

## 01 LAKE ONTARIO WATERFRONT TRAIL



N 44°03.344  
W 077°35.858

Quinte West is proud to be part of the 1600 km Waterfront Trail that stretches from Quebec to Grand Bend along the Great Lakes. The trail makes its way into Quinte West along County Road 64 and branches off parallel to the 5.4 km historic Murray Canal - lovely for hikers. Cyclists may prefer the County Road. This section of the trail intersects with Hwy 33, also known as the Loyalist Parkway Heritage Route and links to the Millennium Trail, crossing Prince Edward County. At the intersection of Hwy 33 and County Rd 64, the Waterfront Trail heads north into Trenton connecting to Trenton's heritage downtown, Fraser Park and Centennial Park. South leads into The County.

## 03 TRENTON GREENBELT CONSERVATION AREA



N 44°06.581  
W 077°35.498

Connecting the National Historic Trent-Severn Waterway Lock 1 with the Trenton Greenbelt Conservation Area along the Trent River, the Jack Lange Memorial Walkway is a 2.5 km crushed gravel trail running along the Trent River shoreline. The trail can easily be walked or cycled and is a particular favourite for boaters that want to stretch their legs along the canal.

## 05 BLEASDELL BOULDER CONSERVATION AREA



N 44°08.805  
W 077°35.100

At the Bleasdeell Boulder Conservation Area you will see one of the largest known glacial erratics in North America, estimated to be 2.3 billion years old. Transported here by a giant glacier over 20,000 years ago, this two million pound boulder sits as a silent testament to the awesome forces of nature. Apart from the Boulder, you will see a wide variety of trees, flowers, ferns and an abundance of birds and wildlife. Located north of the 401 in Glen Miller along Hwy 33, it features a 1.5 km loop trail with a .6 km link to the Lower Trent Trail.

## 07 BATA ISLAND TRAIL



N 44°12.737  
W 077°35.986

The entrance to Bata Island can be found opposite Huffman Road, 1.2 km north of downtown Frankford along North Trent Street. A walkway leads into the largely forested park, with trails splitting off that loop the island. Several small grass meadows open up the centre of the island creating a great area for bird watching.

## 09 SIDNEY CONSERVATION AREA



N 44°15.071  
W 077°31.126

Located at 379 Airport Road, the Conservation Area is recognizable by the stately red pine plantation just inside the entrance. Mostly under natural vegetation, the 21 hectare (52 acre) site is a colourful woodland during the spring and autumn. Two small branches of Chrysal Creek cross the Conservation Area and provide an interesting feature to the trail. Hiking the trail is a pleasant experience as it traverses open areas, mixed forests and areas influenced by natural plant succession. Cross country skiers will thrill to the presence of perky chickadees dangling from the tree branches along the trail's route. Ski trails are not groomed.

## 11 POTTER'S CREEK CONSERVATION AREA



N 44°06.036  
W 077°33.896

This scenic 6 km network of trails is located between Trenton and Belleville. Trails wind through this former farm past a variety of habitats. The park area at the mouth of Potter's Creek, overlooking the Bay of Quinte, provides a great starting point for canoeists, kayakers and wind-surfers. Hikers and cross country skiers will also find these trails inspiring. Users of all abilities can enjoy the paved Parrott Trail on the south side of Highway 2.

## 02 HANNA PARK



N 44°05.634  
W 077°35.048

At the corner of Film Street and Creswell Drive in Trenton's west side, this central 42 acre public park has a number of attractions including public tennis courts, a playground, picnic area and the Kinsmen Community Dog Park. The 1.9 kms of well-marked nature trails offer a deep woods experience year-round and are well suited to hiking, cross-country skiing and cycling.

## 04 LOWER TRENT TRAIL



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N 44°07.735  
W 077°36.204

Running through rural and urban areas of Quinte West, The Lower Trent Trail is a 17 km Rail Trail connecting the communities of Glen Miller and Glenn Ross. A maximum grade of 2.5° and limestone granular surface make the majority of this trail accessible and cycle friendly. The trail provides access to loop trails at Bata Island, Bleasdeell Boulder Conservation Area, and the new Batawa Riverfront Trail **13**, a multi-use 2 km loop that hugs the shoreline of the Trent River and connects visitors to the rustic highland and grassland trails of Batawa. Parking is provided at Lock Road and Bleasdeell Boulder in Glen Miller, Plant St. and Perry Dr. in Batawa, and Mill St. in Frankford, with trail access also available at several road crossings along the route. This Non-Motorized trail with rest stops and scenic areas is ideal for family outings and is available (with prior approval) for hosting organized community events.

## 06 FRANKFORD TOURIST PARK



N 44°12.129  
W 077°35.553

Situated on a stretch of parkland along the Trent River in downtown Frankford, the Tourist Park is the centre for regional outdoor activities and special events. The park has a sandy beach area and playground, canteen, covered picnic pavilion, a new skateboard park and seasonal overnight camping facilities. The 600 metre trail follows the park shoreline and leads to the adjacent Lock 6 of the Trent-Severn Waterway. Continuing along the canal to the Frankford Street Bridge provides access to the downtown area.

## 08 SAGER CONSERVATION AREA



N 44°14.910  
W 077°32.403

Located at 30 Golf Course Rd, Sager Conservation Area offers a day use area for picnicking along with grass and forest trails which lead to a scenic viewpoint. This area is part of a glacial feature known as Oak Lake Island. This is a series of large drumlins (hills) that formed an island in glacial Lake Iroquois. A lookout tower provides an excellent point from which to view the Trent River valley. Once you reach the top, interpretive signs tell a story about some natural and cultural features of the area.

## 10 HOLLINGER PARK



N 44°16.159  
W 077°30.339

You will find this 25 acre public park on Bird Road South. Hollinger Park is a wooded and hilly park featuring a mixture of hardwood, pines and several marked trails. A sheltered picnic area with benches adjacent to an open meadow is an ideal location for large group activities.

## 12 CENTENNIAL PARK TRAIL



N 44°06.036  
W 077°33.896

The welcome mat for Quinte West, Centennial Park is home to the local arena, boat launches, amphitheatre, skateboard park, splash pad, playground, cable wakeboard park and sports fields. The 2 km paved waterfront trail runs throughout the park and links to downtown Trenton. From fireworks to fishing, year-round special events and seasonal activities take place in the park. With a stunning view of the Bay of Quinte, it is worth the walk in any season.



Walking/Jogging  
Promenade/Jogging



Hiking  
Randonnée



Cycling  
Bicyclette



Cross-Country Cycling  
Bicyclette à Randonnée



Roller Blading  
Patinage à Roulettes



Washrooms  
Toilettes



Skiing  
Ski



Benches  
Banquettes



Picnic Shelter  
Abri de Picque-nique



Picnic Tables  
Table de Picque-nique



Beach  
Plage



Boat Launch  
Rampe à Bateau



Event Site  
Événement



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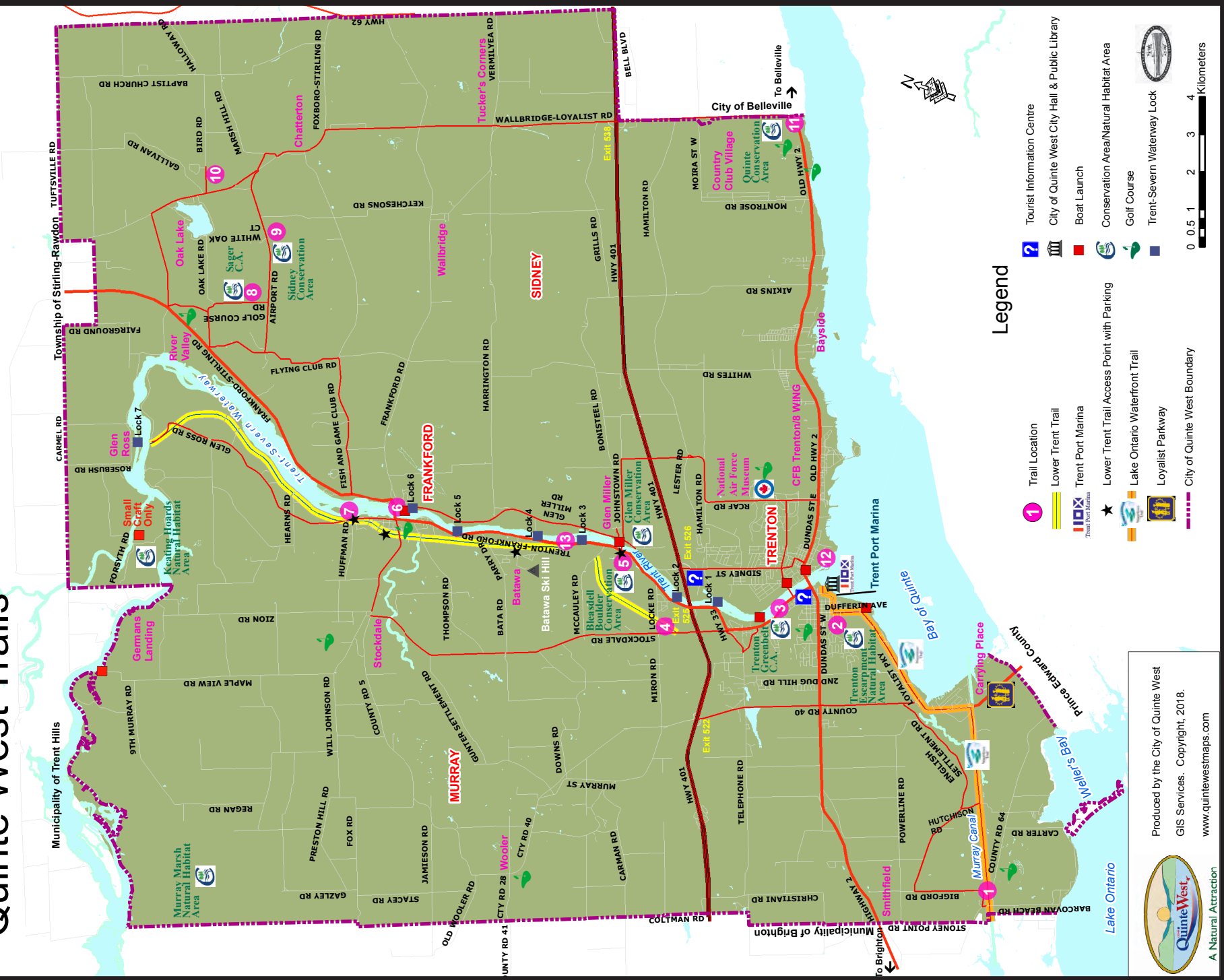
Snowshoeing  
Racquette



Camping



# Quinte West Trails



## TRAIL RESOURCES IN ONTARIO

CONSERVATION ONTARIO  
www.conservationontario.ca

EASTERN ONTARIO TRAILS ALLIANCE  
www.thetrail.ca

LAKE ONTARIO WATERFRONT TRAIL  
www.waterfronttrail.org

LOWER TRENT TRAIL  
www.friendsofthetrail.ca

LOWER TRENT CONSERVATION  
www.ltc.on.ca

ONTARIO TRAILS COUNCIL  
www.ontariotrails.on.ca

PARKS CANADA  
www.pc.gc.ca

QUINTE CONSERVATION  
www.quinteconservation.ca

TRANS CANADA TRAILS  
www.tctrail.ca

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Help protect sensitive environmental  
areas by following a few simple tips:

- ✓ Obey all posted signs.
- ✓ Stay on the main trails. Don't make new trails or use unmarked or closed trails. This causes erosion, damages vegetation, and may disturb animal habitat.
- ✓ Keep your pets on a leash and clean up after them.
- ✓ Do not disturb wildlife.
- ✓ Don't litter! Take your garbage with you when you leave.
- ✓ Don't collect or pick anything. Wildflowers, trees and shrubs are important food and shelter for wildlife.

**Remember – take only memories,  
leave only footprints.**

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