

## Featuring:

- Anne Murray Centre
- Springhill Miners' Museum
- 9 Hole Golf Course
- Miners' Memorial Park
- National Historic Site

Beyond Amherst on the Trans Canada Highway 104 is the Town of Springhill. Springhill is the hometown of a musical sensation known in entertainment capitals around the world as the incomparable ANNE MURRAY! **The Anne Murray Centre**, located in downtown Springhill pays a fitting tribute to the world-class achievements of the singing superstar. In a series of award winning three dimensional and audio-visual displays visitors can see first hand the awards, memorabilia, and highlights of her exciting career, as well as special features in the heroic history of the town where she was born.

Springhill is a **National Historic Site** recognizing coal mining's contribution to the industrialization of Canada. The Lamp Cabin, The Company Pay Office and the Springhill Miners' Museum are all particular sites of interest. At the **Springhill Miners' Museum** (on Black River Rd.) exhibits and artifacts detail the story of the Town's mining history. **Guided tours** are provided of an underground mine where visitors can dig their own coal as

a souvenir and the miners' stories bring to life the hardship and tragedy, but also the good times, that are part of Springhill's heritage.

In the **Miners' Memorial Park** on Main Street, visitors can view the "White Miner" who was unveiled in 1894 by Lord and Lady Aberdeen and the Right Honourable John Thompson, Prime Minister of Canada, in memory of the 125 men and boys who lost their lives in the 1891 Explosion. The remaining tablets and monuments erected in the park honour the memory of the miners lost in a number of accidents throughout the history of Springhill's mining industry, including the 1956 and 1958 disasters. Visitors may also be interested in stopping by the Town Hall on Main St. to see the Carnegie Hall Medal on display, awarded to the doctors and rescuers for bravery during the "1958 Bump".

The Town's abandoned coalmines have also been discovered to be an excellent source of geothermal energy. The local community is now a world-leading example for reducing emissions and making use of this unique and efficient energy source.

There are several things to see and do while visiting the Town of Springhill. Enjoy a challenging round of golf at the local 9-hole course; take a walk on the **Naz MacDonald Fitness Trail** at the Lions Park on Lower Main Street; and view the stone mural tablets on the front steps of the Town Hall depicting Springhill's rich history in mining, music and sports.



Open Daily  
Mid-May to Mid-October  
7 Days a Week

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM Daily

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## TOUR A MINE

Springhill Miners Museum



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