

On what turned out to be a record setting day (35 C or 95 F), five BOCers headed into the relatively shaded paths of Tynehead, located just south of the freeway in Surrey.

The park brochure mentions hawthorn trees, but they appear as a thick leafy shrub, in some cases providing a tunnel effect to the trailway.

During our loop walk we crossed over the Serpentine River several times, as well as many small tributaries, which in late fall become salmon spawning areas.

The second half of the excursion encompassed another circular path around what once was an old homestead, with a restored barn housing many old farming implements.

The trip was completed with refreshing cold beverages at a T. Horton's very conveniently located at the end of the trail.

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