

BAY TO BAKER TRAIL AND LITTLE SQUALICUM PARK

TRAIL DESCRIPTION

From the parking lot on Marine Drive, follow the connector path to the main trail. Go left to go to Birchwood Park, Squalicum Creek Park and Cornwall Park. Go right from Birchwood Park, down the trail that winds through Squalicum Creek Park to bike lanes on Squalicum Parkway. Go straight from Birchwood Park to bike lanes on Squalicum Parkway via Northwest Rd. Bridge (Dismount to cross railroad spur under the Northwest Ave. bridge). Go left from Birchwood Park to connect to Cedarwood Ave. for access to the Birchwood Business District. Go right from the parking lot connector path to access the beach.

From the parking lot at the west end of Roeder Avenue, the trail starts as a beach walk on sand and cobblestones along the Bellingham Bay shoreline (not accessible at high tide).

Approaching Little Squalicum Park from the beach, the path to the left gets you onto the main route described above. The path to the right will take you to Eldridge Avenue or Bellingham Technical College.

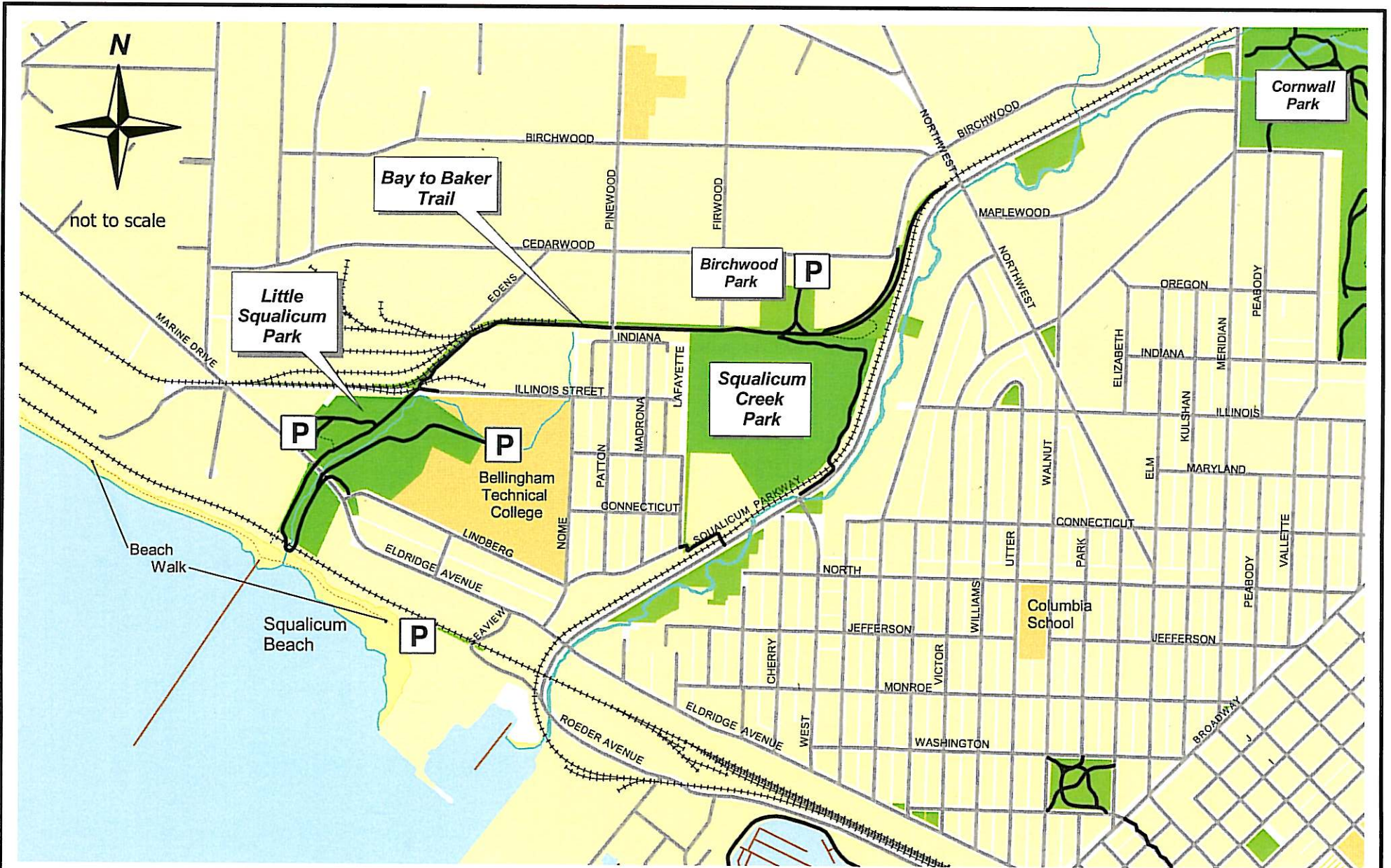
TRAILHEADS

Parking lots at: 1. the west end of Roeder Ave., west of Seaview Lane; 2. at Birchwood Park on Cedarwood; 3. at Little Squalicum Park Parking Lot. Parking is allowed at Bellingham Technical College (BTC) on weekends and when classes are not in session. BTC parking lot closes periodically. Walk in access from neighborhood streets.

MILEAGE

- 0.7 mile –Squalicum Beach to Pinewood Ave. /Patton St.
- 1.2 miles –Squalicum Beach to Squalicum Parkway at the Northwest Ave. Bridge.
- 0.5 miles - Northwest Ave. bridge to Cornwall Park.
- 1.2 Miles – Squalicum Creek Park starting at Squalicum Pkwy. and going to the beach.

Little Squalicum Park is a community park established in 1976. Facilities include beach, trails, interpretive displays and parking. Little Squalicum Creek runs through this park. Abandoned coal mines can be seen from the trail.



**Bay to Baker Trail and
Little Squalicum Park Map**