

## **Frequently Asked Questions**

Where are your trails located?

The trails run from Hwy

21 on the south; Owen Sound Bay on the east; Colpoy's Bay and Wiarton on the north and Lake Huron on the west. A complete interactive map layout may be found on Google

maps at: <a href="http://goo.gl/maps/FQtFP">http://goo.gl/maps/FQtFP</a>



<u>How long is the trail?</u> There are several optional rides you can take on the trail but choosing one circuit and riding the full loop will cover about 160 kilometres (about 100 miles) and take approximately 6 hours. (depending on riding ability and stop durations.)

What is the trail makeup? We have 3 bush trails; the Boat Lake trail from Jewell Bridge Rd. to Boat Lake Rd.; The Bruce Caves trail from Grey Rd. 1 to Gleason Lake Rd. and the Coles trail from Concession 24 to Dawson Rd. on Kemble mountain. All 3 have a mixture of terrain including rock, mud and water. The balance of the network is anchored by 2 rail trails and a mixture of closed, unassumed and open roads; some extremely scenic and almost bush trails ... some not so much.

<u>Where can I park?</u> The club has two parking lot / staging areas with direct access to the trail. They are both marked with the P icon on the above map. The south lot is in Sauble Beach at 230 Rankin Bridge Road and the north lot at the corner of Hwy 6 and Grey Rd. 17, just south of Wiarton.

<u>Is there fuel available on the trail?</u> Fuel may be purchased at Naves Service Centre at the corner of 6th St. and Sauble Falls Parkway in Sauble Beach, at Wiarton Petro Canada Frank St. and Hwy 6 in Wiarton or at the Shallow Lake Service Centre, just north of the rail trail on 2nd St. in Shallow Lake.

<u>Do I require a trail pass?</u> Yes. We honour the ATV Provincial Trail Pass (Eastern Ontario Trails Alliance or OFATV). Otherwise a day permit is required. They are available in Sauble Beach at: ATV depot, Centennial Motel, Sauble Service Centre, Sauble Info Centre, Naves Service Centre, Fretz's Valumart; in Wiarton at Angels Garage, Wiarton Info Centre, Top Notch Inn; or at Thomboys in Springmount; Tigwell Sports in Alvanley; UPI in Hepworth and at the Shallow Lake Service Centre. Trail maps are available at all outlets and are included with your pass. Daily passes are \$20.00 including HST.

Are Two Ups and Side by Sides allowed on the trail? No. Part of a fuller definition an ATV "is factory designed to carry a driver only and no passengers" thereby not allowed on trail or roadway.

<u>Where can I stay?</u> As a premier Ontario resort area, Sauble Beach has a vast selection of accommodation from motel room to cabin / cottage, bed and breakfast or executive housing in short and long term periods. See <a href="www.saublebeach.com">www.saublebeach.com</a> and click the "where to stay" section for many options. Centennial Motel has passes on site at 10 Sauble Falls Parkway (519) 422-1531 or <a href="www.centennialmotel.com">www.centennialmotel.com</a> Its accessible by ATV via 1st St. to 2nd Avenue which is on the trail. In Wiarton, trail passes are also available on site at Top Notch Inn, (519) 534-1310 or <a href="http://highwayresorts.com/tn">http://highwayresorts.com/tn</a> accessible by ATV from their back yard to the Wiarton rail trail.

<u>Are there campgrounds on the trail?</u> Again check out <u>www.saublebeach.com</u> "where to stay ... camping" for a great selection. Winding River Campground 94 Fedy Dr. (519) 422-1509 or <u>www.windingrivercampground.com</u> offers short stay and a natural surrounding for tenting and offers trailer rental. On the trail from Jewell Bridge Rd. Carson's camp is "on the trail" via 2nd avenue for longer stays with trailer or RV. (519) 422-1509 or www.carsonscamp.on.ca

<u>When is the trail open?</u> We share many of the trail sections with the regional snowmobile clubs but they often take different routes, so signage needs to be changed each spring and fall to become appropriate for each set of users. We typically close the trails for ATV use in mid-November and open in mid-April. Members are notified the exact dates by email, guests should check our website for the appropriate dates.

<u>Are there other clubs offering trail riding in the region?</u> Yes. See <u>www.huronshoresatvclub.org</u> or <u>www.dgatv.ca</u> (Dufferin Grey ATV club) for additional exceptional riding in Grey / Bruce counties.

How can I get involved with the club? We are always looking for volunteers to assist with the running of the club. We meet on the second Tuesday of each month; 7:30 p.m. at the Sauble Beach Community Centre. Everyone is welcome to attend. You can e-mail us at <a href="mailto:info@sbpatvclub.ca">info@sbpatvclub.ca</a> or follow us on Facebook.

<u>Is there anything else I need to know?</u> ATV riding in Ontario is under the control of the Off Road Vehicles Act. It controls required equipment, speed limits, where you can ride, who can ride and many other regulations. Learn it, know it and follow it. Find it at: www.ontario.ca/atv