

ROMwalks

WALKS AT A GLANCE - FREE WALKS NO RESERVATION NEEDED

Sun	May 1	2 pm	Annex
Wed	May 4	6 pm	Cabbagetown South
Sun	May 8	2 pm	Whiskey, Wharf & Windmill
Wed	May 11	6 pm	Rosedale I
Sun	May 15	2 pm	Grange
Wed	May 18	6 pm	Yorkville
Sun	May 22	2 pm	Queens Park
Wed	May 25	6 pm	St. James
Wed	Jun 1	6 pm	Arts & Entertainment
Sun	Jun 5	2 pm	Mt Pleasant I (P)
Wed	Jun 8	6 pm	Annex
Sun	Jun 12	2 pm	Rosedale I
Wed	Jun 15	6 pm	Whiskey, Wharf & Windmill
Sun	Jun 19	2 pm	Cabbagetown South
Wed	Jun 22	6 pm	Grange
Sun	Jun 26	2 pm	St. James
Wed	Jun 29	6 pm	Queens Park(F)
Sun	Jul 3	2 pm	Waterfront (P)
Wed	Jul 6	6 pm	Annex
Sun	Jul 10	2 pm	Arts & Entertainment
Wed	Jul 13	6 pm	Rosedale I
Sat	Jul 16	1 pm	Necropolis (M)
Sun	Jul 17	2 pm	Yorkville
Wed	Jul 20	6 pm	Cabbagetown South
Sun	Jul 24	2 pm	Grange
Wed	Jul 27	6 pm	St. James
Sun	Jul 31	2 pm	Kensington (P)
Wed	Aug 3	6 pm	Queens Park (F)
Sun	Aug 7	2 pm	Whiskey, Wharf & Windmill
Wed	Aug 10	6 pm	Arts & Entertainment
Sun	Aug 14	2 pm	Annex
Wed	Aug 17	6 pm	Yorkville
Sun	Aug 21	2 pm	St. James
Wed	Aug 24	6 pm	Grange
Sun	Aug 28	2 pm	Waterfront (P)
Wed	Aug 31	6 pm	Rosedale I
Sun	Sep 4	2 pm	Queens Park
Wed	Sep 7	6 pm	Whiskey, Wharf & Windmill
Sun	Sep 11	2 pm	Arts & Entertainment
Sun	Sep 18	2 pm	Mt Pleasant I (P)
Sun	Sep 25	2 pm	Cabbagetown South
Sun	Oct 2	2 pm	Yorkville
Sun	Oct 9	2 pm	Kensington (P)
Sat	Oct 15	1 pm	Jarvis (M)

(P) - ROMwalk Plus
(M) - Members Only Walk
(F) - The walk is also done in French

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2016 SEASON

ROMwalk Plus - Three different walks will be offered this 2016 walking season for a limited number of participants. The cost is \$10.00 per person. Tickets must be reserved in advance and can be booked online at www.rom.on.ca/romwalks or call 416-586.5799 for information and to reserve tickets.*

Kensington

Sunday July 31 and Sunday October 9 at 2:00 pm

Join us on our new walk as we wander through what was once the old Jewish Market, past late Victorian buildings that have undergone considerable change over the years, and onto the campus of the University of Toronto. Memories of times past mix with the modern life of condos, restaurants and music.

Mt Pleasant I

Sunday June 5 and Sunday September 18 at 2:00 pm

In one of Toronto's largest cemeteries, we will stroll through a beautiful landscape and enjoy the stories of people who were influential in the growth of Toronto during the Victorian era. We will explore symbols of that time on the monuments and mausoleums.

Waterfront

Sunday July 3 and Sunday Aug 28 at 2:00 pm

While strolling along Queens Quay, learn about the evolution of Toronto's waterfront from its industrial and commercial origins. This tour will explore history, art and architecture as well as the recent, transformative revitalization of this area of the City.

*Cancellation and refund policies in full effect

ROM Members' Only Walks

ROMwalks is continuing to offer 2 exclusive walks for ROM members only. Although free, registration is required. Register online at www.rom.on.ca/members/events or call 416.586.5700.

Necropolis

Saturday July 16 at 1:00 pm

Toronto's oldest non-denominational cemetery, the Necropolis is the final resting place of rebels and reformers as well as many of Toronto's early residents.

Jarvis Street

Saturday October 15 at 1:00 pm

Mansions and Churches of the Rich and Religious - Stroll down the broad avenue that was once the most fashionable address in Toronto. The street provides insight into an elegant past and energetic future, with architectural gems, new and old.

PRIVATE GROUP WALKS AVAILABLE!

Our Private Group Walks are available for all scheduled 2016 ROMwalks but you can also choose from the following list of our walks:

About the ROM	Hidden Treasures I & II
Along the Front	Entertainment District
Cabbagetown North	Mt. Pleasant II
Citadels of Wealth	Sacred Stones & Steeples
Danforth	Stories of Toronto
Heart of Toronto	Wychwood Park

Call 416.586.8097 for booking and more information.



FOR THE **PURPLE** UMBRELLA!

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FREE WALKS

This year, 36 free walks, of 9 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 purple umbrella.

PRIVATE GROUP WALKS

Take your club, community group, out-of-town visitors or your family on a private ROMwalk. These can be arranged specifically for your group at any time. Choose from our full roster of over 25 walks. The cost is \$10.00 per person with a minimum of 10 people.

Le Musée royal offre maintenant des balades guidées en français dans le cadre de son programme « ROMwalks ». Cette année, pour savoir quelles balades seront offertes en français, consultez notre dépliant et prenez note de celles qui sont suivies d'un F.

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Walks normally last under two hours.
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walk start / meeting place



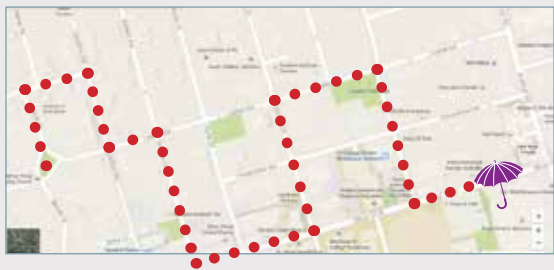
walk route

The Annex

Sun May 1, Wed Jun 8, Wed July 6, Sun Aug 14

An introduction to Toronto's first planned suburb for professional and upper middle class residents with unique Toronto architecture from the 1800s to the 21st century.

Starting Point: West corner of the ROM on Bloor, in front of window
TTC: St. George subway stop on Line 1 and Line 2, Bedford Road Exit



Queen's Park Circle

Sun May 22, Wed Jun 29 (F), Wed Aug 3 (F), Sun Sep 4

The provincial legislature, the mansions on Queen's Park Crescent, St. Michael's University, Victoria University. Learn their stories and their secrets, and see some new and interesting Toronto architecture.

Starting Point: In front of the legislative buildings (Look for the purple umbrella)
TTC Access: Queen's Park stop on Line 1 or the 506 College Streetcar

The Grange

Sun May 15, Wed Jun 22, Sun July 24, Wed Aug 24

Learn how the Grange developed from a colonial park property owned by Toronto's early elite to become a neighbourhood of immigrants, workers and professionals with social concerns. The walk includes buildings in a variety of architectural styles from the 19th century Georgian Grange to the 21st century dynamic postmodernism of OCAD and Frank Gehry's AGO.

Starting Point: Dundas & McCaul
TTC Access: St. Patrick Station on Line 1, West Exit

Arts & Entertainment

Wed. June 1, Sun July 10, Wed Aug 10, Sun Sept 11

Revisit the Entertainment District, rich in the early history of city expansion and immigration, now a vibrant area filled with theatres and upscale hotels. This walk will focus on the Arts and Entertainment of the past and present. It will include architecture as well as public art by Canadian artists.

Starting Point: Southwest corner of Queen and University.
TTC Access: Osgoode Station on Line 1



Yorkville

Wed May 18, Sun July 17, Wed Aug 17, Sun Oct 2

Yorkville, once a satellite Tollgate village, became part of Toronto but has managed to maintain some individual identity despite being totally engulfed by the city and its changing commercial life.

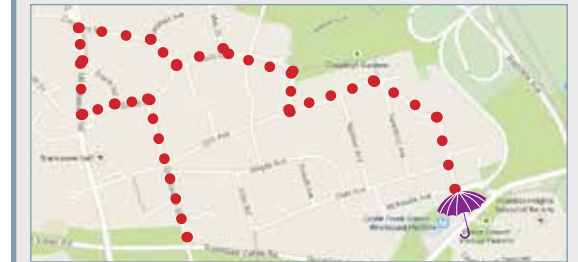
Starting Point: Yorkville Library (next to the Firehall)
TTC Access: Bloor/Yonge Station on Line 1 or Line 2

Rosedale I

Wed May 11, Sun Jun 12, Wed July 13, Wed Aug 31

Explore with us one of Toronto's oldest suburbs that is designated as Toronto's most desirable neighbourhood. It features winding tree-lined streets, architectural variety and historic homes.

Starting Point: northeast corner of Castle Frank and Bloor
TTC Access: Castle Frank station on Line 2



St. James Cemetery

Wed May 25, Sun Jun 26, Wed July 27, Sun Aug 21

Discover the oldest operating cemetery in Toronto including the chapel of St. James-the-Less, a national historic site, and the burial plots of the notable and notorious residents who had an impact on our city, province and country.

Starting Point: Cemetery entrance on east side of Parliament St., north of Wellesley St.
TTC Access: 94 or 65 Bus from Castle Frank subway stop on Line 2.

Cabbagetown South - Old and New

Wed May 4, Sun Jun 19, Wed July 20, Sun Sep 25

From the Irish of the 18th century to the global citizens of the 21st, Cabbagetown has been a home to immigrants. See the Victorian workers' cottages to Spruce Court Co-op and the high rises of the revitalized Regent Park.

Starting Point: northeast corner of Parliament & Spruce
TTC Access: 506 Carlton/College Streetcar; Parliament Street stop

Whiskey, Wharf and Windmill

Sun May 8, Wed Jun 15, Sun Aug 7, Wed Sep 7

Walking through the Distillery district discover the commercial, industrial and residential structures built on the borders of the historic town of York that have been adapted for over the last 2 centuries. We revised it for 2015 with several new stops.

Starting Point: St Paul's Basilica, southeast corner of Power and Queen Streets
TTC Access: 501 Queen streetcar, 504 King streetcar, or 502/503 Kingstons Road streetcar to the Queen Street East stop at Power

All walks are free unless otherwise specified. Walks normally last under two hours. All Sunday walks start at 2:00 pm. All Wednesday walks start at 6:00 pm

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