

# Explore Georgetown Scavenger Hunt

Our scavenger hunts are short walking tours of the landmarks and public art of downtown Georgetown and Acton. Scavenger hunts are a great way to be active, learn about your community, and have fun!

Complete this scavenger hunt, discover the hidden phrase, and submit your answer for a chance to win a prize. See **Rules** below.

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## RULES:

1. Send your hidden phrase to [culture@haltonhills.ca](mailto:culture@haltonhills.ca) with the subject line SCAVENGER HUNT GEORETOWN.
2. All clues can be seen from the sidewalk; please do not trespass on private property.
3. The deadline to submit for a chance to win a prize is October 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020; a winner will be selected for both the Acton and Georgetown Scavenger Hunts.

Time: 15-30 minutes depending on walking speed

Distance: 1.5 km

Difficulty: Easy – Moderate (some uphill walking); all sidewalks

Steps	Directions	Location	Clue
1	Begin at the corner of Church Street and Market Street.	<b>Halton Hills Public Library and Cultural Centre</b>  This facility is the heart of arts and culture in our community. It combines a library, theatre, art gallery, and meeting spaces.	On Church Street, at its intersection with Market Street, there's a new and colourful piece of artwork painted on the pavement. Find the colour that is 2 <sup>nd</sup> closest to the red brick townhomes. Put the second letter of that colour in box 7.
2	Walk towards Main Street and cross at the signals.	_____ <b>Tree</b>  Sculpture by Ken Hall  This sculpture has quickly become a landmark in downtown Georgetown. It is lit from within, making a dramatic impact both day and night.	Find the name of the sculpture at this location! Put the second last letter of this word in box 3.

3	Same location	<b>Utility Box Wrap</b>  Art by Robert Johannsen  This utility box has been wrapped with art and information about the long and fascinating history of the McGibbon Hotel. It is the first of several works by Mr. Johannsen on this tour.	Can you see the small balcony in the picture? It has two words on it. Put the second letter of the second word in box 4.
4	Walk along Main Street towards Mill Street, which is in the uphill direction.  Stop when you reach Mill Street.	<b>“The Old _ _ _ _”</b>  (Coldwell Banker building)	Look diagonally across the intersection at the stone building on the corner. Note the large engraved letters of “The Old _ _ _ _”  Write the first letter of the mystery word in box 8.
5	Turn right on Mill Street, which leads you downhill toward Guelph St.  Stop near the base of the hill.	<b>Former Post Office</b>	Can you see a large building with sandy-coloured stone blocks and a metal clocktower? What colour is the metal of the clocktower? Write the second letter of the colour in box 8.  Hint: it's the colour you get when you mix yellow and blue!
6	Follow Mill Street around the bend and uphill towards Guelph Street.  Stop when you get to the mural.	<b>Millennium Mural</b>  Art by Michelle Loughery  The mural depicts Mr. George Kennedy, founder of Georgetown, as well as scenes from the era.	Read the description. What kind of mill did George Kennedy build? It was “saw and _____.” Put the second letter of the mystery word in box 2.

7	<p>Cross Mill Street and walk uphill along Guelph Street, towards the lights at Main Street.</p> <p>Stop when you get to the first side street on your left. It is a T intersection with a one-way street.</p>	<b>The shortest street in town?</b>	What is the last letter of this very short, one-way street? Put that letter in box 9.
8	<p>Continue along Guelph Street and cross Main Street at the lights.</p> <p>Turn left and follow Main Street downhill.</p> <p>Walk until you arrive at Wesleyan Street.</p> <p>Turn right on Wesleyan.</p> <p>Stop in front of the mural.</p>	<p><b>Niagara Escarpment Mural</b></p> <p>Art by Robert Johannsen</p> <p>This mural depicts the plants, animals and landscape of the Niagara Escarpment.</p>	What year was the mural completed? There's a symbol that contains a letter in front of this date. Put that letter in box 1.
9	<p>Follow Wesleyan as it curves around and becomes Market Street.</p> <p>Cross Mill Street and stop on the opposite side.</p>	<p><b>Georgetown War Memorial</b></p> <p>Art by Robert Johannsen</p> <p>Through a series of four panels, the artist displays the history of Canada's military, including our participation in World Wars I and II, as well as our peacekeeping missions.</p>	<p>There are four murals. Find the one that has an image of a grey stone with words carved in French. Write the last letter of the first word in box 6.</p> <p>Congratulations! You have found the mystery phrase!</p> <p>Continue along Market Street or Main Street to return to Church Street and your starting location.</p>

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