

# The Eastend Area

## LEGEND

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## Continental Divide

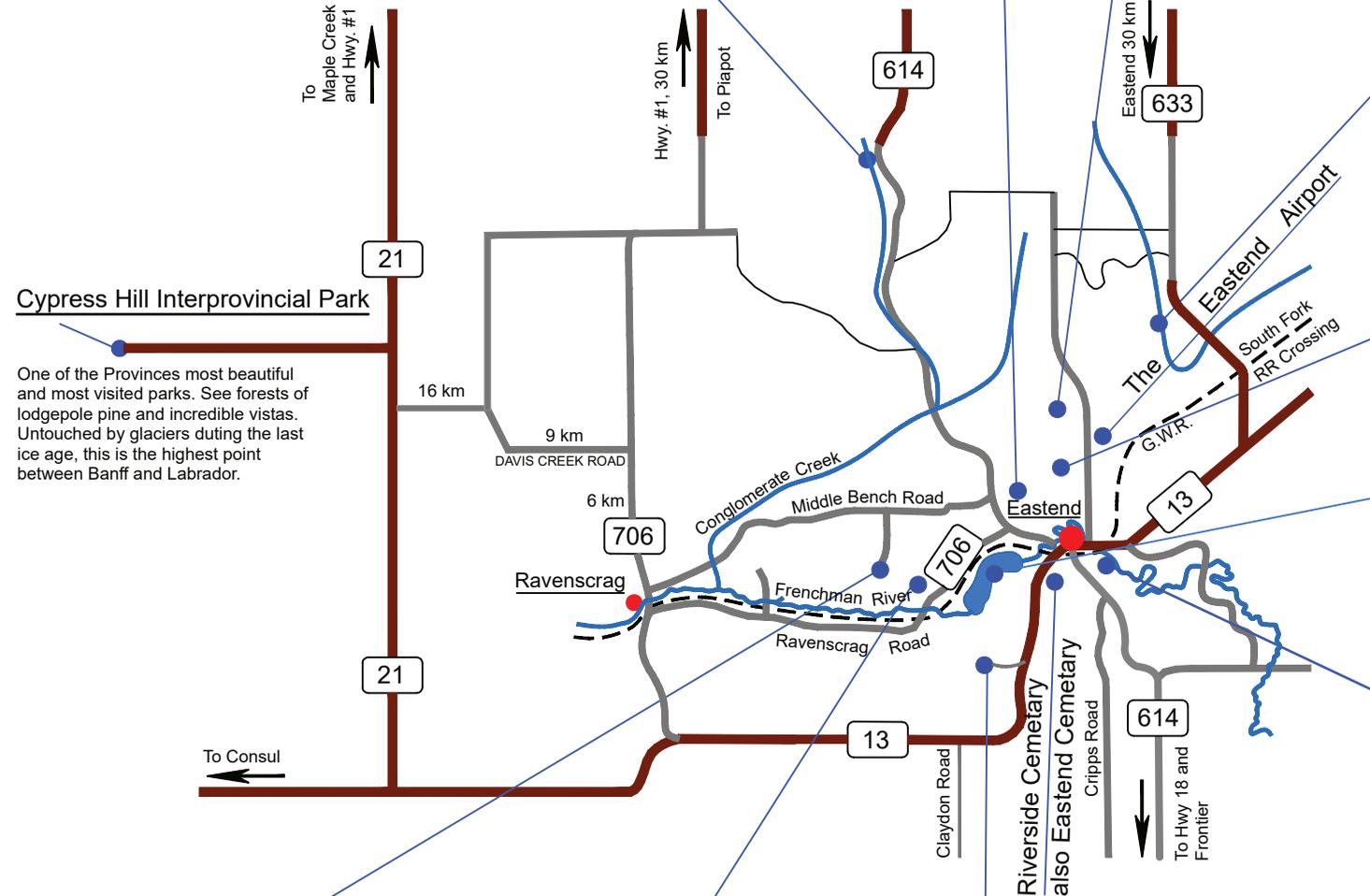
Located approximately 15 miles north of Eastend. Water that flows north of here (Swift Current Creek) ends up in Hudson Bay and water that flows south (Conglomerate Creek) ends up in Gulf of Mexico.

## Chocolate Peak

Once known as Wedding Cake Hill, it was a large deposit of whitemud clay. Back in 1930, an industrious miner thought it would be easier to mine the clay if he burned away the coal seam on top. Instead of burning for days, the coal burned for years and changed the colour of the white clay to chocolate brown.  
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## Chimney Coulee

Named for the stone chimneys that once stood here. This site has been many things over the years. It has been a Metis settlement, a Hudson Bay Company trading post and a Northwest Mounted Police post. The last chimney collapsed in 1915.



## Cypress Hill Interprovincial Park

One of the Provinces most beautiful and most visited parks. See forests of lodgepole pine and incredible vistas. Untouched by glaciers during the last ice age, this is the highest point between Banff and Labrador.

## Jones' Peak

Named after Harold "Corky" Jones, an avid amateur palaeontologist who called Eastend home. Approximately 7 miles west of Eastend, it is the valley's best known landmark. Check out that view!

## Crazy Horse Camp

Legend has it that Chief Crazy Horse and a group of his followers camped here in 1876. There is a great deal of native history in Eastend area with evidence of human settlements dating back thousands of years.

## Wilkinson Memorial Observatory

Named after amateur astronomer and blacksmith Jack Wilkinson. One of the finest observatories open to the public in western Canada, it features an 11" Celestron telescope.

## Pine Cree Regional Park

A true gem! Pine Cree Park is named for the Cree who once camped here and the abundant "pine" trees that grow in the Coulee. It's the perfect place for a picnic or a camping trip, complete with an outdoor kitchen and washroom facilities. Don't forget to see if you can find the Hermit's Cave!

## The T.rex Discovery Centre

This palaeontological interpretive centre houses an informative display gallery, education room, 98 - seat theatre and a state-of-the-art research lab operated by the Royal Saskatchewan Museum.

## Eastend Reservoir & Boat Launch

A dam was originally built on this site in 1904. It has been rebuilt twice and was expanded most recently in 1995 to increase the depth of the reservoir. A great place to do a little birdwatching, fishing or canoing & Boat launch.

## N.W.M.P. Post

The Eastend Post, so named because it was at the easternmost point of Major James M. Walsh's patrol, was established in 1887 and closed in 1914. The post stood approximately 200 metres south of where the railroad bridge stands today.

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