

GENERAL INFORMATION

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Event Number

121001

Starting Point

Lower Village Park
159 Port Road
(Behind Washington Hose Co.)
Kennebunk, ME 04043

Getting There

From the North or South: Take exit 25 from I-95. Follow Rt 35S, crossing US Rt. 1 in downtown Kennebunk. Continue on Rt. 35 (South) an

additional 3.4 miles. Enter at 159 Port Road, which is the entrance to Washington Hose Co. Please park behind the fire department.

Latitude/Longitude

Latitude: 43.3603

Longitude: -70.4842

Parking

159 Port Road, Route 35
Lower Village Park
Kennebunk, ME 04043

Park at the ball field/playground behind the Washington Hose Company, Kennebunk Fire Department.

Walk Rating

1A

Walk Description

Pass St. Anthony's Monastery, see beautiful ocean views and explore Dock Square. Daily 8 am-2 hours before dusk. Pets are not allowed on the Monastery Grounds nor on Gooch's Beach 9 am-5 pm in the summer. Owners must pick up after pets.

Special Programs

Free Little Library
Mayflower-400th Anniversary
Par for the Course

Rockin' Round the Clock

\$2 coupon for the downloaded PDF expires in 60 days.

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Restrooms

Restrooms/porta potties are available at the start point, on the grounds of St. Anthony's Monastery in Kennebunk, in the lot behind Alison's Restaurant in Kennebunkport and at Union Square (Ben & Jerry's).

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 of \$2 for a downloaded PDF is deducted from the Event Bank when the PDF is downloaded. Later, any PDF fees are credited back to a user's Event Bank when they submit the event completion info as a paying for credit participant. Note, however, that the

**KENNEBUNK-KENNBUNKPORT
SEASONAL WALK
5K BEACH WALK**

1. As you exit the Lower Village Park, cross Port Road at crosswalk, then turn **RIGHT.**
2. At the intersection of Port Road and Route 9, cross Route 9 at the light. Continue on that road which becomes Beach Ave.
3. Shortly before the Franciscan Monastery Guest House sign, use the crosswalk to go to the other side of the street. Continue walking along Beach Ave. past the White Barn Inn. Note: Restrooms are available on the grounds. Open seasonally. No dogs are allowed on the grounds.
4. Continue for a few blocks. Just past #69 Beach Ave., walk across the bridge and turn right on Bayberry Ave. No sidewalks, use caution.
5.  Continue on Bayberry Ave. to the end.
6. Turn left on Peninsula Drive.
7. Cross Beach Ave. carefully as there is no crosswalk.
8. Turn left on the sidewalk.
9. Continue walking on the sidewalk along beautiful Gooch's Beach. About a third of mile along the beach, there are porta potties.
10. At the end of the sidewalk, cross Beach Ave. using the crosswalk and continue walking toward town.
11. Cross over Beach Ave. again across from the Franciscan Monastery.
12. Turn right on Chase Hill Rd. (across from the white picket fence); the road curves to the left.

Go down the hill (you will pass Maine Art on your right). The road will end at Western Ave. (no sign, it's the main road).

13. Turn right on Western Ave. and follow the causeway and bridge into Kennebunkport. Western Ave. becomes Spring St. once you enter Kennebunkport. Note: Restrooms are available in the lot behind Alisson's Restaurant.
14. Take the first right at the pharmacy, then an immediate left, and you will be at Dock Square which surrounds the flag pole and monument. Cross Ocean and Western Avenues at the crosswalk. The street name is on the kiosk. Dock Square is the heart of Kennebunkport, once a shipbuilding center

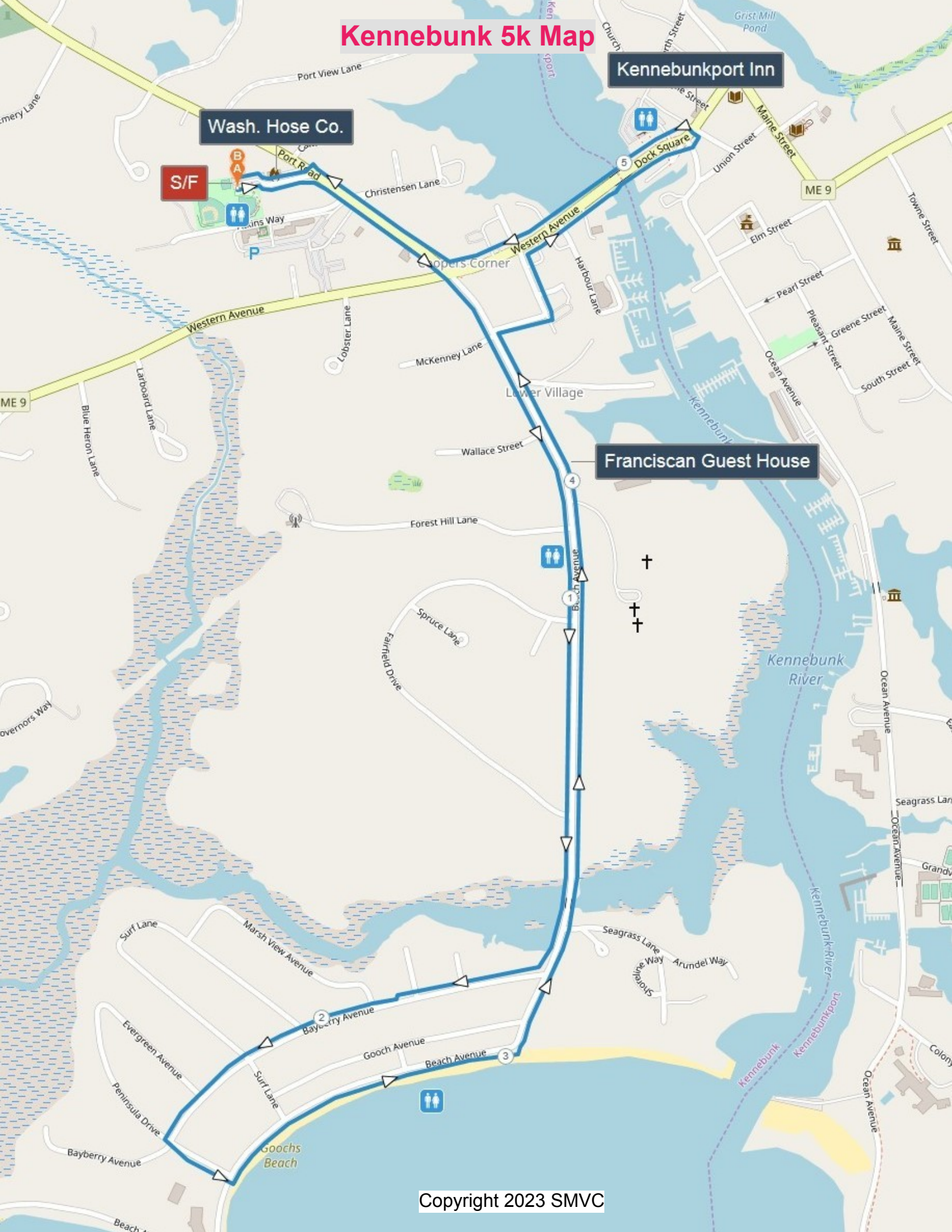
and base for seagoing traders. Today the 19th century buildings house shops and restaurants that cater to the tourist trade.

15. If you would like ice cream, continue past the Kennebunkport Inn. Rococo Ice Cream will be on your left, just a few steps away.
16. Go back across the causeway bridge. Turn right on Port Rd. and return to the start/finish.

Congratulations! You have completed SMVA's Kennebunk/Kennebunkport 5k Beach Walk. We hope you enjoyed it! There's always something going on in Kennebunk/Kennebunkport – come back again soon!

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Kennebunk 5k Map



Wash. Hose Co.

Kennebunkport Inn

S/F

Franciscan Guest House

KENNEBUNKPORT SEASONAL WALK 10K Walker's Point (Bush Family Compound)

1. As you exit the Lower Village Park, cross Port Road at crosswalk, then turn RIGHT.

2. At the intersection of Port Road and Route 9, cross Route 9 at the light. Continue on that road which becomes Beach Ave.

3. Pass by Chase Hill Road and Doane's Wharf Rd. About a hundred feet beyond the end of the paved sidewalk, turn left on the driveway to St. Anthony's Franciscan Monastery/Guest House. This property was purchased in 1947 by Lithuanian Franciscans who were exiled when the Soviet Union overran their homeland during World War II. NOTE: Dogs are NOT allowed on Monastery property.

4. Follow the driveway to the Monastery (a large Tudor-style building). Restrooms are available in the building to the right of the Monastery (may be open seasonally).

5. Walk in front of the Monastery, down the slight grade to the parking lot. There are trails from this parking lot – not officially part of this 10k

walk but available (difficult for wheelchairs or strollers).

6. From that parking lot, turn around and go back the way you came.

7. Turn right on Beach Ave. (do not cross the street as the sidewalk resumes in front of the Guest House) and proceed to Chase Hill Rd. (second right, opposite the white picket fence).

8. Turn right on Chase Hill Rd., following as it turns left before the parking lot. Go down the hill – passing Maine Art on your right. The road ends at Western Ave. (no sign).

9. Turn right on Western Ave.

10. Walk across the causeway and bridge into Kennebunkport. Western Ave. becomes Spring St. Restrooms are available in the lot behind Alisson's Restaurant. If you would like ice cream, continue straight past the Kennebunkport Inn. Rococo Ice Cream will be on your left just a few steps away.

11. Take a right at the pharmacy then an immediate left and walk around Dock Square which surrounds the flag pole and monument. Dock Square is the heart of Kennebunkport. Once a shipbuilding center and base for seafaring traders, today the 19th

century buildings house shops and restaurants that cater to the tourist trade.

12. Continue through Dock Square on Ocean Ave. The street name is on the kiosk. Take a right.

13. From Dock Square (Ocean Ave.), continue on the sidewalk past the unique shops and restaurants in town. Please walk on the sidewalks and cross at the crosswalks.

14. Continue on the sidewalk. At the Village Green, corner of Ocean Ave. and Green St., you will see Ganny's Garden, a special tribute to Barbara Bush, given by her 17 grandchildren in September 2011. The grandchildren's initials are randomly engraved in the stone walls which surround the garden. In addition, 17 trees have been included in the design. Plaques and bronze features include a copy of her favorite book 'Pride and Prejudice', a pair of her famous mix-matched Keds sneakers, and her iconic straw sun hat, all positioned as though she had just been there.

15. Cross Ocean Ave. at Green St. Continue on Ocean Ave. and cross at Colony Ave. – stay on the sidewalk.

16. Continue on Ocean Ave., crossing over at Haverhill Ave. See the sign to Parson's Way.

17. The estate on the oceanside is Walker's Point, the Bush Family Compound.

18. Continue past the Compound and turn around at the guard shack. Look for a STOP sign ('Authorized Vehicles Only').

19. Follow sidewalks back the way you came. At Union Square (Ben & Jerry's), there are restrooms.

20. Ocean Ave. will end in Dock Square (becomes Western Ave.).

21. Cross Western Ave. at the pharmacy. Restrooms are available behind Alisson's Restaurant.

22. Walk over the causeway to Kennebunk.

23. At the traffic light, turn right. 24. Cross Port Rd at Harbour Village sign. Continue to Start Point/parking area.

CONGRATULATIONS and thanks for walking the Kennebunk/Kennebunkport 10k walk. We hope you enjoyed this walk. Come back often as there is always something going on in the Kennebunks.

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Kennebunk 10k Map

