

23 The Humber Trail (William Granger Greenway)

The first phase of the Humber Trail (3.5 kilometres) was completed in 2000. The trail weaves its way through the valley of the East Humber River (designated a Canadian Heritage River), from Bindertwine Park in Kleinburg to the Boyd Conservation Area in Woodbridge, with a link to the McMichael Canadian Art Collection and Boyd Conservation Area. There are plans to extend the trail in future years to the shores of Lake Ontario in the south and join the Trans-Canada Trail in the north at Bolton. This section of the Humber Trail is dedicated to William Granger, the former Chair of the Toronto and Region Conservation Authority, in recognition of his contribution to watershed management.

The Humber Trail is open for hiking, biking and walking. It includes many significant natural habitats, cultural and heritage resources, recreational and educational facilities, and the historic aboriginal trade route known as the Toronto Carrying-Place Trail.

Access Point(s):

- Bindertwine Park - Kleinburg; At park off Stegman's Mills Rd. go to south end of parking lot (trail begins at this point)
- McMichael Canadian Art Collection; Access trail through McMichael grounds; (parking charge)
- William T. Foster Woods: At woods off Islington Ave. north of Major Mackenzie Dr. Trail is off end of parking lot on a local footpath. Route down the slope is steep and dirt packed. Cross bridge to meet main trail
- Canada Company Way: At the end of road - portions of trail are steep and dirt packed

Main Intersection(s): Stegman's Mills Rd. and Islington Ave.

Total Approximate Distance: 3.5 km (first phase)

Parking: Available at Bindertwine Park off Stegman's Mills Rd. in Kleinburg; connect to trail at south end of park. Parking is also available at Foster Woods in Kleinburg off Islington Ave. at Major Mackenzie Dr.

Surface of Trail: Gravel main trail, local trails dirt

For More Information: City of Vaughan



LEGEND



Trail



Road



Regional Boundary



Municipal Boundary



River



Lake



Forest Area



Access Point



Parking



Washroom



Lookout



Leash Free Dog Area



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