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Annual Cake Walk & Picnic - Saturday, June 1, 2019

Registration for Tobermory Events - Sat., June 8th, 2019 after 7:00 a.m. (register for one trip only)

Three Paddling Events - Tues., June 4, Tues., June 11 & Tues., June 18, 2019

Sydenham End to End (second half in 6 Sections - June 15, June 22, July 13, July 20, Aug. 24 & Sept. 14)

Summer Solstice Hike & Potluck - Pre-register by Wed., June 19 for event on Friday, June 21, 2019

Three Cycling events - July 10, July 17 & Aug. 3

Special Hike in Memory of Herman & Sharon - Wed., Aug. 7 - Picnic at The Wedding Tree

The Blue Mountains Bruce Trail Club Newsletter

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The cover photo was taken Wed., March 27 on the BVBTC km 25.5 in the Kolapore Uplands on a beautiful, sunny day in early spring.

The President's Message by Michael Treuman

Welcome to being outdoors on the Bruce Trail in the season other than winter ! Spring, summer and fall bring their own attractions, beginning with great hiking and walking weather. We enjoy seasonal wildflowers for colour, sometimes with dramatic surprise such as the Trilliums on the forest floor in mid-May. This matures into long summer days, with patches of hot weather, flower outbursts on the footpath, and welcome cooling in shaded woods. Eventually temperatures moderate, the days become shorter and fall colours arrive.

Making this secure - a conservation corridor containing this public footpath - is currently the primary focus of the Bruce Trail Conservancy. By the spring of 2019, 67% of the Trail was permanently protected. It has been a strong year - 14 km of Trail since July 2018. In the Blue Mountains section (Lavender to Craigleath), we are nearing 50% secured, so there is work to do.

An interesting securement project on the Blue Mountains Main Trail took place in the fall of 2018 between Lavender and Dunedin. It converted 1.1 km of road walking to 1.5 km of wilderness trail. This obviously makes it more interesting for ardent hikers. At the same time, this section of new Trail is also an attractive destination for gentle in-and-out nature walks.

The new stretch of footpath sets out on a newly-acquired 14 acre property, tentatively named the "Gardner Nature Reserve". It runs north from where the Bruce Trail exits the Noisy River Provincial Nature Reserve. Two ancient maple trees greet us. This is soon followed by a long row of ancient maples, along an old fence line, at the edge of a wide uncultivated field. Then, after a right turn, the Trail continues along the edge of a field that is being cultivated. That gives rise to a magnificent panoramic view of adjacent farmlands.

To experience this, park on County Rd. 9 where the Bruce Trail exits the Noisy River Nature Reserve, and follow the Bruce Trail signs going north. Ascend a short steep incline by means of several stair steps onto the new property. The first 1.2 km of footpath are on ground that is gently sloping, first on a gentle rise, followed by a gradual decline. Turn around to walk back from any point along this stretch. Such a round-trip presents unique and unexpected vistas and adds up to a memorable experience.

We look forward to bringing you more stories like this in the future.

The Blue Mountains Bruce Trail community has grown by 150 in total memberships to a total of 700 over the last two years. When there are more of us, there is opportunity for more varied programs and participation. The Club welcomes new volunteers for its day-to-day support of the local Bruce Trail including leadership roles. Ideas such as organized nature walks, Community Science, and youth programs may become feasible. Please contact us, on the Trail or by e-mail, to express an interest in participating as a volunteer !



Meantime, do look for us. We set up an information booth at various local events. For example, we are at a Farmer's Markets in Collingwood or Creemore on most of the 3-day weekends this summer. Do stop by to visit with us.

Michael

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Hiking the Pretty River Trail top to bottom on March 13 with Rosie.

LOOPS & LATTES HIKING GUIDES

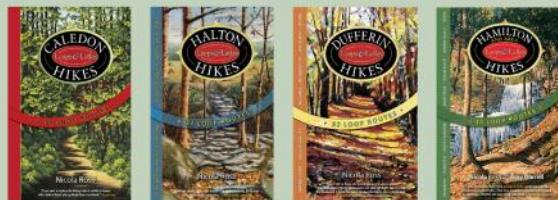
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Norman Brown

by Dick Edwards

On Jan. 17, 2017, a funeral was held for Norman Brown at First Baptist Church in Collingwood. Unfortunately, I didn't hear about it and I suspect few if any BMBTC members attended. This is not surprising, as Norm hasn't been involved with the club for several years, but from the 80's to the early 2000's Norman was an active member.

When I got involved with the club in the mid 90's, Marietta Service was president and Norm was treasurer. Every meeting he brought his ledger book with all receipts and expenditures carefully noted. No computer program. Just a careful reckoning of money in and money out. He had a wry sense of humour and sometimes commented on the wisdom of expenditures. I recall his pet peeve was paying for a phone line to BTC office that we rarely used. He ran his books as carefully as he ran his farm.

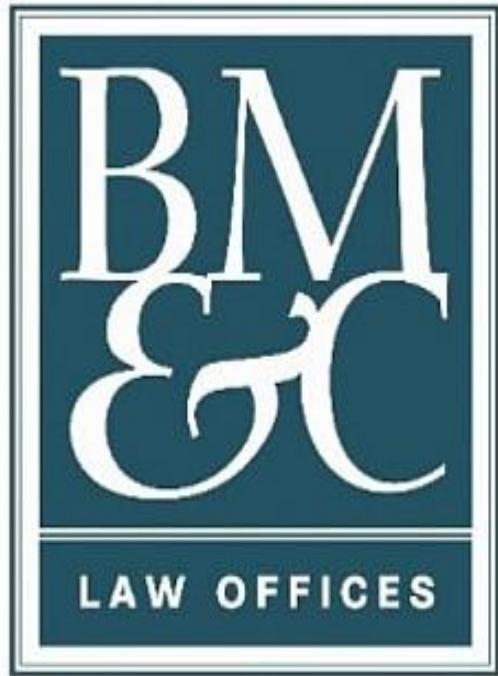
Marietta described Norm as "a quiet gentleman who held various positions and whose commitment to the club was very long term." Back in the day, the BMBTC exec consisted of 5 to 10 people who met around a table in someone's kitchen. We went real big-time when Norm arranged a regular meeting room in the Baptist church ... for no charge, as I recall.



Norm farmed near Dundalk (where he is now buried) and moved into Collingwood in the mid 2000's after his wife died. In town, he worked as a school crossing guard for several years. As he told me once, it got him out into the fresh air every day. Marietta recalled that "he and Russ McConnell were often the only hardy souls out on winter hikes." I recall one late summer

hike over Meaford way through a lot of farmland where Norm taught me how to recognize alfalfa, timothy, barley, oats and wheat. I recall the lesson fondly, but wish we could review a few points that I can't keep straight.

Norm had four children and ten grandchildren who are named in his obituary which you can access from "Norman Brown obituary, Fawcett Funeral Home, Collingwood." For a few years prior to his passing, Norm resided at the senior home beside Tom Hortons on Hume Street. He hiked from the home to Tim's twice a day. I met him there a few times and shared a coffee. He still got in a hike in the fresh air, even if a short one.



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The First Day of Snow - David Little's Excellent Adventure in Feversham - November 9, 2018



It started as a normal day in the parking lot behind Timmies waiting for our leader, David Little. We were going to Feversham to hike the Gorge Trails. No snow was expected. We headed up the mountain via Grey Road 19 when all of a sudden the snow started falling heavily. Cars without snow tires were sliding and impeding our way up. Were we going to be able to make it? The intrepid BMBTC hikers continued on to Feversham where the snow continued to fall. We slipped and slid along the Feversham Gorge Trail and did some fun climbing among the ancient cedars, as well. David led us through the village and the cemetery, directing our attention to various points of interest, as well as to the pond where the Canada geese were circling, landing and taking off again. When the hike was over, the sun shone brilliantly. Some headed home and others headed to the Emporium (an interesting shop converted from an old gas station/garage) for some shopping and hot chocolate. An excellent adventure on the first snowy day! Thanks David. Lesson learned though - always be prepared for an early surprise snowfall.



Board Changes and Appreciation

With this recent AGM in May, there have been some changes to the board of the Blue Mountain Bruce Trail. We thank Ted Moore, Volunteer Coordinator; Flo Kusiak, Treasurer; Hart Fischer, Website Host and Tom Wilson Hike Coordinator for their many hours of service in their positions on the Board of the BMBTC. Both Ted and Tom are stepping down, while Flo and Hart are staying on the board, although in new positions.

We welcome Robert Moenck as the new Web Master and Pierre Tousignant who is taking on the Treasurer's position. We thank both Flo and Hart who are now taking on new positions. Flo will take on the Volunteer Coordinator's role, while Hart will fill the position of Hike Coordinator.

At this time there is still the position of Vice President which needs to be filled. It is a learning position for someone who would then proceed into the position of president when Michael Treuman retires.

Each season, we meet new hikers and encourage them to try the challenge of leading a hike in their favourite spot under the direction of a hike leader mentor. This past year, we have been fortunate to have a good number of new hike leaders come forward - Catherine Trembling, Isobelle Mikosza, Denise Shand, Mary-Lynne Chenard and Allison Thomas. We thank these members for volunteering their services. The BMBTC members support the new hike leaders, as they develop their confidence and skills to become a hike leader. We hope to arrange a hike leader training course sometime this year. Should you be interested in becoming a hike leader, please let Hart Fischer the new Hike Director know of your interest.



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BLUE MOUNTAINS BRUCE TRAIL CLUB

Hike Schedule

June 21 2019 through October 31, 2019

a) Unless stated otherwise, all hikes meet in the parking lot behind Tim Horton's on First St. in Collingwood

b) Hikers should come prepared, having read the Hiker's Checklist below.

c) Hikers will be required to sign a waiver similar to that set out below prior to the commencement of the scheduled activity:

"I acknowledge that this activity of the Blue Mountains Bruce Trail Club in which I am participating involves risks which are beyond the control of the club. Notwithstanding the acknowledgment of such risks, I hereby release the Blue Mountains Bruce Trail Club, its contractors, employees, volunteers, agents, assigns and executors from all claims for damage however so arising as a result of my participation in this or any other activity organized by the club. I agree to pay the cost of any emergency evacuation of my person or belongings that may be necessary. I affirm that I am aware of the nature of the activity, its approximate length, duration and degree of difficulty and that I am properly equipped and physically able to participate. I have no medical or other condition which might preclude my participation."

d) Hike Rating Criteria.

Pace:

Leisurely - 3 km/hr. or less

Medium - 3 to 4 km/hr

Brisk - 4 to 5 km/hr

Fast - 5+ km/hr

Terrain:

Easy - Mostly flat and usually good footing.

Moderate - Some hills and/or some poor footing

Strenuous - Hilly with steep climbs and some poor footing



HIKER'S CHECK LIST

1. Check distance, pace and terrain of hike to ensure it is within your fitness level. Call the hike leader before the hike if you have any questions or concerns.
2. If you have any health problems that could affect your hiking performance, inform the hike leader.
Note: If you have any known asthma, allergies or hay fever, carry antihistamines. Asthma sufferers should carry their asthma medications or inhalers and, in winter, always carry an inhaler. Allergy sufferers should carry an EpiPen(s) and ensure someone on the hike knows where you carry these. Diabetics should carry their medication.
3. Wear comfortable boots/shoes.
4. Take a spare pair of shoes to change into at the end of the hike or carry plastic bags to protect the car from muddy boots and remember your car keys.
5. Have a backpack or waist pack to carry the following:

Cell Phone

Water or other beverages in screw top containers (extra in summer or on longer hikes)

Snacks (plus lunch if indicated in the hike write-up)

Plastic poncho/rain gear to conserve heat and provide seating and rain protection

Spare pair of socks and boot/shoelaces, duct tape, whistle, 2 aspirin

In winter: Thermal blanket/space blanket, extra layer of clothing

In other seasons: Insect repellent, sun block

Saturday, June 1, 2019

****A TWO HIKE DAY – A Cake Walk****

Two picnic party hikes. Both hikes will meet for lunch and cake at km 14.5 to celebrate good times on the trail.

Hike#1. The Longer hike.

Time: 9:30 am

We will carpool to km 20.4, leave a car, then proceed to the start of the hike at km 9.1. We will meet up with other hikers at km 14.5 at the picnic table. After the picnic the hike will continue through the Nottawasaga Bluffs to the end of the hike at km 20.4. **Bring beverage and a picnic lunch.**

Pace: Medium

Distance: 11.3 km

Leader: Rosemary Petrie

rpetrie293@gmail.com

Terrain: Easy

Map: 22 Edition 29

(705) 293-4444

Hike#2. The shorter hike

Time: 9:40 am

We will carpool to km 15.7, leave a car, then continue to km 10.4 to start the hike. We will meet up with other hikers at km 14.5 at the picnic table. After the lunch we will proceed to km 15.7 to finish the hike. **Bring beverage and a picnic lunch**

Pace: Leisurely

Distance: 5.3 km

Leader: Myra Campbell

myra_bert@icloud.com

Terrain: Easy

Map: 22 Edition 29

(705) 293-2525

Tuesday, June 4, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

Floating down the Nottawasaga River.



Meeting Place: Edenvale Conservation Area

This is a shorter version of the traditional Annual ‘Floating Down the River’ Trip. The put-in is at the Edenvale Conservation Authority parking lot. Participants will kayak/canoe from Edenvale Conservation Area to the Sports Park in Wasaga Beach. Highlights will be the tranquil scenery and bird watching. Participants must bring their own kayak/canoes and PFD. **Bring lunch, water, rain/wind jacket, sweater, hat and the safety items required by Transport Canada.** <http://www.tc.gc.ca/media/documents/marinesafety/TP-511e.pdf>

Pace: leisurely (going with the current)

Level of difficulty: easy/intermediate (Should have some moving water experience)

Distance: approx. 20km (paddle about 4 hours)

Leader: David Little 705-606-1077

davidgeorge52@hotmail.com

Wednesday June 5, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

Griersville To Blantyre—Beaver Valley

We will car pool to km 106.5 on Grey Rd 7 in the Beaver Valley section. To begin our hike we go west across the height of land that separates the Beaver River Valley and Bighead River Valley. The trail meanders through cultivated fields and hardwood bush with great views to the north. The hike terminates at Blantyre. **Bring water and a snack.**

Pace: Medium

Distance: 8 km

Leader: Bert Beausoleil

myra_bert@icloud.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 28 Edition 29

(705) 293-2525

Saturday, June 8, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

New Gardner Nature Reserve

We will carpool to km 7.0 on the 10th Concession in the Blue Mountains section, leave some cars and then proceed to the start of the hike at the parking area of the cemetery, 0.6 km east of Lavender. We will hike through the beautiful Noisy River Valley, then cross County Road #9 and continue on the new trail section (starting at the BTC property formerly part of the Gardner farm) which now connects the Bruce Trail from County Road #9 to the 10th Concession. **Bring water and a snack.**

Pace: Leisurely

Distance: 8.3 km

Leader: Mike Treuman

michael.treuman@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate/1 mildly strenuous hill

Map: 21/22 Edition 29

Leader: Mike Treuman (416) 518-0489

Tuesday, June 11, 2019

Time: 9.00am

Paddle on the Nottawasaga River.



Meeting Place: Schooner Town, Wasaga Beach

We will paddle the Nottawasaga River from the Sports Park to Schooner Town in Wasaga Beach. Participants must bring their own kayaks/canoes! **Bring lunch, water, rain/wind jacket, sweater, hat and the safety items required by Transport Canada.** <http://www.tc.gc.ca/media/documents/marinesafety/TP-511e.pdf>

Pace: Leisurely (going with the current).

Level of difficulty: Easy / Intermediate.

Distance: 10 km (paddle approx. 2 hrs.)

Leader: David Little

(705) 606-1077

davidgeorge52@hotmail.com

Wednesday, June 12, 2019	Time: 9:00 am	Tuesday, June 18, 2019	Time: 9:00am (normal location)
Petun Side Trail & John Haig Side Trail Loop		Paddle on the Beaver River.	
We will carpool to the parking area at km 58.0 of the Blue Mountains Section. We will start on the Petun Side Trail and join the main trail at km 52.5. Then we continue on the main trail to km 49.1, surmounting the highest elevation on the Bruce Trail, after which, we take the John Haig Side Trail to km 54.2, from where we follow the 2nd Line back to the parking lot at Grey 19. Bring water and a snack.			put-in point at Epping Bridge. We will paddle upstream for a short distance, then follow the current to the take out location at Heathcote. Participants must bring their own kayaks/canoes! Bring lunch, water, rain/wind jacket, sweater, hat and the safety items required by Transport Canada http://www.tc.gc.ca/media/documents/marinesafety/TP-511e.pdf
Pace: Medium	Terrain: Moderate	Pace: Leisurely (going with the current)	
Distance: 10 km	Map: 23 Edition 29 (705) 834-9318 ann-debrouwer@gmail.com	Level of difficulty: Easy / Intermediate.	
Leader: Ann DeBrouwer		Distance: (paddle approx. 2 hrs.)	
debrouwer@gmail.com		Leader: David Little	(705) 606-1077
		davidgeorge52@hotmail.com	
Saturday, June 15, 2019		Wednesday June 19, 2019	Time: 9:00 am
A TWO HIKE DAY		Clarksburg Beaver River There and Back	
Special Note: 6 hikes in Sydenham for 2019 to finish the Sydenham End to End.— The first half of this End to End Hike completed in 2018. Be prepared for variable terrain – from easy to difficult. Bring lunch, plenty of water (2 litres) and snacks.		We will carpool to the Lions Park in Clarksburg. We follow the Beaver River downstream, then we retrace the trail upstream to the Clendenan Dam. During the hike we will learn about the history of the area. Bring water and a snack.	
Hike #1 Time: 8:00 am (note early start)		Pace: Leisurely	Terrain: Easy
1st of 6 hikes in Sydenham section, 2nd half E2E series.		Distance: 1.5 hours	
We will carpool to the parking lot at km 106.7 on Young's Drive, leave some cars and then proceed to the start of the hike in Harrison Park. From there we will take the Harrison Pk Side Trail to join the Main Trail start point at km 97.6 on Grey Rd 5. The hike will take us mainly through parks, along the escarpment overlooking Owen Sound in the Springmount Forest then into the Pottawatomi Conservation Area. After the hike we will return to Harrison Park for an optional lunch. Bring lunch, plenty of water (2 litres) and snacks.		Leader: David Little	(705) 606-1077
		davidgeorge52@hotmail.com	
Pace: Medium	Terrain: Moderate	Friday, June 21, 2019 (Pre-registration only)	
Distance: 11 km	Map: 32 Edition 29 (705) 351-2494	Summer Solstice Hike & Backyard Potluck	Time: 4:30 p.m.
Leader: Terry Kimmerly		Meet at 61 Chamberlain Cres., Creekside Subdivision, Collingwood.	
kimmter48@gmail.com		<i>Bring a potluck dish to be shared, as well as your plate and cutlery. Bring a chair and your own beverage.</i>	
Hike #2.	Time: 9:00 am	We will carpool to the Margaret Paull Side Trail and commence a loop hike overlooking the Beaver Valley. Following the hike we will proceed back to the Creekside Subdivision where we will enjoy beverages and hors d'oeuvres followed by a potluck, the setting sun and the longest evening of the year. Please bring bug spray.	
Nottawasaga Bluffs Hike		This hike and potluck will be cancelled if there is rain in the forecast.	
We will carpool to the parking lot at 15 / 16 Side Road in Singhampton for a tour of the Nottawasaga Bluffs. The hike is fairly flat and the area is mostly wooded, and there are many great views. Bring water and a snack.		Please email Jill in advance by Wed., June 19 letting her know that you are planning to attend and what you will be bringing to the potluck. Capacity 25.	
Pace: Medium	Terrain: Easy	Pace: Medium	Terrain: moderate
Distance: 6-8 km	Map: 22. Edition 29 (705) 444-5507 sad-dingtonsrh@gmail.com	Distance: approx. 5 km	Map: 24, Edition 28 705-293-0573
Leader: Richard Saddington		Leader: Jill Doble	
dingtonsrh@gmail.com		doblejill@hotmail.com	

Saturday June 22, 2019

****A TWO HIKE DAY****

Hike #1

Time: 8:00 am (note early start)

2nd of 6 hikes in Sydenham section, 2nd half E2E series.

We will carpool to km 119.2 on East Linton Side Rd W., where we will leave some cars and then proceed to the start of the hike at the parking lot on Young's Drive in Owen Sound near km 106.7. The hike takes us along the escarpment through an area of deep crevices, then after a stretch of old rail trail we follow more open country. Bring water and a lunch.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 12.5 km

Leader: Dick Edwards

edwardsdick04@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 32/33 Edition 29

(705) 445-5849

Hike #2 - Old Baldy Tour -

Time: 9:00 am

We will carpool to the junction of Sideroad 10D and 3rd Line A in the Beaver Valley Section for the start of the hike. Drivers will leave cars at the Old Baldy Conservation Car Park for our return. We will hike through forested and craggy terrain past the end point at km 42.1 near the old access to the top of Old Baldy. Along the way we will stop for a leisurely picnic before returning to our cars via. the Mac Kirk Sidetrail. Rugged sections with some great views. Bring picnic and water.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 6 km

Leader: Sue Niblett

niblettsue2015@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate/rocky

Map: 25/26 Edition: 29

(705) 445-4751

Wednesday June 26, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

Kolapore, Beaver Valley

We will car-pool to the Kolapore parking lot near km 23.8 of the Beaver Valley section. From there we hike north to km 15.8, where the hike will terminate. The trail follows woodlands, open pastures, and is hilly. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Medium

Distance: approx 8 km

Leader: Denise Shand

deeshand@hotmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 24/25 Edition 29

(705) 716-9916

Saturday, June 29, 2019

****A TWO HIKE DAY****

Hike #1. Hike at Rush Cove on the Bruce Peninsula.

Time: 7:00am (Note early start)

We will carpool to Tim's in Wiarton in the Peninsula section, then arrange a shuttle, leaving a car at km 61.0 before proceeding to the start of the hike at Jackson Cove Rd km 51.0. From here we will hike north on the main trail with great lookouts over Georgian Bay and through Alvar areas, before we take the ladder down to the shoreline of Rush Cove and return to the starting point via the Pease Side Trail and the Jackson Cove Side Trail. A shorter hike can be arranged, depending on the availabil-

ity of cars. This would also start at km 51.0, include Rush Cove and end at the parking lot at km 61.0. Bring water, lunch and good footwear.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 10.7 km

Leader: Terry Kimmerly

kimmter48@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 37 Edition 29

(705) 351-2494

Time: 9:00 am

Hike#2 - John Haigh Side Trail

We will carpool to the intersection of the 2nd Line and the 6th Side Road. We will hike south on the John Haigh Side Trail, to join the Main Trail at km 49.1. We will continue north on the Main Trail, with great views along the edge of the escarpment to km 51.1, then return to the cars along the 6th Side Road. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Medium

Distance: approx. 7 km

Leader: Flo Kusiak

f.kusiak@hotmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 23 Edition 28

(705) 443-8075

Time: 9.00 am

Lavender to Dunedin Ravine Nature Reserve

We will carpool to km 0.0 at Lavender in the Blue Mountain Section, leaving a car along the way at km 8.5. Following the Main Trail north through open fields and mixed hardwoods, we will descend to and cross the Noisy River. We will then climb out of the valley and follow the trail north passing through the new (1.5 km) Dunedin Ravine Nature Reserve to km 8.5 where the hike will terminate. Bring water and a lunch.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 10 km

Leader: Mary-lynne Chenard

mlchenard@hotmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 21 Edition 29

(905) 713-4066



*Rosie Petrie leading the March 13,
Pretty River Top to Bottom Hike.*

Saturday July 6, 2019

Hike #1 - Eugenia Falls

We will carpool to the Beaver Valley Lookout on route 13, leave a car and then proceed to the parking lot at Eugenia Falls, km 56.2 of the Beaver Valley Section. From here we make our way north, along a hilly escarpment trail and at km 47.9 we leave the trail. We will continue, with great views, along route 13 back to the Beaver Valley Lookout. Bring water and a lunch.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 9.5 km

Leader: Catherine Trembling

adca@live.ca

****A TWO HIKE DAY****

Time: 9:00 am

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 26 Edition 29

(416) 655-2021

been a change since Edition 29 was printed and we take the old Side Trail (now the Main Trail) to the parking lot. Bring water and a lunch.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 11 km

Leader: Jansje Lawrenson

j.lawrenson@rogers.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 33 Edition 29

(705) 445-0014

Hike #2 - Margaret Paull Side Trail

Time: 9:00 am.

We will carpool to the end of the 6th Line at Km 13.3 (turn north off the 15th Sideroad), in the Beaver Valley section. We will hike along the Bruce Trail heading north to km 11.3 where it joins up with the Margaret Paull Side Trail. We will follow the Side Trail back to the main trail, then return to the cars. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Leisurely

Distance: 5 km

Leader: Mary Jane McIntyre

maryj.mcintyre@gmail.com

Terrain: Easy

Map: 24 Edition 29

(705) 481-1269



NOTE- different starting location - Meet at 9:00 am at the water tower on Hume Street in the Curling Club parking lot.

The start is adjacent to the Rail Trail to Stayner. This trail is hard gravel and quite suitable for bikes. It will take about 1 hr to ride the 10 Km to Stayner. After coffee & goodies in a nice coffee shop, we will retrace our tire tracks back to Collingwood & our cars. This trail is flat & quite scenic with nice views of the mountain. Bring water.

Wednesday July 10, 2019

Collingwood Cycle

Time: 9:00 am



Pace: Medium (adaptable)

Distance: 20 km - aprox. 3 hours

Leader: Dick Edwards

Terrain: Easy

(705) 445-5849

edwardsdick04@gmail.com

Departing Harbourview Park we will cycle east through through Sunset Beach. We will then continue on a circuit of Collingwood, mainly on trails, eventually cycling down Black Ash Creek, and returning to the start through the Arboretum. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Leisurely

Distance: 2 hours

Leader: Paul Carnahan

paulcarnahan@bell.net

Terrain: Easy

(705) 428-3022

Saturday, July 20, 2019

Time: 8:00 am (note early start)

4th of 6 hikes in Sydenham section. 2nd half E2E series.

We will carpool to the parking lot near km 143.7 on Kemble Rock Rd to leave some cars. We will then proceed to the start of the hike at the parking lot on Linderwood Rd on the old Alvar Side Trail. We follow the Alvar trail (now the Main Trail), back to Km 129.5, then follows the escarpment through the Lindenwood Management area. Getting into open country, at km 138.5, we head west on a trail through the newly purchased "Kemble Rock Nature Reserve" (not in BT edition 29). Joining the old main trail, immediately there is another new change to the main Trail called Kemble Mountain. After re-joining the old Main Trail we finish at km 143.7, we take off on Neils Maher Side Trail back to the parking lot. Bring extra water and a lunch

Saturday July 13, 2019

Time: 8:00 am (note early start)

3rd of 6 hikes in the Sydenham section. 2nd half E2E series

We will carpool to the parking lot on Linderwood Rd on the old Alvar Side Trail where we will leave some cars, then proceed to the start of the hike Km 119.2 on East Linton Side Rd W. The hike will take us north through an area of spectacular crevices, then on through an area known as the Glen. At km 128.6 there has

Pace: Medium

Distance: 15 km

Leader: Shannon Roode

Terrain: Moderate

Maps: 33/34 Edition 29

(705) 309-7786

Wednesday July 24, 2019	Time: 9:00 am	Pace: Medium	Terrain: Moderate
Hogg's Falls - Beaver Valley		Distance: 8.5 km	Map: 26. Edition: 29
We will carpool to the Hogg's Falls parking lot in the Beaver Valley Falling Waters section. We start the hike at km 63.3 and follow the trail on the west side of the valley to km 70.1 at the end of Johnston's SR. The terrain is mostly wooded and quite rocky under foot in some sections. Bring water and a snack.		Leader: David Little	(705) 606-1077
Pace: Medium	Terrain: Moderate		
Distance: 7.8 km	Map: 26 Edition 29		
Leader: Terry Kimmerly	(705) 351-2494		
kimmter48@gmail.com			
Saturday July 27, 2019	**A TWO HIKE DAY**		
Hike #1 Hockley Valley Rd.	Time: 8:30 am (Note early start)		
We will carpool to the parking area at Km 60.1 on the Hockley Valley Rd. This part of the Caledon section is very pretty and while exploring the area we will have a number of steep hills to negotiate. We walk partly on the main trail and partly on side trails, but we will return to where we parked the cars. Bring water and a snack. There will be an optional lunch at a local restaurant.			
Pace: Medium	Terrain: Strenuous	Pace: Medium	Terrain: Easy
Distance: Approx 12 km	Map: 18 Edition 29	Distance: 42 km	
Leader: Jansje Lawrenson	(705) 445-0014	Leader: Dennis Gerrard	(705) 444-9252
j.lawrenson@rogers.com		dhgerrard@rogers.com	
Hike #2	Time: 9:00 am.		
Mission Road Side Trail Loop.			
We will carpool up Scenic Caves Road to the parking lot at kilometer 63.8. The hike begins at kilometer 63.8 south along the Bruce Trail to kilometer 60.1. From here we follow the Mission Road Side Trail back to the parking lot. The hike is about 8 kilometers. Bring water and a snack.			
Pace: Medium	Terrain: Moderate	Pace: Slow	Terrain: Easy
Distance: 8 km	Map: 24 Edition 29	Distance: 5 km	Map: 22 Edition 29
Leader: Bob Moenck	(705) 481-1269	Leader: Michelle Wacker	winwac@rogers.com
rmoenck@gmail.com			
Wednesday July 31, 2019	Time: 9:00 am	Saturday August 10, 2019	Time: 9:00 am
Wodehouse Karst Side Trail - Beaver Valley		Pretty River Loop Hike	
We will carpool to the Wodehouse Karst parking lot on the 7th line south of side road 4a in the Beaver Valley. We follow the Wodehouse Karst Side Trail to the main trail at km 79.7 and continue south through the Beaver Valley Ski resort. We end the hike at the parking lot at km 72.8 on the 12th Con. east of Vandeleur.		We will carpool to the lower part of Pretty River conservation area to do a short loop that combines some Bruce trail, Pretty River Side Trail and some Conservation trails. The trail will have some short hills and some sections following the river. Bring water and a snack	
Pace: Medium		Pace: Medium	Terrain: Moderate
Distance: 5-6 km		Distance: 5-6 km	Map: 23 Edition 29
Leader: Shannon Roode		Leader: Shannon Roode	(705) 309-7786
sroode50@gmail.com			

Wednesday August 14, 2019 Time: 8:30 am (note early start)

Beautiful Joe Park - Loop Hike - Meaford

We will carpool to Beautiful Joe Park in Meaford to hike the pretty Trout Hollow Trail. It follows the east bank of the Bighead River upstream for 5 km to a Sideroad & then we return along the west bank. You will walk through woodlands; past historical sites including Trout Hollow where John Muir laid low during the U.S. Civil War, & view wildlife along the river. It should be a 4 to 5 hr. walk incl. a lunch break. Bring water and a lunch.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 12 km

Leader: Dick Edwards

edwardsdick04@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

(705) 445-5849

Saturday August 17, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

Duncan and Chuck Grant Loop Hike - Beaver Valley

We will carpool to Duncan parking lot at km 33.9 in the Beaver Valley section. This is a loop hike and we will get fine views from Pinnacle Rock and Metcalf Rock. We will walk first along the main trail and then along the Chuck Grant Side trail, eventually returning to the parking lot via the main trail. Bring water and a lunch.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 10.8 km

Leader: Carl Wintermeyer

carlwintermeyer@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 25 Edition 29

(705) 444-6796

Wednesday August 21, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

Kolapore Loop Hike

We will carpool to the Kolapore parking lot in the Beaver Valley section. We will proceed on a loop hike through the Kolapore Uplands and return to the cars. The trail follows the cross country ski trails through woodland, open pastures and is somewhat hilly. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 8.0 km

Leader: Terry Kimmerly

kimmter48@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Maps: 24/25 Edition 29

(705) 351-2494

Saturday, August 24, 2019

****A TWO HIKE DAY"**

Hike #1 Time: 8:00 am (note early start)

5th of 6 hikes in the Sydenham section. 2nd half E2E series

We shall carpool to the parking area, by going north on Centre Rd, the take a right onto Colpoys's Range Rd, parking on the road near km 156.1. We will proceed to the start our hike at the parking lot on the Neils Maher Side Trail on Kemble Rock Rd. We will hike on the Side Trail to km 143.7, from where we will climb the escarpment eventually having views to Big Bay. From Kemble

mountain we descend, then follow Colpoys Range Rd, until it ascends the escarpment to where we left the cars at km 156.1 Bring extra water and a lunch.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 12.5 km

Leader: Catherine Trembling

adca@live.ca

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 34 Edition 29

(416) 655-2021

Hike #2

Time: 9:00 am

Duntroon View ST to Nottawasaga Lookout PNR

We will carpool to km 35.1 on Simcoe Rd 91 in the Blue Mountains Section. We will start the hike on the Duntroon View Side Trail, and then join the main trail, continuing north through forest and open meadow to the Nottawasaga Lookout Provincial Nature Reserve. The hike will terminate at km 40.9 at the Singhampton Caves Parking Lot. Following the hike there will be an optional lunch at Journey's Blend in Collingwood. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 7.3 km

Leader: Mike Treuman

michael.treuman@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Maps: 22/23 Edition 29

(416) 518-0489

Wednesday, August 28, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

Nottawasaga Bluffs Hike

We will carpool to the parking lot at 15 / 16 Side Road in Singhampton for a tour of the Nottawasaga Bluffs. The hike is fairly flat and the area is mostly wooded, and there are many great views. Bring a beverage and a snack.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 6-8 km

Leader: Mary Jane McIntyre

maryj.mcintyre@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 22 Edition 29

(705) 481-1269



Saturday, August 31, 2019

Hike#1. Climb the Pretty River Valley

We will carpool to the snowmobilers car park on 33/34 sideroad in the Blue Mountains section. We will hike through the Pretty River Valley Provincial Park, climbing steadily to enjoy the views from the escarpment ridge. We will afterwards return to the cars by a different route. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Medium/medium fast

Distance: 10 km

Leader: Tom Kemp
coachie@rogers.com

****A TWO HIKE DAY"**

Time: 9:00 am

Terrain: Moderate/more difficult

Map: 23 Edition 29

(705)-446-0705

Wednesday September 11, 2019

Time: 9 am

Loop Hike Including John Haigh S.T. & Petun C.A.

We will carpool to the start of the hike at the 6th Side Road and 2nd Line. We will hike to the highest point on the Bruce Trail, then follow the white trail from 49.1 to 54.2, and up the gravel road back to our cars. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 8km

Leader: Gisela Knappe
gknap-pe7@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 23 Edition 29

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Hike #2. – Pretty River Valley

Time: 9:00 am

We will carpool to the Pretty River Valley Road, parking on the road near the access trail to km 47.1 of the Bruce Trail. We will hike to km 49.1, then return to the cars via the Pretty River Side Trail. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 5 km

Leader: Isabelle Mikosza
lizzy4654@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 23 Edition 29

(705) 444-4273

Wednesday September 4, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

Fairmount Side Trail - Beaver Valley

We will carpool to km 94.3 on Sideroad 22C on the west side of the Beaver Valley. We will traverse the Fairmont Side Trail, sections of the Bruce Trail and the Siegerman Side Trail to return to the start point. This is a very scenic hike with hilly areas and some steeper ascents. Bring water and a lunch.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 10.2 km

Leader: Ann DeBrouwer
anndebrouwer@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

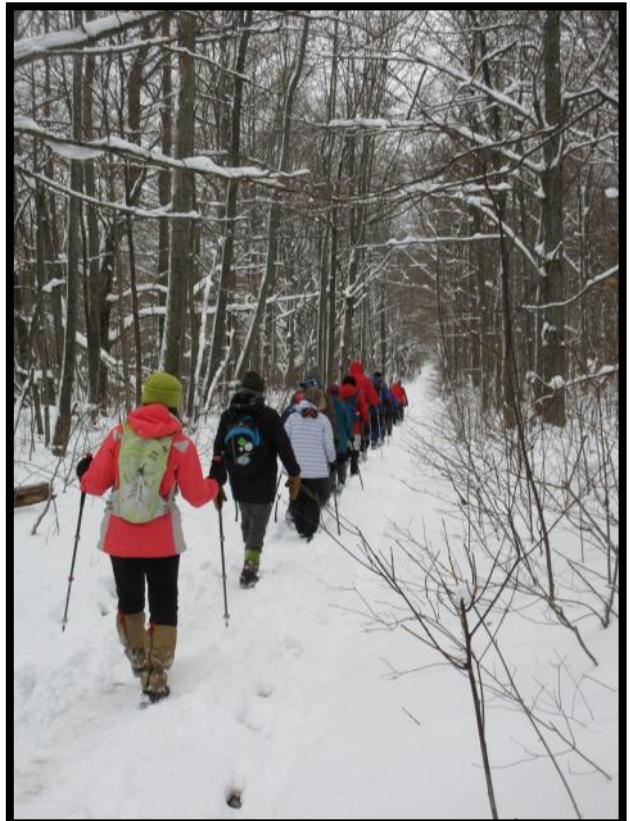
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Terrain: Moderate

Maps: 34/35 Edition 29

(705) 351-2494



Saturday, September 7, 2019

Time: 9.00 am

Boyne River Valley - Dufferin Highlands

We will carpool to Hwy. 89 and Centre Rd. to start our hike at km 15.2. We follow the main trail north through a series of steep climbs and descents followed by a series of steps and switchbacks to the top of a long hill. We will be following the Boyne River Valley with lots of great views to reach the parking area at km 23.9 on the 2nd Line East, where the hike will end. Bring water and a snack. Those interested may wish to join the group in Terra Nova for lunch on the way home.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 8.7 km

Leader: Rosemary Petrie
rpetrie293@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 20 Edition 29

(705) 293-4444

BMBTC km 50 on Nov. 10 led by Jill Doble

Hike #2**Nottawasaga Bluffs Loop**

We will carpool to the parking lot at 15/16 Sideroad in Singhampton then commence a loop hike through the Nottawasaga Bluffs. There will be great views and varied terrain. Bring a drink and a snack

Pace: Medium**Distance:** 7 km approx.**Leader:** Paul Carnahan
paulcarnahan@bell.net**Time: 9:00 am****Saturday September 21, 2019****Time: 9:30 am****WORK PARTY**

While no specific jobs had been identified at the time the hike schedule was prepared, experience has shown that there is always lots to do. Come on out and give us a hand. If you plan on taking part, contact Linda Finley
(519) 538 2247 lindamfinley@gmail.com

September 18, 19 and 20, 2019**Three days of hiking the Bruce Peninsula**

Join us on this fundraiser for the BMBTC, where we will enjoy three days of hiking on the Bruce Peninsula. Volunteer hike leaders will offer a choice of hikes on the Bruce Trail each day: advanced, intermediate and less difficult. Terrain includes challenging ascents and descents, roots, rocks, boulder beaches and beautiful scenery. You must be an experienced hiker in good condition with proper hiking footwear. Hiking poles are recommended.

Two nights accommodation as well as six meals have been arranged in Tobermory from *Wednesday, September 19 to September 21, 2019*.

Contact Kathy Hayman at kathleen.hayman@yahoo.com to register. Please include your Bruce Trail Conservancy member number when registering. It is helpful to include the level of hiking you prefer (advanced, intermediate, less difficult) when registering. Registration will begin June 8th and is limited to 50 hikers. For information about hikes, contact Myra Campbell at myra_bert@icloud.com .

Wednesday September 18, 2019**Loree Forest Loop**

We will carpool to the Loree Forest entrance pathway on the 21st Sideroad in the Beaver Valley section. We will walk north to join the main trail, then continue to do a loop hike, with great views, returning by the entrance pathway to the start point. Bring water and snacks.

Pace: Leisurely**Distance:** 6 km**Leader:** Susan McDougall
smmc dougall@sympatico.co**Time: 9:00 am****Terrain:** Moderate**Map:** 24 Edition 28

(705) 445-5486

Wed., September 25, 2019 Time: 8:00 am (note early start)**Black Bank , Dufferin Highlands**

We will carpool to km 49.7 on Sideroad 21 in the Dufferin Highlands section, then proceed to km 41.7 on Prince of Wales Rd in. The hike starts with an ascent to the top of the escarpment providing great views over the valley. Later in the hike we will follow a steep descent to the Black Bank River then climb out of the valley to the cars at the end of the hike. Bring drinks & lunch.

Pace: Medium**Distance:** 8.1 km**Leader:** Myra Campbell
myra_bert@icloud.com**Terrain:** Moderate**Map** 21. Edition 29

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Saturday, September 28, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

Duntroon Crevice Heights to Glenn Huron

We will carpool to km 32.7 and hike through a section known as Duntroon Crevice Heights (purchased by the Bruce trail in 2013). The hike will descend into Devil's Glen, then proceed along the Mad River side trail to the village of Glen Huron (approx. km 26) where the hike will end. I love this hike.... It's downhill all the way. Bring water and a snack. Optional lunch at Mylars in Southampton or Gramma Giffen's in Glen Huron.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 6.7 km

Leader: Sue Niblett

nibbletsue2015@gmail.com

Terrain:Moderate

Map: 22 Edition 29

(705) 445-4751

Time: 9:00 am

Saturday, October 5, 2019

Scenic Caves - Mission Road Loop

We will carpool up Scenic Caves Road to the parking lot at kilometer 63.8. The hike begins at kilometer 63.8 south along the Bruce Trail to kilometer 60.1. From here we follow the Mission Road Side Trail back to the parking lot. The hike is about 8 kilometers. Bring water and a snack.

October 2, 3 and 3, 2019

Three Days of Hiking on the Bruce Peninsula

Join us for this fundraiser for the BMBTC where we enjoy three days of hiking on the Bruce Peninsula. Volunteer hike leaders will offer a choice of three hikes each day: more difficult, intermediate and less difficult. As all the hikes are on the Bruce Trail, the terrain will be variable, but usually quite rugged. There are no 'easy' hikes, just less difficult. Being in good physical condition is imperative. You must be an experienced hiker with appropriate footwear.

Accommodation (Tuesday & Wednesday nights), as well as 6 meals have been arranged at The Coach House Inn in Tobermory for *Tues., Oct. 2 and Wed., Oct. 3, 2019.*

Priority will be given to Bruce Trail Members. Please include your Bruce Trail Conservancy member number. Registrations will be accepted starting June 8th, 2018 after 7:00 am. After June 22nd, if there is still availability, non-members may register. Please indicate the hike level you prefer in your email (less difficult, intermediate, more difficult). Limited to 50 participants.

Contact: Jill Doble for further information and to register at 705-293-0573 or doblejill@hotmail.com .

Wednesday October 2, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

Lorre Forest Loop

We will carpool to the Lorree Forest parking lot in the Beaver Valley section on the 21st Side Road. We will complete a tour of the Forest, including the Lorree Forest Side Trail. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 7.5 km

Leader: Mary Huggins

maryhuggins@hotmail.com

Terrain:Moderate

Map: 24 Edition 29

(416) 481-6636

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 24 Edition 29

(705) 606-1077

Wednesday October 9, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

Eugenia Falls - Beaver Valley

We will carpool to the parking lot at Eugenia Falls, km 56.2 in the Beaver Valley section. Our hike will be south from there to Hogg's Falls Km 63.3, passing through mainly forested areas with some open country. We will take time to view the waterfalls at each end of the hike. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 7 km

Leader: Allison Thomas

alleymartine@sympatico.ca

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 26 Edition 29

(705)-444-466

Saturday Oct. 12, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

Petun Side Trail Loop

We will carpool to km 58.1 on Grey Rd 19. We will hike along the Petun side trail until we come to the main trail. We will turn north when we reach the Second Line and follow it back to the cars.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 6.2 km

Leader: Bert Beausoleil

Terrain: Moderate/rocky

Map: 23 Edition 29

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<https://nccid.ca/debrief/lyme-disease/>.

Wednesday, October 16, 2019

Lavender to Dunedin Reserve

We will carpool to approximately km 8.5 (the exit of the Dunedin Reserve) where we will leave some cars and then proceed to the start of the hike at the parking area near the cemetery, 1 km east of Lavender on Mulmar/Nottawasaga Townline. We will hike along the road until we reach Lavender where km 0.0 is the start of the Blue Mountains Bruce Trail. We will continue hiking until we reach the exit of the Dunedin Nature Reserve. Bring water and a lunch.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 9.5 km

Leader: Mary-lynne Chenard
mlchenard@hotmail.com

Time: 9:00 am

Saturday, October 26, 2019

Mono Cliffs

We will carpool to Mono Cliffs village and park in the lot near the Rec. Centre. We will follow various trails within the park, mainly the Bruce trail main and side trails. Varied terrain, some great views, hilly but really beautiful. Optional lunch at the Mono Cliffs Inn - a very pleasant watering hole!

Time: 9:00 am

Pace: Medium

Distance: 10 km approx.

Leader : Rosemary Petrie
rpetrie293@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 19 Edition 29
(705) 293-4444

Saturday October 19, 2019

****A TWO HIKE DAY****

Hike #1 A Surprise Hike

Time: 8:30 am (Note early start)

We will carpool to the start of the hike which will be somewhere close to or part of the Blue Mountains Bruce Trail Section. All participants please call Hart beforehand. Bring water and a lunch.

Pace: Brisk

Distance: 15km [?]

Leader: Hart Fischer
hfischer@gmail.com

Terrain: Strenuous

(705) 606-0507

Wednesday, October 30, 2019

Time: 9:00am

Duncan and Chuck Grant Side Trail, Beaver Valley

We will carpool to Duncan parking lot at km 33.4 in the Beaver Valley section. This is a loop hike and we will get fine views from Pinnacle Rock and Metcalf Rock. We will walk first along the main trail and then along the Chuck Grant Side trail, eventually returning to the parking lot via the main trail. Bring water and a lunch.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 10.8 km

Leader: Frank Huggins
huggins_frank@yahoo.ca

Terrain: Moderate

Map: 25 Edition 29
(705) 888-0166

Hike # 2 Mad River

Time: 9:30 am

Duntroon Crevice Heights to Glen Huron

We will carpool to km 32.7 on Grey Rd 10, and hike through a pretty section known as Duntroon Crevice Heights. The hike will descend into Devil's Glen, then proceed along the Mad River side trail to the village of Glen Huron, where the hike will end. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Leisurely

Distance: Approx. 6.7 km

Leader: Heather Wintermeyer
carlwintermeyer@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

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Wednesday, October 23, 2019

Time: 9:00 am

We will carpool to km 100.7 on Sideroad 25 in the Beaver Valley section, where the hike will start. We leave cars at the end of the hike at km 106.5 on Grey Rd 7. We will hike through a mixture of forested trails and open meadows. We will also hike for about one km through a Nature Reserve newly purchased by the Bruce Trail Conservancy. Bring water and a snack.

Pace: Medium

Distance: 6.2 Km

Leader: Carl Wintermeyer
carlwintermeyer@gmail.com

Terrain: Moderate

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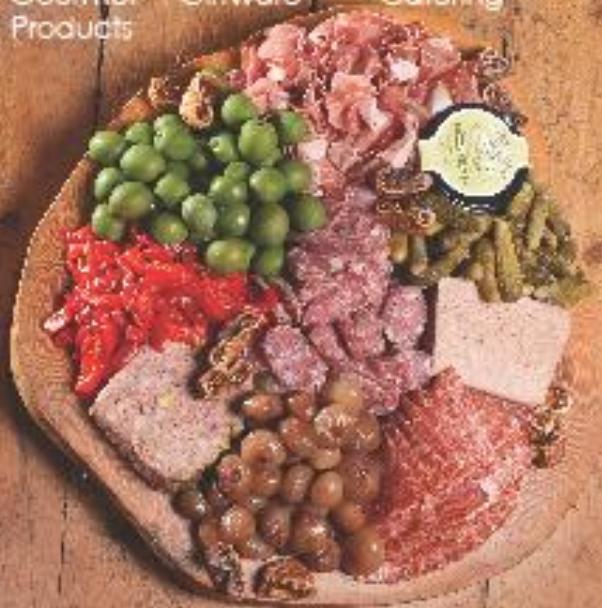
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May Fourth Work Party at Nottawasaga Bluffs! May the Forest Be With You!

Work Party? What exactly is a work Party? It is a bit of an oxymoron, but we did work and we did indeed have fun like at a party! Ten of us enjoyed a hike at a leisurely pace, along the trails of Nottawasaga Bluffs, while we carried tools along the way so we could prune, clip, pick up garbage and fix the blazes. At the creek which is now bridgeless, we were like a bunch of grown kids making our way across—teamwork, smiles and laughter, as we all made it across with no one getting wet. Teamwork once again came into play, as we did a fine work on removing a cedar which had fallen across the trail. Amazing what can be accomplished with small garden tools—no chain saws were involved. We noted trout lily leaves and spring beauty popping up along with black cohosh growing in the understory along the trail.



Ten arrived at the party with tools ready to have fun and improve the trail so others can walk the trail with ease. Several new members joined us—a great way to meet new hiking friends, check out the trail and understand what goes on behind the scenes.



Gerard O'Dea with Michael Treuman and Charlotte O'Dea head west on the trail to start cleaning up, pruning and preparing the trail for spring hiking.



Our work party hostess Linda Finley, preparing a spot for improved signage.



Some friendly chatter (Trail Director, Linda Finley with Rick Muzar) while Stan Kacmarek attaches a new sign so hikers know which way the trail heads.



Walking at a slower pace than our usual hike speed meant we noticed more than normal.



With a satisfied feeling, Bev Matthews made the crossing with no wet feet.

Great balance, Bev!



The escarpment wall along the Blue Side Trail.



Some of us even walked on water. Here Rick Muzar crosses the creek without the bridge - no wet socks for him!



Dave Matthews puts some muscle power into sawing the cedar. No chainsaws needed!



With teamwork and no power tools, Rick, Flo Kusiak, Dave and Stan made light work of clearing the trail of a fallen cedar.



The promise of Spring with glorious blue sky and sunshine on MaryJane and Bob's Kolapore Uplands Hike on Wed., March 27, 2019 BVBTC km 24.5.

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