

Battle Harbour, Labrador, Canada

Once the cod-fishing capital of Labrador, Battle Harbour is a perfectly preserved 19th-century island outpost — no roads, no cars, no cell signal — just salt air, historic wharves, and the chance to spot icebergs drifting past.

 Tender / Small wharf

 Typical call: 4-6 hrs

 Canadian Dollar (CAD)

 English

 National Historic Site

🚤 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____ **Arrive:** _____ **All aboard:** _____

Excursion: _____ **Notes:** _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Tender or small expedition wharf; no large cruise terminal

Best For: History, remote wilderness, iceberg & whale watching

Walk to village: Steps from wharf — island is tiny, everything on foot

Don't Miss: Guided heritage walk, the historic Marconi wireless station

🚗 Getting around:

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Heritage Village Walking Tour** — A guided tour of the restored outpost departs daily.
- **Battle Harbour Footpath** — This 2 km easy-to-moderate trail winds past two historic cemeteries, a plane crash memorial, and Arctic vegetation...
- **Great Caribou Island Traverse** — A 12 km moderate hike on nearby Great Caribou Island (speedboat transfer included).
- **Iceberg & Whale Scenic Boat Tour** — Local operators run scenic boat tours around Battle Harbour and the Labrador coast in season (June–July peak for...
- **Sea Kayaking** — Paddle the sheltered bay around Battle Island with expedition staff.

BEST WALKS

- **Village Loop & Footpath** 2 km · Easy–Moderate · 1–1.5 hrs — Start at the wharves and walk through the restored merchant buildings and fish flakes, then pick up the Battle Harbour Footpath south...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

 **CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)**

Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr	35°	26°	13d
Jun	52°	41°	15d
Aug	63°	52°	14d
Sep	56°	45°	14d
Oct	47°	38°	12d

 **DAYLIGHT &  MONEY**

Apr 6:14AM–8:10PM · Jun 4:50AM–9:35PM · Aug 5:56AM–8:35PM · Sep 6:47AM–7:26PM · Oct 7:38AM–6:16PM

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Iceberg season peaks June–July. If your ship calls in this window, scan the bay on arrival — bergs can drift within sight of the wharves.
- No cell service on the island. Download offline maps before you go. Free Wi-Fi is available at The Loft pub if you need to check in.
- Wear sturdy shoes. The island has no paved surfaces — boardwalks, bare rock, and gravel paths are the norm. Flip flops will get you nowhere.