



Homecoming Heritage Walk

Date & time: July 24, 25, 26, 27 & 28, 2019 at 2:00 pm each day, starting and ending at the Museum of Industry

Description: Step outside the Museum of Industry and into the historic town of Stellarton. Led by one of the Museum's knowledgeable interpreters, the Homecoming Heritage Walk begins at the Museum, on ground once occupied by the General Mining Associations' sawmill and foundry, built to support the coal mines established in 1827. Home to the Museum since 1995, the location is recognized as a National Historic Site.

The walking tour takes you past the Cornish Pumphouse along the Samson Trail to Bridge Avenue. Along the way you will see the archaeological dig at the GMA Foundry site, and pass by the locations of the old Bye and Storr Pits. Moving north along Foord Street, you will view the "Coal Miner's Church", pause at the Miner's Memorial, and see Stellarton's streetscape of former company houses. The tour concludes back at the Museum.

Walk time: 45 minutes. Distance 2 km Wheelchair accessible