



Opelousas - St Landry Parish Walk  
The East Texas Trekkers  
Welcomes You to  
Opelousas  
St Landry Parish  
AVA Sanctioned Year Round Event



This walk is composed of 5km and 10km routes. The walk is rated 1A and is along city sidewalks. The walk passes the parish courthouse and historic homes and buildings. The walk starts at the Opelousas Visitor Information Center and includes the Le Vieux Village Historical Park & Heritage Museum and the Louisiana Orphan Train Museum. The museum tells the history of the orphan train riders who came to the area from the New York Foundling Hospital from 1854 to 1929. Restrooms are available at the start point and at various businesses along the route.

**Walk Registration:**

Please use the Online Start Box (OSB) or contact the POC register remotely. If using the OSB, then complete the walk online as indicated below. If registering remotely, insert cards will be mailed to you. Directions and stamp will be available during the MLK weekend events Jan 12-16 from the POC.

**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.

**Driving Directions to Start Point:**

The walk starts at the Opelousas Visitor Information Center at 828 E Landry in Opelousas. From I-49 (US-167), take the US-190 exit west toward Opelousas. Just after US-190 splits into one-way streets, the museum will be between the streets (Landry on north side, Vine on south side). Restrooms available at the start and at various businesses along the route.

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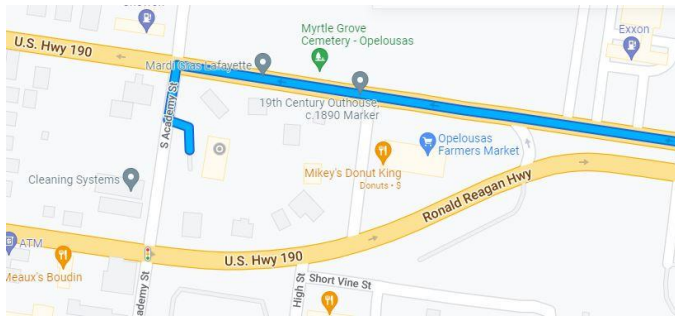
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**Opelousas – St Landry Parish – 10K**

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Drive to the Opelousas Tourists Information Center at 828 E Landry in Opelousas located between the divided one-way streets (Landry and Vine) which makeup US-190. From I-49 (US-167), take US-190 west to the visitor center.

**Special Programs: Rockin' Around the Clock, Walking with America's , take, City Halls**

1. **From the museum's parking lot**, walk to Landry St (north side).
2. **CROSS** Landry to the main entrance to the Myrtle Grove Cemetery. Follow the road around the middle park of the cemetery and exit to the left on Academy.
3. **RIGHT** on Academy 1+ blocks to North St.
4. **LEFT** on North 1 block to Cane St.
5. **LEFT** on Cane St 1 block to Bellevue.
6. **RIGHT** on Bellevue 4 blocks to Union.
7. **RIGHT** on Union about 8 blocks to the entrance to the Saint Landry Cemetery.
8. **RIGHT** into the cemetery about  $\frac{3}{4}$  of the way, then circle left back to the entrance.
9. **RIGHT** on Union to the church, then right between the church and the cemetery (Broussard St) to circle the cemetery on the outside and continuing to Wallier St.
10. **LEFT** on Wallier 1 block to Prudhomme St passing the athletic fields.
11. **LEFT** on Prudhomme several blocks to Main St.
12. **LEFT** on Main St about 9 blocks to Bellevue St.
13. **RIGHT** on Bellevue 1 block to Court St.
14. **RIGHT** on Court St 4 blocks to Bloch St.
15. **LEFT** on Bloch 1 block to Market St.
16. **LEFT** on Market 4 blocks to Bellevue.
17. **RIGHT** on Bellevue 1 block to Liberty.
18. **RIGHT** on Liberty 2 blocks Grolee St.
19. **LEFT** on Grolee 1 block to Railroad.
20. **LEFT** on Railroad 4 blocks to Vine St.
21. **LEFT** on Vine 1 block to Liberty.
22. **LEFT** on Liberty 1 block to Landry.
23. **RIGHT** on Landry 2 blocks to Court.
24. **RIGHT** on Court 1 block to Vine St.
25. **LEFT** on Vine 2 blocks to Union St.
26. **LEFT** on Union 1 block to Landry.
27. **RIGHT** on Landry 1 block to Walnut.
28. **RIGHT** on Walnut 2 blocks to South St.
29. **LEFT** on South 1 short block to King St.
30. **RIGHT** on King 1 block to Overton St.
31. **LEFT** on Overton St 1 block to Lombard St.
32. **LEFT** on Lombard 2 blocks to Vine St.
33. **RIGHT** on Vine St 3 blocks to Academy.
34. **LEFT** on Academy  $\frac{1}{2}$  block to the Louisiana Orphan Train Museum on the right.
35. **RIGHT** thru the museum grounds and return to your car.

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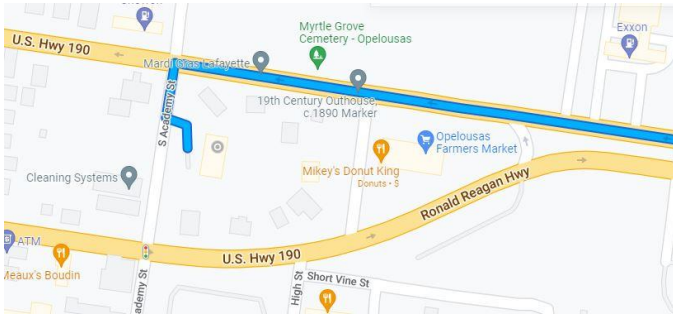
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**Opelousas – St Landry Parish – 5K**

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**Special Programs: Rockin' Around the Clock, Walking with America's Veterans, City Halls**

1. **From the museum's parking lot, walk to Landry St (north side).**
2. **CROSS** Landry to the main entrance to the Myrtle Grove Cemetery. Follow the road around the middle park of the cemetery and exit to the left on Academy.
3. **RIGHT** on Academy 1+ blocks to North St.
4. **LEFT** on North 1 block to Cane St.
5. **LEFT** on Cane St 1 block to Bellevue.
6. **RIGHT** on Bellevue 4 blocks to Union.

7. **RIGHT** on Union about 8 blocks to Church St passing the entrance to Saint Landry Cemetery.
8. **LEFT** on Church St 1 block to Main St.
9. **LEFT** on Main St about 7 blocks to Bellevue.
10. **RIGHT** on Bellevue 2 blocks to Market.
11. **LEFT** on Market 1 block to Landry.
12. **LEFT** on Landry 2 blocks to Main St.
13. **RIGHT** on Main 1 block to Vine.
14. **LEFT** on Vine 6 blocks to Academy.
15. **LEFT** on Academy ½ block to the Louisiana Orphan Train Museum on the right.
16. **RIGHT** thru the museum grounds and return to your car.

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