

## Discover a Winter Wonderland in the Ganaraska Forest!



Come and enjoy some of the most picturesque, groomed cross-country ski trails in Ontario. Venture out from the Ganaraska Forest Centre onto more than 35 km of groomed and track-set ski trails.

Our trails meander through pine and hardwood forest, offering a challenge to skiers of varying ability levels.

For snowshoe enthusiasts, the Ganaraska Forest provides two trails; a short 2.5 km loop and a longer 8 km loop.

### Membership Fees

Cross-Country Skiing

Youth\* ..... \$25

Adult ..... \$70

Snowshoeing

Youth\* ..... Free

Adult ..... \$30

### Day Pass

Cross-Country Skiing

Youth\* ..... \$6

Adult ..... \$15

Snowshoeing

Youth\* ..... Free

Adult ..... \$6

\*Youth: 16 yrs of age & under

### Equipment Rental:

The **Ganaraska Forest Centre (GFC)** offers cross-country ski and snowshoe rentals on weekends through the GFC Gatehouse 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., and on weekdays 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. through the GFC.

### Rates:

\$30/day for ski equipment

\$15/day for snowshoes

\$100.00 deposit is required

Equipment must be returned by 2:00 p.m.

Call in advance for availability: 905.797.2721

## Follow these tips for a great day!

Cross-country skiing is a wonderful way to get a cardiovascular workout while enjoying nature in winter. **Follow these easy tips to get the most out of your day:**

- Ski within your ability
- Check ski trail conditions before starting out by calling or stopping in at the Ganaraska Forest Centre
- Dress in layers / wear a hat
- Ski with a buddy
- Do warm-up stretches before skiing
- Don't ski when tired or start out after 3 pm
- Carry a small pack with the following:
  - ✓ Extra clothing
  - ✓ Whistle
  - ✓ Snack and water bottle
  - ✓ Trail map and compass
  - ✓ Duct tape and other supplies for quick repairs
  - ✓ Ski waxes, cork, scraper

### Know the skier's responsibility code:

- Ski in the indicated direction and observe all signs
- Don't litter; pack up all garbage
- Don't block the trail. Move off the trail if you fall or during breaks
- Yield the track to faster skiers or skiers calling "Track"
- Dogs are not permitted on ski trails during the ski season

**In an emergency:** Contact the Ganaraska Forest Centre 905.797.2721 during office hours or call 911

**Please note:** All ski trails are closed each year from December 24 to January 1.

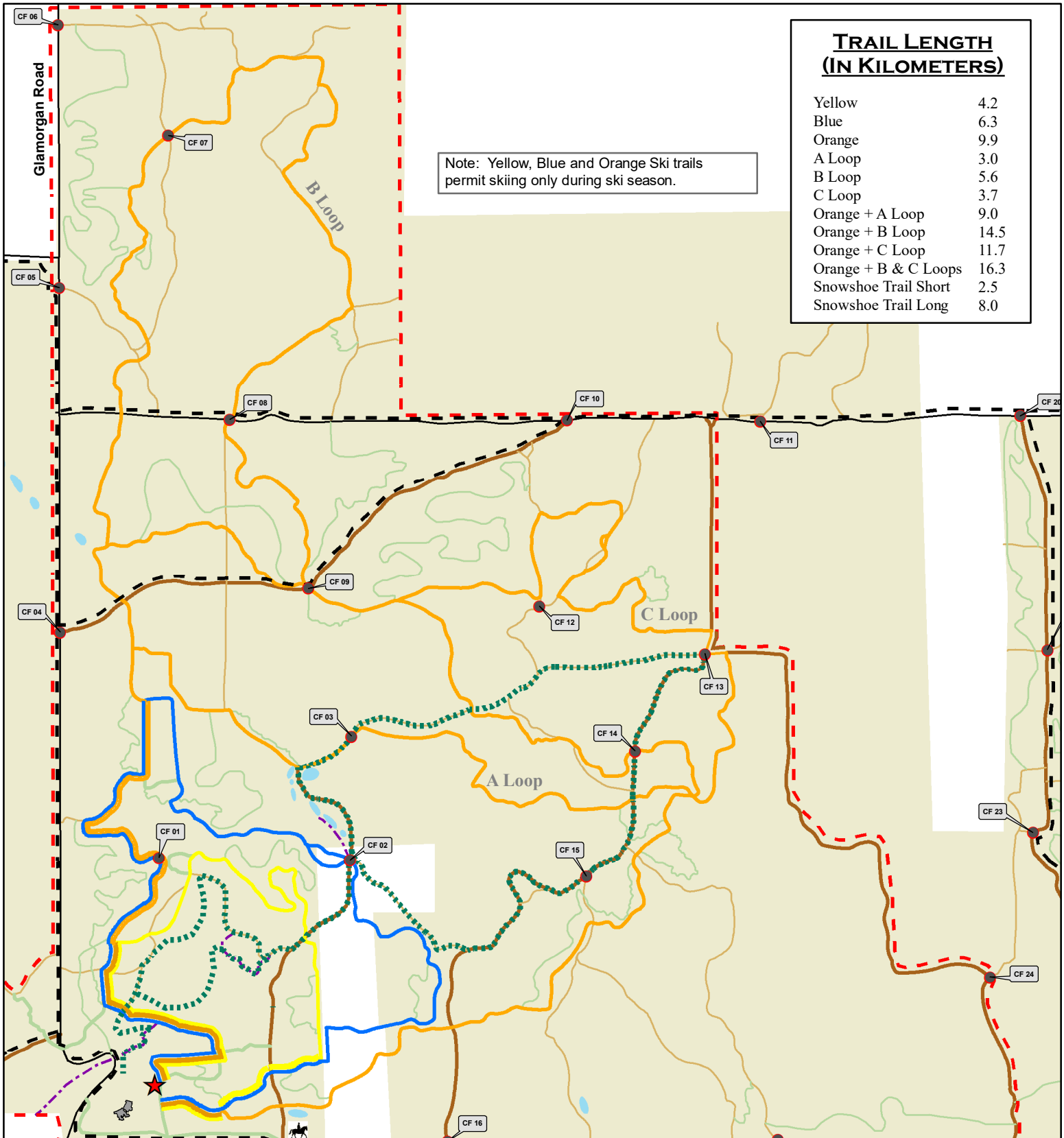
Receive up-to-date **ski conditions** by calling day or night 905.797.2721, emailing [gfc@grca.on.ca](mailto:gfc@grca.on.ca), or by visiting our websites at:

[www.grca.on.ca](http://www.grca.on.ca) or  
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# CROSS-COUNTRY SKIING & SNOWSHOEING IN THE GANARASKA FOREST





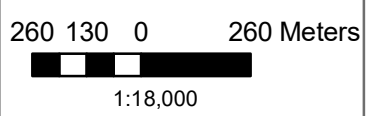
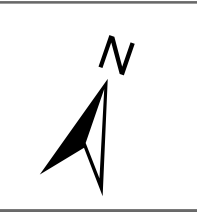
**TRAIL LENGTH  
(IN KILOMETERS)**

Yellow	4.2
Blue	6.3
Orange	9.9
A Loop	3.0
B Loop	5.6
C Loop	3.7
Orange + A Loop	9.0
Orange + B Loop	14.5
Orange + C Loop	11.7
Orange + B & C Loops	16.3
Snowshoe Trail Short	2.5
Snowshoe Trail Long	8.0

Note: Yellow, Blue and Orange Ski trails permit skiing only during ski season.

# Ganaraska Forest Centre Recreational Trails

- Trailhead
- Snowshoe Trail
- Unmaintained Roads
- Ganaraska Forest Centre
- Walking Trails
- Forest Secondary Roads
- Reference Markers
- Snowmobile Trails
- Forest Primary Roads
- Orange Trail
- Single Track
- Central Forest
- Blue Trail
- Double Track
- Ponds
- Yellow Trail
- No Hunting Area
- Horse Trailer Parking



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