

ICE CLIMBING

To Register/Sign Up:

Call Agnes at 416-898-3573 or info@AdventureSeekerTours.com

Outfitter Contact:

Should you be running late or need further directions please call: One Axe Pursuits (519) 836-8628.

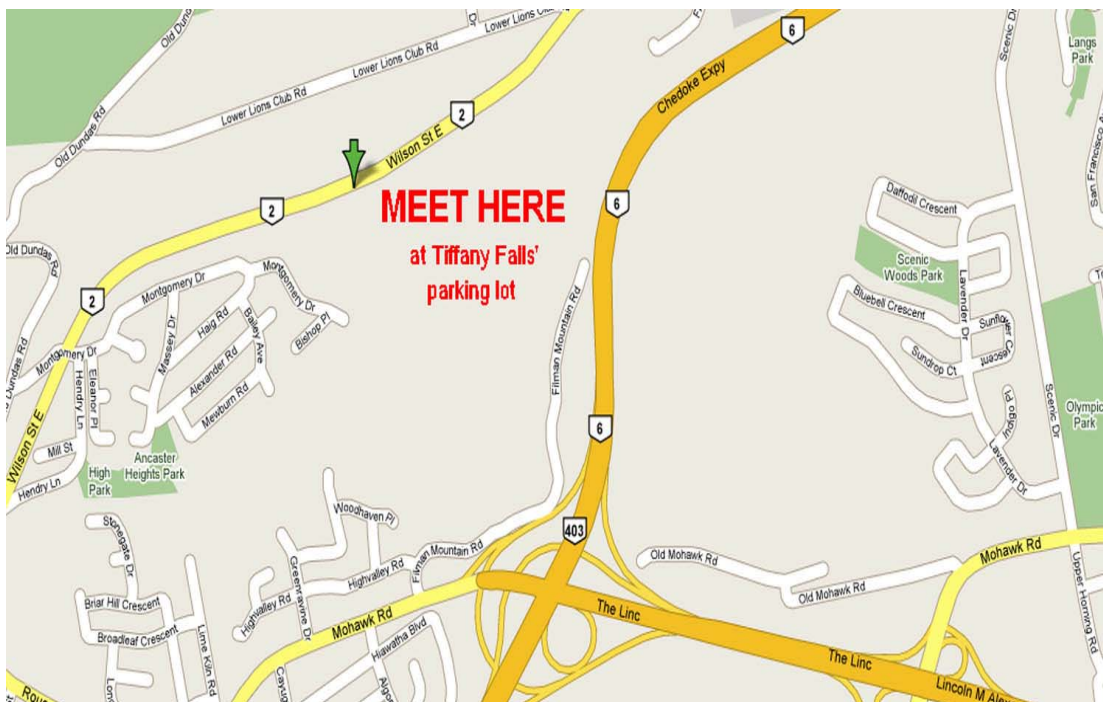
Time, Location and Itinerary

Meeting time is 10:00 am. Plan to arrive 10 minutes early.

Location is Tiffany Falls in Ancaster, Ontario (major cross streets are Wilson St. and Rousseaux). You will see the ONE AXE vehicle parked on the right side of the pull out. Depending on weather, the course may be available in Elora, Ontario or up in Rosseau, Ontario (near Huntsville).

General Itinerary (may vary depending on group size, speed and promptness).

- 10:00 a.m. – Instructors meet you at the designated ONE AXE vehicle. Participants are required to sign waivers.
- 10:05 a.m. – Participants are given harnesses, helmets, boots, crampons and axes.
- 10:30 a.m. – Participants are escorted to the frozen waterfall.
- 12:00 p.m. – Break for lunch and perhaps return to cars to warm up.
- 12:30 p.m. – Continue to climb routes and increase technique.
- 3:30 p.m. – Last climb
- 4:00 p.m. – Return to parked vehicles.



Driving Directions to Tiffany Falls Conservation Area (scroll down)

- Take Highway 403 through Hamilton and exit onto Rousseaux St. (Previously Mohawk Rd)
- Head west (right) on Rousseaux St. drive for about 2km to Wilson St. (Highway 2) and turn right (north).
- Continue about 1.6km to a parking area on the right-hand side of the road below the ravine.
- We will meet you at this pull out.

Weather

The program will only be cancelled if weather conditions are dangerous. Unless you receive a phone call cancelling the program, assume the course will run rain or shine.

Clothing, Equipment and Meals

We provide all the technical equipment such as helmets, harnesses, boots, crampons, axes and other required gear. Wear weather-appropriate clothing. Remember that you will be outside all day and standing around belaying. A down jacket for when you belay and a lighter insulated jacket for when you climb are recommended. Quick dry clothing (polyester or nylon) is recommended. The best system is to layer your clothing. Make sure to wear clothing you are not worried about getting dirty or ripped. It is recommended that you wear a waterproof jacket and pants over your warm clothing because the ice will become wet as the day warms up. Bring at least two pairs of gloves or mitts because they will get wet. It is also a good idea to bring extra warm clothing and leave it in your car in case you need it. Hiking boots or plastic boots are appropriate for the day. Pack water, a hot beverage in your thermos and your lunch in a small backpack.

Waiver

The guides in charge of this program operate with your safety in mind. However, ice climbing entails a certain degree of danger. Before signing up for the program, you must understand that you assume all responsibility. You will be required to sign a liability waiver before starting the program. If you don't comply with safety guidelines, the guides will have the right to suspend your participation in the program without compensation. Please see your physician if you have any medical problems.

Payment and Cancellation

Payment is due in full at the time of reservation. If you cancel your reservation after you have paid, no refund will be issued. However, you can transfer your reservation to another person within one week of the trip departure date. The administrative cost for this is \$25 per person.