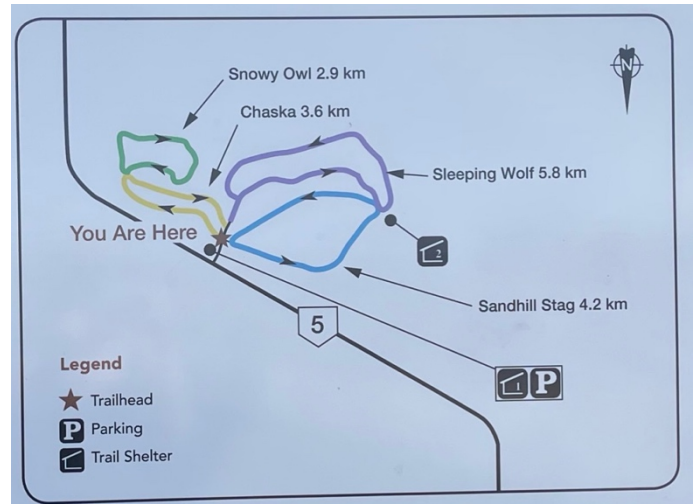


WESTMAN WILDERNESS CLUB Seton Trail Hike - Saturday, April 10

On a beautiful Saturday morning, eleven club members (Michele & Kelly, Jane & Norm, Cathy, Betty Anne & Darrell, Judy & Bert, Rick & Sue) and one dog (Agnes) met at the Seton Trailhead in Sprucewoods Provincial Park. Di was also planning to join us but unfortunately she was at a campout in her home, due to a power outage which prevented her from being able to get her car out of the garage!

Our original intent was to hike the Devil's Punch Bowl, but due to reports of overcrowding in the Sandhills, we chose to hike the path less trodden.



The trail is divided into 4 circuits totalling 16.5 k.

We started by completing the Sleeping Wolf, and then stopped for lunch and some delightful conversations about the Milky Way and foreskins (separate conversations- we'll let the reader guess who initiated each conversation).

After lunch, we decided to attempt the treacherous Chaska & Snowy Owl Trails, recommended only for the most experienced of hikers! We surveyed our group, assessed each participant, and decided we were up to the task.

Onward & upward (and downward) we forged, fearlessly facing what Chaska & Snowy Owl would throw at us! As it turned out, not too much in the way of a challenge. Whilst there were definitely steeper hills, the hardy hikers of the WWC were up to the task!

What was particularly enjoyable were the many crocuses on the trails. Jane & Norm arrived early and took early morning and then afternoon shots of the beautiful flowers after they had opened up.





We were blessed with unseasonably warm temperatures that reached a high of 18 in the hottest part of the day!

Thanks to all who participated in our event!

Rick & Sue

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