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Main Street

# Community Profile

## HUNTSVILLE

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www.huntsville.ca

### *the Region:*

## MUSKOKA

### Once Discovered, Never Forgotten

Muskoka is Ontario's favourite year-round vacation destination. Located in the heart of Ontario, the Muskokas are home to many clear, sparkling lakes, dotted with recreational cottages, as well as world-class golf resorts, ski/snowboard facilities, wildlife preservation and provincial parks. From towering pine trees to waterfalls flowing over granite, come discover why visitors never forget their stay in the Muskokas.

**Location:** 2-3 hours north of Toronto

**Sports:** Boating • Canoeing • Cycling • Fishing • Golfing • Hiking • Horseback Riding • Kayaking • Skiing • Snowmobiling • Snowshoeing • Swimming

**Recreation for students:** Artisean Galleries & shows • Coffee shops • Farmers markets • Festivals • Libraries • Museums • Maple Sugar Bushes • Movies • Music festivals Parks • Restaurants (formal and fast food) • Ski resorts • Shopping malls & centres • Sports • Youth recreational centres

### Why Muskoka?

- Cottage country charm
- Friendly and hospitable schools and families
- True natural Canadian setting
- Excellent opportunities for outdoor sports

### COMMUNITIES IN THIS REGION:

- Bracebridge
- Gravenhurst
- Haliburton
- Huntsville

[www.discovermuskoka.ca](http://www.discovermuskoka.ca)

Small Town

## "The Gateway to Algonquin Park"

Huntsville is a popular four-season family vacation area in the heart of Muskoka's cottage country. Incorporated as a town in 1886 (and as a city in 1901), the historic Town Centre is surrounded many forest and over 144 lakes, and is in close proximity to many world-class golf resorts including Deerhurst Resort and the Delta Grandview. Huntsville is a thriving community close to both Arrowhead Provincial Park and the world-famous Algonquin Provincial Park making this town well known as a nature, recreation and resort destination.

- Located just south of Algonquin Park
- Population: approximately 18,300
- 220 km north of Toronto

### Notable features:

- Largest community in the District of Muskoka
- Notable golf and ski resorts including Deerhurst and Hidden Valley
- Algonquin & Arrowhead Provincial parks are great for recreational and wilderness camping, wildlife viewing and canoeing
- Very popular cottage and resort district due to the many lakes that surround it
- Main industries include tourism, pulp & paper and hardwood products (flooring)
- Minor league hockey and lacrosse teams

### Main Attractions:

- Algonquin Provincial Park: [www.algonquinpark.on.ca](http://www.algonquinpark.on.ca)
- Arrowhead Provincial Park
- Muskoka Heritage Place: [www.muskokaheritageplace.org](http://www.muskokaheritageplace.org)
- Algonquin Logging Museum and Art Centre
- Algonquin Theatre: [www.algonquintheatre.ca](http://www.algonquintheatre.ca)
- Numerous hiking, biking and snowmobiling trails
- Group of Seven murals (downtown)

**Libraries:** 1 public library

**Shopping Malls:** 1 (Huntsville Place Mall + boutiques) including clothes and music shops plus fast food eateries

**Movie Theatres:** 1

**Public Transit:** Single bus route. Bus and train service to Toronto

**Transit to school may include:** Bus / School Bus / Walking

### Average Temperatures: [ ° c ]

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High	-6	-4	2	10	17	22	25	23	19	12	4	-3
Low	-17	-16	-9	-2	4	9	12	11	7	2	-3	-12