Two Days on Nantucket
Any Day

Get some coffee or tea to begin your day. Nantucket has some great coffee shops. Pick up a newspaper or magazine with your coffee from The Hub, The Handlebar Café on the Washington Street curve, The Soda Fountain at Nantucket Pharmacy, 45 Main Street, The Bean on India Street, the tiny Island Coffee stand near the Steamship ferry dock or The Corner Table just across the street from the Visitor Center on Federal Street, any of these locations have a variety of selections.

There are several locations where you can buy a paper. Downtown locations include, The Hub, The Bean, Nantucket Pharmacy, the Nantucket Harbor Stop & Shop and the Handlebar Café.

Outside of the downtown, you can buy newspapers at the mid-island Stop & Shop, Island Pharmacy, both Cumberland Farms stores, Fast Forward and Espresso to Go coffee shops, Sconset Market.


Ride the Whale…
Departing from Straight Wharf behind the Straight Wharf Restaurant, Waypoint Marine Service, the company that runs the harbor launches, offers a ride service called “Ride the Whale.” This ride is available between 10:00am and 8:00pm and lasts approximately 20 minutes. It is a unique way to see the harbor. Tickets are $12 for Adults and $10 for kids under 12. BUT, for $15 you can take a ride and get an ice cream cone from Stars Ice Cream.

…OR Rent a Sailboat/ Paddle Board or Windsurfer…
If you want to ride like the wind or just stand up paddle, you can rent these crafts on the harbor-side of Jetties Beach with Nantucket Community Sailing. Rentals are available Monday to Friday, Noon – 5:00pm and Saturdays-Sundays from 9:00am-5:00pm. Reserve ahead by calling 508-228-5358. Private lessons are available.

…OR Rent a Motorboat
Located at the corner of Straight Wharf, Island Boat Rental has motor boats ranging from 16 feet up to 24 feet in length to explore the harbor. Call 617-733-6420 or e-mail info@boatnantucket.com to reserve.

Brant Point Marine located next to the Harbormaster’s office on Washington Street rents 17 foot Bristol skiffs. Call 508-228-6244 for rates and availability.
Take a Picnic to Coatue
If you have rented a sailboat or power boat, how about having a picnic on the remote barrier beach of Coatue? Several take out restaurants have sandwiches, chips and other snacks to chose from for your excursion.

Provisions
- Harbor Square (behind bandstand)
- Walter’s Deli 10 Broad Street
- Henry, Jr’s 129 Orange Street
- Corner Table 22 Federal Street
- Cooks Sidewalk Café 6 South Beach Street
- Nantucket Harbor Stop & Shop 9 Salem Street
- Sayle’s Seafood 99 Washington St. Ext.

See a Play or Musical
Nantucket has 2 thriving playhouses, the Theatre Workshop of Nantucket, located at Bennett Hall, 62 Centre Street and the White Heron Theatre, located at 5 North Water Street. Both have various plays or musicals running thru the season. Most of the actors are local and sometimes, there might be a few from Broadway in New York City. TWN’s plays start normally at 7:00pm and White Heron’s are 7:30. On occasion, the Dreamland Theatre located at 17 South Water Street will have special plays/ musicals. Please check websites, call or visit to order tickets.

Theater Workshop of Nantucket – [www.theatrenantucket.org](http://www.theatrenantucket.org) or 508-228-4305
  * TWN’s Box Office is located at 50 Main Street

White Heron Theatre – [www.whiteherontheatre.org](http://www.whiteherontheatre.org) or 508-228-2156

Nantucket Dreamland Theatre – [www.nantucketdreamland.org](http://www.nantucketdreamland.org) or 508-332-4822

Have Breakfast…Nantucket Style
Nantucket Island has many unique restaurants. Not all of them serve breakfast, those that do are very popular with the morning crowds:

- Black Eyed Susans 10 India Street
- Brant Point Grill 50 Easton Street
- Crosswinds 14 Airport Road
- Downyflake Donuts 18 Sparks Avenue
- Island Kitchen 1 Chin’s Way
- Keepers (Fog Island Café) 5 Amelia Drive
- Lemon Press 41 Main Street

Go on a Geocaching Scavenger Hunt
Download the Geocaching app onto your smartphone and begin to look for hidden treasures all over Nantucket island. When you find the object, sign the accompanying guestbook or log it on your app. At last check, there were 79 locations. Ranging from something near Main and Centre Street, a great view of the west side of the island to a spot somewhere close to Sankaty light, this is a tour of the island like no other.

Play a Tennis Match
The Nantucket Community School operates and manages the tennis courts located behind the pavilion at Jetties Beach. Schedule a game by calling 508-325-5334. Lessons and clinics are also available on the recently resurfaced hard-tru courts. Don’t have a racquet or ball? They have them available to use. Jetties Tennis is a member of the New England USTA.
Great Harbor Yacht Club has limited public times to play at their 23 Nobadeer Farm Road tennis center. Please call 508-680-5011 to reserve one of their 8 courts.

…OR Play a Round of Golf
Nantucket has 2 scenic, but challenging golf courses. Sconset Golf Course, located on Milestone Road just before you enter Sconset village is a 9 hole course that opened in 1894. Tee times are first come first served. Golf clubs and carts are available to rent.

The Miacomet Golf Course located at 12 West Miacomet Road in the southeast section of the island, opened in 1963 was originally 9 holes but expanded to 18 in 2003. Tee times are strongly recommended. Please reserve online at https://miacomet.ezlinksgolf.com/index.html#/search or call 508-228-0333. Carts and cubs are available to rent. There is also a driving range and putting green to practice on.

Nantucket has 2 other private 18 hole courses, Sankaty Head Golf Club and Nantucket Golf Club. Public tee times are not available.