

## Orillia Millennium Trail

City of Orillia

**Main Trail:** 9.5 km **Difficulty:** Easy

**Parking:** Narrows Bridge, J.B. Tudhope Memorial Park, Couchiching Beach Park

Visualize a four-metre wide ribbon of pavement stretching from one end of the city to the other.

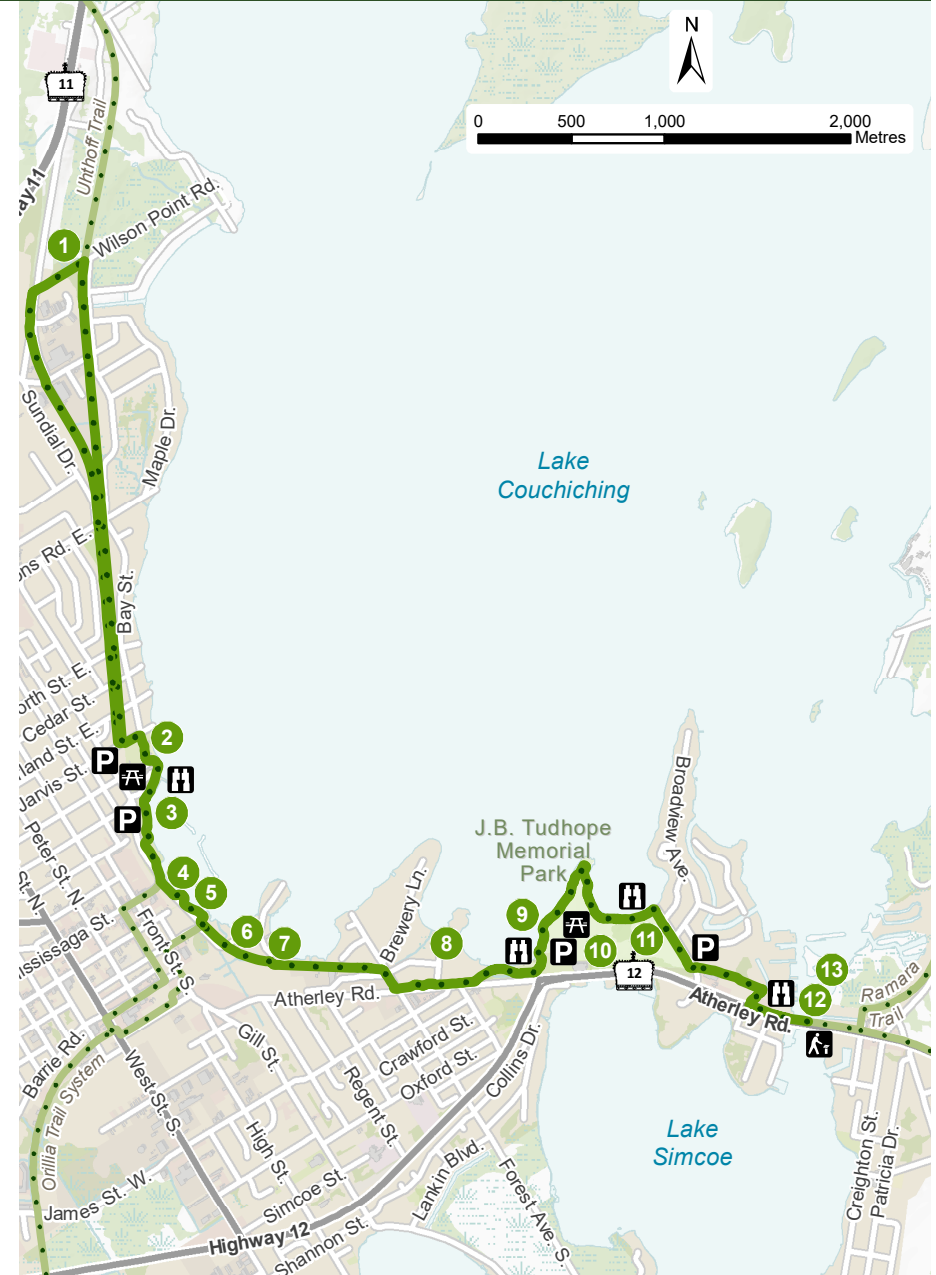
Imagine the enjoyment of being able to in-line skate, bicycle or walk from Wilson's

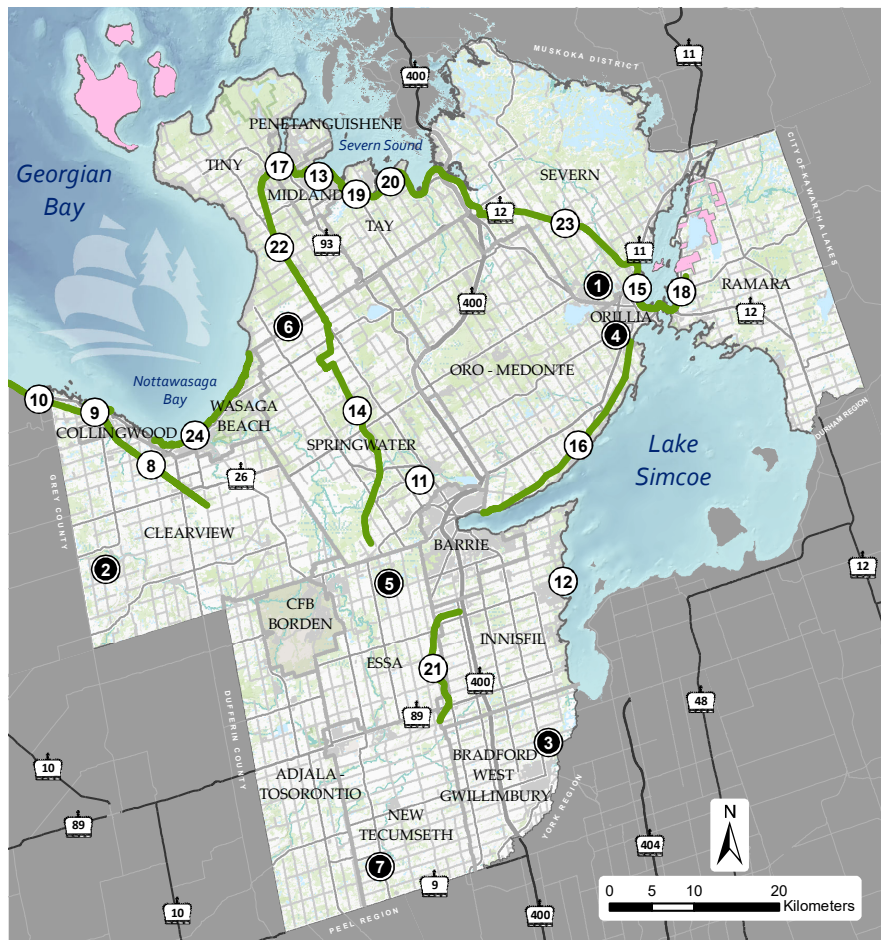
Point to the Narrows. Picture the pleasure of a wheelchair user being able to travel independently and safely from Couchiching Beach Park to J.B. Tudhope Memorial Park to watch a baseball game.

### Points of Interest

1. Uthoff Trail Junction: at Wilson Point Road.
2. Couchiching Beach Park: This park features an aqua theatre, ball diamond, beach, outdoor rink, picnic shelter, playground, toilets, water fountain, and change rooms.
3. Centennial Park: Home to the Port of Orillia, Government Pier, barbeque, picnic tables, toilets and water fountain and boat launch.
4. Veterans' Memorial Park: Featuring picnic tables, pergola, skateboard park, and pier.
5. Hunter Boat Works: This old boat-building business was commissioned to build the Canadian Fairmile, a small wooden warship used for anti-submarine patrols.
6. Ribbons of Steel: refers to the building of the railroad.
7. Mnjkaning First Nation Reserve.
8. Stephen Leacock Museum and National Historic Site: This site was once the summer home of Stephen Leacock and is now reconstructed to serve as a boathouse and visitor's centre.
9. History of Ice Industry: Ice was cut from the lake and stored in insulated barns. It was later shipped by rail to the United States.
10. J.B. Tudhope Memorial Park and Barnfield Point Recreation Centre: This park offers a beach, splash pads, a washroom and change rooms, a picnic area and ball diamonds.
11. Couchiching and Sturgeon Point Hotels: The latter, a stately 40-room, three-storey frame hotel opened on June 15, 1867. Later, the hotel complex was expanded to include a dance hall, shuffle board courts and bath houses.
12. Narrows Bridge: This swing bridge carried railway traffic but is now welded in the open position to allow boats to pass through the Narrows between Lake Simcoe on the right and Lake Couchiching on the left.
13. Mnjkaning Fishing Weirs: This fish fence became a meeting place for aboriginal people.

The following trail is owned and maintained by the City of Orillia. Please note that the trails are maintained periodically throughout the year, though fallen hazards and debris may appear due to weather.





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### Features

- # Point of Interest
- Access point
- Beach; Swimming
- Boat Launch
- Bridge
- Drinking Water
- Food
- Garden
- Hill
- Information
- Interpretive Sign
- Parking
- Picnic Spot
- Public Transport
- Restroom
- Splash Pad
- Scenic Lookout
- Telephone

### Trails

- Main Trail
- Other Trail

### Roads

- Freeway/Highway/Major Arterial Road
- Local Road
- Private/Unassumed/Seasonal Road

### Other Features

- Contour
- Stream or River
- Wetland
- Lake / Pond
- Building
- Baseball Diamond
- Soccer Field
- Tennis Court
- Beach
- Conservation Area
- Local Park
- Forested Area
- Urban Area

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