

Rhode Island is in the southernmost part of New England, United States of America.

Rhode Island is roughly the size of Luxembourg.



Westerly

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6:28 PM



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Hotels



\$1,163

Ocean House
4.5 ★ (1,396)

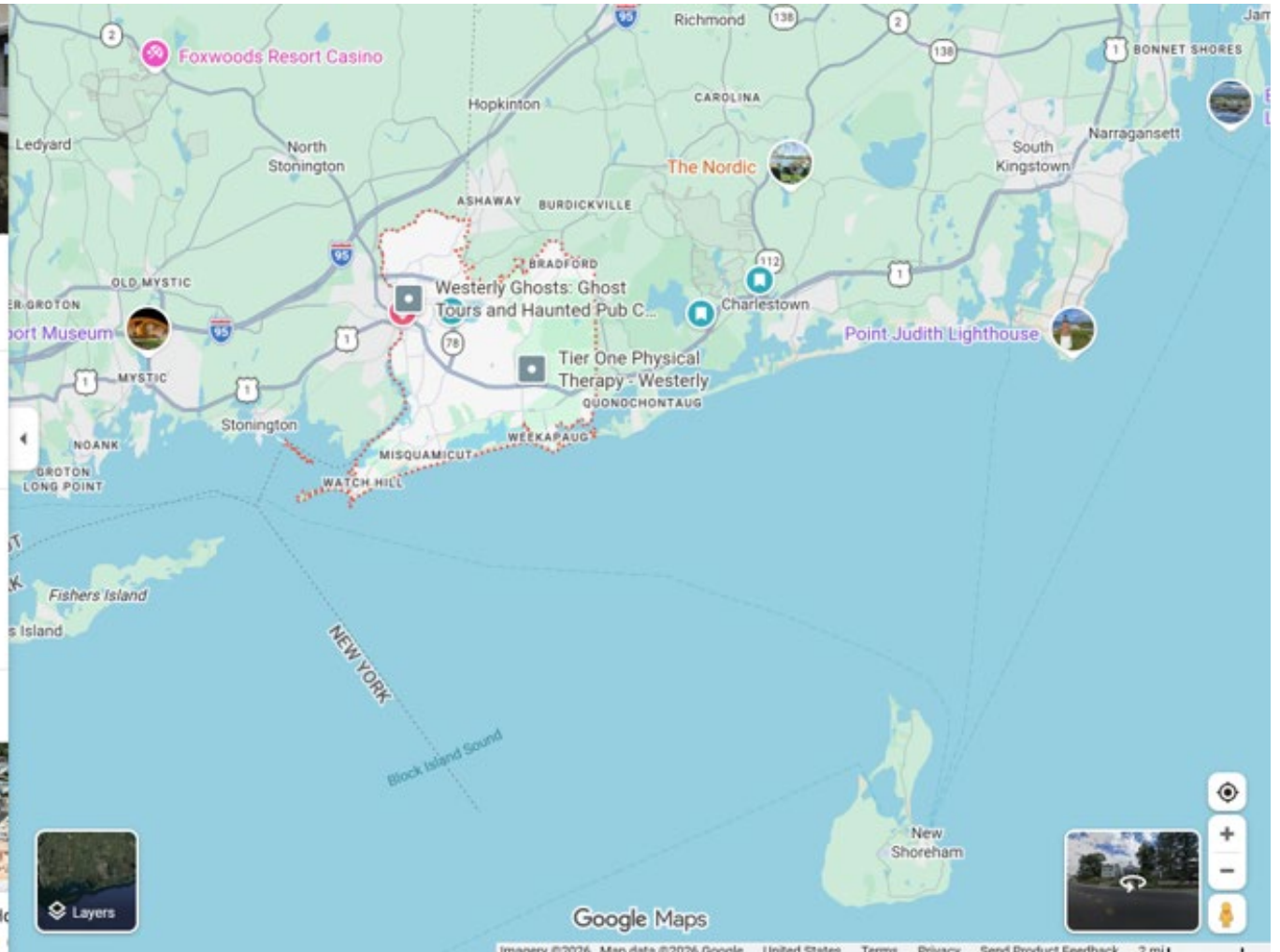


\$240

Pleasant View Inn
4.2 ★ (849)

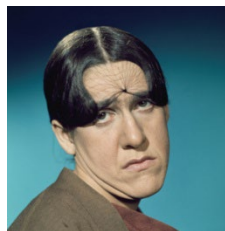


The Hotel Westerly
4.7 ★



Westerly is in the south-westernmost part of Rhode Island.

Some of Westerly, Rhode Island's most notable residents are Ruth Buzzi, Conan O'Brien, Steve Schirripa, and Taylor Swift.



The FIFA World Cup tournament runs June 11 to July 19, 2026, and the United States will host 11 of the 16 total host cities. Westerly, Rhode Island is located roughly halfway between New York and Boston; 141 miles to New York, New York and 93 miles to Boston, Massachusetts.

FIFA World Cup 2026: U.S. host cities

City	Stadium	Matches
Atlanta	Mercedes-Benz Stadium	8
Boston	Gillette Stadium	7
Dallas	AT&T Stadium	9
Houston	NRG Stadium	7
Kansas City	Arrowhead Stadium	6
Los Angeles	SoFi Stadium	8
Miami	Hard Rock Stadium	7
New York/New Jersey	MetLife Stadium	8, including the final
Philadelphia	Lincoln Financial Field	6
San Francisco Bay Area	Levi's Stadium	6
Seattle	Lumen Field	6



The United States of America celebrates 250 years since the signing of the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776.

Celebrations are happening across America this year:

- **Hartford Bonanza + Connecticut Capital Commemoration (July 4, Hartford, CT):** Hosted at Bushnell Park, this festival celebrates the arts, cultures, and stories of the region, doubling as the official state capital commemoration.
- **America's Jubilee (Early June, Newport, RI):** A waterfront festival featuring a Celebration Sail with tall ships, world-class sailboats, and historical maritime exhibits.
- **Old Sturbridge Village Commemorations (Ongoing, Sturbridge, MA):** Living history events throughout the year, featuring period-accurate life, parades, and historical interpretations, highlighted on the Old Sturbridge Village site.
- **Fire & Freedom Festival (July 5, Mystic, CT):** Taking place at the Inn at Mystic, this free event features a Veteran Torch Relay, historical reenactments, colonial crafts, and artisan vendors.
- **Blackstone Celebrates America 250! (July 23–26, Blackstone, MA):** A large four-day community carnival at the Blackstone-Millville Regional High School featuring rides, live music, a 5K race, and Saturday night fireworks.

Celebrations happening at the Babcock-Smith House in Westerly:

- **Philip Freneau's War Poetry Reading (June 17, 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM):** A special reading of American Revolutionary war poetry on the anniversary of the Battle of Bunker Hill, presented by Robert Madison.
- **Babcock Portraits Exhibition (May 31, 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM):** A focused presentation and viewing of the historic Babcock family portraits painted by Joseph Blackburn.
- **Revolutionary History Open Houses:** The 1734 colonial home is featuring 250th-anniversary exhibits, including Rhode Island's Renunciation Act documents (which predated the Declaration of Independence), Benjamin Franklin's letters to Dr. Joshua Babcock, and colonial-era furniture

