

Washtenaw Wanderers Volkssporting Club's

Seasonal Event Y2461

April 1st – September 30th

Holland, Michigan



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This event supports only the Online Start Box (OSB)

Please use the Online Start Box (OSB) to register and complete the event. The sponsoring club only receives credit for OSB participation when an OSB registration has been completed online by entering your participation date, distances, and any special programs using the OSB.

START/FINISH LOCATION:

Foxtail Coffee, 57 E. Eighth St., Holland, MI 49423

GPS coordinates: Latitude 42.7906, Longitude -86.1046

DRIVING DIRECTIONS:

From westbound I-196: Take exit 55 onto I-196 Bus. and continue on Chicago Dr. for 5 miles. Turn right on Lincoln Ave. Turn left on 7th St. Turn left on College Ave, then right on Eighth St. **Foxtail Coffee** is on the right.

From northbound I-196: Take exit 44 onto I-96 Bus (US 31). In 2 miles take exit 47 onto I-196 Bus (US 3, Washington Ave.) In 3 miles turn right on 9th St. Turn left on College Ave., then turn left on Eighth St. **Foxtail Coffee** is on the right.

From southbound US 31: Turn right on Chicago Dr. In 1 mile turn right on Lincoln Ave. Turn left on 7th St. Turn left on College Ave., then right on Eighth St. **Foxtail Coffee** is on the right.

PARKING:

Parking is available along Eighth St. or in the lot behind Ferris Coffee off Seventh St.

RESTROOMS/WATER:

Restrooms are available at the start/finish when open, and along the trail. It is recommended that you carry water as well.

TRAIL DESCRIPTION:

The 6K/10K trail is on paved roads and sidewalks. It will start in the historic downtown, then through surrounding neighborhoods. The trail continues through Kollen Park and Heinz Waterfront Walkway before heading back to town and through the beautiful Hope College campus. The walk finishes up with a view of the famous De Zwaan Windmill. The trail is rated 1A on the alpha-numeric scale that measures the level of difficulty of elevation and terrain. The trail is suitable for strollers and wheelchairs. Pets are allowed on the trail if leashed.

POINT OF CONTACT:

Tom Crabill..... Phone: (260) 409-1659 email: tjcrabill@gmail.com

HOLLAND 6K WALK DIRECTIONS

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

1. Exit **Foxtail Coffee, 57 E. Eighth St.**, and turn **right** on Eighth St. for 4 blocks.
2. Continue **straight** through the farmer's market.
3. Turn **left** on Maple St.
4. Turn **right** on Ninth St. (**1K**) staying on the right hand side of the road.
5. Cross Washington Blvd. and **continue** on Ninth St. for another half block.
6. Take the crosswalk across Eighth St. and continue **straight** ahead on the sidewalk.
7. At the next intersection turn **left** for a short distance.
8. At the next intersection turn **right**, then **left**, then **left** again, taking the walkway around the Boatworks Waterfront Restaurant with the water on your right. (If the iron gate is closed continue across the parking lot in front of the restaurant and pick up the trail.)
9. Continue on the sidewalk as it curves **right** into Kollen Park.
10. Just past the parking lot turn **right** and continue on the walkway always staying **right** and keeping the water and blue railing on your right. (**2K** at the gazebo and *playground*), a short distance further on the left is the *Kollen Park Band Shell*.
11. After crossing the road at the boat launch turn **left** on the sidewalk and go up the steps towards the road.
12. Before the railroad tracks turn **left** on the sidewalk and follow it to the Kollen Park entrance at 12th St.
13. Turn **right** at the crosswalk to cross Kollen Park Dr.
14. Continue **straight** ahead on 12th St. for 5 blocks. (**3K** after crossing Van Raalte Blvd.)
15. Carefully cross River Ave. and **enter** Centennial Park, taking the sidewalk diagonally towards the water fountain. (**4K**)
16. **Continue** around the fountain clockwise 1/2 turn and turn **left** to walk diagonally to Tenth St. & Central Ave. (The *Veterans Memorial* is off to the left.)
17. Turn **right** on Tenth St. for 2 blocks.
18. Turn **left** on Columbia Ave. to Sixth St., the *Jack H. Miller Center for Musical Arts* is at 221 Columbia Ave. (**5K**)
19. After crossing Sixth St. continue **straight** ahead, passing Freedom Village on your right, until you reach Window on the Waterfront just past Fourth St. (If you look ahead and slightly to the right you will see the De Zwaan windmill.)
20. Turn **left** on the paved path with the river/swamp on your right towards the overlook.
21. Just before the ramp turn **left** on the path then **left** again, walking towards a small parking lot.
22. Turn **right** taking the sidewalk to the right of the parking lot then angle **right** heading towards the mound with two statues on it that face Sixth St.
23. Turn **right** on Sixth St. a short distance to College Ave.
24. Turn **left** on College Ave.
25. Turn **right** on Eighth St. back to the start point.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS:

- Par-For-The-Course** – Playground in Kollen Park
- Step to the Beat** – Kollen Park Band Shell and the Jack H. Miller Center for Musical Arts, 221 Columbia Ave.
- Walking with America's Veterans** - Veterans Memorial in Centennial Park

In case of Emergency: Dial 911
Event related assistance: Tom Crabill 260-409-1659

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HOLLAND 10K WALK DIRECTIONS

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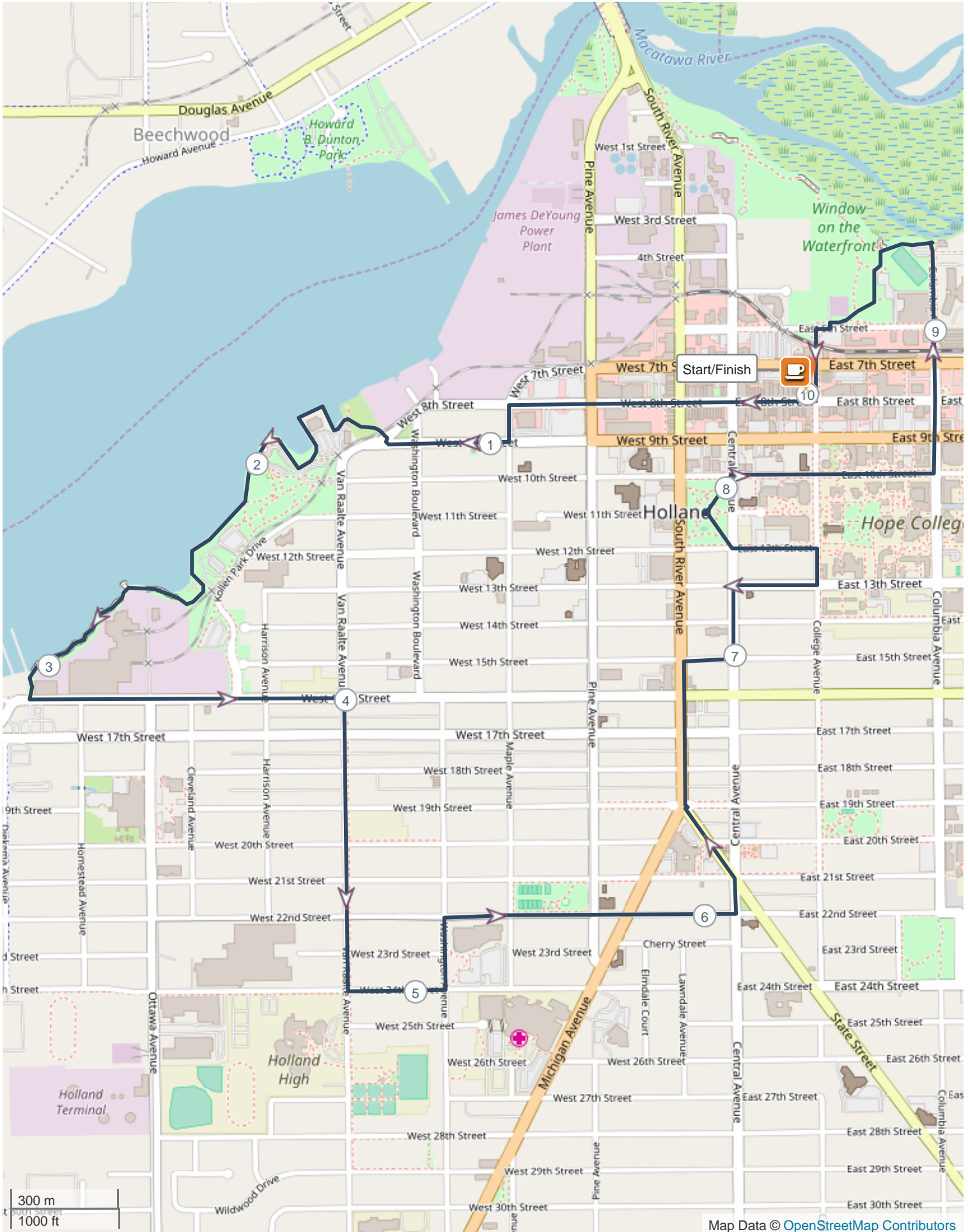
1. Exit **Foxtail Coffee, 57 E. Eighth St.**, and turn **right** on Eighth St. for 4 blocks.
2. Continue **straight** through the farmer's market.
3. Turn **left** on Maple St.
4. Turn **right** on Ninth St. (**1K**) staying on the right hand side of the road.
5. Cross Washington Blvd. and **continue** on Ninth St. for another half block.
6. Take the crosswalk across Eighth St. and continue **straight** ahead on the sidewalk.
7. At the next intersection turn **left** for a short distance.
8. At the next intersection turn **right**, then **left**, then **left** again, taking the walkway around the Boatworks Waterfront Restaurant with the water on your right. (If the iron gate is closed continue across the parking lot in front of the restaurant and pick up the trail.)
9. Continue on the sidewalk as it curves **right** into Kollen Park.
10. Just past the parking lot turn **right** and continue on the walkway always **staying right** and keeping the water and blue railing on your right. (**2K** at the gazebo and **playground**.), a short distance further on the left is the **Kollen Park Band Shell**.
11. **Continue** around the boat launch to the barrel entrance of Heinz Waterfront Walkway.
12. Take the walkway **straight** ahead following the blue railing keeping the water to your right until reaching 16th St. (**3K** when leaving water)
13. Turn **left** on 16th St. for 5 blocks. (**4K**)
14. Cross and turn **right** on Van Raalte Ave. for 8 short blocks.
15. Turn **left** on 24th St.
16. Turn **left** on Washington Blvd. (**5K**)
17. Cross and turn **right** on 22nd St. for 4 blocks. (Use caution when crossing Michigan Ave.)
18. Turn **left** on Central Ave. (**6K**)
19. Angle **left** on State St. past Evergreen Commons on the left where Michigan Ave., River Ave., and State St. meet.
20. Take the crosswalk to cross State St. then **turn** left, now walking on the sidewalk on the right side of River Ave.
21. **Continue** on River Ave. for 4 blocks.
22. Cross and turn **right** on 15th St.
23. Turn **left** on Central St. (**7K**)
24. Cross and turn **right** on 13th St.
25. Turn **left** on College Ave.
26. Turn **left** on 12th St.
27. Cross Central Ave., then cross 12th St., and **enter** Centennial Park, taking the sidewalk diagonally towards the water fountain. (**8K**)
28. **Continue** around the fountain clockwise 3/4 turn and turn **left** to walk diagonally to Tenth St. & Central Ave. (The **Veterans Memorial** is off to the left.)
29. Turn **right** on Tenth St. for 2 blocks.
30. Turn **left** on Columbia Ave. to Sixth St., the **Jack H. Miller Center for Musical Arts** is at 221 Columbia Ave. (**9K**),
31. After crossing Sixth St. continue **straight** ahead, passing Freedom Village on your right, until you reach Window on the Waterfront just past Fourth St. (If you look ahead and slightly to the right, you will see the De Zwaan windmill.)
32. Turn **left** on the paved path with the river/swamp on your right towards the overlook.
33. Just before the ramp turn **left** on the path then **left** again, walking towards a small parking lot.
34. Turn **right** taking the sidewalk to the right of the parking lot then angle **right** heading towards the mound with two statues on it that face Sixth St.
35. Turn **right** on Sixth St. a short distance to College Ave.
36. Turn **left** on College Ave.
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Step to the Beat – Kollen Park Band Shell and the Jack H. Miller Center for Musical Arts, 221 Columbia Ave.
Walking with America's Veterans – Veterans Memorial in Centennial Park

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Washtenaw Wanderers Volkssporting Club

2026 Year-Round Events:

Lansing - Capital

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2026 Seasonal Events:

April 1st – May 31st

Ann Arbor-Downtown & Argo Park

April 1st – September 30th

Grand Haven

Holland

Mackinac Island

Mackinaw City

Marquette

Northville-ITC Trail

Port Huron

Saint Joseph

Sault Ste Marie

South Haven

South Lyon

April 1st – October 31st

Maybury State Park

April 1st – December 31st

Frankenmuth

May 1st – October 31st

Westland Hines Parkway Trail

June 1st – September 30th

William C Sterling State Park

September 1st – November 30th

Island Lake State Recreation Area

Also, check on the Washtenaw Wanderers Volkssporting (Walking) Club Facebook Page www.facebook.com/washtenawwanderers/ for additional opportunities to do informal walks on Tuesdays or Wednesdays.