

ROMWalks Plus

\$10 per person. Sundays at 2 pm Advanced registration required at rom.ca/romwalks or 416 586 5797.

Parklawn Cemetery

Aug 11, Sep 8, Oct 13

Explore the 4th largest cemetery in the city. Founded in 1892, it includes graves of prominent local sports figures, reporters, politicians, and war heroes.

Riverside: Change Over Time

Jul 14, Aug 25, Sep 22

This neighbourhood fascinates with stories of architecture, art, athletics, marmalade, factories, meeting halls, railways, and more.

Private Group Walks

Perfect for groups or families! Available for all 2024 walk themes, plus those listed below. Cost: \$10/person. Minimum walk charge of \$100. Advance registration required.

About ROM Kensington
Cabbagetown South Necropolis
Citadels of Wealth Queen's Park

Heart of Toronto St. James Cemetery
Historic Danforth Whiskey Wharf & Windmill
Jarvis Willowdale & York Cemetery

Member Exclusive ROMWalks

Available on select days throughout the season. Member-exclusive walks include Waterfront, Wychwood, and Yorkville. Each walk is limited to small groups and registration is required. Check your Member emails for dates and registration details, or visit rom.ca/members/events for a full list of upcoming Member events.

2024 WALK SCHEDULE

(F) Also available in French.

(P) ROMWalks Plus, registration is required.

Sun May 5 Annex West Wed May 8 Rosedale 2 Sun May 12 King St. East

Wed May 15 Sacred Stones & Steeples

Sun May 19 Mount Pleasant 1 Wed May 22 Monuments, Queen's Park

Wed May 29 Riverdale Sun Jun 2 Grange

Wed Jun 5 Annex West Sun Jun 9 Cabbagetown North

Wed Jun 12 King St. East

Sun Jun 16 Sacred Stones & Steeples (F)

Wed Jun 19 Rosedale 2 Sun Jun 23 Mount Pleasant 1

Wed Jun 26 Riverdale

Sun Jun 30 Monuments, Queen's Park Wed Jul 3 Cabbagetown North **(F)**

Wed Jul 3 Cabbagetown N Sun Jul 7 Annex West

Wed Jul 10 Grange

Sun Jul 14 Riverside (P)

Wed Jul 17 Sacred Stones & Steeples

Sun Jul 21 King St. East

Wed Jul 24 Monuments, Queen's Park

Sun Jul 28 Rosedale 2

Wed Jul 31 Cabbagetown North

Sun Aug 4 Grange Wed Aug 7 Annex West

Sun Aug 11 Parklawn Cemetery (P)

Wed Aug 14 Sacred Stones & Steeples (F)

Sun Aug 18 Mount Pleasant 1
Wed Aug 21 King St. East

Wed Aug 21 King St. East Sun Aug 25 Riverside **(P)**

Wed Aug 28 Monuments, Queen's Park

Sun Sep 1 Riverdale Wed Sep 4 Grange

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Sep 8 Parklawn Cemetery (P)

Sun Sep 15 Rosedale 2 Sun Sep 22 Riverside **(P)**

Sun Sep 29 Cabbagetown North (F)

Sun Oct 6 Riverdale

Sun Oct 13 Parklawn Cemetery **(P)**Sun Oct 20 Mount Pleasant 1

About ROMWalks

- Free, Plus & Private Group walks for the public
- Exclusive walks for ROM Members
- Unless specified otherwise, walks are free with no registration required
- · Sundays 2 pm, Wednesdays 6 pm
- Walks are under 2 hours and happen rain or shine!
- Meet at the starting point and look for the ROM umbrella
- Organized by ROM's Department of Museum Volunteers to provide support for the Museum

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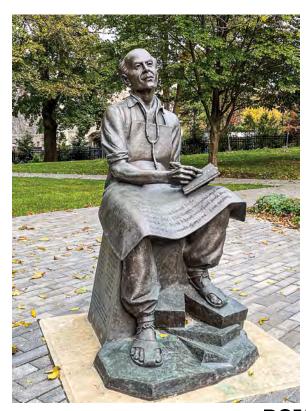
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Free Walking Tours 2024



Sundays and Wednesdays May to October







UPTOWN Mt Pleasant 1

In one of Toronto's largest cemeteries, stroll through the beautiful, treed landscape. Hear stories of influential people from Toronto's Victorian-era boom.

Start & End: 1649 Yonge St., Toronto/ Cemetery entrance on Yonge St. TTC: St. Clair subway station

EASTCabbagetown North

Explore history in this heritage community, full of incredible homes dating back to the 1850s, many preserved through restoration, renovation, and community pride.

Start: 539 Parliament St. / NE corner Parliament St. and Winchester St.

End: Parliament St. and Wellesley St.

TTC: Castle Frank subway station, Bus 65 to Winchester St. or eastbound 506 Carlton / College streetcar to Parliament St, walk one block north to Winchester St.

Riverdale

Riverdale's history includes Indigenous settlements, brickmakers, jailbreakers, medical facilities, a park, and even a Russian royal. Explore the area's evolution, reflecting the changing city.

Start: Across from 495 Broadview Ave., Toronto / West side Broadview Ave. at Withrow Ave.

End: Gerrard St. E. and De Grassi St.

TTC: 504B King and 505 Dundas streetcars

to Withrow Ave.

WEST

Annex West

Explore the Annex neighbourhood west of Spadina, including churches, schools – and even the occasional murder.

Start: 33 Walmer Rd., Toronto / Walmer Rd. and Lowther Ave.

End: Dupont St. and Walmer Rd. **TTC:** Spadina subway station

Grange

Learn the story of 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.

Start: 317 Dundas St. W. Toronto / SW corner McCaul St. and Dundas St. W.

End: Grange Park

TTC: St. Patrick subway station or

505 Dundas streetcar

DOWNTOWN

King Street East: Newspapers and Newsmakers

Along Toronto's first main street, explore the historical characters who shaped the city and the colourful stories of the newspapers headquartered there from the 1820s until now.

Start: 300 King St. E., Toronto/NW corner King St. E. and Berkeley St.

End: King St. E. and Victoria St.

TTC: 504 streetcar to Parliament and King St. stop, or 65 Parliament bus from Castle Frank subway station to King St. E.

DOWNTOWN

Monuments in Memory: Queen's Park

Enjoy a crash course in Canadian history from 1870 to today in the stories – some controversial – of public memorials on the grounds of Queen's Park.

Start: 48th Highlanders Memorial / Across from 78 Queen's Park

End: Canadian Volunteer Monument (Hart House Circle and Queen's Park Cres. W.)

TTC: Museum subway station

Rosedale 2

Explore the tree-lined streets of a prestigious enclave, the suburb of choice for Toronto's wealthy citizens in the early 1900s. Admire the impressive architecture spanning 150 years.

Start: 175 Bloor St. E., Toronto / SE corner

Bloor St. E. and Church St.

End: Chestnut Park Rd./Roxborough St. E.

at Yonge St.

TTC: Bloor/Yonge subway station

Sacred Stones & Steeples

See the magnificent 19th century sacred buildings, crafted by the finest architects, that reveal the importance of religion in the city.

Start: 106 King St. E., Toronto / NE corner King

St. E. and Church St.

End: Gould and Bond Streets

TTC: King subway station or the 504 streetcar

Les pROMenades - Gratuit

Deux balades sont proposées deux fois en français (total de quatre):

Cabbagetown Nord

Mercredi le 3 juillet et dimanche le 29 septembre

Cabbagetown Nord est un quartier historique où on retrouve plusieurs édifices incroyables – restaurés et rénovés – datant de la deuxième moitié du 19e siècle. La fierté des résidents est palpable.

Rendez-vous: 539 Parliament St., nord-est

des rues Parliament et Winchester.
Fin: rues Parliament et Wellesley

TTC: Bus 65 de la station Castle Frank, descendre à Winchester ou Tram 506 Carlton/ College direction est, descendre à Parliament et marcher (nord) jusqu'à Winchester.

Clochers et pierres sacrées

Dimanche le 16 juin et mercredi le 14 août

La religion a grandement façonné Toronto. On peut le voir à travers les magnifiques édifices sacrés du 19° siècle qui ont été conçus par les plus grands architectes.

Rendez-vous: 106 King St. E., nord-est des rues Church et King.

TTC: Métro King puis tram 504 (rue King)

Dans notre dépliant, les balades offertes en français sont suivies d'un **F**.

Transit information

416 393 4636 or visit ttc.ca