



# Parks Canada Attendance 2017-18

## Overall Summary

	2016-17	2017-18	% ▲ 16-17 to 17-18
<b>Overall Figures</b>			
<b>National Parks</b>	<b>15,449,249</b>	<b>16,833,896</b>	<b>9%</b>
Seven Mountain Parks <sup>1</sup>	8,946,690	9,207,562	<b>3%</b>
Marine Conservation Areas <sup>2</sup>	1,485,881	1,604,533	<b>8%</b>
All other National Parks	5,016,678	6,021,801	<b>20%</b>
<b>National Historic Sites</b>	<b>9,288,024</b>	<b>10,419,484</b>	<b>12%</b>
Historic Canals <sup>3</sup>	3,921,660	3,853,967	<b>-2%</b>
All other National Historic Sites	5,366,364	6,565,517	<b>22%</b>
<b>Totals</b>	<b>24,737,273</b>	<b>27,253,380</b>	<b>10%</b>
<sup>1</sup> The seven mountain parks are: Banff, Jasper, Yoho, Kootenay, Waterton Lakes, Mount Revelstoke, Glacier <sup>2</sup> The marine conservation areas are: Fathom Five, Saguenay-St. Lawrence <sup>3</sup> The historic canals are: St. Peters, Carillon, Chambly, Lachine, Sainte-Anne-de-Bellevue, Saint-Ours, Rideau, Sault Ste. Marie, Trent-Severn Waterway % ▲ indicates percentage change			
<b>Attendance is measured in Person-visits, which is defined as:</b> Each time a person enters the land or marine part of a reporting unit for recreational, educational or cultural purposes during business hours. Through, local and commercial traffic are excluded. Same day re-entries and re-entries by visitors staying overnight in the reporting unit do not constitute new person-visits.			

## National Parks, Park Reserves, & Marine Conservation Areas

Province	National Park / Reserve	2016-17	2017-18	% ▲ <sup>A</sup>
Newfoundland & Labrador	Gros Morne	244,292	238,540	-2%
	Terra Nova	39,732	46,668	17%
Prince Edward Island	Prince Edward Island	530,247 <sup>B</sup>	695,025 <sup>B</sup>	31%
Nova Scotia	Cape Breton Highlands	302,827	333,746	10%
	Kejimikujik	36,090 <sup>B</sup>	60,649	68%
New Brunswick	Fundy	327,500	368,965	13%
	Kouchibouguac	169,262	188,185 <sup>B</sup>	11%
Quebec	Forillon	155,027	173,880	12%
	La Mauricie	217,252	338,530	56%
	Mingan Archipelago	34,307	39,039	14%
	Saguenay-St. Lawrence	1,143,276	1,185,322	4%
Ontario	Bruce Peninsula	412,623	428,988	4%
	Fathom Five	342,605	419,211	22%
	Georgian Bay Islands	42,511	44,010	4%
	Point Pelee	333,285	522,199	57%
	Pukaskwa	9,593	14,114	47%
	Thousand Islands	90,961	88,520	-3%
Manitoba	Riding Mountain	355,523	423,146	19%
	Wapusk	106	162	53%
Saskatchewan	Grasslands	13,452	18,296	36%
	Prince Albert	249,310	299,168	20%
Alberta	Banff	4,059,503	4,181,854	3%
	Elk Island	360,678	528,647	47%
	Jasper	2,345,130	2,425,878	3%
	Waterton Lakes	536,865	568,807	6%
British Columbia	Gwaii Haanas & Haida Heritage Site	2,819	3,316	18%
	Kootenay	521,286	531,009	2%
	Mount Revelstoke & Glacier	795,749	787,968	-1%
	Pacific Rim	1,056,801	1,131,418	7%
	Yoho	688,157	712,046	3%
Yukon	Ivvavik	137	119	-13%
	Kluane	27,606	29,743	8%
Northwest Territories	Aulavik	8	24	200%
	Nahanni	1082	1,302	20%
	Tuktut Nogait	2	4	100%
	Wood Buffalo	3,340	4,162	25%
Nunavut	Auyuittuq	200	709	255%
	Quttinirpaaq	21	33	57%
	Sirmilik	84	494	488%
<b>National Parks, Park Reserves, &amp; Marine Conservation Areas TOTAL</b>		<b>15,449,249</b>	<b>16,833,896</b>	<b>9%</b>

<sup>A</sup> Percent change between 2016-17 and 2017-18 <sup>B</sup> Total contains 3 or more months of estimated data <sup>C</sup> Recording methodology change

## National Historic Sites & Other Designations

Province	National Historic Site	2016-17	2017-18	% ▲ <sup>A</sup>
Newfoundland & Labrador	Cape Spear	29,153	54,663	88%
	Castle Hill	5,878	13,405	128%
	Hawthorne Cottage	3,447	8,580	149%
	L'Anse aux Meadows	27,982	37,000	32%
	Port au Choix	9,735	15,696	61%
	Red Bay	10,152	12,028	18%
	Ryan Premises	8,647	12,670	47%
	Signal Hill	13,348	25,838	94%
Prince Edward Island	Green Gables House	187,662	254,314	36%
Nova Scotia	Alexander Graham Bell	82,115	110,635	35%
	Canso Islands & Grassy Island Fort	4,766	4,165	-13%
	Fort Anne	33,501	52,057	55%
	Fort Edward	2,086	1,544	-26%
	Fortress of Louisbourg	95,344	139,596	46%
	Grand-Pré	34,320	56,448	64%
	Halifax Citadel	451,499	583,212	29%
	Marconi	3,206	4,516	41%
	Port-Royal	22,972	34,760	51%
	York Redoubt	25,206	24,097	-4%
New Brunswick	Carleton Martello Tower	9,125	16,956	86%
	Fort Beauséjour - Fort Cumberland	10,182	16,668	64%
	Monument-Lefebvre	3,742	3,182	-15%
	St. Andrews Blockhouse	29,386	35,606	21%
Quebec	Artillery Park	67,971	53,922	-21%
	Battle of the Châteauguay	3,024	4,474	48%
	Battle of the Restigouche	6,959	12,910	86%
	Carillon Canal	28,895	31,293	8%
	Cartier-Brébeuf	15,313	14,987	-2%
	Chambly Canal	253,063	280,196	11%
	Coteau-du-Lac	20,908	18,398	-12%
	Forges du Saint-Maurice	8,147	21,060	159%
	Fort Chambly	145,280	167,876	16%
	Fort Lennox	24,072	30,259	26%
	Fort Témiscamingue	6,029	9,018	50%
	Fortifications of Québec	2,153,885	2,234,221	4%
	Grosse Île and the Irish Memorial	19,176	27,319	42%
	Lachine Canal	1,134,102	925,688	-18%
	Lévis Forts	16,974	17,100	1%
	Louis S. St. Laurent	9,817	11,648	19%
	Manoir Papineau	20,016 <sup>B</sup>	26,197	31%
	Pointe-au-Père Lighthouse	22,414	30,002	34%
	Sainte-Anne-de-Bellevue Canal	179,212	177,001	-1%
	Saint-Ours Canal	28,706	36,914	29%
Sir George-Étienne Cartier	4,478	7,961	78%	
Sir Wilfrid Laurier	623	1,908	206%	
The Fur Trade at Lachine	7,219	13,436	86%	

## National Historic Sites & Other Designations Continued

Province	National Historic Site	2016-17	2017-18	% ▲ <sup>A</sup>
Ontario	Bellevue House	20,260	29,726	47%
	Bethune Memorial House	17,895	30,814	72%
	Fort George	77,595	139,305	80%
	Fort Malden	27,789	40,780	47%
	Fort St. Joseph	2,717	4,597	69%
	Fort Wellington	11,495	20,815	81%
	HMCS Haida	13,701	45,397	231%
	Laurier House	5,236	9,509	82%
	Queenston Heights	9,896	23,864	141%
	Rideau Canal	1,009,837 <sup>B</sup>	1,014,801	0%
	Sault Ste. Marie Canal	101,677 <sup>B</sup>	101,677 <sup>B</sup>	0%
	Trent–Severn Waterway	1,186,168	1,286,397	8%
Woodside	726	2,615	260%	
Manitoba	Lower Fort Garry	29,981	49,306	64%
	Prince of Wales Fort	13,949	12,136	-13%
	Riel House	1,020	4,700	361%
	The Forks	58,542	135,904	132%
	York Factory	206	223	8%
Saskatchewan	Batoche	14,609	18,777	29%
	Fort Battleford	5,770	10,068	74%
	Fort Walsh	7,499	12,825	71%
	Motherwell Homestead	7,663	8,851	16%
Alberta	Banff Park Museum	31,116	94,926	205%
	Bar U Ranch	24,092	33,370	39%
	Cave and Basin	179,415	267,951	49%
	Rocky Mountain House	25,107	32,361	29%
	Sulphur Mountain Cosmic Ray Station	271,257 <sup>B</sup>	271,257 <sup>B</sup>	0%
British Columbia	Chilkoot Trail	2,922	3,016	3%
	Fort Langley	101,083	180,517	79%
	Fort Rodd Hill/Fisgard Lighthouse	68,696	98,392	43%
	Fort St. James	8,650	12,305	42%
	Gulf of Georgia Cannery	63,160	126,820	101%
	Nan Sdins	2,336	2,871	23%
Rogers Pass	547,533	538,592	-2%	
Yukon	Klondike National Historic Sites	31,966	37,351	17%
	S.S. Klondike	26,723	45,244	69%
<b>National Historic Sites &amp; Other Designations TOTAL</b>		<b>9,288,024</b>	<b>10,419,484</b>	<b>12%</b>

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## General Notations

Data are considered to be accurate at time of presentation.

A fiscal year of data represents the period from April 1 to March 31.

Only reporting units with established recording methodology are included in the report.

Visitor attendance data does not include external programming activities such as visitation to schools, presentations to the public, etc. Trends in visitor data must be interpreted with caution. Significant fluctuations in volume can be attributed to many ad hoc factors such as flooding, fire, special events and weather extremes. These external factors should be taken into consideration before determining if a variation is statistically significant.

## Location Specific Notations

- A. Fort Rodd Hill and Fisgard Lighthouse are separate national historic sites. Their close proximity to each other necessitates the inclusion of their data as one reporting unit for visitor attendance.
- B. Glacier and Mount Revelstoke are separate national parks. Their close proximity to each other necessitates the inclusion of their data as one reporting unit for visitor attendance.
- C. Pacific Rim Reserve excludes Broken Group Islands, Willowbrae Trail, and West Coast Trail data.
- D. Prince Edward Island National Park excludes visitation data from Green Gables House.
- E. Trent-Severn Waterway, Rideau Canal, & Sault Ste. Marie Canal data represents land based activity only.
- F. Kejimikujik figures do not include those of the Seaside Adjunct.

## Specific Year Notations

### 2016-17

**The following locations contain 3 or more months of estimated or duplicated data:** Kejimikujik, Manoir-Papineau, Prince Edward Island, Rideau Canal, Sault Ste. Marie Canal, and Sulphur Mountain Cosmic Ray Station.

**The following locations have revised their attendance methodology:** None.

**The following locations experienced closures to part or all of the site due to renovations / repairs / extreme events / other:** Carleton Martello Tower, Klondike National Historic Sites, Province House, and Prince of Wales Tower.

### 2017-18

**Entry was free to all locations between January and December 2017 as part of the Government of Canada's 'Canada 150' celebrations.**

**The following locations contain 3 or more months of estimated or duplicated data:** Kouchibouguac, Prince Edward Island, Sault Ste. Marie Canal, Sulphur Mountain Cosmic Ray Station, and the four mountain parks (Banff, Jasper, Yoho, and Kootenay) group tours.

**The following locations have revised their attendance methodology:** None.

**The following locations experienced closures to part or all of the site due to renovations / repairs / extreme events / other:** Carillon Canal, Lachine Canal, Sainte-Anne-de-Bellevue Canal, Kootenay, and Waterton Lakes.