

PRINCE EDWARD COUNTY TRAIL & VINEYARD TOUR

Route Description:

An abundance of fantastic local wineries paired with the rural countryside and sandy beaches makes Prince Edward County a great spot for an excursion on two wheels. Cycle along the scenic and quiet but well maintained Millennium trail west out of Picton into the small lakeshore town of Wellington. As you keep pedalling along the trail north you will slowly make your way into wine country. Slow down and enjoy a stop at one of the many wineries that line the route. Enjoy the smell of fresh lavender cycling by Prince Edward County Lavender before looping back. Cool down post ride with a swim in Lake Ontario at the beach in Wellington or follow the Millennium Trail back towards Picton. For a shorter ride-experience, consider starting your ride in Wellington and take some extra time on the loop through vineyards.

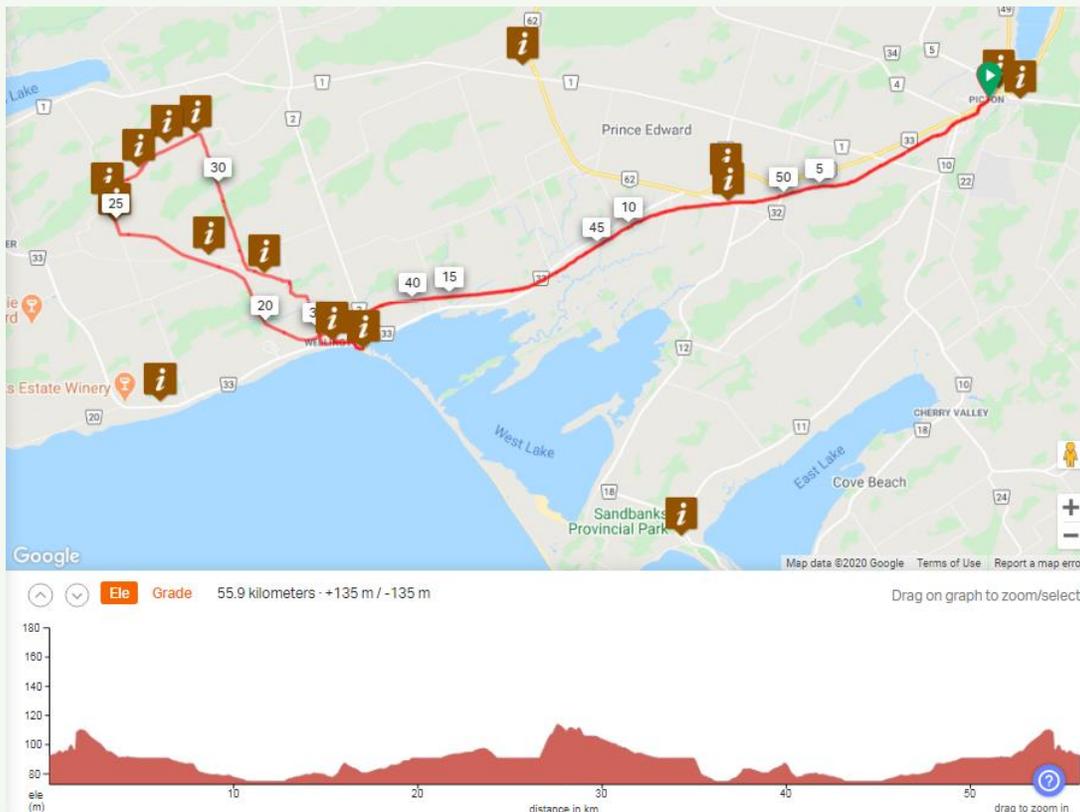
Total Distance: Short tour, 18km; Full tour, 56km

Experience Level: Beginner/Easy or Intermediate/Moderate.

Route Surface: The ride features mainly off-road trails with loose gravel surfaces and some small stretches on paved roads.

Staging Area / Parking: Municipal parking lots, 55 King St or on Mary St, Picton. Wellington Beach, Beach St, Wellington. Day parking is available. Bike rentals are available in Bloomfield or Wellington.

Link to Route Map: www.ridewithgps.com/routes/31932690



BICYCLE FRIENDLY BUSINESSES AND FRANCOPHONE/BILINGUAL ATTRACTIONS

			Level of Services in French Available	Alternate activity accessible by car
Macaulay Heritage House				
By Chadsey's Cairns Winery				
Huff Estate Winery & Inn				
Sandbanks Provincial Park				
Bloomfied Bicycle Co				
Pedego E-Bikes				
Carlo Estates Winery				
Grange of Prince Edward Vineyards				
Lacey Estates Winery				
Closson Chase Vineyards				
Museum of Prince Edward County				



French services at anytime



French services upon request



Promotional items and/or documentation available in French

Additional Points of Interest:

-  Lavender Farm
-  Wellington Beach
-  Settlers Cider Company

-  Wellington Heritage Museum
-  Hinterland Wine Company
-  Trail Estate Winery

VISITOR INFORMATION

www.ontariobybike.ca/southeasternontario
www.visitpec.ca
www.prince-edward-county.com/cycling

NOTES TO RIDERS

The length of the ride can be shortened to fit comfortable ride levels by starting the ride in Wellington instead of Picton and only doing the shorter loop. Riders need to be comfortable riding on roads with some traffic and limited paved shoulders. Trail sections are multi-use, and shared with pedestrians.



Disclaimer



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