

# NEW RIVER BEACH PROVINCIAL PARK

New River Beach was established in 1960, and was developed to protect the tidal beach and wetland habitats for wildlife like Eider ducks and gulls. Before this, New River and surrounding communities harvested clams in the area. This was a very significant industry, but this died down in the 1980s due to over harvesting.

The park spans 899 acres and is part of the Fundy Coastal Eco District, which makes it the largest sand beach on the New Brunswick side of the bay of Fundy. At low tide, tidal flats are revealed and are commonly covered with sand dollars, crabs and clams. In 2021, the park was used as a filming location for CBCs "Race Against the Tide" and has hosted annual sandcastle competitions.

The campground at this provincial park offers 99 campsites with facilities including showers and laundry. New River Beach provides trails with scenic views and education on plants and wildlife, and The New River Beach Takeout, a licensed beach side patio and takeout.

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<https://www.nbparks.ca/en/parks/13/new-river-beach-provincial-park>  
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