

## **Pocahontas 5K walk.**

Pocahontas County

Start point: 99 Court Square Pocahontas, IA 50574

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**DRIVING DIRECTIONS:** The town is located at the intersection of Iowa HWY 3 and HWY 4. Midway between HWY 4 and the Princess Park Statue, turn north on Main St. Drive three blocks to the courthouse.

**RESTROOMS** are in the courthouse if open. There is a single restroom at Princess Park, approximately 1K into the walk.

**PARKING:** There is ample free street parking around Courthouse Square.

**SPECIAL PROGRAMS:** Walking with American Veterans; Par for the Course; and City Hall/Town Hall

**TRAIL RATING:** 1A

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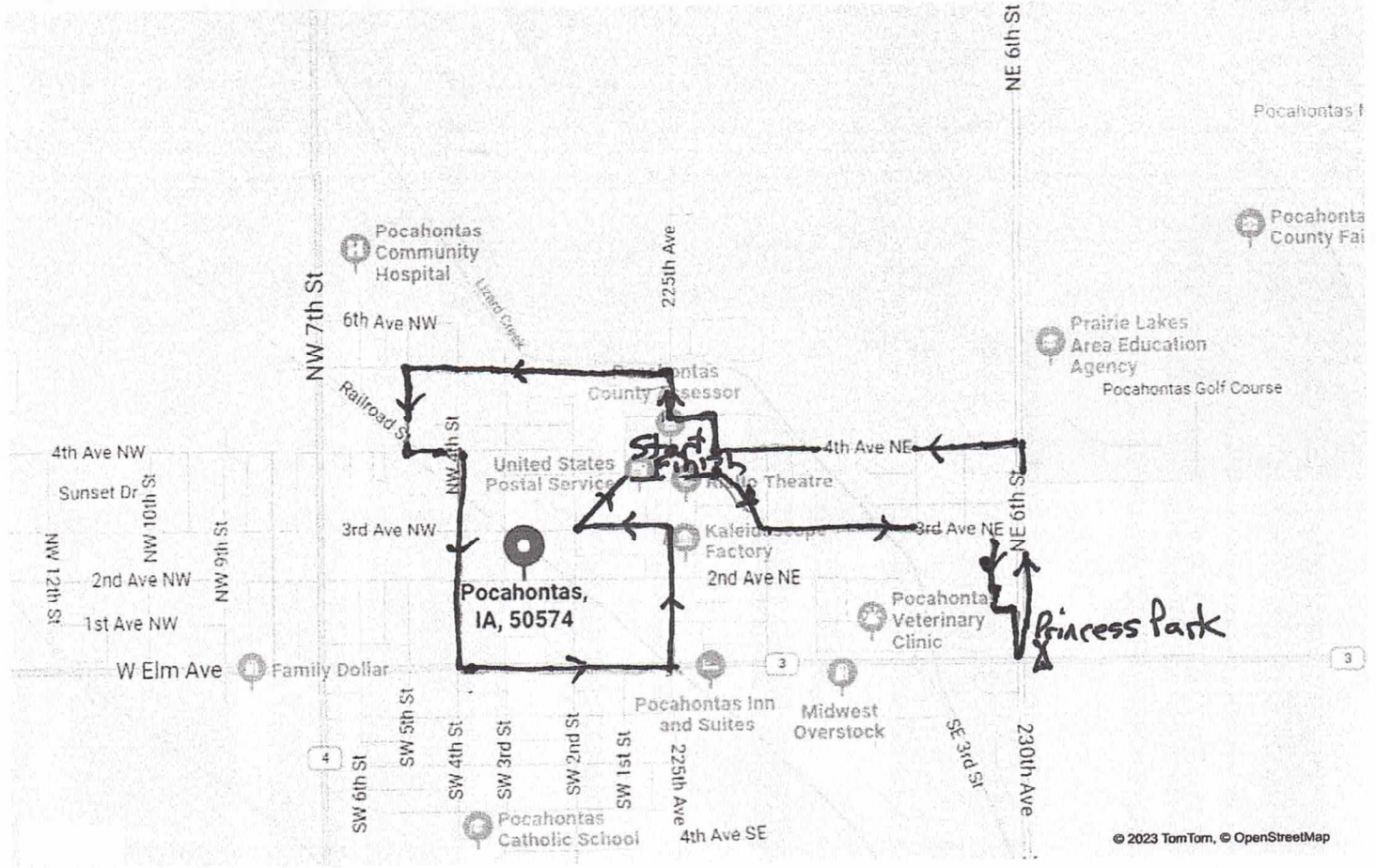
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1. From the Am Vets war memorial in front of the courthouse, facing Main Street, turn LEFT ½ block then turn diagonally RIGHT on SE Court St to 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave NE. Turn LEFT.
2. Continue straight on 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave NE to the gravel entrance to Calvary Cemetery (no sign). Turn RIGHT into the Cemetery. At second intersection, turn LEFT to NE 6<sup>th</sup> St.(1K)
3. Turn RIGHT and walk to Princess Park. *(The park is home to the 25 foot tall Pocahontas statue, a 30 foot tall teepee and a historic log cabin).*
4. After taking time to explore the park, return to NE 6<sup>th</sup> St and turn RIGHT. Continue straight to 4<sup>th</sup> Ave NE and turn LEFT.
5. Continue straight to courthouse square. (2K @ 3<sup>rd</sup> St). Turn RIGHT toward the American Legion post. Turn LEFT at the swimming pool (Par for the Course), then RIGHT at Main Street.
6. Turn LEFT on 5<sup>th</sup> Ave NW, then LEFT on NW 6<sup>th</sup> St., then turn diagonally LEFT onto railroad.
7. Turn LEFT on 4<sup>th</sup> Ave NW, then RIGHT on NW 4<sup>th</sup> St. (3K) Continue straight to HWY 3 (Elm).
8. Carefully CROSS the highway (no stop sign). *Take a few minutes to look at the yard ornaments on this corner,* then turn LEFT.
9. Walk along the highway to Main Street. Note the City Hall at 23 W Elm Dr. (Town Hall/City Hall). (4K)
10. Turn LEFT at Main Street and again CAREFULLY CROSS the highway.
11. Continue straight on Main Street to 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NW and turn LEFT. Pass the library and St Peter and Paul church, then turn RIGHT on NW 2<sup>nd</sup> St.
12. At 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave NW, turn DIAGONALLY RIGHT onto SW Court St and return to the start/finish on Courthouse Square.

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3. Turn RIGHT and walk to Princess Park. (*The park is home to the 25-foot-tall Pocahontas statue, a 30 foot tall teepee and a historic log cabin*).
4. After taking time to explore the park, return to NE 6<sup>th</sup> St and turn RIGHT. Continue straight to 4<sup>th</sup> Ave NE and turn LEFT.
5. Continue straight to courthouse square. (2K @ 3<sup>rd</sup> St). Turn RIGHT toward the American Legion post. Turn LEFT at the swimming pool (Par for the Course), then RIGHT at Main Street.
6. Continue over the bridge and turn RIGHT between the brick pillars into Elbert Park. Follow the park road counterclockwise, passing Bitner field and the campground (bathroom available) and return to the park entrance. (3K)
7. Turn LEFT on Main Street, returning to 5<sup>th</sup> Ave NW. Turn RIGHT.
8. Continue on 5<sup>th</sup> Ave NW to NW 4<sup>th</sup> St, turn RIGHT. Turn LEFT on 6<sup>th</sup> Ave NW, then Left on NW 5<sup>th</sup> St.
9. Cross 5<sup>th</sup> Ave NW and jog slightly LEFT on Railroad and continue RIGHT on 4<sup>th</sup> Ave NW.
10. Continue straight, CAREFULLY CROSSING Highway 4 (no stop sign).
11. Continue straight 6 blocks. Turn RIGHT on NW 13<sup>th</sup> St (it's just past the NW 13<sup>th</sup> St on the left). (5K) Turn RIGHT at the second entrance to Clearview Drive and follow it as it circles back to the first entrance.
12. Turn LEFT on NW 13<sup>th</sup> St and follow it as it jogs briefly on 4<sup>th</sup> Ave NW then continues on to curve into 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NW. (6K at NW 10<sup>th</sup> St)
13. Turn RIGHT on NW 7<sup>th</sup> (Highway 4) to Highway 3. Cross both roads at the stop signs (to Casey's). (7K)
14. Follow Highway 3 (Elm Dr) to SW 6<sup>th</sup> St and turn RIGHT. Turn LEFT at 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave SW, turn LEFT on SW 1<sup>st</sup> St, LEFT on 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave SW, and RIGHT on SW 4<sup>th</sup> St. (8K)
15. At Elm Dr (Highway 3) turn RIGHT. Note the Pocahontas City Hall at 23 W Elm Dr. (Town Hall/City Hall). (9K)
16. At Main St, turn LEFT and CAREFULLY CROSS the highway (no Stop sign).

17. Continue Straight on Main Street to 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave NW and turn LEFT. Pass the library and St Peter and Paul church, then turn RIGHT on NW 2<sup>nd</sup> St.

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