



SAINT JOHN EXPLORER

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New Product Edition Summer 2010

Ambassatours offer Big Pink Bus Tours

Ambassatours Gray Line has expanded to Saint John with authentic, British, double-decker buses. Eight double deckers have been brought to Saint John, offering hop-on, hop-off bus tours to cruise passengers. The “deckers”, offer a spectacular view on both levels. The company partnered with the Canadian Breast Cancer Foundation. The buses are pink and will be branded as the Big Pink Bus Tour. One dollar from each ticket sold will go back to the Breast Cancer Association. www.ambassatours.com

New to Saint John Dining

Saint John has become the home for some new exciting restaurants. The Bourbon Quarter and Magnolia Café is a beautiful, warm and inviting new space where one can have a great dinner or meet up with some friends for drinks and appetizers. The Bourbon Quarter offers Southern cuisine with a twist, specializing in Southern French food and seafood. The new Restaurant Alley Gria is Saint John's newest tapas bar and lounge serving Mediterranean tapas cuisine. Its unique atmosphere is relaxing and overlooks the Bay of Fundy. www.tourismsaintjohn.com

New Hotel Complex: Château Saint John

After 15 months of intensive construction, Cyr Holdings Inc. is proud to announce the opening of its new hotel complex: The Château Saint John. Designed with the travelers in mind, the Château Saint John is situated only minutes from the famous Reversing Rapids and the City Market. The hotel pays tribute, through its unique décor, to Saint John's long and rich history as the oldest incorporated city in Canada. To learn more on the Château Saint John or to better understand the Château experience, visit www.chateausaintjohn.ca.

Saint John celebrates

Canada's original city – is raising the curtain (and roof) on a year of performances, festivals and events in celebration of its 225th anniversary. Check out their website www.saintjohn225.com to find more information on these fantastic events.

Saint John Adventures Inc. builds Zipline

Saint John Adventure Inc. is poised to build one of the city's most exciting attractions - a zip line at Reversing Rapids. The zip-line riders are securely fastened into a climbing harness and ride on a pulley system stretched between a series of towers approximately 15 meters high. The longest cable extends 198 meters. Gravity takes the riders from one tower to the next. Those on the zip lines will reach a top speed of 40 kilometers an hour. The ride won't be just for thrill seekers. Staff will also give people a sightseeing tour when they reach the towers. <http://installations.ebl.org/index.cfm/additional-links/news/saint-john-adventures-inc-zipline-tour-new-brunswick-canada/>

Wesjet returns to Saint John (YSJ)

The popular airline company: Wesjet has returned to Saint John and will be offering domestic flights in and out of the Saint John Airport. www.westjet.com

Costco Wholesalers opens in Saint John

Costco recently became the newest wholesaler in Saint John. Located in the East Point Shopping area, the new warehouse is the largest in Atlantic Canada. With over 142,000 square feet, you can find everything from food to furniture www.costco.ca. East Point Shopping Center is the fastest growing shopping district in the city. Carved in Saint John's bedrock are amazing stores, restaurants, and the Hampton Inn Suites. www.eastpointshopping.ca