



CURIOSITIES & COASTLINES

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Before You Go



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A longer trip, but so worth it! The perfect overnight getaway, with so many cute hidden gems and funky photo ops!

-GUESS WHERE TRIPPER

How does a surprise road trip work?



Pick a Date

We recommend doing the trip within **6 months** of receiving this road trip. Pay close attention to the 'When To Go' within the 'Navigating the Road' section of this booklet.



Get Ready

The only requirement is having a vehicle, GPS and a driver. The trip is completely **self-guided**, so nothing needs to be booked in advance.



Check Updates

Before leaving, please check **travel updates** on our website. This will provide you with any major changes to the itinerary.



Pack Your Bag

Please refer to the '**What to Pack**' list in this booklet for items we recommend bringing with you.

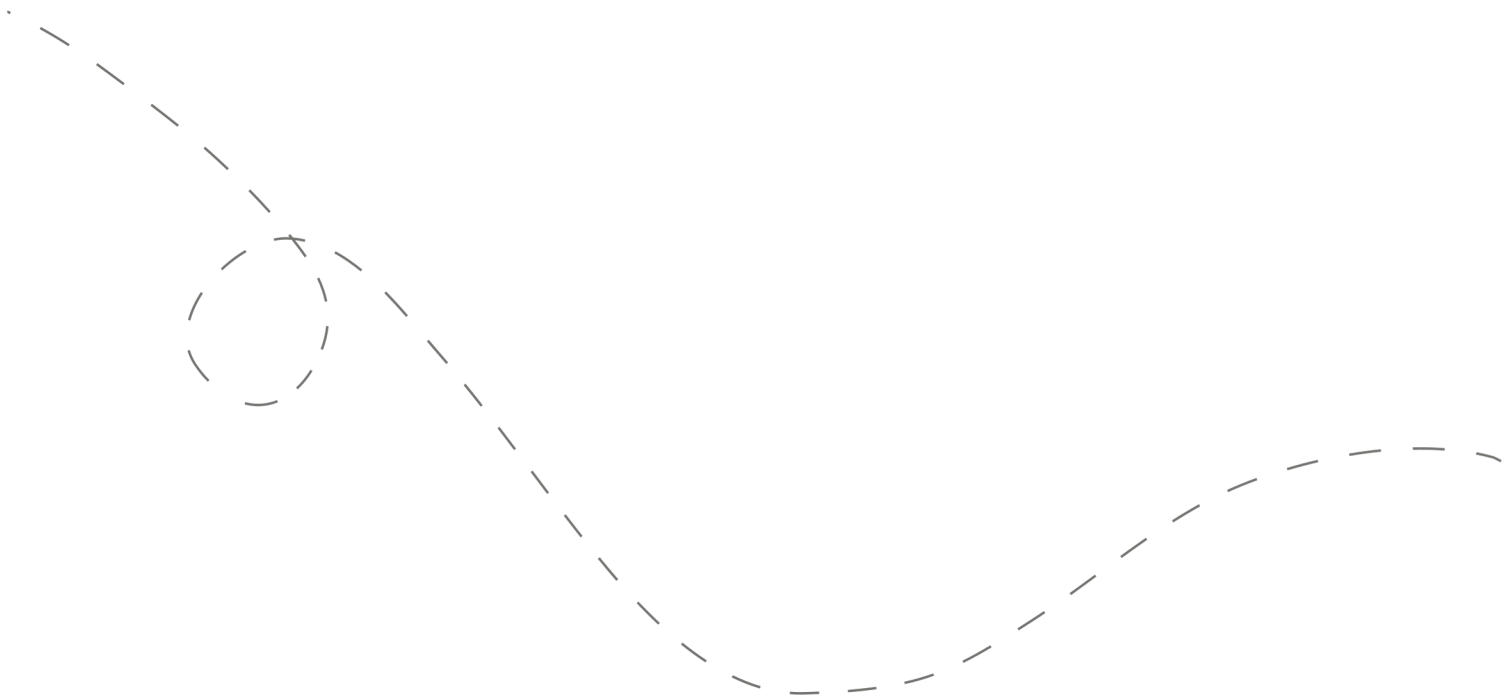


Hit the Road!

Don't open the first envelope until you're ready to leave. Once you're finished at the first stop, you can open the second envelope. Four stops are included within your road trip.

Your day ahead! Without giving away too many details.

We often include a variety of recommendations at each stop. You do not have to go to all of them; pick and choose what works best for you and your travel mates. If you can't get through all of the stops during the day - come back and explore them at a later date!



DETAILED ITINERARY



Time to Depart!

We recommend departing between **8:30 - 9:00 am if you're coming from the Collingwood or Goderich areas**. For recommended departure times from alternative cities, please see page 7.



A Beautifully Eerie Start

Recommended duration: 45 minutes - 1 hour
Drive time to second stop: 10 minutes

**Two on-the-way cafe options are recommended at this stop*



Stroll, Snap, & Snack

Recommended duration: 30 - 45 minutes
Drive time to third stop: 14 minutes

**One cafe option is recommended at this stop*



Small Town Charm

Recommended duration: 1 hour
Drive time to fourth stop: 20-30 minutes

**Multiple food options are recommended at this stop*



Choose Your Direction

Recommended duration: 1.5 - 2 hours

**Multiple food options are recommended at this stop*

Navigating the Road



When to Go

- ✓ This trip is **best done between Wednesday-Saturday from spring to fall**. We do not recommend travelling between Sunday-Tuesday or in the winter months.
- ✓ The end areas for this trip are popular summer destinations. Parking may be more difficult and expect additional traffic.



Stay Overnight

Head to the following link for a list of recommended accommodations close to the last stop.

[guesswheretrips.com/pages/hotels](https://www.guesswheretrips.com/pages/hotels)

**The link above will only reveal the general area where your trip will end.*



Itinerary Changes

Descriptions, dates and hours may have changed since publishing the itinerary. Find out if changes have been made to your trip by heading to:

[guesswheretrips.com/updates](https://www.guesswheretrips.com/updates)

Tip: scan below for the most updated trip!



Get the Digital Version

Every road trip package includes a QR code that you can scan to get the full digital version of the trip. This is a great option if you are traveling with a group of people in multiple cars!





What to Pack:

- ☐ A vehicle with a full tank of gas
- ☐ Weather-appropriate clothing
- ☐ Some form of GPS device (ie. Google Maps)
- ☐ Wallet (cash/coins for parking)
- ☐ **Book to donate on stop #3!**
- ☐ Fully charged cell phone
- ☐ Water & road trip snacks
- ☐ Comfortable walking shoes
- ☐ Your Guess Where Trips package
- ☐ Don't forget road trip music! Head to GWT's road trip playlist on Spotify here:



Questions?

If you have any questions before your trip, please check the FAQs on our website. If you can't find the answer to your question, please send us an email at questions@guesswheretrips.com.

Please note: We are out of the office over the weekend.



Land Acknowledgement

We acknowledge that the land you will be travelling on is the traditional territory of the Anishinabek Nation: the People of the Three Fires known as the Ojibwe, Odawa and Pottawatomie Nations. We give thanks to the Saugeen First Nation, and the Chippewas of Nawash Unceded First Nation, known collectively as the Saugeen Ojibway Nation, as the traditional keepers of this land.

Guess Where Trips believes land acknowledgments are an important way of recognizing and expressing gratitude to the First Nations, Inuit or Métis land that was stolen from them. Please respect this land.

Frequently Asked Questions

How much will the stops cost?

First Stop: No fee.

Second Stop: No fee.

Third Stop: No fee.

Fourth Stop: No fee.

**Please note: gas, tolls, and food are not included and may be additional costs.*

When should we leave?

Collingwood or Goderich areas:

- Depart between 8:30 - 9:00 am

Guelph or K/W areas:

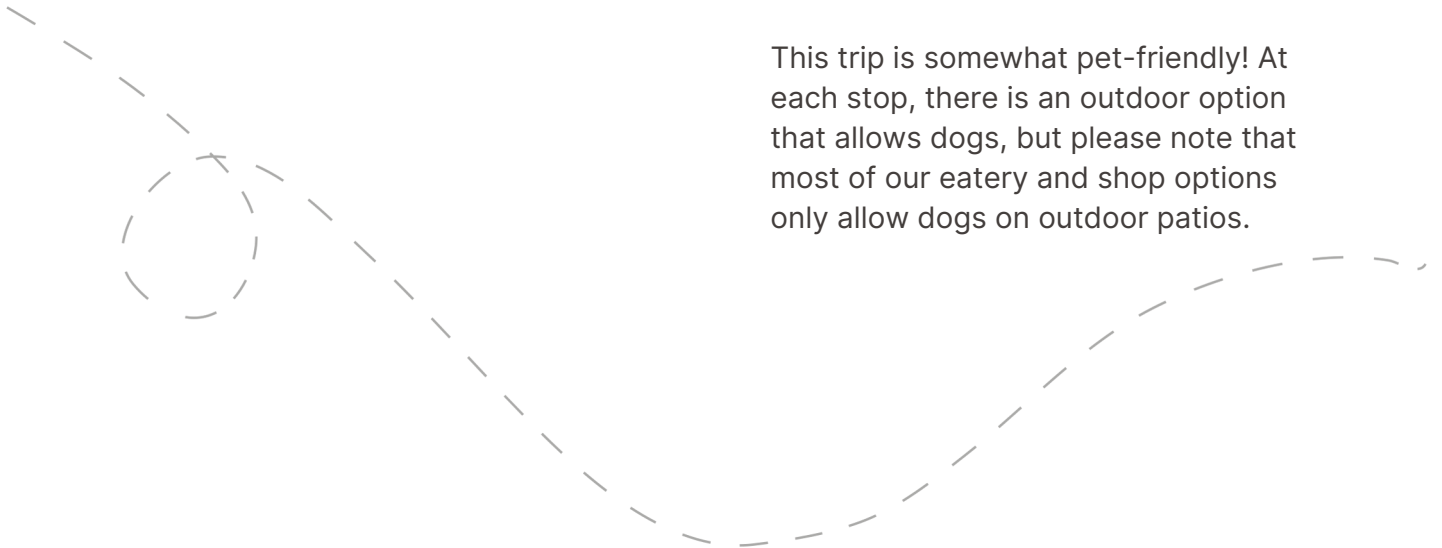
- Depart between 7:30 - 8:00 am

GTA, London, Barrie, or Toronto areas:

- Makes a great overnight trip!
- Depart between 7:30 - 9:00 am depending on if you'll be tackling the stops over 1 day or over 2 days.

Can I bring my dog?

This trip is somewhat pet-friendly! At each stop, there is an outdoor option that allows dogs, but please note that most of our eatery and shop options only allow dogs on outdoor patios.



How long will the total trip take?

See the approximate **round-trip driving distances/times** below. These are driving distances only and do not factor in time spent at stops.

From **Goderich**:

2 hours and 50 minutes / 214 km

From **Collingwood**:

3 hours and 55 minutes / 266 km

From **Guelph***:

4 hours and 30 minutes / 316 km

From **Kitchener/Waterloo***:

4 hours and 40 minutes / 340 km

From **Barrie***:

5 hours and 15 minutes / 370 km

From **London***:

5 hours and 15 minutes / 382 km

From **Toronto***:

6 hours and 20 minutes / 475 km

**We recommend booking an overnight hotel if the driving distance is greater than 4 hours round-trip.*

How many people can I bring with me?

We recommended **bringing up to 5 people** on your surprise road trip.

If you're bringing a larger group, we highly recommend having one person in charge of booking reservations at restaurants and attractions in advance. Please see the QR code on the previous page for a copy of the digital itinerary.

Is this wheelchair or stroller accessible?

First Stop: Our featured option is not accessible. We provide two accessible on-the-way cafes.

Second Stop: There are multiple accessible options on this stop.

Third Stop: There are multiple accessible options on this stop.

Fourth Stop: There are multiple accessible options on this stop.

Risk

Get out on the road and have fun, but please be careful. Obey all road signs, never drink and drive, and use caution and common sense at all times. The risk of injury can be significant, including the potential for permanent disability and death. While particular precautions and personal discipline will minimize this risk, the risk of personal and emotional injury, illness, physical disability, or death does exist. Guess Where Trips Inc., its owners, officers, publishers, and agents assume NO liability for your actions or activities as a result of recommendations within this guide. You agree and acknowledge that you will do some, or all, of the recommendations suggested in this book with full and complete knowledge of the risk and dangers involved, and you agree to accept and assume any and all risks of any nature whatsoever.

More information is available on our website at www.guesswheretrips.com.

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