

SOUTH CLE ELUM SEASONAL WALK EVENT

In Kittitas County - Y2962
Central Washington Sun Striders
5K and 10K Rated 1B

This OSB information packet consists of the following four pages of information:

1. This information page with driving directions, restroom and other info.
2. The 5K and 10K walk directions page.
3. The 5K map page.
4. The 10K map page.

Driving directions to the walk start

From Snoqualmie Pass:

Drive east on I-90. Take Exit 84. The exit ramp will curve over I-90 to a stoplight. Go STRAIGHT through the stoplight and down the hill to the next stoplight. Turn RIGHT on Hartwig Blvd which will go under the freeway, over the river and changes names to South Cle Elum Way. Turn RIGHT on Madison Ave. Turn LEFT on 6th Street. Turn RIGHT on Milwaukee Rd. Gravel parking lot on your LEFT. **Washington State Discover Pass required** to park in the gravel Palouse to Cascades State Park parking lot or you can park elsewhere in S. Cle Elum on the city streets for free. Discover Passes may not be available at the parking lot.

From Ellensburg:

Drive west on I-90. Take Exit 84. At the "T", Turn RIGHT on Oakes Avenue. CROSS the railroad tracks and immediately turn LEFT on Railroad Street. At the stop sign "T", turn LEFT on Hartwig Blvd which will go under the freeway, over the river and changes names to South Cle Elum Way. Turn RIGHT on Madison Ave. Turn LEFT on 6th Street. Turn RIGHT on Milwaukee Rd. Gravel parking lot on your LEFT. **Washington State Discover Pass required** to park in the gravel Palouse to Cascades State Park parking lot or you can park elsewhere in S. Cle Elum on the city streets for free. Discover Passes may not be available at the parking lot.

Gravel parking lot coordinates: 47.11' 02.66" N 120.57' 12.88" W

Restrooms:

Vault toilet is available at the trailhead parking lot.

Words-to-the-Wise and Other Info:

During cold mornings in the early spring or late fall, there may be icy patches especially where temps are below freezing at night and where the sun hasn't shone on or melted ice on walk surfaces. In April, there may still be snow patches on the trail. During hot summer days, carry water and bring your own shade as some portions of the walk are unshaded.

Thanks for participating in our South Cle Elum walk. There are walks nearby in Cle Elum, Suncadia, and Roslyn. There are also walks in Ellensburg.

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IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CALL 911

5K Directions

1. Facing Milwaukee Rd, turn **RIGHT**.
2. Turn **LEFT** on 6th Street to Lincoln Ave.
At 6th and Lincoln is city hall. (*Flagpole base has a plaque that qualifies for Walk With America's Veterans*).
3. Turn **AROUND** and return on 6th St to Milwaukee Rd.
4. Turn **RIGHT** on Milwaukee Rd to park lot.
5. Angle **LEFT** across parking lot and go up gravel access trail to the rail trail.
6. Angle **RIGHT** on rail trail past the caboose on right to second kiosk on your left.
7. Turn **LEFT** onto the South Cle Elum Rail Yard Nat'l Hist. Dist. loop trail. You will pass Interp signs 1-18 on the loop trail.
8. Turn **RIGHT** at sign #4 and continue on the loop trail.
9. Back at the rail trail facing the depot, turn **LEFT** on the rail trail.
10. **CONTINUE** on rail trail 1.7K to Tillman Creek bridge (signed).
11. Turn **AROUND** at the bridge and return on the rail trail past the depot and caboose.
12. Angle **LEFT** on the gravel trail back to the parking lot and your vehicle.

Thank you for walking our South Cle Elum walk.

Be sure to log back into the OSB system (my.ava.org) to finish/complete your online registration after doing the walk. The OSB system does not deduct any walking fee from a walker's Event Bank until they have submitted walk completion info including the date the event was walked, the distance walked, and the selection of applicable special programs that walker is participating in. (Nevertheless, a fee of \$2 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 walker's Event Bank when he/she submits the walk completion info as a paying for credit walker.) The \$2 "coupon" for the downloaded pdf expires in 60 days.

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10K Directions

1. Facing the road, Turn **RIGHT** on Milwaukee Rd.
2. Turn **LEFT** on 6th Street.
At 6th and Lincoln is city hall. (*Flagpole base has a plaque that qualifies for Walk With America's Veterans*).
3. Turn **LEFT** on Washington Ave.
4. Turn **LEFT** on Main St.
5. Turn **RIGHT** on Madison Ave.
6. At far end of chainlink fence that goes along Fireman's Mem. Park, turn **LEFT** on gravel access drive. Walk the gravel drive along the edge of the park following the fence line.
7. Turn **LEFT** on Garfield Ave. (unsigned).
8. Turn **RIGHT** on 7th Street.
9. **CROSS** Milwaukee Rd into trailhead park lot
10. In trailhead parking lot, angle **RIGHT** and go uphill on the gravel trail to the rail trail.
11. Angle **RIGHT** on rail trail past the caboose on your right to second kiosk on your left.
12. Turn **LEFT** onto the South Cle Elum Rail Yard Nat'l Hist. Dist. loop trail.
13. Turn **RIGHT** at sign #4 and continue on the loop trail.
14. Back at the rail trail facing the depot, turn **LEFT** on the rail trail.
15. **CONTINUE** on the rail trail about 3.5K to **CROSS** the Yakima River bridge (signed).
16. Turn **AROUND** at the end of the bridge and return on the rail trail past the depot and caboose to gate just before 6th St (unsigned).
17. Turn **AROUND** on the railtrail and return to the gravel access trail that goes back to the parking lot.
18. Turn sharp **RIGHT** on the access trail back to the parking lot and your vehicle.

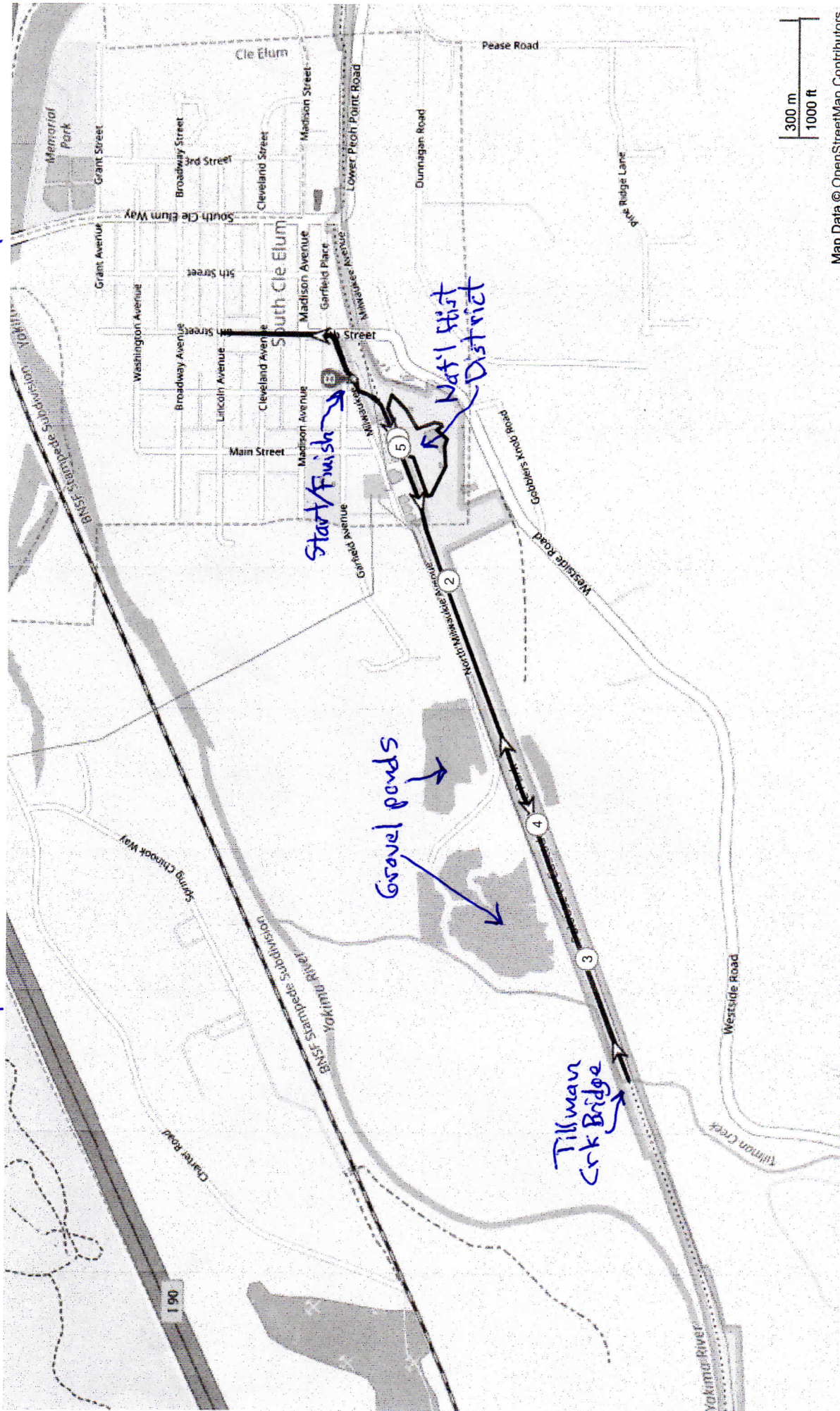
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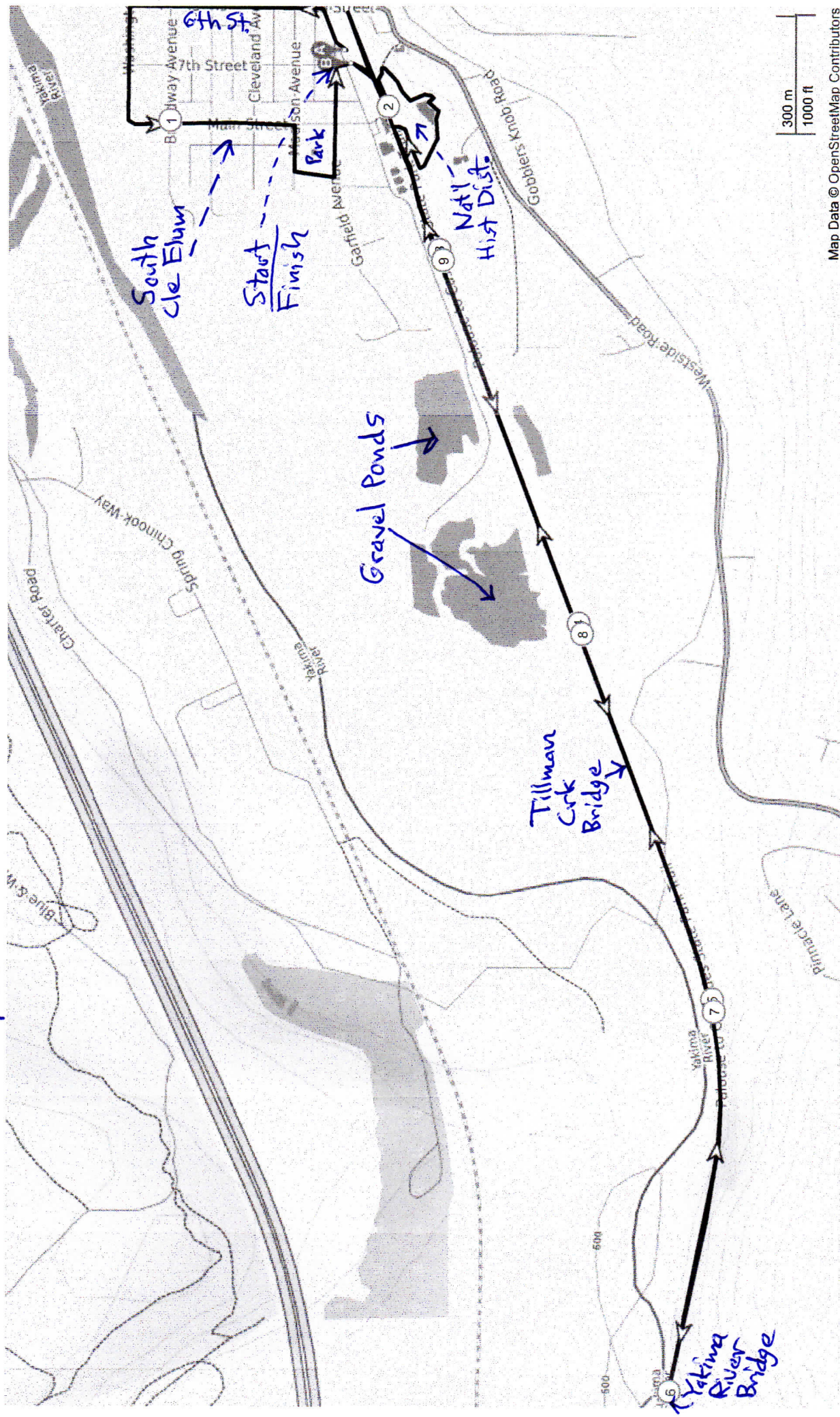
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South Cle Elum 10K



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