



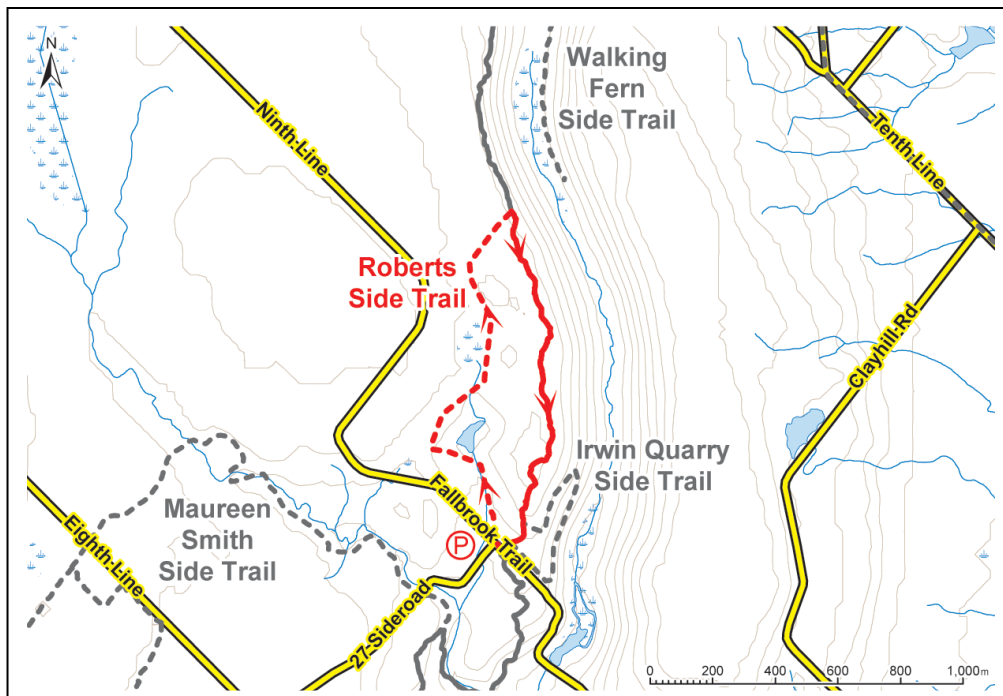
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## Silver Creek and the Roberts Side Trail

Hike Length: 2.9 km

Section: Toronto Bruce Trail Club



### How to get there and Where to Park:

When Highway 7 swings west towards Acton, continue north on Trafalgar Road for roughly 1 km to the 27th Sideroad. Turn right (east) and proceed to Fallbrook Road and the Silver Creek Education Centre. The BTA has permission from the school board to park at the Education Centre, providing it is not during normal school hours.

### Description of the Hike:

From the Education Centre, locate the Bruce Trail at the T-intersection of the 27th Sideroad and Fallbrook Road. From this trail head, follow the Roberts Side Trail (blue blazes) to the left. The side trail was named after Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts, who lived in the area and maintained this section of the Trail for many years.

Proceeding north, the side trail goes through woods, passes a pond, and begins to climb the Escarpment. An old lime kiln can be seen on the left. Continuing through mature woods, the Roberts Side Trail joins the main Trail (white blazes) at the edge of the Silver Creek Valley. Proceeding south on the main Bruce Trail, you will come across numerous cracks and crevices along the Trail. Tread carefully! At one point you will see a short ladder that descends the Escarpment, allowing you to explore the low cliff face and return through a crevice. Continuing south, the main Trail passes the entrance to the Irwin Side Trail and shortly returns to the Trail head at Fallbrook Road.