

# OAK BLUFFS

**In 1835, riding the crest of the religious revival movement, Oak Bluffs served as the site for annual summer camp meetings. Methodist church groups found the groves and pastures well suited to all-day gospel sessions. Today, the town's beaches, amusements, and historic importance continues to attract visitors to its streets as well as its charming and accessible outdoor spaces.**

Trinity Park/Tabernacle  
Sunset Lake  
Oak Bluffs Harbor  
New York Avenue  
Lake Avenue  
Seaview Ave.  
Oak Bluffs Ave.  
Beach Road  
Ocean Park  
Trinity  
Tuckernuck  
Waban Park  
Nantucket Avenue  
Viera Park

To Hospital, Vineyard Haven, North Tisbury  
To Airport, West Tisbury, Chilmark, Menemsha, Aquinnah  
Barnes Road Wing Road

Photo: Peter Simon

# AQUINNAH

Many year-round residents are members of the Wampanoag tribe of Gay Head (Aquinnah). Their ancestors showed colonial settlers how to hunt whales, plant corn, and find clay in the nearby cliffs. The brilliant colors of the mile-long expanse of the Aquinnah Cliffs astonished early explorers and continue to be a source of interest to scientists and visitors alike.

Gay Head Cliffs  
Lighthouse Road  
Lobsterville Beach  
State Road  
Moshup Trail  
Moshup Beach

Photo: Don Alexander Goss

# CHILMARK

Chilmark and its still-active fishing village of Menemsha are known for rolling hills and unmatched coastline. Stone fences, remnants of former sheep farms, still ribbon the hills. Chilmark's town center boasts a lovely church. Uninhabited except for an occasional farm or fishing village not so long ago, Chilmark now provides the setting for many a summer home.

Menemsha Village  
Menemsha Pond  
Beeblebung Corner  
North Rd.  
Menemsha Cross Road  
Middle Rd.  
South Road  
State Rd.

Photo: Robert Schellhammer

# WEST TISBURY

West Tisbury with its white church, general store, post office, old mill, farms, and ponds has all the characteristics people associate with a typical New England village. From its delightful town center to the outlying nature preserves and the Christians town Memorial, the modest town of West Tisbury offers the visitor a wealth of recreational options.

Youth Hostel  
Edgartown - West Tisbury Road  
Music St.  
Middle Road  
Old County Rd.  
Panhandle Rd.  
South Road

Photo: Robert Schellhammer

# Welcome to MARTHA'S VINEYARD

## Visitors Map

### ATTRACTIONS

(Some attractions are shown on Island map on reverse)

Vineyard Haven  
VH1 Vineyard Playhouse  
VH2 Katharine Cornell Memorial Theater  
VH3 Chamber of Commerce

Oak Bluffs  
OB1 Flying Horses Carousel  
OB2 Campground/Gingerbread Cottages  
OB3 Cottage Museum  
OB4 Union Chapel

Edgartown  
E1 Dr. Daniel Fisher House  
E2 Memorial Wharf  
E3 Chappaquiddick Ferry  
E4 Old Whaling Church  
E5 The Vincent House Museum  
E6 Martha's Vineyard Historical Society  
E7 Dike Bridge  
E8 My Toi Japanese Gardens  
E9 Dukes County Courthouse

West Tisbury  
WT1 Polly Hill Arboretum  
WT2 Christians town Memorial  
WT3 Alley's General Store  
WT4 Agricultural Hall (site of Ag Fair)  
WT5 Grange Hall/Farmers Market&Artisans Fair

Chilmark  
C1 Menemsha Village  
C2 Chilmark Community Center  
C3 Chilmark Flea Market  
C4 The Yard  
C5 Bike Ferry

Aquinnah  
A1 Gay Head Cliffs  
A2 Wampanoag Tribal Center  
A3 Gay Head Lighthouse  
A4 Bike Ferry

Island-Wide  
IW1 African-American Heritage Trail, www.mvheritagetrail.org  
IW2 Wampanoag Way, www.wampanoagtribe.net

The mission of the Martha's Vineyard Chamber of Commerce is to benefit the economic health and welfare of the Island by promoting tourism, trade, commercial interest, and commerce on Martha's Vineyard. Visit the Chamber's Website at [www.mvny.com](http://www.mvny.com).

The Martha's Vineyard Commission is the regional planning agency for Dukes County. It works with towns and the community to protect, restore, and improve the Island's environment, special character and open spaces; to plan, build, and maintain transportation; to promote a sustainable local economy and affordable housing; and to regulate large-scale and critical district developments ([www.mvc.com](http://www.mvc.com)).

Statewide Travel Information  
[massvacation.com](http://massvacation.com)

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# EDGARTOWN

One of New England's most elegant communities, Edgartown was the Island's first colonial settlement and it has been the county seat since 1642. The stately white Greek Revival houses built by the whaling captains have been carefully maintained. They make the town a museum-piece community, a seaport village preserved from the early 19th century.

Edgartown - Vineyard Haven Road  
M.V. Land Bank Commission  
Boys and Girls Club  
Public Tennis Courts  
Chappaquiddick Ferry  
Chilmark Community Center  
Ferry

To Oak Bluffs and State Beach  
To Hospital, Oak Bluffs, Edgartown, Bike Paths, Beaches

Photo: Peter Simon

# VINEYARD HAVEN (TISBURY)

Excellent shops, fine restaurants, and a beautiful harbor are only a few of the attractions that make Vineyard Haven so special to tourists and residents alike. The town that includes Vineyard Haven is called Tisbury, after a parish in England near the birthplace of the Island's first governor, Thomas Mayhew. English settlement of the area dates from the mid-1600s.

Chamber of Commerce  
Memorial Park (playing field)  
Lagoon Pond  
Beach Road  
To Hospital, Oak Bluffs, Edgartown, Bike Paths, Beaches

To West Tisbury, Menemsha, Chilmark, Aquinnah  
Tashmo Overlook  
To Edgartown, Bike Paths, and State Forest

Photo: Barry Rosenthal