

1. MCLEANS SEGMENT

14 km

- Access: (A1) Rossport, across Hwy 17 from East entrance, (A2) 1 km east of Hwy Maint. Garage, (A3) Sox Lake Road (unmarked Road .5 km east of Railway overpass near Lakeshore Rd.), (A4) Rainbow Park, Whitesand Campground.
- Highlights: Raised beaches, glacial erratics, Rossport Heights & Terrace Heights Lookouts, Rainbow Falls.
- Interesting and varied geography.
- Runs north of CP Rail mainline with good views of Lake Superior.
- Suitable for children accompanied by adults.

2. SCHREIBER CHANNEL SEGMENT

13 km

- Access: (A4) Rainbow Falls/Hwy 17 (south side of Hwy), (A5) Schreiber Beach (follow Isbester Dr. in Schreiber).
- Highlights: Selim & Winston Point Lookouts, Flint Island, stromatolites near Flint Island, “Hanging Lake” & Lookout, Twin Harbours.
- Suitable for children accompanied by adults.
- Several great Lookouts.

3. MOUNT GWYNNE SEGMENT

7 km

- Access: (A5) Schreiber Beach, (A6) South end of Winnipeg St. in Schreiber past Waste Plant, (A7) Worthington Bay Rd. (unmaintained road, 4x4 access, 4 km walk from parking lot).
- Highlights: Cook’s Cr. suspension Bridge, Picnic Table & Abyond Lookouts, Fourth Lake, Mt. Gwynne Lookout (260m/900ft above Lake Superior 360° views), Pictographs.

4. DEATH VALLEY SEGMENT

10 km

- Access: (A7) Worthington Bay Rd. (see above), (A8) Hydro Bay W Cottage Rd. (1st Rd on South side of Hwy 17 east of Landfill. Road is numbered #461). Parking is at the Power Transmission line, private property beyond the gates. **Do not block the road please.**
- Highlights: Pictographs, Seiche, Tombolo, Les Petits Ecrits, Wilderness Area.
- **CAUTION:** Most rugged section of Casque Isles Trail, high angle climbs, 1.5 kms of hiking on rocks on Lake Shore.
- Not recommended for children under 10 years old.
- The name, “Death Valley” refers to the ease with which Ojibway perched on the rim of surrounding hills to shoot moose and caribou below.

HYDRO BAY HIKE-AROUND

3 km

- Access: (A8) Hydro Bay W Cottage Rd, (A9) Hydro Bay Rd. S.
- Connecting Trail between Death Valley and Lyda Bay Segments.

5. LYDA BAY SEGMENT

6 km

- Access: (A9) Hydro Bay Rd. S., (A10) Terrace Bay Beach (follow signs to Waterfront/Beach/Hiking in Terrace Bay), (A11) Aguasabon Falls Parking lot.
- Highlights: Pukaskwa Pits, raised boulder beaches, Lyda Bay Lookout (65m/200ft above Lake Superior), hiking through the Terrace Bay Nature Reserve, Aguasabon Falls.
- Popular Segment used frequently by locals.
- Children under 10 should be accompanied by a adult.

GENERAL INTEREST

- Very photogenic, with shallow bays pleasant for wading.
- Tom McGrath Memorial Plaque at summit of Mt. Gwynne, recognizes the founder of the Casque Isles Section of the Voyageur Trail.
- Do not hike alone. Let people know the section of Trail that you are hiking. If you don’t know anyone in the area leave notes at your vehicle, or message us on Facebook.
- Cell phone coverage is sporadic on the Trail. Climbing a nearby hill should give you better coverage if needed.
- **For emergency call 1-888-310-1122 or 911.**
- Wear proper footwear and dress for the conditions.
- Firearms are prohibited.
- You may have to wade streams.
- There are unmaintained campsites on the Trail. Campsites are available at Rainbow Falls Prov. Park.
- **PLEASE PACK OUT WHAT YOU PACK IN!**
- A1 Access East Rossport turnoff to km 4 and south on A2 to Hwy 17. Requires shuttle ride back to Rossport.

SUGGESTED SHORT HIKES

- A4 Access Rainbow Falls Prov. Park—from the Falls to the West Park Boundary, or from Hwy 17 eastward to Selim Lookout.
- A5 Access Schreiber Beach eastward to the Picnic Table Lookout.
- A6 Access at Waste Plant in Schreiber to the Picnic Table Lookout.
- A9 Access Hydro Bay Rd. S. eastward to Lyda Bay Lookout.
- A10 Terrace Bay Beach or A11 Aguasabon Falls parking westward to Danny’s Cove.



The Casque Isles Trail is a signed and groomed recreational hiking trail that offers scenic vistas to the visitors who wish to share in Lake Superior’s majestic and rugged beauty in Ontario, Canada. Beginning in Rossport, passing through Schreiber and ending in Terrace Bay, the total length of the Trail is 53 km. For those who do not wish to attempt the entire trek, the Trail is divided into 5 Segments; each with it’s own Access point from Hwy 17 and each presenting it’s own unique wilderness experience. These Segments vary in length and difficulty so that both the advanced and the beginner hiker can enjoy the North Shore.



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If you enjoy hiking and wish to support its continued development, consider a membership in the Voyageur Trail Association.

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