***Information Bulletin***

**EARLY BIRD PASSES FOR PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND NATIONAL PARK AVAILABLE BEGINNING APRIL 2nd**

**CHARLOTTETOWN, PEI, April 2nd, 2024** – Parks Canada is offering season entry passes for Prince Edward Island National Park at discounted rates prior to the beginning of the 2024 operating season. Season passes offer unlimited access to PEI National Park in 2024, including beaches, trails, visitor services, and facilities.

Having a season pass is a great way to connect with nature while investing in the services and infrastructure that make each visit memorable. Discounted early bird passes will be sold from April 2 to June 15, 2024, at a price of $54.50 for a family/group pass. Individual adult ($22.00) and senior ($19.00) early bird seasonal passes are also available. Youth 17 and under enjoy free admission to all places administered by Parks Canada.

Passes can be purchased at Ardgowan National Historic Site, 2 Palmers Lane in Charlottetown, Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Visitors can also purchase their passes online at [www.parksorders.ca](https://www.parksorders.ca/%22%20%5Ct%20%22_blank). Starting May 1, passes are available at Green Gables Heritage Place, 8619 Cavendish Road (Route 6), seven days a week, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Entrance fees collected are invested directly back into Parks Canada’s activities and visitor facility improvements.

Stanhope and Cavendish Campgrounds in PEI National Park will open for the season on June 11, and entry gates and the Greenwich Interpretation Centre will open on June 5. Passes can also be purchased at these locations at the early bird rate until June 15.

New this year, Parks Canada will be piloting self-serve automated entry gates for season pass holders at the Brackley Beach and Cavendish Beach (Grahams Lane) vehicle entry points. PEI National Park 2024 season pass holders will be able to scan their passes in a dedicated lane without checking in at the staffed entry gates. The automated entry gates will be in use throughout the 2024 operational season, starting June 5th from 10am to 6pm daily. Entry gates will still be staffed with Parks Canada team members, who will be on hand to sell passes and provide information to visitors.

Parks Canada looks forward to welcoming you and your family to PEI National Park this year. For more information about the park, call us at 902-672-6350, visit our [website](https://parks.canada.ca/pn-np/pe/pei-ipe), and follow us on [Facebook](http://www.facebook.com/PEInationalpark) or on Twitter.

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