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Step Into Nature At Crow's Pass Conservation Area

Saturday, August 23 starting at 9:30am - Registration Requested
Crow's Pass Conservation Area, near Chalk Lake in Scugog

Interested in experiencing the trails of a newly accessible conservation area close to home? Central Lake Ontario Conservation invites you to join conservation staff on an interpretive hike through Crow's Pass Conservation Area as they install trail signage along the newly created trail system. The interpretive hike through Crow's Pass Conservation Area, near Chalk Lake in Scugog Township, will start at 9:30am on Saturday, August 23rd. This event is FREE, but registration is requested as space is limited.



“We are pleased that we can now provide access to this incredibly diverse conservation area in the heart of the Oak Ridges Moraine” says Jamie Davidson, Conservation Areas Planner with Central Lake Ontario Conservation. “This hike is a great opportunity to get to know the property intimately from staff familiar with the plants, animals, and history of the Oak Ridges Moraine.”

To register for the hike or for more information please contact Jamie Davidson at (905) 579-0411, ext. 114 or email jdavidson@cloca.com. The hike will start from the Crow's Pass Conservation Area parking area and last for approximately 2 hours. Hikers are asked to dress for the weather, wear hiking footwear and bring bug spray as mosquitoes are also a part of nature.

Directions:

To get to Crow's Pass Conservation Area, take Highway 12 to Scugog Line 2 (Chalk Lake Road); turn west and travel to Ashburn Road. Turn north onto Ashburn Road and then turn west on Middle March Road. Continue west along unimproved road allowance to parking area. Caution: watch for golfers where golf fairway crosses road allowance.