

MORE INFORMATION

PARKING - Weekends and Holiday Mondays: May to Oct. 29.

Located at Christie Lake Conservation Area

1000 Highway 5 West, Dundas L9H 5E2

Weekday Parking and the remainder of the year - Parking lot access is from Harvest Road, Dundas.

Spencer Gorge Conservation Area
Harvest Road, (Main Parking Lot),
Dundas, ON Phone: 905-628-3060



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In case of emergency call 911

A Healthy Watershed for Everyone



Beware of falling rocks.



Poison ivy is present in area.



Keep dogs on a leash.



Ticks are present in area.



No littering.



Stay well back from cliff
and escarpment edges.



No cycling in this area.



Stay on the marked trails.



Do not climb any fencing.

For the latest event listings, outdoor guides and more, visit our website
at: www.conservationhamilton.ca



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SPENCER GORGE

Tew and Webster Falls



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Link to Dundas Peak and the Bruce Trail



HIKING

Enjoy the Spencer Gorge from the Spencer Adventure Trail, which connects from Christie Lake all the way to the Dundas Peak. This trail allows access to the Dundas Peak, which provides stunning views of Dundas and Hamilton. Visitors should keep to marked trails at all times, not only for their own safety, but for the safety of the many rare and sensitive plants and small animals that could be easily damaged or hurt if you leave the trails.

LOOKOUTS

There are several scenic lookouts, placed to give visitors the best views of the waterfalls and scenic vistas of this beautiful natural area.

WATERFALLS

WEBSTER FALLS - Created from the main branch of the Spencer Creek as it flows into the Gorge. Classed a classical waterfall, the crest is 30 meters (79 feet), and is the largest in the region.

Tew Falls - Logie's Creek tumbles 41 meters (134.5 feet) over the escarpment to form Tew Falls, just a few metres less in height than Niagara Falls. There are two viewing platforms to allow visitors a spectacular view of the falls and the gorge below.

PICNICKING No barbeques or radios permitted.

LEGEND

- Shuttle Stop
NOTE: No pickup at Dundas Peak
- WEEKDAY Parking Only
- Washrooms
- Lookout
- Wheelchair Accessible Lookout
- Trails
- Pavilion
- Interpretive Sign
- Property Boundary
- Watercourse

SAFETY

There is no access to the bottom of the gorge. The gorge is full of rare and sensitive plants and trees, some hundreds of years old. With no designated trail system at this time it is important to protect and preserve this area. HCA will be working with the City of Hamilton to link trail access to the gorge in the future.

The slopes and edges of the escarpment can be unstable and pose a fall hazard. If a user falls in an escarpment area, the only way to assist them out of the area is through a rope rescue by the Hamilton Fire Department, who are trained to carry out these rescues safely.

We ask that all visitors obey all safety signage and do not climb or otherwise bypass fencing, for their own safety and the environmental health of the area.

SHUTTLE

Shuttle service operates **Weekends & Holiday Mondays from May to Oct. 29**. All HCA parking lots will be closed during these times.

Parking will be located at:

Christie Lake Conservation Area, 1000 Highway 5 West, Dundas L9H 5E2

Visit: www.conservationhamilton/shuttle for more information.