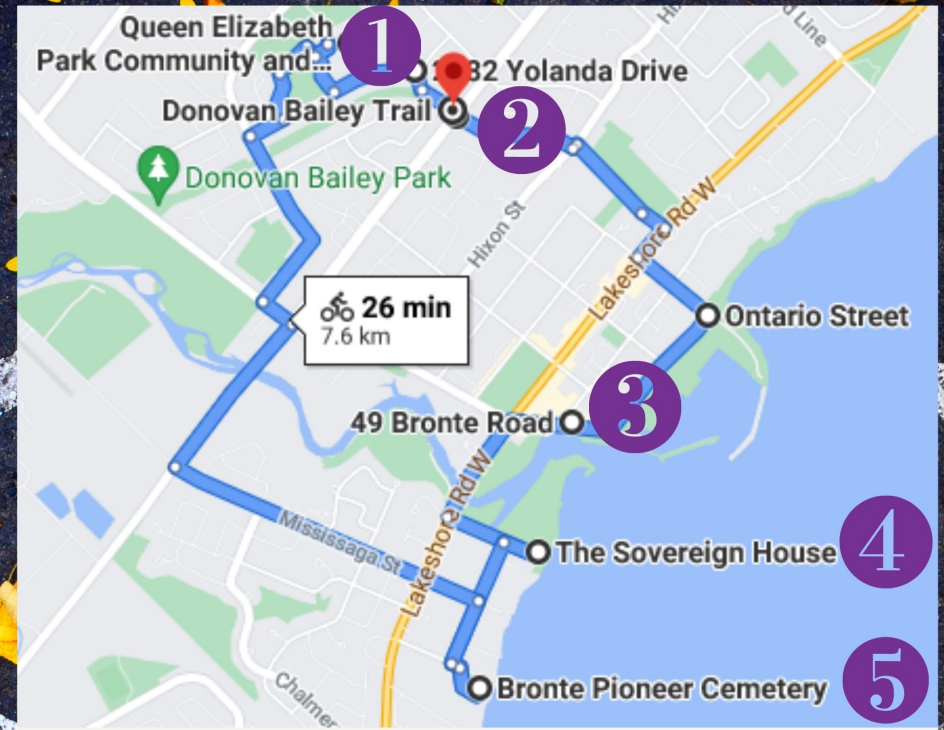
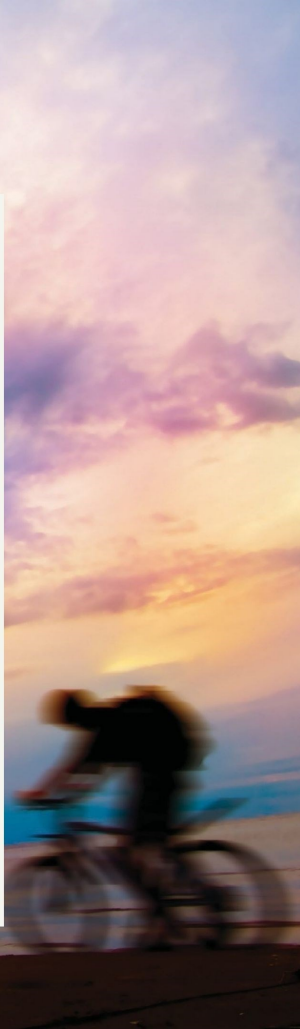




OAKVILLE'S

BLACK HISTORY BIKE TOUR!

BRONTE ROUTE



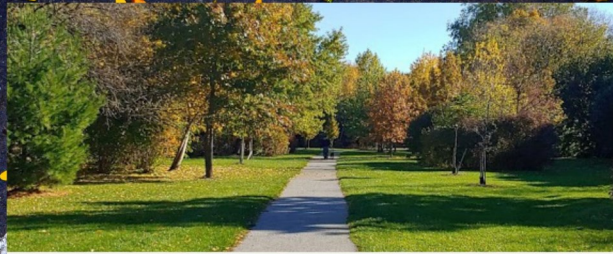
Follow the map and learn about Oakville's Black history



1

**QEPCCC IS HOME TO CCAH
2302 BRIDGE RD**

The Canadian Caribbean Association of Halton was established in 1977 as a non-profit organization that has since gained charitable status. We promote awareness that unity in diversity, full and active participation, unbiased inclusion, and the capacity to value differences equally are essential to the social, cultural, and economic growth of Halton Region.



2

DONOVAN BAILEY TRAIL

Donovan Bailey graduated from Queen Elizabeth Park High School here in Oakville, where he ran his first 100-metre dash in 10.65 seconds at the age of 16. Fast forward to 1996 where Donovan won the Gold Medal for Canada in the men's 100-metre dash and set the world record at 9.84 seconds in the Atlanta Olympic Games. He then won his second Gold Medal when he led Team Canada to first place in the men's 4x100 relay.



3

**STONEBOATS
49 BRONTE ROAD**

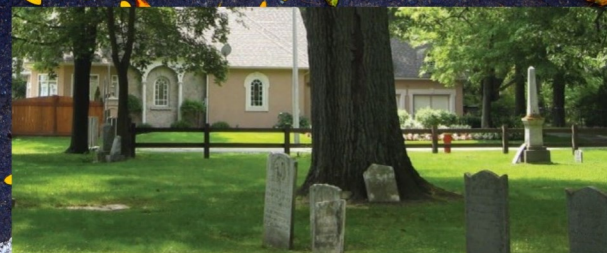
This building, now a popular restaurant under a different name, is a reminder of the stonehooking days in Bronte. Stones hooked up from the lake bed were used for basements of houses during the late 19th century. This building is constructed with lake stone and exhibits the use of stone (Dundas shale) for its upper walls.



4

**SOVEREIGN HOUSE
7 WEST RIVER STREET**

The Sovereign House is operated as a heritage display centre for local history and showcases artifacts related to the 1800s and Bronte Harbour. Learn about "stonehooking"; a unique local industry pioneered by the African American residents of Bronte. Get a local perspective of Bronte history.



5

**BRONTE PIONEER CEMETERY
WEST STREET
SOUTH OF LAKESHORE RD WEST**

Bronte Cemetery is one of the oldest cemeteries in Oakville and the final resting place of some of Bronte's first African American settlers. Philip Sovereign, one of the earliest Oakville settlers, deeded the east corner of his farm for a cemetery, specifying it be for people of "all orders, sects, nations and parties."