



Great Lakes Water Walk

Ngaa-izhichigemi onji Nibi - We do this because of Water

Join Us

Sunday, September 24th, 2017

You are invited to join an Indigenous-led, ceremonial Water Walk to honour Nibi (Water)

A Day of Walking for the Water!

This is a friendly and positive ceremonial walk. We invite people from all faiths, genders, ages and nations to join!

When Do We Start?

Eastern Route:

Scarborough Bluffs | **7am** Morning water blessing

Western Route:

J.C. Saddington Park | **7am** Morning water blessing

Throughout the day you can also join us at designated locations (Please see our website for full details)

Closing Ceremony: Multi-faith water blessing, speeches and a round dance will occur at approximately **4pm** at **Marilyn Bell Park**.

To Volunteer: volunteer@greatlakeswaterwalk.ca

www.greatlakeswaterwalk.ca



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Event Protocols

- Walkers will be led by a woman carrying the water and a man carrying a water staff. Walkers must remain behind them at all times.
- Because the Water Walk is ceremonial in nature, walkers may carry organic tobacco to offer to the bodies of water as we walk by.
- In respect for Anishinaabe ceremonial traditions, we kindly request that women wear long skirts and men wear long pants. We welcome all genders and invite you to come as you identify.
- Please do not bring pets, skateboards or bicycles. However, if you require a service dog, you are welcome to bring it along to walk with you.

What To Bring

Healthy snacks and a refillable water bottle. Sturdy walking shoes, rain gear, and sun-block.

Be prepared for the weather, rain or shine!

