

Information

The Carstairs Trail was constructed to minimize obstacles to accessibility. The trail was designed to meet or exceed accessibility standards. The trail's 4 loops branch off a common trail.

The Carstairs Tract was once farmed then planted as an arboretum in 1948 and then re-planted with Red Pine, White Pine, White Spruce and European Larch in 1950. Rare trees, native to Ontario were planted in 2015 in honour of the Carstairs Family.

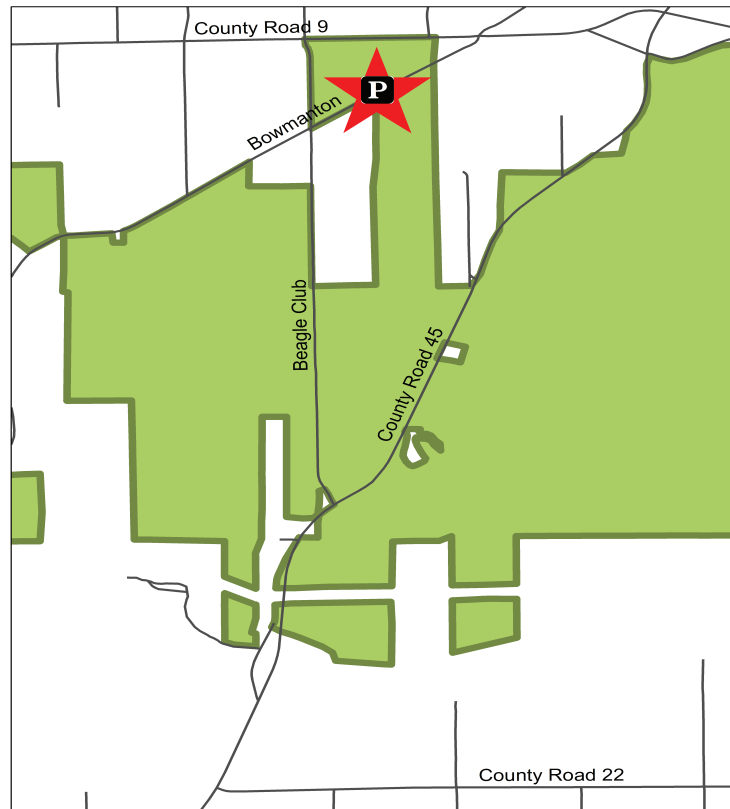
Distances of loops:

White Spruce Loop: 0.8km

Larch Loop: 1.3km

Locust Loop: 1.7km

White Pine Loop: 2.2km



Etiquette and Rules

Dogs

Dogs must be leashed and under control at all times. There is a potential for service dogs on these trails and an unleashed dog could cause a dangerous situation.

Please do not leave animal waste on trails or other public areas.

Remember, not all forest users are dog lovers. Please respect others.

Permitted Uses

The Carstairs Tract trails are for pedestrians only, including pedestrians using assistive devices such as wheelchairs, and electric scooters. The use of ATVs, Off-road motorcycles, mountain bikes and horses will damage the trail and cause unsafe conditions for users with mobility aids or difficulty passing over obstacles.

Seasonal Closures

The Carstairs Tract trails may be closed when conditions affect the safe use of trails. These include snow covered and icy conditions.

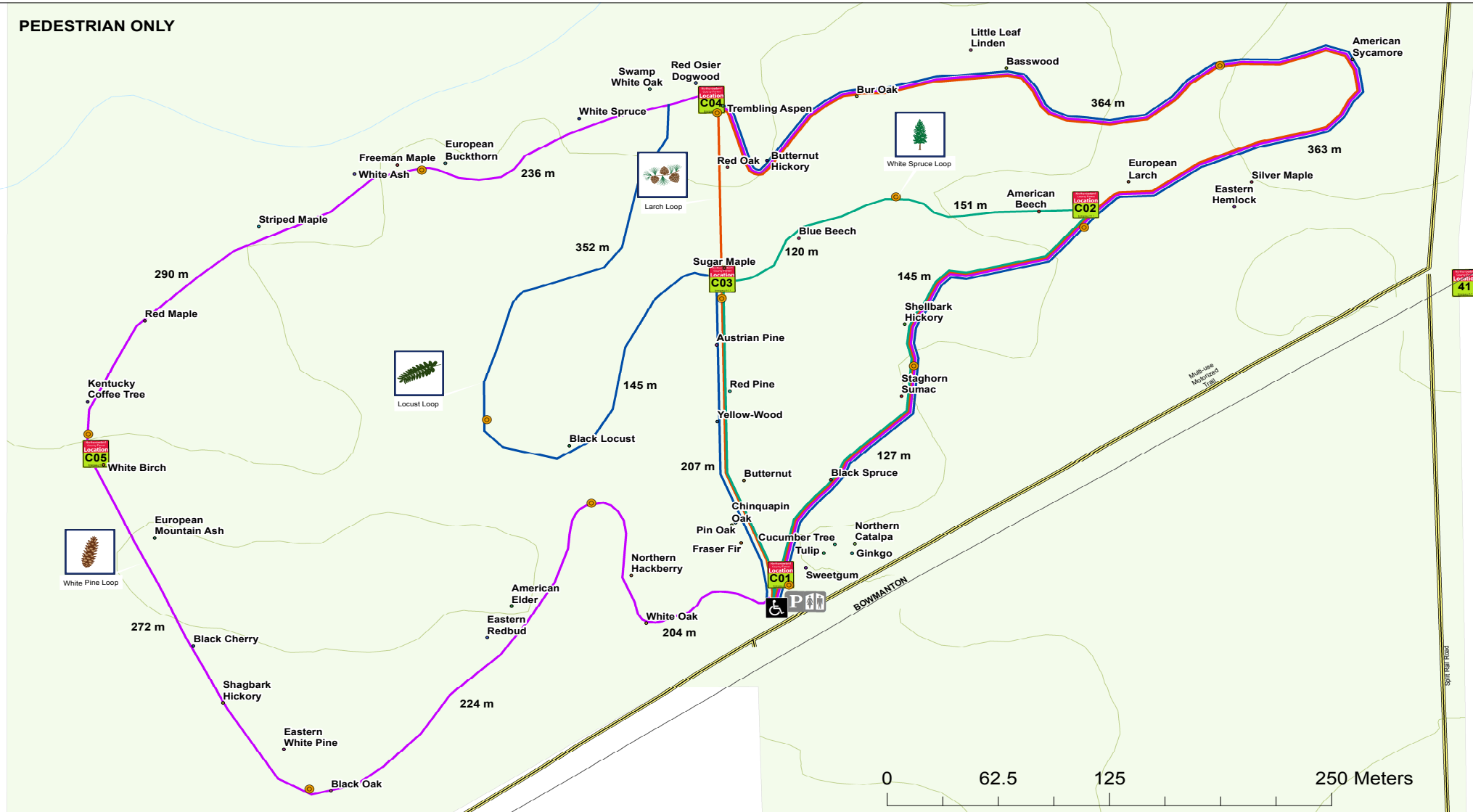
Please don't litter. Carry out your garbage and place in the garbage and recycling container at the trailhead.

Carstairs Trail



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Trail Name	Trail Distance (km)	Max Grade (%)	Average Grade (%)	Trail length with grade greater than 10% (m)	Max Cross Slope (%)	Average Cross Slope (%)	Trail length with cross slope greater than 5% (m)	Min Trail Width (cm)	Average Trail Width (cm)	Surface Type	Firmness	Obstacles
White Spruce Loop	0.8	6.7	2.4	0	7.9	2.1	0	120	259	Crushed Stone	Firm	None
Larch Loop	1.3	6.7	2.4	0	7.9	2.2	22	120	275	Crushed Stone	Firm	None
Locust Loop	1.7	6.7	2.2	0	8.3	2.2	0	113	253	Crushed Stone	Firm	None
White Pine Loop	2.2	6.7	1.9	0	7.9	2.5	86	120	249	Crushed Stone	Firm	None

Legend



- White Spruce Loop - 0.8 km
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Bench Locations
* Numbers on map indicate distances between rest areas



Tree Species of Interest

5m Contours



Emergency Location Markers

Local Road

Multi Use Motorized Trail

NCF Boundary



Parking Lots