

Rhode Island



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Rhode Island: In The Past

Founded by Roger Williams

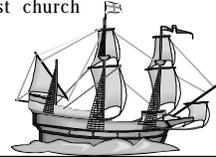
Founded in 1636

They made a living by making ships fishing and lumber

Was the first colony to have a Baptist church

Smallest original colony

First settlement Providence



Rhode Island History

Massachusetts Bay colonists settled the Island

Roger Williams believed the Indians owned the land and that they had to be paid so they paid the Indians

The Narraganset Indians deeded land to settlers.

It's main reason for settlement was religious freedom

Rhode Island Now



Rhode Island is a state now.

Very peaceful.

The motto is hope.

The state bird is the Rhode Island Red.

The state flower is the violet.

The state tree is the red maple.

Tennis is a tradition.



Rhode Island

The state house is in Providence.

It is 1,212 SQ miles

The coast is 40 miles long.

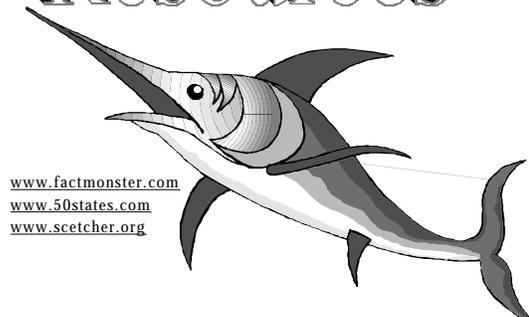
Rhode island is the ocean state.

They do yacht racing.

Mohegan bluffs on block island.



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