

2009 ROMwalks

FREE WALKS AT A GLANCE – NO RESERVATIONS NEEDED

Sun	May 3	2pm	Sacred Stones & Steeples
Wed	May 6	6pm	The Annex
Sun	May 10	2pm	Along the Front
Wed	May 13	6pm	Historic Toronto
Sun	May 17	2pm	The Danforth
Wed	May 20	6pm	Jarvis Street
Sun	May 24	2pm	The Grange Neighbourhood
Wed	May 27	6pm	Yorkville
Sun	May 31		Doors Open – no ROMwalks
Wed	Jun 3	6pm	Hidden Treasures
Sun	Jun 7	2pm	The Necropolis (F)
Wed	Jun 10	6pm	ROM and its Neighbours
Sun	Jun 14	2pm	The Annex
Wed	Jun 17	6pm	Sacred Stones & Steeples
Sun	Jun 21	2pm	Mt. Pleasant Cemetery – Part I (F)
Wed	Jun 24	6pm	The Danforth
Sun	Jun 28	2pm	Hidden Treasures
Wed	July 1	6pm	The Grange Neighbourhood
Sun	July 5	2pm	Yorkville
Wed	July 8	6pm	Jarvis Street
Sun	July 12	2pm	ROM and its Neighbours
Wed	July 15	6pm	Along the Front
Sun	July 19	2pm	Sacred Stones & Steeples
Wed	July 22	6pm	The Annex
Sun	July 26	2pm	The Danforth
Wed	July 29	6pm	Hidden Treasures
Sun	Aug 2	2pm	The Grange Neighbourhood
Wed	Aug 5	6pm	Yorkville
Sun	Aug 9	2pm	Mt. Pleasant Cemetery – Part I (F)
Wed	Aug 12	6pm	ROM and its Neighbours
Sun	Aug 16	2pm	Jarvis Street
Wed	Aug 19	6pm	Sacred Stones & Steeples
Sun	Aug 23	2pm	The Necropolis (F)
Wed	Aug 26	6pm	The Danforth
Sun	Aug 30	2pm	Rosedale – Part II – ROMwalk Plus
Wed	Sept 2	6pm	The Grange Neighbourhood
Sun	Sept 6	2pm	Hidden Treasures
Wed	Sept 9	6pm	Yorkville
Sun	Sept 13	2pm	The Annex
Wed	Sept 16	6pm	Jarvis Street
Sun	Sept 20	2pm	Historic Toronto (F)
Sun	Sept 27	2pm	Whiskey Wharf & Windmill ROMwalk Plus
Sun	Oct 4	2pm	ROM and its Neighbours

RAIN OR SHINE!



Celebrate Toronto's 175th Anniversary with a special, once only, free ROMwalk on Saturday, June 13th at 2:00 pm. Check the ROM website www.rom.on.ca for further details.

ROMwalk Plus

Two different walks will be offered in the 2009 walking season for a limited number of participants. The cost is \$10.00. Tickets must be reserved in advance. Call 416.586.5799 for information and to reserve tickets.

ROMwalk Plus walks this season are:

Rosedale – Part II

Sunday August 30, 2:00 pm

Rosedale – Part II will explore a different area of this early suburb intended for Toronto's wealthy and influential citizens. Rosedale – Part II will be offered once in 2009.

Whisky Wharf and Windmill

Sunday September 27, 2:00 pm

Whisky Wharf and Windmill is one of our most popular walks from past years. Join us for this walk through the historic Distillery District where we highlight its history in its buildings – along with earlier buildings in the area such as the Enoch Turner School House and the Little Trinity Church.

*Cancellation and refund policies in full effect.

Le Musée royal de l'Ontario offre à présent des balades guidées en français dans le cadre de son programme « ROMWalks ». Cette année vous pourrez en apprendre plus sur l'histoire de Toronto en suivant les balades intitulées « Historic Toronto », « Mount Pleasant » et « The Necropolis ». Pour savoir quand elles sont offertes en français, consultez notre dépliant et prenez note de celles qui sont suivies d'un F.

ROMwalk Committee Chair

Patricia Blackstock

Information: 416.586.8097 · info@rom.on.ca

For Transit info, please call the TTC 416.393.4636.

LOOK

FOR THE **BLUE** UMBRELLA!



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FREE WALKS

This year, 40 free walks of 12 neighbourhoods will be offered. See calendar inside for details and map. No advance notice needed. Meet at designated spot just before starting time. Look for the blue umbrella.

PRIVATE GROUP WALKS

Take your club, community group, out-of-town visitors or your family on a private group ROMwalk. These can be arranged specifically for your group at any time. Choose from our full roster of 21 walks. The cost is \$10.00 per person with a minimum of 10 people. Call 416.586.8097 for information.

RAIN OR SHINE!

Walks normally last between one and two hours.



The ROM is an agency of the Government of Ontario.

Bloor St. W. at Avenue Road
Toronto, Ontario
Museum subway stop

416.586.8000 www.rom.on.ca

ROYAL ONTARIO MUSEUM

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Come Walk with Us!



Organized by the volunteers of the Royal Ontario Museum.

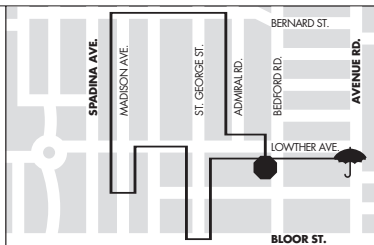
The Annex

meet at Lowther & Avenue Rd.

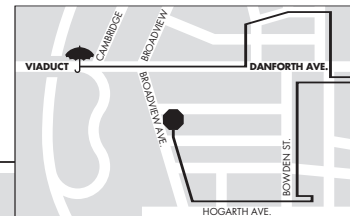
Wed May 6, Sun June 14,
Wed July 22, Sun Sept 13

HIGHLIGHTS: Medical Arts Building,
First Church of Christ Scientist, York
Club, plus two residential styles of
architecture unique to Toronto.

TTC ACCESS: Museum or St. George
(Bedford Rd. exit) Station



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The Danforth

meet at Danforth & Cambridge (North side
of Danforth, 1 block West of Broadview Station)

Sun May 17, Wed June 24,
Sun July 26, Wed Aug 26

HIGHLIGHTS: Prince Edward Viaduct, Danforth Music
Hall, Playter Farmhouse, Carrot Common, Early 20th
Century Churches, Owen Staples House, Riverdale Pk

TTC ACCESS: Broadview Station

ROM and its Neighbours

meet in front of the ROM – Crystal Entrance

Wed June 10, Sun July 12, Wed Aug 12, Sun Oct 4

HIGHLIGHTS: Royal Ontario Museum, Church of the Redeemer,
Royal Conservatory of Music, Taddle Creek, Flavell House,
Gardiner Museum

TTC ACCESS: Museum or St. George (Bedford Rd. exit) Station

Sacred Stones and Steeples

meet at northeast corner of Church & King Streets

Sun May 3, Wed June 17, Sun July 19, Wed Aug 19

HIGHLIGHTS: Sacred buildings from Christian & other faiths,
including St. James' Cathedral, Metropolitan United Church,
St. Michael's Cathedral, St. George's Greek Orthodox Church

TTC ACCESS: King Station

The Grange Neighbourhood

meet at Dundas and McCaul Streets

Sun May 24, Wed July 1, Sun Aug 2, Wed Sept 2

HIGHLIGHTS: Our Lady of Mt. Carmel, George Brown House, John
Cawthra House, Beverley Mansions, AGO, Italian Consulate,
St. George the Martyr, The Grange

TTC ACCESS: St. Patrick Station, exit west

Hidden Treasures: Sculpture in the City

meet on south side of King St. east of Church St.

Wed June 3, Sun June 28, Wed July 29, Sun Sept 6

HIGHLIGHTS: Sculptures traditional and modern, beautiful and
intriguing in the downtown area from the Sculpture Garden
opposite St. James' Cathedral to the Archer in City Hall Square

TTC ACCESS: King Station

Citadels of Wealth

meet at Yonge & Front Streets

Group walks only. \$10.00 per person.

HIGHLIGHTS: Hockey Hall of Fame, early skyscraper banks,
Canadian Bank of Commerce, the Big Five modern banks, BCE place

TTC ACCESS: Union or King Stations (Group Walks Only)

Entertainment District

meet at King & Simcoe Streets

Group walks only. \$10.00 per person.

HIGHLIGHTS: St. Andrew's Church, Roy Thomson Hall, Royal Alexandra Theatre,
Princess of Wales Theatre, Convention Centre, Rogers Centre, CN Tower

TTC ACCESS: St. Andrew Station (Group Walks Only)

Along The Front

meet at Front & Jarvis Streets

Sun May 10, Wed July 15

HIGHLIGHTS: St. Lawrence Market, Old Warehouses, Flatiron
Building, Berczy Park, BCE Place, Dominion Public Building,
Royal Bank Plaza, Royal York Hotel, Union Station

TTC ACCESS: King Streetcar to Jarvis

Yorkville: A Tollgate Village

meet in front of Yorkville Library (next to the Firehall)

Wed May 27, Sun July 5, Wed Aug 5, Wed Sept 9

HIGHLIGHTS: Library, Firehall, Heliconian Club,
19th century houses, Hazelton Lanes, Church of the Redeemer

TTC ACCESS: Bloor/Yonge Station

The Necropolis

meet at The Necropolis Chapel, 200 Winchester Street

Sun June 7, Sun Aug 23

HIGHLIGHTS: Graves of William Lyon Mackenzie, Peter Matthews
and Samuel Lount, Ned Hanlan, George Brown, Thornton
Blackburn, Joseph Bloore

TTC ACCESS: Carlton Streetcar to Parliament St.

Jarvis Street: Mansions & Churches of the Rich & Religious

meet at Bloor & Church Streets

Wed May 20, Wed July 8, Sun Aug 16, Wed Sept 16

HIGHLIGHTS: St. Paul's Church, Victorian houses incl. Massey House
Jarvis Collegiate, Allan Gardens, Jarvis St. Baptist Church

TTC ACCESS: Bloor/Yonge Station

Historic Toronto

meet at 260 Adelaide St. E. – Toronto's First Post Office

Wed May 13, Sun Sept 20

HIGHLIGHTS: Toronto's First Post Office, Bank of Upper Canada, St. Lawrence
Market, St. James' Cathedral, St. Lawrence Hall, Courthouse Square

TTC ACCESS: King Streetcar to Jarvis

Mt. Pleasant Cemetery – Part I

MAP NOT SHOWN

meet at Yonge Street Cemetery Entrance (north of St. Clair Ave.)

Sun June 21, Sun Aug 9

HIGHLIGHTS: St. Andrew's Society Monument, Massey Mausoleum,
Mt. Pleasant Mausoleum, Millionaires' Row, Empress of Ireland Monument

TTC ACCESS: St. Clair Station

Rosedale – Part II

ROMwalk Plus ONLY

Call 416.586.5799 for details and to reserve tickets for Sun Aug 30

If you previously enjoyed our Rosedale walk, you won't want to miss our NEW
ROMwalk Plus walk. Rosedale Part II will explore a different area of this early suburb
intended for Toronto's wealthy and influential citizens. Rosedale Part II will be
offered once in 2009 and will only be available to a limited number of participants.
The cost is \$10.00 per person. Tickets must be reserved and paid for in advance.

Whiskey, Wharf and Windmill

ROMwalk Plus ONLY

Call 416.586.5799 for details and to reserve tickets for Sun Sept 27

Whisky Wharf and Windmill is one of our most popular walks from past years.
Join us for this walk through the historic Distillery District and surrounding area
where we highlight Little Trinity Church, Enoch Turner Schoolhouse, Consumers'
Gas Building, Distillery District and more.

The cost is \$10.00 per person. Tickets must be reserved and paid for in advance.

Also available for Group Tours only:

Cabbagetown, Heart of Toronto, Mt. Pleasant – Part II, Parkdale,
Queen's Park Circle and Rosedale – Part I.

Start Finish —Route

All walks are FREE unless otherwise specified.
Walks normally last between one and two hours.

All Sunday Walks start at 2:00 pm.

All Wednesday Walks start at 6:00 pm. **RAIN or SHINE!**