

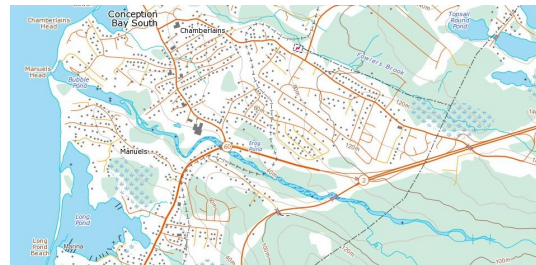
Rules

There are a few simple rules associated with geocaching that you must remember:

- A. Keep it a secret. Never reveal the actual location to others when you have found a hidden cache, this will spoil the fun of others who are trying to find it!
- B. Leave the cache as you found it in the same hiding place and make sure the lid is on tight.
- C. Sign the log book inside the geocache if there is one. You may have to bring your own pen or pencil in case there isn't one inside the cache. You can also log your find online at www.geocaching.com
- D. Replace any items you decide to take from the geocache with another item of equal or greater value.
- E. "Pack it in, Pack it out". Or in this case, "Cache in Trash Out". If you go geocaching, pick up any litter you may come across and don't leave any litter behind.
- F. Be safe! Don't attempt to go geocaching in an area that is too difficult for you to get to. Be careful to not fall or injure yourself if you do find a cache that is positioned in a dangerous location. Always watch the weather and make sure you wear appropriate clothing and footwear depending on where you are going. Make sure to bring water and food if your geocache will take you all day to find.

Don't have your own GPS? Rent one from us!

We have several Garmin etrex 10 GPS devices available to rent. The cost is \$5/hour. You pay for the first hour upfront. Every additional hour is paid upon return of the GPS device to the centre (rounded to the nearest half hour after the first hour). You will be required to leave a photocopy of your id.



Topographic map of Manuels River (Source: Atlas of Canada, Toporama, Natural Resources of Canada).



Geocaching along the Manuels River Trail

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Manuels River Geocaches

What is geocaching?

Find stashed treasure with the use of a handheld GPS device. There are many hidden treasure sites known as "geocaches" (pronounced "gee-oh-cashes") or just "caches" for short along Manuels River. You can find them by entering the coordinates into your GPS device.

What is a GPS device?

GPS stands for Global Positioning System. A GPS is a small device that communicates with satellites to find your position on Earth in the form of coordinates. These coordinates can be entered in and displayed on a map on the GPS screen. On the map you can see where you and the cache are located.

How do you geocache?

When you know the coordinates of a cache you will be able to enter them into your GPS and see on a map where the cache is hidden.

Now the treasure hunt starts! The GPS will tell you when you are located near the cache, but you will have to use your eyes to find it. The cache may be hidden under a tree, hanging from a branch, behind a rock, or it could be in the open for all to see depending on the difficulty of the treasure hunt. Often you will get extra clues with your coordinates telling you where to look when you arrive at the location.

Using the Garmin etrex 10

- Hold down the *light* button to turn on. It will take a minute or two for the satellites to find your location.
- Scroll to *Where to?* and select *Waypoints*.
- Under *Waypoints* you will find the Manuels River geocaches. Select the one you want to find and start hunting!

	Geocache Name	ID Code	North Coordinate	West Coordinate	Notes
Downstream	Seagull	GC3P55B	N 47° 31.947'	W 052° 57.470'	On headland, shoulder height in evergreen, red bullet-shaped cylinder
	Worsley View	GC3P54Z	N 47° 32.029'	W 052° 57.418'	On bluff, low in evergreen, small nano brass ID container
	The Estuary	GC3P54C	N 47° 31.764	W 052° 57.218'	Green micro, past Martha's Place stairs, evergreen, eye level
	Headed to Martha's Place	GC5A170 <i>(New!)</i>	N 47° 31.666'	W 052° 57.133'	Green Plastic Container, up a slope, under rock
	Kelly's Treasure #2	GC2YE5Z	N 47° 31.566'	W 052° 57.060'	Small lock n' lock w/black tape, short scramble up grassy slope/bank, behind rock, near Ivimey Place
	River Bank Cache	GC2YE69	N 47° 31.462'	W 052° 57.036'	Lock n' lock w/black tape, short scramble up wooded slope, base of tree
	Blue Jay Bridge	GC2YE6Q	N 47° 31.393'	W 052° 56.943'	Peanut Butter jar wrapped in black, in fallen tree
	Eagle? Kingfisher Bridge	GC2Y060	N 47° 31.296'	W 052° 56.948'	Small camo lock n' lock, Kingfisher Bridge, rocks
	Octagon Bat Cave	GC4FHJ0F	N 47° 31.250'	W 052° 56.762'	Plastic container w/camo tape, rocks
Upstream	IOL Be Back!	GC4XBND	N 47° 31.158'	W 052° 56.651'	Green Plastic Container with snap-lock lid, OpenCaching.com sticker on top. Dig Deep
	Railbed Nano	GC2Y053	N 47° 31.068'	W 052° 56.703'	Nano container, hanging low in birch along T'railway
	All Spruced Up	GC3P53Z	N 47° 31.044'	W 052° 56.451'	Green micro, waist high, just up track
	The Flow	GC5A028 <i>(New!)</i>	N 47° 30.924'	W 052° 56.526'	Micro, hanging in tree in woods by river. Head to platform and turn right
	Rock Around the Rock	GC2Y04Q	N 47° 30.858'	W 052° 56.440'	Plastic Jar, camo tape, hanging
	Canyon Cache	GCZ37T	N 47° 30.748'	W 052° 56.327'	Clear lock n' lock, in roots of large downed tree
	Blue Flag Iris	GC14KHX	N 47° 30.646'	W 052° 56.272'	Black sample container, hanging in evergreen
	Walk the Line	GC3P53M	N 47° 30.659'	W 052° 56.424'	Small black container, along powerline, low in clumps of fir