



Fredericksburg Walking Club

Warrenton – Find the LOVE 6k & 10k | YRE 1544 | Rated 2A
An AVA Sanctioned Year Round Event (YRE) (Award and Credit Available)

This walk comprises 6 km and 10 km trails. There is an award for walk, a patch depicting Col. Mosby, the Gray Ghost --cost for patch and credit = \$9. Credit only = \$4. This route takes walkers through 6K and 10K walks follow brick sidewalks in historic Warrenton past the post-Civil War home of Col. Mosby. 10K also

includes the Warrenton Greenway Rail Trail. The walk start / finish point is the new Warrenton Visitor Center in the town hall (see Driving Directions below for details.)

Walk Registration:

This walk has a Physical Start Box (PSB) inside the Visitor Center. The PSB is on a shelf to the right of the Visitor Center. Registration can also take place using the AVA Online Start Box (OSB), which is located on the website my.ava.org. Follow the instructions provided to create a user account and sign the AVA waiver (one time). Instructions for payment are also included. Download the directions (print if desired). The Point of Contact (POC) does not provide event directions or accept payments.

Driving Directions:

Warrenton Visitor Center is located at 21 Main Street Warrenton, VA 20186. They are currently open Tuesday through Friday 10AM to 2PM and Saturday 8:30AM to 4:30PM, but you may wish to call ahead to check for holiday or Covid-affected changes – (540) 374-1101.

From I-66 W: From I-66 W (caution tolls), take Exit 40 to merge onto US-15S toward Haymarket. Turn right onto VA-55 W. Turn left onto Beverleys Mill Rd. Turn right onto US-15 S / Lee Hwy. Turn left of US-15 BUS S / Blackwell Rd. Turn left onto Main Street. The Town Hall is on the left. **From 17-N:** From US 17-N, turn right onto US-15 N/ US-17 N. Take Country Rd. 643 exit toward Warrenton. Turn left onto E Lee St. / Meetze Rd. Turn right onto Falmouth St. Continue on to Main St. The Town Hall will be on your right.

Parking is available along the street, and behind the Town Hall.

Restrooms: Restrooms are located at the Visitor Center.

Special Programs:

Town Halls/City Halls, Step to the Beat, Walking with Americas Veterans, and Virginia Find the LOVE. Par-for-the-Course & Rails to Trails 10K only.

Walk Completion and Walk Credit:

Please use either the OSB or the PSB to register and complete the event. Do NOT mix and match. For example, do not register using the OSB and then complete your event using the PSB nor sign the PSB log sheet. The sponsoring club only receives credit for an OSB participation when an OSB registration has been completed online by entering your participation date, distances, and any special programs using the OSB. Once you have completed the walk, follow the instructions in the PSB and sign the log, stamp your books, and mail in your payment **OR** log in to your AVA OSB Account. If you are using the OSB, click on the “My Start Box” tab, click the “Finish Table” tab, and then click “Go to Finish Table” button for the event that you completed. Use the displayed entry form to submit the date and distance for your walk, as well as selecting the applicable AVA Special Programs. This will generate the stamped virtual insert cards that you may choose to print out.

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

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Contact Information: If there is an emergency, please call 911. For event-related assistance, contact Don Shockey at (540) 729-2885 or shockeydl@comcast.net.



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Start Point: Warrenton Visitor Center, 21 Main St., Warrenton, VA 20186

Restrooms: Visitor Center/Town Hall

1. Leave (**Town Hall**)/Visitor Center go **LEFT** on Main St.
2. **GO 9 BLOCKS** – Main becomes Falmouth St. at the bend towards the right. After crossing 4th St. look across Main St. for two **Step to the Beat** qualifiers. 1st qualifier Modal Music Studio, 90 Main St. 2nd qualifier Drum & Strum 102 Main St.
3. **CROSS** E. Lee St., **RIGHT** on E. Lee St., go 6 blocks on left-hand-side (LHS).
4. **LEFT** on Third St. go 1 block.
5. **RIGHT** on Beckham St. go 1 block (LHS).
6. **LEFT** on Culpeper St. go 2 long blocks.
7. **RIGHT** on Shirley go 1 block.
8. **RIGHT** on Keith St. go half a block.
9. **LEFT** at mid-block to enter cemetery by crossing the grass before fence begins. Head for Caretaker's building in center of cemetery. The walk will first be grass then change to paved road (2k mark).
10. **LEFT** at Caretaker's building (restrooms available) then continue to Confederate Memorial – tall obelisk. 25 feet to the right is grave of Col. J. Mosby, the Gray Ghost. Look for flags in the ground.
11. **RETURN** to paved road path and **LEFT** to exit cemetery.
12. **EXIT** cemetery and **STRAIGHT** on S. Chestnut St
13. **RIGHT** on Waterloo St., go 1 block (RHS).
14. **LEFT** on Smith St. (cross carefully there is no crosswalk).
15. **LEFT** on Winchester St. go 2 long blocks.
16. **RIGHT** on John E. Mann St. go 1 block.
17. **RIGHT** on Chelsea Dr. go 1 block.
18. **RIGHT** on Erin Dr. go 1 block.
19. **RIGHT** on Jennifer Dr. go 1 block.
20. **LEFT** on Winchester St. go for over 1 block.
21. **CROSS** Winchester St. using crosswalk just before county library (restrooms available) at the sign for Hinkley, Shepard, Norden Architects.
22. **LEFT** to access crosswalk where Winchester, Alexandria Pike, Waterloo, & Main St. intersect.
23. **CROSS** Alexandria Pike onto Main St. Go to S. 4th St. (Note the Fauquier Theater, which was at 65 Main St. from 1930-1969).
24. **RIGHT** on S. 4th St. for half a block. Note the mural on the building.
25. **RIGHT** to enter parking lot "C", continuing thru lot "B" after crossing S. 3rd St.
26. **RIGHT** on S. 2nd St. go 1 block.
27. **LEFT** on Main St. go 1 block.
28. **LEFT** on Culpeper St. (1 short block).
29. **RIGHT** on Wall St. (this is just a sidewalk) and cross Court St. to the Old Jail Museum. In front of the Museum is a small memorial to Gulf War Veterans (**Walking with America's Veterans**).
30. **LEFT** on Ashby (briefly). You'll see Red Truck Bakery across street.
31. **LEFT** on Hotel St. 1 block (RHS).
32. **RIGHT** on Culpeper St. 1 block.
33. **LEFT** on E. Lee St. 3 blocks.
34. **RIGHT** on S. 4th St. One block to (**Virginia Find the LOVE — sign**).
35. **SPLIT 6k and 10k directions:**
6k walkers, turn around, go back up S. 4th St. for 3 blocks to Main St. **CROSS** Main St. skip to Step #39 below.
10k walkers, continue straight to access the Warrenton Greenway Rail Trail (**Rails to Trails — Rail Trail**).
36. **FOLLOW** the Greenway Trail for 2.1k until it crosses over highway 15, 17, 29 bypass (7.5k mark). (**Par for the Course — exercise stations along the Greenway**).
37. **TURN AROUND** return to start of Greenway Trail.
38. At start of Greenway Trail, continue up S. 4th St., crossing E. Lee St. to Main St.
39. **6k and 10k walkers**, **LEFT** on Main St. walk 3 blocks to Finish 21 Main St. **End of 6k and 10k Walks.**

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6k Map



