



**Olympic Peninsula Explorers  
Coupeville Historic and Country Walk  
Y1548  
5K/6K/11K, Rated 1B,2B**



**Event name:** Historic Town & Country Walk  
**City / State:** Coupeville, WA  
**Event Type:** Seasonal/ April – September /- Y1548  
**Distance - Trail Ratings:** Distance 5/6/11 km.  
**Rated:** 1A/2B/2B

**Description:** Walk in the historic town of Coupeville and along country roads and trails in Ebey’s Landing Historical Reserve with views of Puget Sound and farm fields. Views of Penn Cove, Puget Sound, Olympic Mountains, and on clear days Mt. Baker & Mt. Rainier. The bluff trail offers views of Port Townsend, Protection Island, Dungeness, the Strait of Juan de Fuca, Vancouver Island and more. Part of walk is on rural roads. **5K** with a *remote* start that walks the bluff and wooded trails overlooking Ebey's Prairie. Dogs are ok on leash but not in buildings.

**Amenities:** Strollers: hard | **Wheelchairs:** NO | Pets: Yes  
 | **Restrooms:** Yes **Start Times:** Daily, 8am-8pm  
**Awards & Fees:** IVV Credit Only

**5K Start point Driving directions:** Heading south - follow SR 20 towards Coupeville. Turn right on Sherman Rd. Heading north -follow SR 20 towards Coupeville. Turn left on Sherman Rd. Both directions - Follow Sherman Rd. and turn right on Cemetery Rd. Follow Road past cemetery as it curves right passing the Ebey’s Landing National Historical Reserve Park office (on your right, 162 Cemetery Road, Coupeville, WA) to parking lot. **Start point** latitude & longitude: **48.204, -122.710**

**6 K/11K - Start Point / Driving Directions:** Coupeville Library, 788 NW Alexander St, Coupeville. Follow SR 20 to traffic light in Coupeville. From North, turn left, from South turn right at the stop light onto Main Street. Left on 8<sup>th</sup> St., one block to entrance of library parking lot Restrooms in the building at the corner of the parking lot and along the route.

**Start point** longitude & latitude:**48.219, -122.688**

**Special events:** Walking the USA A-Z, Walking with American Veterans, ESVA-Counties, ESVA-Frontline Heroes, Par for the Course.

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Please use the Online Start Box (OSB) to register and complete the event. 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.

**WALK COMPLETION AND CREDIT:** Be sure to log back into the OSB system to finish/complete your online registration after doing the event. The OSB system does not deduct any event fee from a participant’s Event Bank until they have submitted event completion info including the date the event was walked, the distance walked, and the selection of applicable special programs that person is participating in. Nevertheless, a fee for a downloaded PDF is deducted from the user’s Event Bank when the PDF is downloaded. Later, any PDF fees are credited back to a user’s Event Bank when he/she submits the event completion info as a paying for credit participant. Note, however, the coupon for the downloaded PDF will expire in 60 days.

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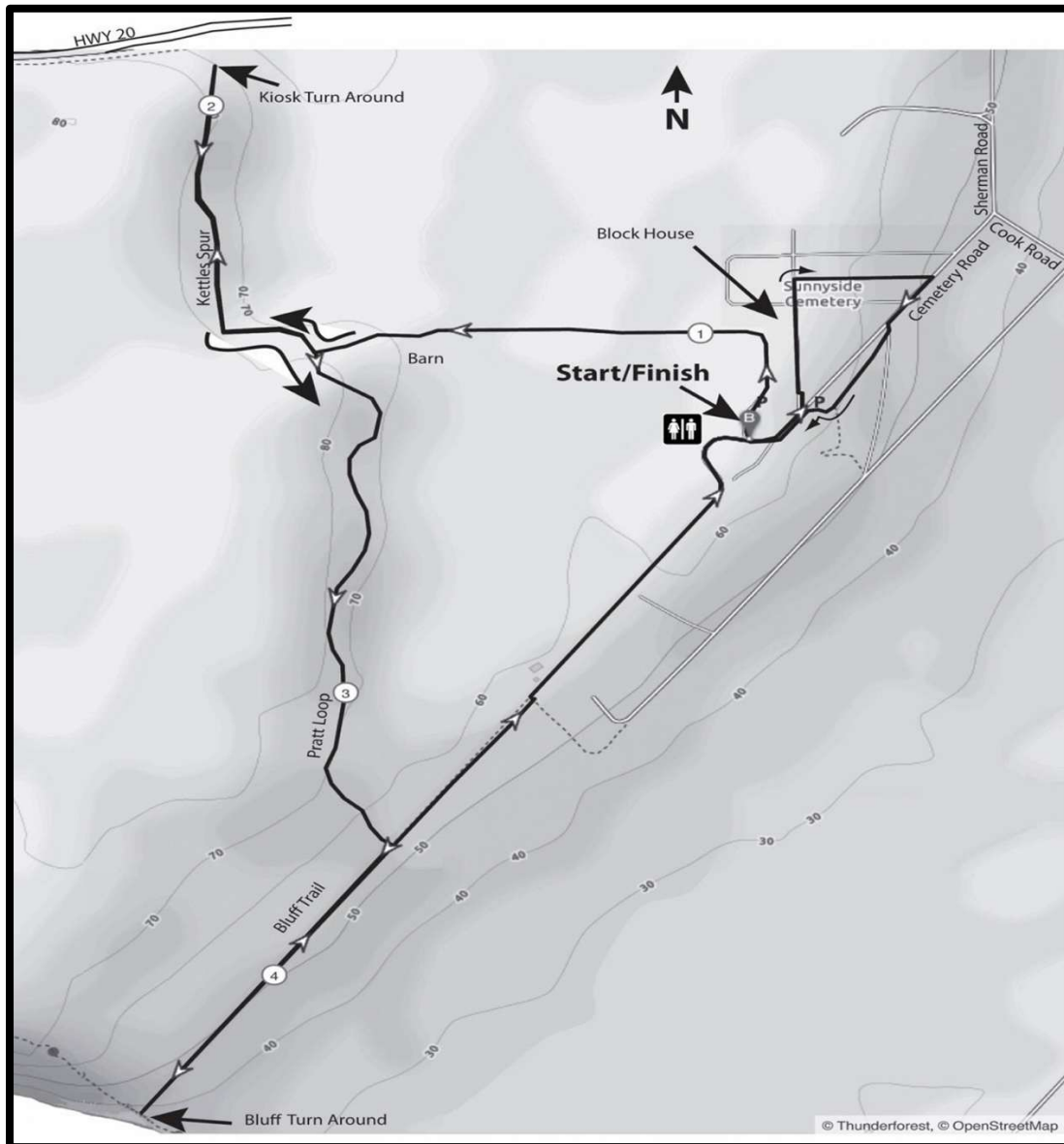
**5K WALK Rating 1B**

Leaving the Coupeville Inn turn **LEFT** on **Coveland**. **RIGHT** on **Main Street**. Follow Main Street through the traffic lights at Hwy 20. **RIGHT** on **Terry Road** (Red Apple Market on corner). **LEFT** on **Ebey Road**. **RIGHT** on **Cook Road**. **LEFT** on **Cemetery Road** (be careful this is a **very blind corner**). Follow road past cemetery as it curves right passing the Ebey's Landing National Historical Reserve Park office (on your right, 162 Cemetery Road, Coupeville, WA) to parking lot. Start point **Lat. & Long. Coordinates: 48.204, -122.710**

- 1) With your back to the Kiosk (and rest rooms) in the parking lot and the restrooms:
- 2) **WALK AHEAD** on the gravel road back to the Cemetery.
- 3) **VEER LEFT** and follow gravel road into the Cemetery. Pass the historic block house on your left.
- 4) **RIGHT** on 2<sup>nd</sup> road after passing the block house.
- 5) **CROSS & RIGHT** onto Cemetery Road (unmarked) for a short distance. **Watch** for a break in the hedgerow on the left with a gravel road and trail behind the hedgerow.
- 6) **LEFT** onto road and **immediate RIGHT** onto trail beside hedgerow. Follow gravel trail as it goes up hill and passes the interpretive signs at viewpoint. *(If grass is very dry and you do not want to take the chance of seeds getting stuck in your socks, continue up Cemetery Road following toward parking lot where you parked your car. CONTINUE from step 10)*
- 7) **CONTINUE** on trail toward parking lot.
- 8) **LEFT just before** the parking lot toward kiosk. Follow gravel trail passing kiosk until it ends at the gravel road.
- 9) **CONTINUE** straight on gravel road to parking lot. (where you parked)
- 10) **CONTINUE** on road following through parking lot to start of trail/road (**Pratt Loop & Kettle Spur**) follow along the edge of the field, as it curves left and continuing beside the field on your left.
- 11) **STRAIGHT** at end of field into woods to **Kettles Spur** trail passing beside the barn on your left.
- 12) **RIGHT** at "T" on **Kettles Spur trail**.
- 13) Trail will curve through the woods roughly keeping to the left of the fence row. Follow the trail until you get to the Kiosk.

- 14) **TURN AROUND** at Kiosk and retrace your steps back to "T".
- 15) **STRAIGHT** at "T" on **Pratt Loop & Bluff Trail**.
- 16) **RIGHT** onto **Pratt Loop trail** (small barn to the left). Trail curves right passing a wood bench & follows the edge of the field then back into the woods and then turns right beside an open field.
- 17) **CONTINUE** as trail curves left, continuing on **Pratt Loop** (signpost to the right).
- 18) **CONTINUE STRAIGHT** at "Y" in field, no sign) toward fence.
- 19) **RIGHT** after fence onto **Bluff Trail** following to the Bluff.
- 20) Enjoy the panoramic view!
- 21) **TURN AROUND** and follow the **Bluff trail** (*notice the historic Ridge Trail sign*) away from the water, **passing** the spot where you entered this trail, walking toward the **Ebey House**.
- 22) **STRAIGHT** at the corner of the field passing the **Blockhouse & Ebey House** on your left and returning on the gravel road to the parking lot and finish.

## 5K Map





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**6K Walk, Rated 2B**

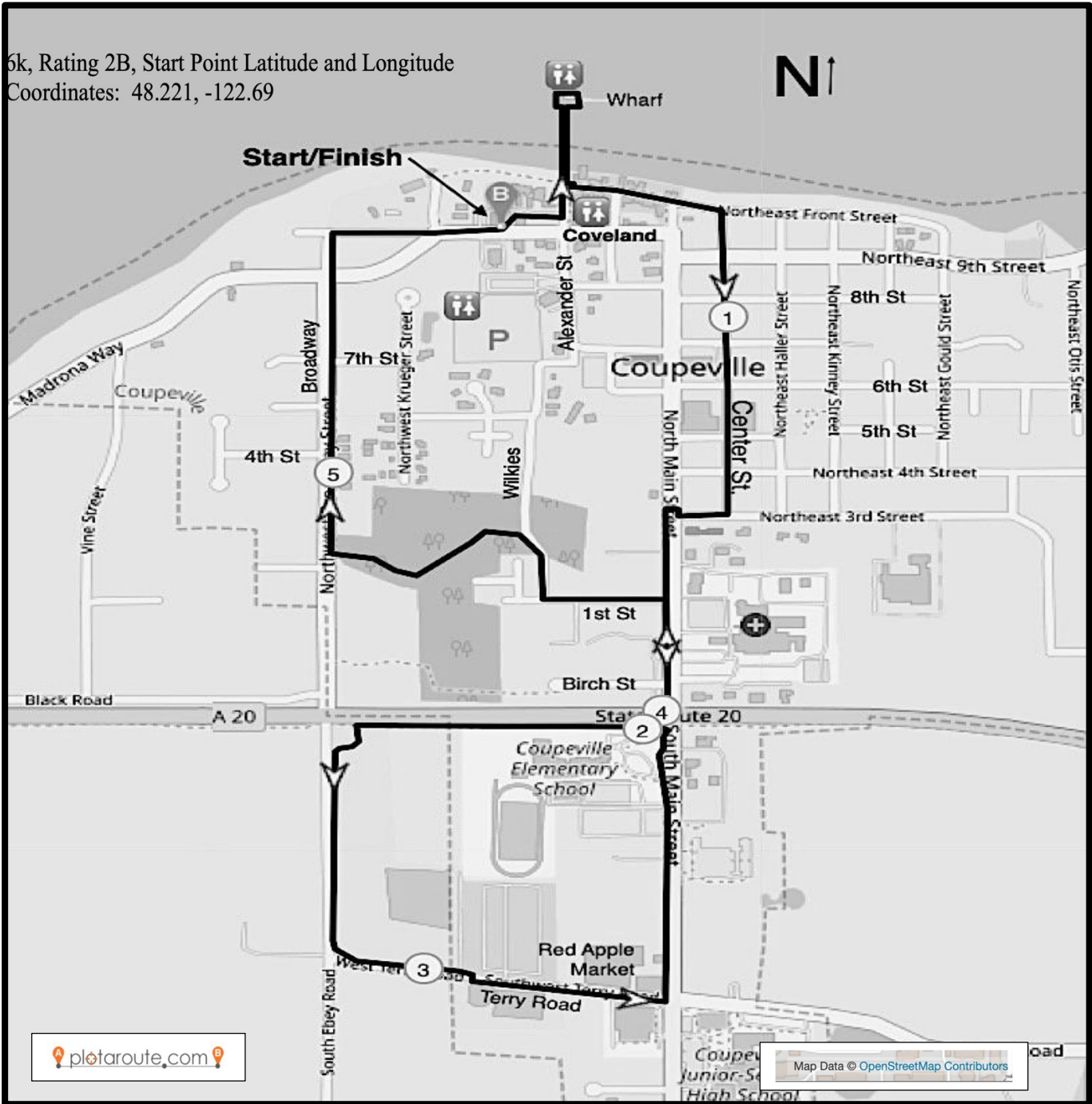
- 1) Leaving the Coupeville Inn, angle **RIGHT** across the parking lot and driveway that exits on Alexander Street NW, walking toward the Coupeville Firehouse and Chamber of Commerce. (*Restrooms on the left behind Chamber Office and in the library parking lot*).
- 2) **LEFT** on Alexander St. NW (unmarked) passing historic blockhouse and museum on your left
- 3) Walk out onto the Wharf, Look inside at the whale skeleton (*Restrooms*)
- 4) **CIRCLE** the wharf building and return to Front St. (sign is hard to read).
- 5) **LEFT** on Front St.
- 6) **RIGHT** on Center St NE. (passing Veterans Memorial in courtyard at corner of 6th and Center)
- 7) **RIGHT** on 3rd St NE
- 8) **CROSS** and **LEFT** at Main St. in the Crosswalk
- 9) **VEER RIGHT** at chain-link fence just before Hwy 20 onto pedestrian overpass.
- 10) **CROSS** over HWY 20 on the pedestrian overpass.
- 11) **SHARP RIGHT** at end of overpass onto asphalt Kettles Trail, passing between two wooden trail posts.
- 12) **LEFT** on the trail just before the power substation and follow it as it curves around the substation and parallels Ebey Rd.
- 13) **LEFT** continuing on the trail parallel to Terry Road.
- 14) **RIGHT** crossing Terry Road (unmarked) at crosswalk by trailer park.
- 15) **LEFT** on gravel path passing baseball field on your right.
- 16) **LEFT** on Main Street at the Red Apple Market.
- 17) **CROSS** HWY 20 using the Pedestrian overpass.
- 18) **VEER LEFT** on sidewalk alongside Main St.
- 19) Continue on Main St. to NW 1st St.
- 20) **CROSS** and **LEFT** on NW 1st St.

- 21) **CROSS** and **RIGHT** onto sidewalk alongside Wilkes St, watch for Kiosk at trailhead on your left after townhouses.
- 22) **LEFT** onto trail at Kiosk.
- 23) Continue on trail as it curves left.
- 24) **RIGHT** at T intersection.
- 25) Exit Woods at Broadway (unmarked, yellow speed sign, wooden bench as you exit).
- 26) **RIGHT** on path alongside Broadway (carefully cross Madrona Way).
- 27) **CROSS** and **RIGHT** on Coveland ST. returning to the Coupeville Inn and the finish of your walk.

We hope you enjoyed the walk.

### 6K Map

6k, Rating 2B, Start Point Latitude and Longitude  
Coordinates: 48.221, -122.69





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**11K Walk Rated 2B**

- 1) Leaving the Coupeville Library parking lot, **RIGHT** on Alexander Street NW (Walking towards the harbor. (*Restrooms in the library parking lot and behind the Chamber of Commerce*) Pass historic blockhouse and museum on your left
- 2) Walk out onto the Wharf, *Look inside at the whale skeleton* (Restrooms)
- 3) **CIRCLE** the wharf building and return to Front St. (sign is hard to read).
- 4) **LEFT** on Front St.
- 5) **RIGHT** on Center St NE. (*passing Veterans Memorial at corner of 6<sup>th</sup> and Center*)
- 6) **RIGHT** on 9<sup>th</sup> St NE
- 7) **CROSS & LEFT** at Main St.
- 8) **VEER RIGHT** at chain link fence and cross over HWY 20 on pedestrian overpass.
- 9) **SHARP RIGHT** at end of overpass onto asphalt Kettles Trail, passing between two wooden trail posts. Trail will cross Ebey Road and Sherman Road.
- 10) Where the trees begin, **LEFT** at trailhead post at end of the cattle fence toward Prairie Overlook, Bluff and Pratt Loop Trails.
- 11) **LEFT** at "T" onto Prairie Overlook Trail. Pass barn and shed, keeping them on your right.
- 12) **RIGHT** at end of barn, keep barn & shed on your right. Continuing straight and pass another shed on your left.
- 13) **STRAIGHT** onto Pratt Loop & toward Bluff Trail. Trail curves right passing a wood bench & follows the edge of the field then back into the woods and then out.
- 14) **CONTINUE** as trail curves left, continuing on Pratt Loop (signpost to the right).
- 15) **STAY RIGHT** at "Y" (in field, no sign) toward fence.
- 16) **RIGHT** after fence onto Bluff Trail following to the Bluff.
- 17) Enjoy the panoramic view!
- 18) **TURN AROUND** and follow the Bluff trail away from the water, passing the spot where you entered this trail.
- 19) **STRAIGHT** at the corner of the field passing the Blockhouse & Ebey House on your left.
- 20) **STRAIGHT** at Rest Rooms passing the Ebey's Prairie National Historical Preserve headquarters on your left.
- 21) **CURVE LEFT** and follow paved road into the Cemetery.
- 22) **RIGHT** at last road in the Cemetery. Walk downhill towards road.
- 23) **LEFT** on Cemetery Road (unmarked).
- 24) **RIGHT** at Stop Sign, carefully crossing onto Cook Road (unmarked) walking on left side of the road.
- 25) **LEFT** on Ebey Road. Carefully cross HWY 20 and continue on Ebey Rd (walk on right side of road on path).
- 26) At YOUR SPEED sign (just past Oakmont St. on left), **RIGHT** on path into woods. Stay generally straight on primary path to parking area behind some condos.
- 27) **STRAIGHT** through parking area. **RIGHT** at T-intersection a short distance and **LEFT** on 1<sup>st</sup> St. a short distance.
- 28) **LEFT** on Wilkes St. Use path on left.
- 29) At the end of Wilkes (at 7<sup>th</sup> St.), continue straight across field on dirt road to the library parking lot.

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