (open seasonally). We offer a wide selection of pork products that have become a favorite for many of the tourists visiting the North Shore area. Repeat customers come from all over Canada and United States.

Sugarmoon Farm Maple Products and Pancake House

Alex MacDonald Road

Earlton

Telephone: 902-657-3348 or 1-866-816-2753

Web: www.sugarmoon.ca

Sugar Moon Farm is a working maple farm and woodlot. We produce quality food in a manner that supports local agriculture and community, and respects land and water. To this end, we buy local, use a composting system for our public washrooms and employ draft horse power on our farm. Sugar Moon Farm is a maple farm for all seasons: learn about the history and craft of maple sugaring in the sugar camp, hike up through the sugar woods, enjoy our famous buttermilk pancakes in the log pancake house, check out our maple retail area.

Wild Blueberry and Maple Centre

105 Lower Main Street

Oxford Nova Scotia

Telephone: 902-447-2908 or 1-877-wbandmc

Fax: 902-447-2485

Web: www.town.oxford.ns.ca

Visit our gift shop and choose from a large selection of souvenirs, maple products and Wild Blueberries (in season). Get interactive and take the tour. Discover the history of the wild blueberry and maple

industries. Open April to October.

Cape Breton Island

Big Intervale Farm

Dingwall

Telephone: 902-383-2611

Fax: 902-383-2611

The farm offers organically-grown strawberries, raspberries, blueberries and maple syrup products from its roadside market. Also available are oysters and shellfish.

The Farmer's Daughter Country Market

9393 Hwy #105

Whycocomagh

Telephone: 902-756-9042

The Market is located on the Trans Canada in the beautiful village of Whycocomagh. Nestled between Port Hastings and Baddeck, it is an ideal spot for an afternoon drive to enjoy the scenery and serenity of the landscape. Bask in the diverse items we have for sale, partake of an ice cream and walk through our garden center.

Hank's Family Farm Market

522 King Grove Road,

Bras d'Or

Telephone: 902-674-2646 or 647-2258

Fax: 902-674-2895

A strawberry u-pick is available at the farm and the roadside market (with bakery) is open June 1 to October 31.

Herbs Plus

Trans Canada Highway (also 1811 Rte 395, Lake Ainslie)

Whycocomagh

Telephone: 902-756-9035

Fax: 902-765-2303

Herbs Plus is a roadside market for herbs and herbal products. There is a demonstration garden on site as well as a drying house/processing facility.

Theraults Farm Market

Arichat,

Telephone: 902-226-0170/226-2317

Fax: 902-226-0170

The farm has approximately nine acres of market garden - 90% mixed vegetables, 10% strawberries (presently no u-pick). Approximately 50% of produce is sold direct to the customer through the roadside market and the remainder is wholesaled directly to a number of grocery retailers. Open from the beginning of the strawberry season until mid-November.

Wood 'En Wool

8738 Grand Narrows Hwy
Christmas Island
Telephone: 902-622-2552

Raw wool from family farm is made into yarn to be knitted into thrum mittens, socks, sweaters, hats, gloves, sheep skins, blankets, etc. Local crafts people display their wooden products; furniture, tole paintings, crafts, paintings, etc. It is located on Rt. 223, by the scenic Bras d'Or Lakes, 1.6 km from Barra Strait Bridge and Highland Village.

Marine Drive

J Willy Krauch & Sons Ltd.

Hwy #7 Tangier
Telephone: 902-772-2188

Famous smoked salmon delicacies. Mr. Krauch has shipped his salmon to the Queen of England!

Lighthouse Route

Apple Berry Farm Market

360 LaHave Street
Bridgewater
Telephone: 902-543-6622
Fax: 902-527-1470
Web site: www.appleberry.ca/themarket.htm

A family run business that has successfully made the transition from selling at a roadside market to running a full service retail outlet that the whole family can enjoy. There are endless areas of appeal, with the aroma of fresh baked goods, ice cream for the kids and holiday activities for families.

Lunenburg County Winery

813 Walburne Road
Newburne
Telephone: 902-644-2415
Fax: 902-644-3614
Web Site: www.canadian-wine.com

Our farm winery is situated on a 100-acre commercial blueberry farm. We also grow grapes, black currants and elderberries and operate a u-pick raspberry business from mid-July to mid-August. Our wines are made using traditionally aged methods using only the finest quality, fresh fruit in season. Wine tours and tasting also available.

Terra Beata Cranberries

161 Monk Point Road
Heckman's Island, Lunenburg County
Telephone/Fax: 902-634-4435
Web: www.cranberryfarm.ca

Located 10 minutes from Lunenburg, our farm store is open Thursday to Saturday, 11 am to 4 pm, from Thanksgiving until Christmas with pre-bagged berries and Cranberry Kitchen preserves. Frozen berries are available year 'round. Please call ahead from January to September.

Wiles Lake Farm Market

Wileville

Contact: Elspeth McLean-Wile

Hwy 325, RR #5

Bridgewater, NS 4N 2W4

Telephone: 902-543-6082

Fax: 902-527-1309

Web: www.wilesfarmmarket.com

Garden centre, baked goods and more. Located just outside of Bridgewater.

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