

OUTDOOR ADVENTURES



Come & explore. Lace up your boots, get on your bike — or slip on your cross country skis.

Trails & Adventure

With so many four-season, multi-use trails, Northumberland is a top outdoor destination. Gently rolling hills and spectacular vistas provide a real breath of fresh air.





O1 Ganaraska Forest

Visit this magnificent 4000-hectare, multi-use area with over 300 km of trails passing through sandy, rolling terrain typical of the Oak Ridges Moraine. Nature study, photography and orienteering are popular here.

905-885-8173 • 905.797.2721 (Forest Centre) GanaraskaForestCentre.ca



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Ganaraska Millennium Conservation Area

Dr. It connects with the Ganaraska Hiking Trail.

888-767-8467 (Port Hope Tourism)

Try this conservation area featuring approximately 2 km of meandering trails with interpretive signage. Roam around the old Molson Pond area, now a marsh with some open water components, located along the Ganaraska River.



905-885-8173 · grca.on.ca

Ganaraska Hiking Trail

You will hike varied terrain, including rolling and rocky sections (when off road), along this celebrated 500-km route. The trail starts in Port Hope and joins with the Bruce Trail near Glen Huron, A map is recommended. 888-767-8467 • ganaraska-hiking-trail.ca





*Trailhead signage has a Quick Response (QR) code for scanning with your smartphone to load a map

Maiestic Hills Trail

Pass through groves of sumac, pine and maple trees on this 1.5-km trail. Highlights include crossing a sandy creek and an optional, steep climb to the top from the valley for commanding farmland views. 905-342-2810 (Hamilton Township)



Laurie Lawson Trail

Experience as many as 5 looped trails, each up to 1-km long through diverse habitats, including wetlands and forests. At the trailhead, take time to explore a magnificent section of red pine forest planted in 1968. 905-342-3851 · nltrust.ca



07 Lime Kiln Trail

Take a short hike on this .5-km, cedar-lined trail. It opens up to a dead-end road leading to County Rd. 45. Cross the road beyond the gate for a hike down to Ball's Mill Conservation area. The trail ends at Harwood Rd. 905-342-2810 (Hamilton Township)



Great Lakes Waterfront Trail

A highlight in Ontario, 60 km (36 mi) of this Waterfront Regeneration Trust trail will take you between Port Hope and Brighton, mostly on quiet roads with Lake Ontario views. (This is also an ideal cycling trail.) 416-943-8080 · WaterfrontTrail.org

Lucas Point Park

Take the opportunity to overlook Lake Ontario while on this level, chips-and-dust, 2-km looped trail. Highlights include a small arboretum, a number of bird species, and migrating Monarch butterflies in the fall. 888-262-6874



This 4.2-km hiking trail lets you experience oak savannah and tall grass prairie habitats being restored by the Nature Conservancy of Canada, its supporters and volunteers. It's accessible from Harwood Road/Regional Road 15 about 18 km north of Cobourg. This is a side loop of the Oak Ridges Moraine Trail. 866-281-5331 · naturedestinations.ca





NorthumberlandCounty.ca/ForestTrails

Northumberland County Forest

Oak Ridges Moraine Trail

Map found online.

Discover 275 km of main trail, starting in the west with a Bruce Trail link through to the Northumberland Forest (the longest wilderness stretch on this trail), splitting at Castleton and Warkworth. A map is recommended.



877-319-0285 · OakRidgesTrail.org · OakRidgesTrail.ca

Peter's Woods Provincial Nature Reserve

Discover this special area representing Ontario's solesurviving Oak Ridges Moraine "old growth" forest. The .8-km trail passes through a near-virgin, maple-beech forest and alongside a picturesque stream.

866-401-3278 · WillowBeachFieldNaturalists.org



14 Russ' Creek Trail

This forested, 5-km trail will take you through a former farming area from the mid-1800s – now home to a provincially-rare remnant tall grass prairie ecosystem. Start 1 km south of County Rd. 29 on Covert Hill Rd. First crossroad is Dunbar. 905-349-2822 (Alnwick/Haldimand Township)



Nawautin Nature Sanctuary & Wetland

Explore this 5.31-hectare sanctuary, sheltering wildlife such as deer, fox, beaver, rabbits and birds. Discover a small covered bridge, several ponds, waterfront parks, as well as a pebbly beach that slopes gradually to Lake Ontario. 905-349-2822 (Alnwick/Haldimand Township)



Trans Canada Trail (The Great Trail)

Travel 22 km on the Northumberland portion of this trail spanning from Hastings to Hoard's Station. In Campbellford, link to the Rotary Trail along the Trent River and the Ranney Gorge Suspension Bridge. A map is recommended and is free by calling.



TheGreatTrail.ca

Seymour Conservation Area*

Choose from 6 km of meandering trails – or tackle a more challenging route offering a spectacular view from the very top of an impressive drumlin. 613-394-4829 • ltc.on.ca



Ferris Provincial Park

Discover unique trails in this 81-hectare park located along the Trent River. Ranney Gorge Suspension Bridge is a breathtaking feature suspending 9 metres above the gorge, connecting the 5-km Rotary Trail (along the banks of the Trent Canal) to Ferris Park.



19 Millennium Trail

Hiking

Skiing

Roller Blading

\$ Snowshoeing

Horseback Riding

Benches

Cycling

Symbols Key/Legend

what each trail has to offer.

All trails listed here are identified on the map by their

corresponding numbers. The legend below identifies

ATV Dirt Bikes

Snowmobiling

Picnic Shelter

№ Washrooms

Map Available

\$ User Fees May Apply

Wheelchair Accessible

Take in a panorama of tree-covered drumlins, forests, uplands and valleys on this 2.6-km, wheelchairaccessible trail that meanders alongside Mill Creek. (Trail is accessible from the bridge on Main St.) 705-653-1900 (Municipality of Trent Hills)



20 Goodrich-Loomis Conservation Area*

Enjoy up to 12 km of trails, suited to hikers of all ages. Highlights include a cold-water stream, prairie remnants, a noted wetland, and oak savanna. 613-394-4829 · ltc.on.ca



Proctor Park Conservation Area*

Explore this 2.5-km hiking trail, through mixed forest and rolling hills. Access is from the north side of the Proctor-Simpson Barn Theatre. 613.394.4829 · ltc.on.ca



Presqu'ile Provincial Park

Discover why Presqu'ile shelters one of the most important wetlands in Ontario. Its position under a major flyway makes it ideal for birding and unique within the Province. Hike several flat trails here ranging from .3 to 3.8 km. 613-475-4324 · FriendsOfPresquile.on.ca





Cruise, paddle or just float your boat.



Travel rolling hills & picturesque trails.



- Cycling routes take you from the leisurely Great Lakes Waterfront Trail along Lake Ontario, to the more advanced hill routes with sweeping vistas of Rice Lake.
- Part of the Ontario by Bike Network (OntarioByBike.ca), we have many cycle-friendly establishments at your service.
- Ontario's Greenbelt Greenbelt Route takes you through Route the rolling countryside and towns of Northumberland.

Try the Train

Try VIA Rail's Bike Train service to Cobourg. Once you arrive, look for the Welcome Cyclists gateway sign to access the Waterfront Trail, Greenbelt Route, Rice Lake Ramble or Shelter Valley routes.

Numbers 39 to 44





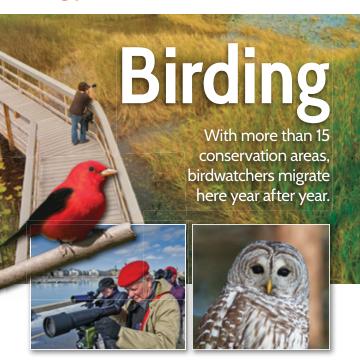
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Relax & play your best game.



Bring your binoculars & be amazed.



- The map shows optimum areas you're likely to see some unique birds.
- Countless natural areas, as well as 70 km of Lake Ontario shoreline, cedar bogs, rocky and sandy fields make Northumberland prime for birding.
- Visit NorthumberlandTourism/Birding to contact the many birding guides who live in the area.

Presqu'ile Provincial Park

With its diverse ecosystem and marshland boardwalk, Presqu'ile is noted for bird watching. It's a major staging area for migrating waterfowl, shorebirds and songbirds.

Forest and Fields

The Ganaraska and Northumberland forests have





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