

TRIP IDEA:	SWAN ISLAND	Richmond to Hallowell Kennebec Valley Region	Maine
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SEASONAL MORNING

Begin the day in Richmond at **Annabella's Bakery and Café**.

Pack a picnic lunch and water.

MIDDAY

Board the five-minute ferry ride across the Kennebec River to **Swan Island**. Explore this historic island at the head of Merrymeeting Bay. Day hikers, campers, and birders are all welcome. There are 7+ miles of trails. The entire island is listed in the National Register of Historic Places. The day use fee is \$8.00 per person. There are four scheduled ferries each day, BUT RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE IN ADVANCE by calling 207-547-5322.

Walk up the hill and treat yourself to a yummy ice cream from **Main Street Dairy Treat**. Perfect afternoon treat!

DAY'S END

Check in for the evening at **Maple Hill Farm** in Hallowell.

Local Tips:

Ride or walk the **Kennebec River Rail Trail**, a six-mile trail from Augusta to Gardiner.

Meander through **Vaughan Woods and Historic Homestead** known locally as "Hobbit Land".

Grab a brew at **Liberal Cup Public House and Brewery**, a 7-barrel brewpub.

Have dinner at **A-1 Diner** in Gardiner or **Slates** in Hallowell. Both are longtime favorites.

Addresses:

Annabella's Bakery & Café
2 Main St
Richmond, ME 04357

Swan Island Ferry
Richmond Village
Intersection of Routes 24 and 197
Richmond, ME 04357

Maine Street Dairy Treat
50 Main Street
Richmond, ME 04357

Maple Hill Farm
11 Inn Rd
Hallowell, ME 04347

Kennebec River Rail Trail
Greenville St
Hallowell, ME 04347

Vaughan Woods and Historic Homestead
2 Litchfield Rd
Hallowell, ME 04347

The Liberal Cup
115 Water St #1
Hallowell, ME 04347

A-1 Diner
3 Bridge St
Gardiner, ME 04345

Slates
161 Water St
Hallowell, ME 04347