

Hiking: Crooked Falls

The trail to Crooked Falls is sheltered under a thick canopy of trees and offers great views rain or shine. This year round trail features three stunning viewpoints making it one of the most rewarding short hikes in Squamish.

How to get there:

From Highway 99 turn left onto Squamish Valley Road. The drive to the trailhead offers several good pullouts beside the Squamish River. After the Squamish Valley Road turns to gravel watch for a large bridge around 24.5km from Highway 99. Cross the bridge onto Ashlu Road and continue until you see a small bridge. Park here and cross the bridge by foot, the trail begins next to an electrical pole on the left hand side of the road.

Route:

Follow the Sigurd trail up a steep rocky section before it levels out onto a logging road which soon turns into the forest. As you enter the forest watch closely for a clearing and rocky bluff on your left. This is the first viewpoint. Step out for a panoramic view of the Squamish River winding through the valley. Make your way back to the trail then gain some elevation, pass a huge boulder and follow switchbacks to arrive at a junction. Go left for the final 300 metres to Crooked Falls. At the falls there are two viewpoints, you can take the upper trail to see the falls from the front or climb down carefully to view the unique V-shaped vista of the falls from the side. Mind your footing in this area and be sure to keep a safe distance away from the falls. Return the way you came.



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Difficulty	◆	Challenging
Trail Type	↻	Out & Back
Length	▬	6 km return
Elevation Gain	↑↓	430 metres
Duration	🕒	3 – 3.5 hrs
Pet Friendly?	🐕	Yes

Equipment:

- Good walking shoes or boots.
- Waterproof Jacket and Pants
- Water Bottle
- Sun Hat or Warm Hat
- Sun Cream
- Food
- Map
- First Aid Kit
- Mobile Phone

Be Adventure Smart 🌲

- Plan ahead and prepare
- Leave what you find
- Dispose of waste properly
- Respect wildlife and control pets
- Be considerate of other visitors

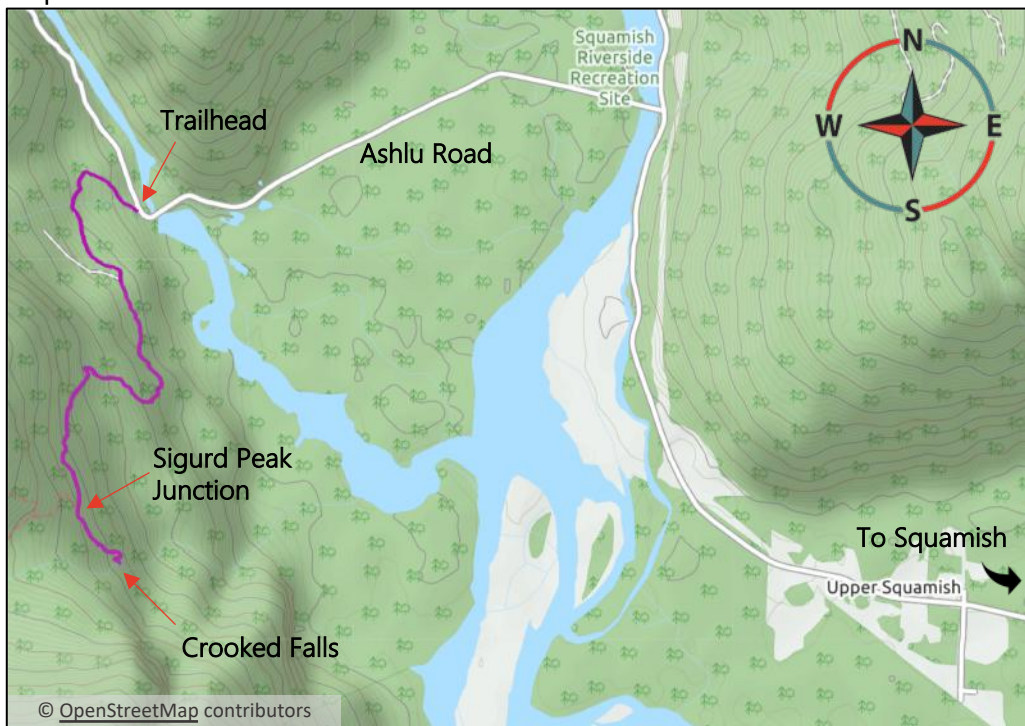


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Map



Weather

Check the weather before you go. Take care in heavy rain, high winds and low visibility. Beware sun exposure on hot, sunny days.

Know before you go

- This trail can be completed year round depending on the condition of the access road.
- Take care on the Squamish Valley Road during or soon after heavy rain
- Keep your eyes peeled for the best viewpoints on the Squamish Valley Road. If you have a good eye you may even be able to spot the Jim Haberl Hut way up in the Tantalus Range across the river.

When to cancel hike

- Poor Weather.
- Inadequate equipment or fitness.
- Any situation which may jeopardise the safety of your group.

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- Feel free to take me, but If you want to **save** paper, take a photo of me instead.
- If I still look good when you're finished, please **return** me for someone else to use.
- If my time is done, **recycle** me!

Have you?

- Checked the weather
- Checked route conditions
- Got correct equipment
- Checked group fitness
- Told someone where you're going

Emergency

If you require emergency assistance, please call **911**.