

Breakfast

Breakfast places are always key in my little world (as odd as it may be). It's a lovely way to start the afternoon isn't it?

- **The Ardmore Tea Room**, 6499 Quinpool Road. A most fine place to break the fast with a jolt of completely caffeinated lightning.
- **The Athens Restaurant**, 1558 Barrington Street. Right below the ruins of the Film Board.
- **Le Bistro**, 1333 South Park Street. A tad expensive, but a tasty brunch for the pretentious folks in the crowd.
- **The Armview Restaurant**, 7156 Chebucto Road.
- **The Commons Grill**, 2394 Robie Street.
- **Bogart's**, Argyle Street, right next to the Film Board; whoops - well, they did have pretty good brunch, but everything seems to be tasting a little charred lately.

Laundromats

Knowing that cleanlines is next to godliness (not to mention it smells a lot better), a whole heaping stack of laundromats seems in order. While doing the dirties on a Saturday morning aint a load of fun, it is pretty necessary in the long run. I mean, its kind of difficult to impress people when you smell like a used baboon.

- **The Lint Trap** 5468 Fenwick St. 425-LINT. Listed first because its the only laundry in the city with a bar.
- **Blue Ribbon** 1222 Henry St. 421-0067. This is pretty much the closest laundry to campus you could everhope for.
- **The Bluenose** 2198 Windsor St. 422-7098. A clean, well lighted place.
- **Metro Laundry** 2347 Agricola St. 423-8652. Pinball machines.
- **Quick Wash** 5506 Clyde St. 429-2023. Excellent geographic location right next to the government food store.
- **A-One Laundromat** 1022 Barrington St. 421-0083.

Hospitals

Hospitals are always loads of fun, especially when they sedate you. My own personal favourite is when you wander into the emergency room at 3 a.m. with your lip stuck in a beer bottle.

- **Dalhousie Clinic**, Howe Hall, 494-2171.
- **Infirmery**, 1335 Queen St. (close to all the downtown bars), 428-2781.
- **Victoria General**, 1278 Tower Rd., 428-2043.
- **Fenwick Walk-In Clinic**, 5595 Fenwick St., 421-7533.



Books

Second hand book stores are a great way to save some bucks. Although pros love to insist you buy the newest editions of their own (and colleagues) books in order to ensure a healthy royalty check.

- **Attic Owl**, 5802 South St., 422-2433.
- **Back Pages**, 1520 Queen St., 423-4750.
- **Schooner Books**, 5378 Inglis St., 423-8419.
- **John W. Doull**, 1652 Granville St., 429-1652.



Taxis

Ahh, taxis... the ultimate comfort zone - they've saved me from a million predicaments and totally uncomfortable situations. While not the cheapest form of transportation, try getting a bus at four in the morning when the bus stop starts chasing you and the police are swinging past for the third time and you'll see what I mean.

- **Share-a-Cab**, 429-5555 or 429-7777.
- **Ace Taxi**, 429-4444 or 421-8888.
- **Casino Taxi**, 429-6666 or 425-6666.
- **Yellow Cab**, 422-1551.



Important Phone Numbers

Important phone numbers to have at hand:

- **Fire Department** 4103
- **Police** 4105
- **Ambulance** 911
- **Dal Security** 494-6400
- **Service for Sexual Assault Victims** 425-0122
- **Personal Help Line** 421-1188
- **Dal Sexual Harrassment Line** 494-1659
- **Bus information** 421-6600
- **Student Aid Office** 494-8420
- **Dalhousie Gazette** 494-2507 (in case you have any hot tips)



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Bills

While paying bills is always secondary to buying the necessities (like tequila and small rings for your nose), you might as well pay them before the collectors start circulating "wanted - dead or alive" posters with your picture on them. Besides, if you pay those bills one month, they up your credit limit the next (the fools!).

- **MT&T**, Scotia Square. 421-4547.
- **Nova Scotia Power Corporation**, Scotia Square. 428-6230.
- **Halifax Water Commission**, 6380 Lady Hammond Road. 421-6920.



Pharmacies

DRUGS - here's where ya gets 'em... but, unfortunately, you need one of those crazy little scrawls on a prescription pad first! (Too bad, eh?)

- **Lawton's**, 5675 Spring Garden Road. 422-9686.
- **O'Brian's**, 6199 Coburg Road. 429-3232.
- **Shopper's**, Quinpool Centre. 429-1700.
- **Shopper's**, 5595 Fenwick Street. 421-1683.
- **Fader's**, 6085 Coburg Road. 423-8159.



Liquor Stores

Not that you will ever use it, but here is a list of the local Liquor Commissions.

- **Clyde Street** (just a block east of South Park)
- **Hollis Street** (near the Brewery Market downtown)
- **Agricola Street** (just south of North Street)
- **Scotia Square** (that cheezy mall just below Citadel Hill)
- **Port of Wines** (in both Spring Garden Place and Historic Properties for anything better than Andres Baby Canadian)



Water Holes

Halifax has many bars. In fact, there are probably more drinking establishments than people. These are a few of our very favorite, but there are lots of others to explore.

- **Seahorse Tavern**, Argyle Street
- **Lower and Middle Deck**, Lower Water Street (open-mike is Wed. and Thurs.)
- **Pub Flamingo**, Salter Street (open-mike is Tues.)
- **The Studio**, Barrington Street
- **Up Here Bar**, Barrington Street
- **The Grad House**, University Avenue
- **The Thirsty Duck**, Spring Garden Road
- **Granite Brewery**, Barrington Street
- **Your Father's Moustache**, Spring Garden Road
- **Secretary's**, Sackville Street (HAH! Just kidding!)

Adventures

If your boots, they feel like walkin', here's what ya ought to do - take a fine walk or hike in this ole city of ours.

- Smell the roses at the **Public Gardens**, on Spring Garden Road
- Hike, walk or jog around **Point Pleasant Park**, south end of Tower Road
- Watch a softball game at the **Commons**, on Robie Street
- Go hear the noon gun go off at **Citadel Hill**, Brunswick Street
- Wander through at **Historic Properties**, Lower Water Street
- Walk to the **Dingle Tower**, via the Northwest Arm
- If you can get a lift, explore **Chebucto Head**, Purcell's Cove Road

Museums

Museums are always a cool way to get to know a city. Halifax has more of these things than you could shake a large wet fish at.

- **Art Gallery of Nova Scotia**, Hollis St., 424-7542.
- **Maritime Museum of the Atlantic**, 1675 Lower Water St., 424-7490.
- **Citadel Hill Museum**, On that pointy hill thing in the middle of the city.
- **Nova Scotia Museum**, 1747 Summer St., 424-6099.