

When is the best time to visit Grand Manan?

Anytime, in our opinion! But for particular activities in mind for your holiday, the best times for when you:

1. Are happy with cool foggy days, curled up with a good book while the fog horn sounds in the distance: June
2. Want to see the Puffins nesting on Machias Seal Island: mid-July
3. Hope for sunny, warm (relatively speaking) days: August
4. Can't come in summer but when it is just as nice: September
5. Must see whales: August and September
6. Admire Lupines as well as other wildflowers: mid-June
7. Want fresh-baked French bread: June to mid-October
8. Want to watch a great variety of birds resting during their migrations: May and October.
9. Are looking for local crafts, arts, jewellery, food, or produce all in one place: Saturday mornings, late June to mid-September (Farmers Market, North Head, Saturdays 10 to 12)
10. Like to eat at the biggest variety of restaurants: Late June to mid-September
11. Like to visit interesting little shops: Mid-June to mid-October
12. Watch a parade and fireworks, go to a fair, and cheer competitions: Rotary Festival, last weekend in July.
13. Shop at malls, bring your kids to theme parks, and admire the city skyline: Sorry, we don't have any.
14. Party into the early morning at clubs and bars: Likewise, no can do.
15. Avoid crowds and traffic at the height of the tourist season: Any time, we are never crowded.
16. Slow down, smile, wave at strangers, stop to chat, offer or ask for a little help: happens all the time!