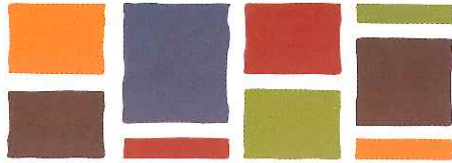


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Located on a stunning two-acre property that overlooks Shelburne Harbour, the Black Loyalist Heritage Centre tells the story of the arrival of the Black Loyalists seeking freedom on these shores at the end of the 18th century. At that time they represented the largest free Black settlement outside of Africa.

Begin your experience in the Centre's Lindsay Gallery, which features a multimedia presentation of the Black Loyalist journey. At the archaeological pit, examine artifacts excavated here in Birchtown and at the end of the exhibit, explore the virtual copy of Carleton's famed Book of Negroes to see the names of those who made the journey.

Outside, visit historic buildings, walk our Heritage Trail, stop by the Pit House, and visit the National Historic Monument that commemorated the 1783 Black Loyalist Landings of Nova Scotia.

Operated by the Black Loyalist Heritage Society.



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Open mid-May to mid-October

(Check website for hours and open dates)

Gift shop.

Public washrooms.

Free parking.

Picnic area.

Guided tours available.

Genealogical services available.

Bus tours welcome.

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