

The Great Esker side trail offers a variety of terrain

By Frances Walker

This loop trail is interesting for the variety of terrain it passes through. It is most easily accessed from 8th Line north of Georgetown.

Travel through downtown Georgetown on Main Street towards Acton. After crossing the railroad bridge, turn right just as the road

curves, and then immediately turn left onto Wildwood Road. Pass the Watchtower buildings and then turn left at the stop sign. You are now on 8th Line North.

From Acton, turn left off of Highway 7 at the curve as you enter Georgetown, just before Moore Park

Trail Blazing

Plaza. 8th Line shortly turns to a dirt road and then descends a steep hill. Watch for a rustic wood fence on your right and then for a metal gate painted red. Park on the shoulder here. Across the road is the entrance to a track that ascends the Esker (a sort of mini escarpment). There are no blazes on the track.

After reaching the top of the hill, the track curves to the left. Watch for the blue side trail blazes on your left. You will enter the woods, then briefly get back on the track, then re-enter the woods. You will walk along the edge of the Esker for a while, then turn

right and descend the hill.

After a short walk, you will come out onto a regenerating field. Continuing across the meadow you will notice there is a busy highway ahead. This is Highway 7. Look carefully at the field. There are many small trees growing here that were planted several years ago. At a large tree, the trail turns right and parallels the highway, then turns right again and climbs into another field. This field is being used for crops. At the junction between two fields, the trail turns left and crosses to the other side. At the far end, the trail turns left and then

right into the woods. The blazing is somewhat unclear here, so watch carefully. This trail is well used, so the path is usually clear. There is a wet area here that requires some care to avoid soggy shoes. The trail then proceeds sharply upwards over rocks and then turns right.

The next 1/2 km. of trail involves climbing up and down a lot. There is a swampy section that is quite wet in spring. After this area, the trail climbs to higher ground. Shortly after, the side trail ends at the main Bruce Trail. Continue to your right and follow the white blazes for about 1/2 km. On your right you will see a stile with the blue side trail blazes. Pick

up the Great Esker Side Trail again, turn right and you will soon come back onto the track. Turn left and follow the track back to your car.

It takes about 10 minutes to get to the starting point from Georgetown. From Acton, allow 15 minutes. 8th Line N. is not a road to attempt in the winter, and, in fact, is not maintained in winter beyond the point where you park. The loop distance is about 4.5 km. You should allow 2.5 hours.

The walk is not difficult but is fairly strenuous due to the climbing and descending of hills. The wet areas require good shoes and careful walking.

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LaRose delivers key hit

Michael LaRose's home run drove in the game winning runs helping J. V. Clothing Red Sox beat Outdoor Power Equipment Tigers 20-18 in GBA Junior T-Ball action.

Also homering in the game were Ryan Kemshead and Spencer Brown. Sean Logan contributed offensively with a double. Great defensive plays were turned in by Michael

Densmore, Matthew Hinds and Miles Gibbons. Daniel Poulos also had a great game at first base making some key outs.

Despite home runs from both Kevin Greer and Adam Castle, Terra Cotta Cookies were edged by Armstrong Insurance Athletics 21-17.

Amanda MacDonald and Kyle Adam both delivered doubles while Connor Smith and Ryan Dunlop each hit triples in the game. Strong defensive plays were turned in by Ryan Gray and Daniel Wesley.

Halton Credit Union A's defeated Little Caesars Pizza Orioles 19-18. Ryan Williams helped the offense with a home run, Shawn Kitto and Robin Watt each tripled and Jonathan Turner doubled.

Zelek leads Armstrong

By Ruth D. Taylor

With determination in their red faces and sweat in their shin pads, the Under-11 Girls Poppacorns and the Linda Armstrong/Johnson orange team played hot soccer in a field of cover at Emmerson.

The orange team, playing short-handed, had to rotate their forward line to midfield and defense to let the girls regain strength to run in the humid air. Jennifer Norman, Becky Taylor and Jodie Armstrong were busy playing all positions.

Alanna Zelek scored a hat trick, including one on a goal post bounce, while Laura Shields got a double and Ellen Smith kicked a singleton for the oranges. Undeterred, the Poppacorns netted two-one by Heather Stevens, with an assist by Michelle Smythe and an unstoppable lateral shot high to the back of the net by Kira Lawrence. The orange goalie played the shot correctly.

Poppacorns Buffy Blagrove, Jaclyn Neill and Heather Inglis were busy getting the ball out of yellow territory but the final score was 6-2 for the Linda Armstrong troop.

Meanwhile in Acton, the red Millieres TV played shorthanded against the green team. The green team was pass-

Under-11 girls

ing well, keeping red goalie Jessica MacDonald busy. One play saw red defense Krystal Westman running to cover the net also, when green players Jessie Locke and Jenny Culbert were challenging. Melanie Sherren and Melissa Lane played a strong green defense.

Karen Dillabough opened up the scoring in the second half with a green goal and then Meighan McIntyre scored two more. Millieres TV player Bethan Elliott kicked a straight one in over the goalies' head but the red team was on the short end of the 3-1 score.

The green team was really hot this week as they played a second game in Meadowglen against the blue Optimists. Becky Culp and Shaylyn Rypstra each scored for the Blues while Melissa Maveal and Sinead Irvine each scored one for the green side.

Jacque Bajic did a great job as keeper for the Optimists while teammate Kim Neilsen hustled at defense and forward Stephanie Power cleared balls in the midfield. Noteworthy for the green team were Ashley Carlton, Andrea Lootsma and Angela Horton.

Refereeing for the games were Dylan Lee, K. Kinnon and Aaron Williams.

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REFUND OF INCOME TAXES

by GEORGE WAGNER, C.A.

Under the "Income Tax Fairness Package", Revenue Canada may refund to an individual or a testamentary trust an overpayment of tax, even when the tax return was filed later than three years after the end of the taxation year. Also, Revenue Canada may refund an overpayment of tax to an individual or testamentary trust as a consequence of a requested adjustment which is made after the normal 3 year reassessment period.

For example if a taxpayer did not file a tax return in a previous year, it may not be too late to file that return and receive a refund. Or, if the taxpayer forgot a deduction, such as an RRSP contribution, or a credit, such as a disability credit, it may not be too late to advise Revenue Canada and receive your tax refund.

In most circumstances, a refund will be made when Revenue Canada is satisfied that the change would have been correct in law had it been filed on time.

The taxpayer will be required to explain in a written application why the refund should be granted.

Since these provisions do not permit Revenue Canada to increase taxes after expiration of the 3 year normal reassessment period, the refund will be granted only to the extent that it exceeds the taxes, interest and penalties that would otherwise have been payable if the other year had been open for reassessment.

This is applicable with respect to funds for the 1985 and subsequent taxation years.

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GEORGETOWN & DISTRICT MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Is Supportive Housing the Solution for You?

Georgetown and District Memorial Hospital is requesting questionnaires from individuals with an interest, or potential need, for supportive housing in the next two to five years.

Supportive housing is a combination of housing and support services that addresses seniors' or disabled adults' daily living needs: e.g. housekeeping, meal preparation and personal care, while promoting an independent lifestyle.

Questionnaires are available at the administration office of Georgetown Hospital.

For further information, contact Eunice McGowan, 873-0111, ext. 285, or John Oliver, ext. 234

Georgetown Horseshoe Club League Standings

	Week 8			
	G	W	L	Pts
Stars	64	42	22	42
6 Pac	64	40	24	40
Bulldogs	64	36	28	36
Ringer Dingers	64	35	29	35
Aces	64	34	30	34
Cheers	64	30	34	30
Lightning	64	24	40	24
Longshots	64	22	42	22

Thursday's Results

Cheers	3	Stars	5
Longshots	5	Lightning	3
Ringer Dingers	6	Aces	2
Bulldogs	2	6 Pac	6

Monday's Results - Singles Play

Grp. 1 Winner:	Jim Lahey	6 wins	0 losses	31.9 pct
Grp. 2 Winner:	Shell Lawr	4 wins	0 losses	18.5 pct