



Nobleton Tease April 18, 2015

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Cheltenham Badlands

Trillium's bi-annual "Nobleton Tease" daytime run is routed through the Cheltenham Badlands, a small example of badlands formation in Caledon, Ontario.

The site is located on the south east side of Olde Base Line Road, between Creditview and Chinguacousy Roads, west of Highway 10 in Caledon, and features exposed and eroded Queenston Shale. The formation is located along the Niagara Escarpment.

At one point in time, the Cheltenham Badlands were occupied by a large river. The hills signify the riverbed and as you follow the trail, you begin to see the river history of the badlands. Thousands of years ago, this dried up resulting in today's version of the Cheltenham badlands, hidden until about 80 years ago.

The formation is mostly red in colour due to iron oxide deposits with some faint green streaks due to ground water percolation changing the red iron oxide into green iron oxide.

The formation was exposed by poor farming practices in the 1930s that led to soil erosion and exposed the underlying shale. No longer suitable for farming, it was purchased by the Ontario Heritage Foundation in 2000 and is managed by the Bruce Trail Association. Development is also restricted on the site by the Niagara Escarpment Commission

The formation is located along the Niagara Escarpment and Bruce Trail and is part or near various geographically important area of Southern Ontario:

- the Ontario Greenbelt
- just outside of Oak Ridges Moraine, and is
- located within the Niagara Escarpment, the site is by default part of the local UNESCO World Biosphere Reserve.

There are concerns by conservationists that increased visitors to the area will cause damage to the formation and suggest closure or restriction of access to the site. Trails leading from the site are now closed.

Parking is limited to a small area on the south side of Olde Base Line Road with restrictions beyond and on the other side of the road. Should you visit the area on your own, you will also find the Bruce Trail in the nearby forest. There are many strange rocks and minerals on the Red Clay Hills.



Text adapted from Wikipedia and edited by Paul Whittaker. Photo by Paul Whittaker

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	Directions	Distance	Heading	Time	Total Distance	Total Time
	Start at Tim Horton's Rutherford Rd.				0 m	0 seconds
	Get on Rutherford Rd and drive west	2 m	48° true	0 seconds	2 m	0 seconds
	Turn right onto Pine Valley Dr	2.2 km	254° t...	3 minutes	2.2 km / 1.375 mi	3 minutes
•	Arrive at Pine Valley Dr.	6.3 km	80° true	8 minutes	8.4 km / 5.25 mi	10 minutes
	Get on Pine Valley Dr and drive north	3 m	260° t...	10 minutes	8.4 km / 5.25 mi	10 minutes
	Turn left onto King-Vaughan Rd	2.0 km	351° t...	2 minutes	10.4 km / 6.5 mi	12 minutes
•	Arrive at 6691 King-Vaughan Rd	6.5 km	149° t...	9 minutes	16.9 km / 10.56 mi	21 minutes
	Get on King-Vaughan Rd and drive west	0 m	329° t...	11 minutes	16.9 km / 10.56 mi	21 minutes
	Turn right onto King Rd	2.3 km	349° t...	4 minutes	19.2 km / 12.0 mi	25 minutes
•	Arrive at King Rd and Nobleview Dr	611 m	0° true	2 minutes	19.8 km / 12.375	26 minutes
	Turn left onto Nobleview Dr	2 m	0° true	5 minutes	19.8 km / 12.375 mi	26 minutes
	Turn right onto Hillside Dr	221 m	351° t...	1 minutes	20.0 km / 12.5 mi	27 minutes
	Turn left onto Cedarwood Cres	339 m	72° true	1 minutes	20.4 km / 12.8 mi	27 minutes
	Turn right onto Sunset Dr	68 m	350° t...	1 minutes	20.4 km / 12.8 mi	28 minutes
	Turn left onto Russell Snider Dr	131 m	81° true	1 minutes	20.6 km / 12.875 mi	28 minutes
•	Arrive at 91 Russell Snider Dr	110 m	76° true	1 minutes	20.7 km / 12.937 mi	29 minutes
	Get on Russell Snider Dr and drive north	0 m	256° t...	3 minutes	20.7 km / 12.937 mi	29 minutes
	Turn right onto Sheardown Dr	142 m	348° t...	1 minutes	20.8 km / 13.0 mi	29 minutes
	Turn left onto Mactaggart Dr	268 m	78° true	1 minutes	21.1 km / 13.187 mi	30 minutes
•	Arrive at 126 Mactaggart Dr	858 m	157° t...	2 minutes	21.9 km / 13.687 mi	31 minutes
	Get on Mactaggart Dr and drive east	2 m	337° t...	3 minutes	21.9 km / 13.687 mi	31 minutes





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	Turn left onto 27	481 m	81° true	1 minutes	22.4 km / 14.0 mi	32 minutes
•	Arrive at 14375 27	2.7 km	79° true	4 minutes	25.1 km / 15.687 mi	35 minutes
	Get on 27 and drive north	1 m	259° t...	4 minutes	25.1 km / 15.687	35 minutes
	Turn left onto 17th Sdrd	2.5 km	350° t...	3 minutes	27.6 km / 17.25 mi	37 minutes
•	Arrive at 6232 17th Sdrd	638 m	161° t...	2 minutes	28.2 km / 17.625 mi	39 minutes
	Get on 17th Sdrd and drive west	1 m	341° t...	4 minutes	28.2 km / 17.625 mi	39 minutes
•	Arrive at 6920 17th Sdrd	2.0 km	346° t...	3 minutes	30.2 km / 18.875 mi	41 minutes
	Get on 17th Sdrd and drive west	0 m	166° t...	3 minutes	30.2 km / 18.875 mi	41 minutes
•	Arrive at 10374 Castleberg Sdrd	4.9 km	310° t...	6 minutes	35.1 km / 21.937 mi	47 minutes
	Get on Castleberg Sdrd and drive southwest	1 m	130° t...	6 minutes	35.1 km / 21.937 mi	47 minutes
•	Arrive at 8580 Castleberg Sdrd	4.1 km	310° t...	8 minutes	39.2 km / 24.5 mi	54 minutes
	Get on Castleberg Sdrd and drive southwest	0 m	130° t...	8 minutes	39.2 km / 24.5 mi	54 minutes
•	Arrive at 8426 Castleberg Sdrd	1.4 km	310° t...	3 minutes	40.6 km / 25.375	56 minutes
	Get on Castleberg Sdrd and drive southwest	1 m	130° t...	3 minutes	40.6 km / 25.375 mi	56 minutes
	Turn left onto Humber Station Rd	1.3 km	208° t...	2 minutes	41.9 km / 26.187 mi	58 minutes
	Arrive at careful, train tracks	1.5 km	45° true	3 minutes	43.5 km / 27.187 mi	1 hour, 1 minutes
	Get on Humber Station Rd and drive southeast	1 m	225° t...	5 minutes	43.5 km / 27.187 mi	1 hour, 1 minutes
	Turn right onto King St	1.6 km	135° t...	3 minutes	45.0 km / 28.125 mi	1 hour, 4 minutes
	Turn right onto The Gore Rd	1.3 km	218° t...	2 minutes	46.4 km / 29.0 mi	1 hour, 5 minutes
•	Arrive at 14147 The Gore Rd	450 m	226° t...	2 minutes	46.8 km / 29.25 mi	1 hour, 6 minutes
	Get on The Gore Rd and drive northwest	1 m	46° true	6 minutes	46.8 km / 29.25 mi	1 hour, 6 minutes

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	Turn right onto Castleberg Sdrd	2.6 km	315° t...	3 minutes	49.5 km / 30.937 mi	1 hour, 9 minutes
•	Arrive at 7660 Castleberg Sdrd	432 m	55° true	2 minutes	49.9 km / 31.187 mi	1 hour, 10 minutes
	Get on Castleberg Sdrd and drive northeast	0 m	235° t...	4 minutes	49.9 km / 31.187 mi	1 hour, 10 minutes
	Turn left onto Duffy's Ln	2.4 km	33° true	4 minutes	52.3 km / 32.687 mi	1 hour, 14 minutes
	Arrive at Caution BAD RAILS	2.4 km	64° true	4 minutes	54.7 km / 34.187 mi	1 hour, 17 minutes
	Get on Duffy's Ln and drive northwest	2 m	244° t...	7 minutes	54.7 km / 34.187 mi	1 hour, 17 minutes
	Turn left onto Old Church Rd	506 m	308° t...	1 minutes	55.2 km / 34.5 mi	1 hour, 18 minutes
•	Arrive at 7856 Old Church Rd	1.8 km	138° t...	3 minutes	57.0 km / 35.625 mi	1 hour, 20 minutes
	Get on Old Church Rd and drive southwest	3 m	318° t...	3 minutes	57.0 km / 35.625 mi	1 hour, 20 minutes
	Turn left onto Airport Rd	5.1 km	219° t...	7 minutes	62.1 km / 38.812 mi	1 hour, 26 minutes
	Arrive at Caledon Hills Coffee Shop	18 m	228° t...	1 minutes	62.1 km / 38.812 mi	1 hour, 27 minutes
	Get on Airport Rd and drive southeast	0 m	48° true	7 minutes	62.1 km / 38.812	1 hour, 27 minutes
	Turn right onto Olde Base Line Rd	1.8 km	136° t...	3 minutes	63.9 km / 39.937 mi	1 hour, 29 minutes
	Enter roundabout Roundabout	4.1 km	219° t...	5 minutes	68.0 km / 42.5 mi	1 hour, 33 minutes
	Take the 2nd right onto Olde Base Line Rd	56 m	184° t...	1 minutes	68.0 km / 42.5 mi	1 hour, 34 minutes
	Arrive at Cheltenham Badlands	7.9 km	127° t...	10 minutes	75.9 km / 47.437	1 hour, 44 minutes
	Get on Olde Base Line Rd and drive southwest	13 m	307° t...	17 minutes	76.0 km / 47.5 mi	1 hour, 44 minutes
	Turn left onto Creditview Rd	710 m	218° t...	2 minutes	76.7 km / 47.937 mi	1 hour, 45 minutes
•	Arrive at Old School Rd and Creditview Rd	7.5 km	0° true	8 minutes	84.1 km / 52.562 mi	1 hour, 53 minutes
	Turn left onto Old School Rd	0 m	0° true	10 minutes	84.1 km / 52.562	1 hour, 53 minutes
•	Arrive at 4276 Old School Rd	7.7 km	36° true	14 minutes	91.8 km / 57.375	2 hours, 6 minutes






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	Get on Old School Rd and drive northeast	0 m	216° t...	14 minutes	91.8 km / 57.375 mi	2 hours, 6 minutes
	Turn left onto Dixie Rd	618 m	38° true	1 minutes	92.4 km / 57.75 mi	2 hours, 7 minutes
	Turn right onto Boston Mills Rd	6.2 km	316° t...	7 minutes	98.6 km / 61.625 mi	2 hours, 14 minutes
•	Arrive at 5248 Boston Mills Rd	1.1 km	129° t...	3 minutes	100 km / 62.5 mi	2 hours, 16 minutes
	Get on Boston Mills Rd and drive northeast	7 m	309° t...	10 minutes	100 km / 62.5 mi	2 hours, 16 minutes
	Turn right onto Airport Rd	3.2 km	41° true	6 minutes	103 km / 64.375 mi	2 hours, 21 minutes
	Turn left onto Castleberg Sdrd	27 m	135° t...	1 minutes	103 km / 64.375 mi	2 hours, 22 minutes
•	Arrive at 14037 Centreville Creek Rd	235 m	130° t...	1 minutes	103 km / 64.375 mi	2 hours, 23 minutes
	Get on Castleberg Sdrd and drive northeast	121 m	310° t...	8 minutes	103 km / 64.375 mi	2 hours, 23 minutes
	Turn left onto Centreville Creek Rd	2.7 km	36° true	5 minutes	106 km / 66.25 mi	2 hours, 27 minutes
•	Arrive at 15092 Centreville Creek Rd	288 m	45° true	1 minutes	106 km / 66.25 mi	2 hours, 28 minutes
	Get on Centreville Creek Rd and drive northwest	2 m	225° t...	6 minutes	106 km / 66.25 mi	2 hours, 28 minutes
•	Arrive at 15607 Centreville Creek Rd	1.6 km	45° true	2 minutes	108 km / 67.5 mi	2 hours, 30 minutes
	Get on Centreville Creek Rd and drive northwest	1 m	225° t...	2 minutes	108 km / 67.5 mi	2 hours, 30 minutes
•	Arrive at 15909 Centreville Creek Rd	932 m	228° t...	1 minutes	109 km / 68.125 mi	2 hours, 31 minutes
	Get on Centreville Creek Rd and drive northwest	0 m	48° true	1 minutes	109 km / 68.125 mi	2 hours, 31 minutes
•	Arrive at 16108 Centreville Creek Rd	611 m	225° t...	2 minutes	109 km / 68.125 mi	2 hours, 32 minutes
	Get on Centreville Creek Rd and drive northwest	2 m	45° true	2 minutes	109 km / 68.125 mi	2 hours, 32 minutes
•	Arrive at 16562 Centreville Creek Rd	1.4 km	226° t...	2 minutes	111 km / 69.375 mi	2 hours, 33 minutes
	Get on Centreville Creek Rd and drive northwest	1 m	46° true	2 minutes	111 km / 69.375 mi	2 hours, 33 minutes
•	Arrive at 16681 Centreville Creek Rd	362 m	226° t...	1 minutes	111 km / 69.375 mi	2 hours, 34 minutes

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	Get on Centreville Creek Rd and drive northwest	2 m	46° true	1 minutes	111 km / 69.375 mi	2 hours, 34 minutes
	Turn right onto Patterson Sdrd	987 m	315° t...	2 minutes	112 km / 70.0 mi	2 hours, 35 minutes
•	Arrive at 7058 Patterson Sdrd	163 m	311° t...	1 minutes	112 km / 70.0 mi	2 hours, 35 minutes
	Get on Patterson Sdrd and drive northeast	0 m	131° t...	2 minutes	112 km / 70.0 mi	2 hours, 35 minutes
•	Arrive at 8174 Patterson Sdrd	3.1 km	129° t...	4 minutes	115 km / 71.875 mi	2 hours, 39 minutes
	Get on Patterson Sdrd and drive northeast	1 m	309° t...	4 minutes	115 km / 71.875 mi	2 hours, 39 minutes
	Turn left onto 50	2.2 km	41° true	3 minutes	118 km / 73.75 mi	2 hours, 42 minutes
•	Arrive at 17019 50	60 m	236° t...	1 minutes	118 km / 73.75 mi	2 hours, 43 minutes
	Turn right onto Buckstown Trl	1.7 km	314° t...	6 minutes	119 km / 74.375 mi	2 hours, 45 minutes
•	Arrive at Buckstown Trl	194 m	314° t...	1 minutes	119 km / 74.375 mi	2 hours, 46 minutes
	Get on Buckstown Trl and drive northeast	0 m	134° t...	4 minutes	119 km / 74.375 mi	2 hours, 46 minutes
•	Arrive at Buckstown Trl1	830 m	152° t...	2 minutes	120 km / 75.0 mi	2 hours, 47 minutes
	Get on Buckstown Trl and drive east	0 m	332° t...	2 minutes	120 km / 75.0 mi	2 hours, 47 minutes
•	Arrive at 17 Rowley Dr	1.2 km	310° t...	3 minutes	122 km / 76.25 mi	2 hours, 49 minutes
	Get on Rowley Dr and drive northeast	1 m	130° t...	3 minutes	122 km / 76.25 mi	2 hours, 49 minutes
	Turn left onto McGuire Trl	263 m	31° true	1 minutes	122 km / 76.25 mi	2 hours, 49 minutes
	Turn right onto Mt Pleasant Rd	1.2 km	345° t...	3 minutes	123 km / 76.875 mi	2 hours, 52 minutes
•	Arrive at 17219 Mt Pleasant Rd	1.2 km	225° t...	2 minutes	124 km / 77.5 mi	2 hours, 53 minutes
	Get on Mt Pleasant Rd and drive southeast	1 m	45° true	5 minutes	124 km / 77.5 mi	2 hours, 53 minutes
•	Arrive at 16435 Mt Pleasant Rd	2.3 km	225° t...	3 minutes	126 km / 78.75 mi	2 hours, 56 minutes
	Get on Mt Pleasant Rd and drive southeast	2 m	45° true	3 minutes	126 km / 78.75 mi	2 hours, 56 minutes

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	Directions	Distance	Heading	Time	Total Distance	Total Time
•	Arrive at 15957 Mt Pleasant Rd	1.5 km	225° t...	2 minutes	128 km / 80.0 mi	2 hours, 57 minutes
	Get on Mt Pleasant Rd and drive southeast	2 m	45° true	2 minutes	128 km / 80.0 mi	2 hours, 57 minutes
	Turn right onto Columbia Way	6.1 km	157° t...	7 minutes	134 km / 83.75 mi	3 hours, 4 minutes
•	Arrive at 10342 Columbia Way	98 m	128° t...	1 minutes	134 km / 83.75 mi	3 hours, 5 minutes
	Get on Columbia Way and drive southwest	5 m	308° t...	8 minutes	134 km / 83.75 mi	3 hours, 5 minutes
	Turn left onto 50	2.8 km	223° t...	4 minutes	137 km / 85.625 mi	3 hours, 8 minutes
	Arrive at Caruso Gourmet Pizza	2.5 km	36° true	5 minutes	139 km / 86.875 mi	3 hours, 12 minutes (approximately)

Waypoints and other information:

Start - Arrive at Tim Horton's, 9200 Weston Road (west side, just north of Rutherford) in your Miata with a full tank of gas, a working CB transceiver and your camera by 9:30 AM. Important things such as coffee, bio necessity, drivers meeting. First group off at 10:00 AM

Rest Stop - Caledon Hills Coffee Shop, 15980 Airport Road, Caledon East Village (905) 860-1500. Rest stop. Stretch, enjoy the weather, coffee etc. chat with other participants. About 25 minutes

Scenic Stop - The Cheltenham Badlands provide an interesting place to take pictures. A short stop will provide you with an opportunity to do so. However, there's not much room to park. Great care is required on the road because you will be pulling over on the blind side of a hill. You are discouraged from walking on the badlands because of environmental degradation. This stop is planned to be about 10 minutes.

Finish - Caruso Gourmet Pizza, 212 Queen St South, Bolton (905) 951-8888 <http://www.carusogourmetpizza.com/>
You will be hungry after all that driving. There are many by-the-slice gourmet pizzas, and excellent cupcakes! What diet?

Weather:

Sunny and Warm - at least this is what's ordered. There is no guarantee. If you don't like the weather, speak to Phil, or suck it up; this is Canada!

FOR EMERGENCY USE ONLY, my cell number is (647) 972-9259