

The Olympic Peninsula Explorers Volkssport Club Welcomes You to the Port Townsend – Chetzemoka Interpretive Trail Walk

The walk is 5k, 10k, and 21k (2B) and are on almost entirely on pavement with some moderate hill or stair climbing. Strollers: No, Wheelchairs: No, Pets: Yes, Restroom: Yes.

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http://www.tribalmuseum.jamestowntribe.org/hsg/exhibits/chetzemokatrail/ct_menu.php

Walk on backroads and trails on the Chetzemoka Interpretive Trail, which connects many points of Tribal, geographic and historic interest in Port Townsend. 21k route includes North Beach and Fort Worden.

The walks start and end at Chetzemoka Park, 1000 Jackson St, Port Townsend, WA.

Walk Registration:

Registration takes place online using the AVA Online Start Box, on

<http://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 and print as needed. The POC does not provide event directions or accept alternate payment methods.

Walk Completion and Walk Credit:

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.

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WELCOME TO OUR YEAR ROUND EVENT
Chief Chetzemoka Interpretive Trail Walk

OLYMPIC PENINSULA EXPLORERS VOLKSSPORT CLUB
5 km Rated 2B **YRE 2595**

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1. Enter the park via the main gate. Upon entering the park look down the hill towards the water to the **RIGHT** and head to the Legend Kiosk just past the picnic table. ‡
2. After reading the signs at the kiosk, go down the incline and turn **RIGHT** along the beach. The left side of the ramp is easier to use.
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3. Keeping the water on your **LEFT** pass the houses and when you see a park bench on your **RIGHT** enter the trail and turn **LEFT** on the water side/front of the bench and follow the trail to the lone big tree.
4. Just after the big tree, look for another Trail Sign. Turn **RIGHT** and cross the street and walk between the buildings and turn **RIGHT** and walk until you come to the street and turn **LEFT**. ‡
5. Turn **LEFT** on Jackson to Water Street. Turn **RIGHT** on Water St. staying on the right side of the street. You will pass in front of the Northwest Maritime Center and totem on your left. ‡
6. Continue **STRAIGHT** on Water St to Taylor and turn **LEFT**. (crosswalks are partially closed.) Go out to the end of Union Wharf and enjoy the view of Indian Island. ‡
7. Return to Water St and **CROSS**. Turn **RIGHT** on Water to Madison. **LEFT** on Madison. Go past City Hall Memorial Field gate. ‡
8. Turn **LEFT** and read the Trail Sign just past the cannons. ‡
9. **CROSS** Washington at the crosswalk and turn **RIGHT**. Follow Washington up the hill.
10. **CROSS** Washington at Harrison and continue on Washington to Van Buren. ‡
11. Turn **RIGHT** on Van Buren. Stay on Van

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Buren all the way to Blaine. **CROSS** Blaine and look for the Trail Sign. [5k/10k CHECKPOINT] When finished, **CROSS** Blaine again and turn **LEFT**. ‡

13. At Monroe, turn **LEFT** and go to Blaine. **CROSS** Blaine, then turn **RIGHT** and **CROSS** Monroe at crosswalk. Continue to the main entrance to Chetzemoka Park. ‡

12. From Blaine, turn **RIGHT** on Harrison. Turn **LEFT** on Garfield (sign hidden). Continue on to Tyler and **CROSS**, turn **RIGHT** and a sharp **LEFT** onto Garfield.

14. End

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11. **CROSS** Washington at Harrison and continue on Washington to Van Buren. ‡
12. Turn **RIGHT** on Van Buren
13. **LEFT** on Jefferson and **RIGHT** on Scott
14. **LEFT** on Clay down the hill **CROSS** Kearney at crosswalk and enter the Kah Tai Lagoon Nature Park trail. When you come to the ‘Y’ take the **LEFT** fork until you reach the restrooms. Read the Trail Sign on the left side of the shelter. ‡
15. Return to the front side of the restroom

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AVA Challenges: Walk the USA A-Z, Rockin Around the Clock, Mayflower 400th Anniversary, Little Free Libraries

- shelter and turn **LEFT** and follow the path and turn **LEFT** again.
16. Exit the trail and **CROSS** Landes. Turn **RIGHT** to 24th.
 17. Turn **LEFT** on 24th.
 18. **CROSS** Discovery at the crosswalk and turn **LEFT** Then **RIGHT** into the Cemetery take the first **RIGHT** and follow road up the hill to the grave marked by a Trail Sign. ‡
 19. Retrace your steps and Exit the cemetery. turn **LEFT** on Discovery and **RIGHT** on 24th. ‡
 20. Turn **RIGHT** on San Juan and **CROSS** 19th at the crosswalk. Continue **LEFT** on 19th, When there is a bend in the road the street becomes Blaine
 21. Continue on Blaine. Just before the Walker street you will see an entrance to the golf course on the left. **CROSS** Blaine at the crosswalk just before the bus shelter and turn **LEFT** back to the entrance to the golf course.
 22. Go straight ahead and you will see the statue of Chief Chetzemoka. Turn around and head back the way you entered and, on the **LEFT**, you will see a Trail Sign by the white chain fence (Kah Tai Prairie). ‡ ‡
 23. Return to exit the golf course and turn **LEFT** on Blaine. At the intersection of Walker turn **RIGHT**.
 24. Carefully **CROSS** Walker and turn **LEFT** on Garfield.
 25. **CROSS** Van Buren and turn **LEFT**.
 26. **CROSS** Blaine and look for the Trail Sign. When finished, **CROSS** Blaine again and turn **LEFT**. ‡
 27. From Blaine turn **RIGHT** on Harrison.
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1. Facing away from the park main gate, turn **LEFT** on Jackson to Lawrence St. **YOU WILL BE WALKING THE 21K BIKE ROUTE. FOLLOW THE BIKE PLACARDS.**
2. **RIGHT** on Lawrence St. to Monroe St (unmarked) at stop sign.
3. **LEFT** on Monroe St. to Jefferson St.
4. **LEFT** on Jefferson St. to the end (Hudson St.).
5. Turn **RIGHT** on Hudson St and follow it all the way around Point Hudson and back to Jefferson St.
6. Turn **LEFT** on Jefferson St. to Monroe St.
7. Turn **LEFT** on Monroe St. to Water St.
8. **RIGHT** on Water St. to Madison St.
9. **RIGHT** on Madison St. to Washington St passing the main gate to Memorial Field.
10. Turn **LEFT** on Washington St.
11. Continue on Washington St. until Van Buren St. Turn **RIGHT** on Van Buren.
12. Take the next **LEFT** on Jefferson St.
13. Continue on Jefferson St past the County Courthouse to Scott St.
14. Turn **RIGHT** on Scott St.
15. Turn **LEFT** on Clay St and go down the steep hill to Kearney St.
16. Carefully **CROSS** Kearney St at the crosswalk and enter Kah Tai Park on the public trail.
17. At the first fork, keep to the **LEFT** and head towards the restrooms.
18. Just before the restrooms, turn **RIGHT** and then **LEFT** leaving the park near 14th St and Landes St behind the Haines Place Park and Ride.
19. Turn **RIGHT** on Landes St. Stay on Landes St. until 24th St.
20. Turn **LEFT** on 24th St. to Discovery Rd.
21. Carefully cross Discovery Rd and turn left.
22. Enter the Laurel Grove Cemetery and take the immediate **RIGHT** on the gravel road.

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23. Follow this gravel road up the hill to the grave marked with a sign.
24. Reverse course, exit the cemetery, **CROSS** and turn **LEFT** on Discovery Rd.
25. Turn **RIGHT** on 24th St to San Juan Ave.
26. Turn **RIGHT** on San Juan Ave to 19th St/Blaine St. Note: 19th St becomes Blaine St at the San Juan Ave intersection.
27. Turn **LEFT** on Blaine St to the entrance to the Port Townsend Golf Club (just before Walker St.
28. Turn **LEFT** and follow the road to the Chief Chetzemoka statue.
29. Reverse course and go back to Blaine St. Turn **LEFT** to Walker St.
30. **RIGHT** on Walker Street.
31. In 1.5 Blocks, turn **LEFT** on Garfield St. to Van Buren St.
32. Turn **LEFT** on Van Buren St. for one block to Blaine St.
33. Turn **LEFT** on Blaine St. to Pierce St. **RIGHT** on Pierce St and it curves to the left and becomes Van Ness St.
34. At Benton St., turn **RIGHT**. Benton St. becomes Fir St.
35. Turn **LEFT** at F Street until you get to the entrance of the Valley Trail. This is just after Olympic Ave and before the Colinwood Farm Produce Stand.
36. Stay on the trail all the way to Tremont St. Carefully **CROSS** Tremont St. and continue on Pacific Ave.
37. At the “T” intersection, turn **LEFT** on Cedar St. to San Juan Ave.
38. Turn **LEFT** on San Juan Ave to 37th St.
39. **RIGHT** on 37th St to the end and enter the Public Trail.
40. Turn **RIGHT** on the trail at the “T” intersection then veer right at the Y toward the paved path and continue to 41st St.
41. Turn **RIGHT** on 41st St for a very short distance and turn **LEFT** on Jackman St.
42. Stay on Jackman St until you come to the entrance to the Public Trail just after 52st St.
43. Enter the trail to the **RIGHT** and continue to 52nd St.
44. At the next intersection, turn **LEFT** on Landes St. to 57th St.
45. **RIGHT** on 57th St to Kuhn St.
46. **LEFT** on Kuhn St all the way to North Beach County Park.
47. Enter the trail closest to the beach to the **RIGHT** and travel across the field on the North Beach Trail, keeping left to walk away from the lagoon and into the woods.
48. Stay on this trail until you come to Mule Barn Rd. You are now in Fort Worden State Park.
49. Continue on Mule Barn Rd to paved road. Veer **LEFT** and then **RIGHT** on the first street. (Registered Guests Only sign)..
50. **LEFT** on Eisenhower Ave. to Harbor Defense Way.
51. **LEFT** on Harbor Defense Way all the way

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- to Point Wilson Lighthouse.
52. REVERSE course and stay on Harbor Defense Way until you get to Pershing Ave.
53. Turn **RIGHT** on Pershing Ave. to Fort Worden Way.
54. Turn **LEFT** on Fort Worden Way and leave the park.
55. Turn **RIGHT** on W St. to Redwood St.
56. **LEFT** on Redwood St. Redwood St. becomes Cherry St. at O St.
57. At M St., turn **LEFT**. Just before M St jogs to the left there is a trail at the No Outlet sign. You will cross N St and continue on Rose St to the next trail entrance.
58. **CROSS** O St and enter the Public Trail to P St (the first cross street that you reach).
59. Turn **RIGHT** on P St.
60. At Bryan St, veer **RIGHT** to take the Public Trail to Reed St.
61. Turn **LEFT** on Reed St., carefully crossing Jackson St and continuing to the dead end.
62. Reverse Course to Monroe St and turn **LEFT** to Roosevelt St.
63. Turn **LEFT** on Roosevelt St and then a quick **RIGHT** to continue on Monroe St.
64. At Blaine St. turn **LEFT** to Jackson St.
65. End

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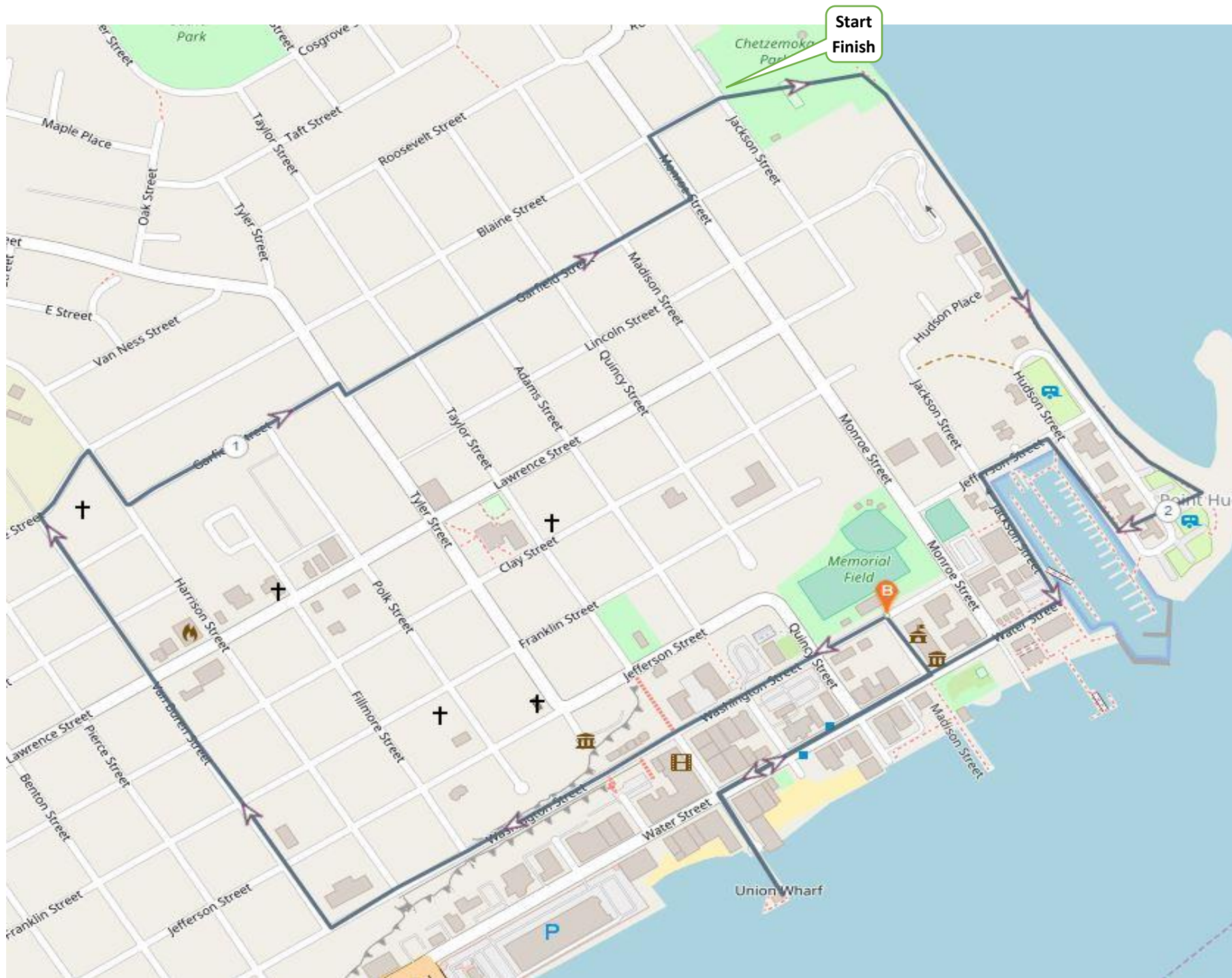
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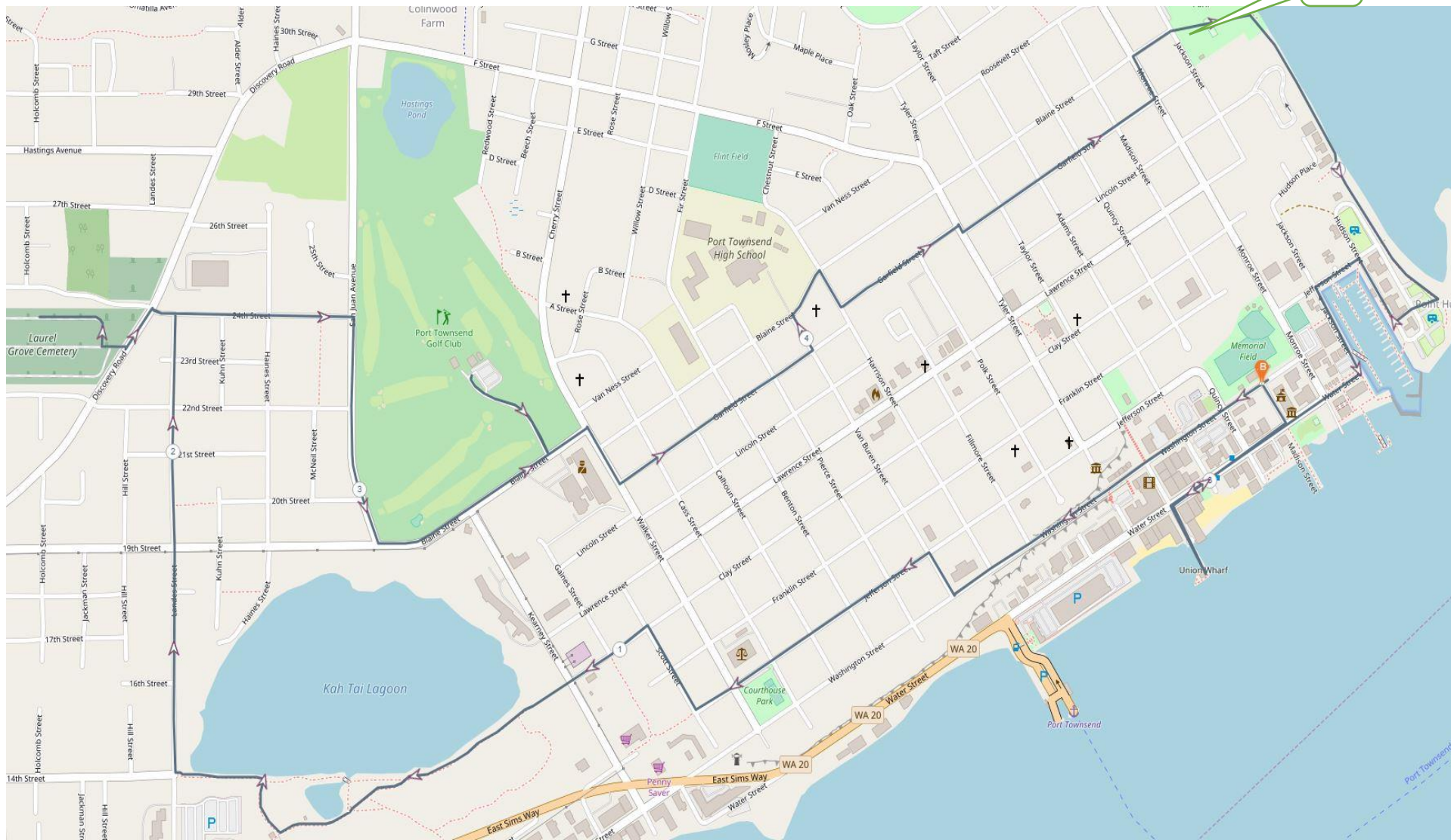
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PT Chetzemoka 5k Walk



Chetzemoka 10k Map

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Chetzemoka 21k Walk\Bike Map - Part 1

