



**The Suncoast Sandpipers Volkssport Club
welcomes you to the
Historic Northeast St. Pete 5/10K Walk)**
An AVA Sanctioned Year Round Event #128068 Y1143



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Course description: This rated 1B (uneven sidewalk pavement and roots) walk takes participants through the historic Old Northeast district which claims nearly 3,000 historic buildings within its boundaries. Housing is a mix of Mediterranean and bungalow styles in a lushly green setting rife with jacarandas, pines, palms, and magnolias. After a tour of the area, walkers head to Coffee Pot Bayou, with chances to see resident manatees and resplendent homes with a surprising sculpture or two. The 10K route continues to downtown St. Petersburg with museums, parks and restaurants to visit and enjoy.



Photo by Michelle Devlin

The Coffee Pot Boulevard Rhino



Zuzu for Kids

AVA Special Programs for This Event	
Program	Step
Par for the Course	1
Rails to Trails	25
Step to the Beat	24
Walking the United States (Florida)	All
Walking the USA A - Z (S)	All

Online Start Box Finish Table: Once you have physically completed the walk, please login to your Online Start Box account click on the "My Start Box" tab, then the "Finish Table" tab, then click on "Go to Finish Table" button for the event you have completed. Use the displayed entry form to submit the date and distance of your walk as well as select applicable AVA Special Programs to generate stamped "virtual" insert cards that you may choose to print out.

Driving Directions to Walk Start

Start Location: North Shore Park parking lot. Use address for Tennis Courts: 605 11th Ave NE, St. Petersburg, FL. Park is open from sunrise to sunset. Rest rooms are available in park.

From I-275S, as you near downtown St. Petersburg, look for signs for I-375E, exit 23A. Use left 2 lanes to take exit toward The Pier. Merge onto 4th Ave. N. and go 1.3 miles to Beach Dr. Left on Beach Dr.; go .6 mile to 12th Ave. NE. Right into parking lot.

From I-275N, as you near downtown St. Petersburg, look for signs for I-375E, exit 23. Take exit toward The Pier. Merge onto 4th Ave. N. and go 1.3 miles to Beach Dr. Left on Beach Dr.; go .6 mile to 12th Ave. NE. Right into parking lot.



In case of emergency: dial 911
Event related assistance:
Alice Lawrence (7227)542-9742

5 & 10K Walk Directions.

1. Exit parking lot and **RIGHT** on North Shore Dr NE to pedestrian crosswalk at 13th Ave NE.
2. **LEFT** onto crosswalk, crossing North Shore Dr NE, bearing **LEFT** then **RIGHT** onto 13th Ave NE and go to Beach Dr NE.
3. **RIGHT** on Beach Dr NE to 16th Ave NE and pedestrian crosswalk.
4. **LEFT** on 16th Ave NE, crossing Beach Dr NE, to Walnut St NE.
5. **LEFT** on Walnut St NE to 15th Ave NE
6. **RIGHT** on 15th Ave NE to Oak St NE.
7. **RIGHT** on Oak St NE to 16th Ave NE.
8. **RIGHT** on 16th Ave NE to Walnut St NE.
9. **LEFT** on Walnut St NE to 17th Ave NE.
10. **LEFT** on 17th Ave NE to Bay St NE.
11. **RIGHT** on Bay St NE to 18th Ave NE.

5K/10K Split 10K go to step 12. 5K do A-E:

 - A. **RIGHT** on 18th Ave NE to Beach Dr NE.
 - B. **LEFT** on Beach Dr NE to crosswalk at Coffee Pot Blvd NE.
 - C. **RIGHT** to cross Beach Dr NE, then **LEFT** to cross Coffee Pot Blvd NE.
 - D. **RIGHT** on Coffee Pot Blvd NE. to 18th Ave NE.
 - E. Just after 18th Ave NE, bear **LEFT** to paved trail (North Bay Trail) by water and follow trail, water on left, back to the North Shore Park parking lot and finish.
12. **LEFT** at 18th Ave NE., to Locust St NE.
13. **CROSS & RIGHT** at Locust St NE, to 22nd Ave. NE.
14. **CROSS & LEFT** at 22nd Ave NE to Bay St NE.
15. **CROSS & IMMEDIATE RIGHT** at Bay St NE, to 23rd Ave NE.
16. **DO CIRCLE CLOCKWISE** at 23rd Ave NE, (1st circle), to Andalusia Way NE.
17. **LEFT** at Andalusia Way to 25th Ave NE (2nd circle).
18. **DO CIRCLE COUNTERCLOCKWISE** and follow 25th Ave NE to Coffee Pot Blvd (water ahead).
19. **CAREFULLY CROSS & RIGHT** at Coffee Pot Blvd. Continue on sidewalk (Coffee Pot Blvd becomes North Shore Dr), to 18th Ave NE.
20. Just after 18th Ave NE, bear **LEFT** to paved trail (North Bay Trail) by water and follow trail, water on left, back to the North Shore Park parking lot and rest rooms.
21. After rest rooms, **CONTINUE** on sidewalk towards downtown about .7 miles, with water on left, until you reach path on right leading to 5th Ave NE (look for the pink hotel on right).
22. **RIGHT** on path to 5th Ave NE.
23. **LEFT** at 5th Ave NE, (pink hotel on right), to Bayshore Dr. NE.
24. **CROSS & LEFT** at Bayshore Dr NE to Central Ave, passing parks (concert venues) and the Museum of Fine Arts on right.
25. **RIGHT** on Central Ave to Beach Dr.

Rails to Trails Program: Continue past Central Ave to 1st Ave S. Cross 1st Ave S to Pinellas Trail. Right on trail to 1st St. S. Right to cross then right again to Beach Dr. Left on Beach Dr .5 mile to 7th Ave NE. go to step 27.
26. **RIGHT** at Beach Dr. about .5 mile to 7th Ave NE.
27. **RIGHT** on 7th Ave. NE to North Shore Dr NE.
28. **CROSS** and **LEFT** on North Shore Dr NE to 12th Ave NE.
29. **RIGHT** to parking lot and finish.

These walk directions may only be used in conjunction with a signed American Volkssport Association athletic waiver. All other uses are prohibited.

Historic NE St. Pete 10K Map



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