Celebrating Connection Between Water and Land







Gros Cap Marina Park

4817 Second Line W, Sault Ste. Marie, ON P6A 6K4 Parking only on Second Line 7:30 to 9:30 Lake Superior Water Trail & the Great Lakes Waterfront Trail An Ontario 150 Celebrate by Bike Community Event

> Friday June 9th, 2017 <u>Click to Register</u> projects@wrtrust.com

Machine Shop

83 Huron Street
Sault Ste. Marie, ON P6A 5P4
Parking available
11 to Noon

Canoe, kayak or cycle with us as we launch two sections of **The Great Trail** in Northern Ontario: the **1000 km Lake Superior Water Trail** and **380 km Great Lakes Waterfront Trail.**Celebrations include a **paddle tour** of Gros Cap Cliffs, **cycling** from Gros Cap to Sault Ste. Marie with the Sault Cycling Club, **Community Bike Parade** from Sault Ste. Marie City Hall to the Machine Shop.

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7:30	Paddle Tour of Gros Cap Cliffs on the Lake Superior Water Trail and The Great Trail led by Gary McGuffin and Sault Marie Canoe Brigade
8:00	Cyclists and Dignitaries arrive. Facility tours. Light refreshments served.
8:30	Paddlers land at Gros Cap Marina Park with Michael Mantha, MPP Algoma and Manitoulin and Prince Township Mayor Ken Lamming
9:00	Gros Cap Ceremonies (see page 2 for list of speakers)
9:30	Andre Riopel and Sault Cycling Club lead a bike ride to the Machine Shop, Sault Ste. Marie on the Lake Huron North Channel section of the Great Lakes Waterfront Trail and The Great Trail.
10:30	Community Bike Parade leaves Sault Ste. Marie City Hall, 99 Foster Dr, Sault Ste. Marie, ON P6A 1X6 led by Hon. Eleanor McMahon , Minister for Tourism, Culture and Sport, Mayor Provenzano and Chief Paul Syrette, Garden River First Nation (Invited)

Aboriginal Blessing Ceremony at the Machine Shop
 Aboriginal Drum Performance by Grammy nominated **Bear Creek** group
 Sault Ste. Marie Ceremonies remarks from dignitaries and project partners (see page two for list of speakers)

Cyclists arrive at the Machine Shop from City Hall and Gros Cap Marina Park

11:40 Light refreshments served.

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Hon. Eleanor McMahon, Minister of Tourism, Culture and Sport
Mike Mantha, MPP Algoma—Manitoulin
Mayor Ken Lamming, Prince Township
Chief Dean Sayers, Batchewana First Nation (TBC)
Lori Gove, Campaign Director, The Great Trail, Trans-Canada Trail National
Representative Ontario Trillium Foundation (TBC)
Representative TD Bank (TBC)
Al MacPherson, The Great Trail, Trans-Canada Trail Ontario
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Joanie McGuffin, Lake Superior Watershed Conservancy
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CYCLE the Great Lakes Waterfront Trail!

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