



The Capitol Volkssport Club
Welcomes you to



**WILD & WOODSY in WASHINGTON
THE EVERGREEN STATE COLLEGE**

Distance: 5K and 10K

Difficulty Ratings: 5 K RATED 1B – A 1K walk through the woods followed by roads through wooded areas.

10K RATED 2C – A 7K hike in the varied woods of The Evergreen State College Campus that finishes on a road and campus concrete walkways.

Walk in the woods, see the ferns and Trillium herb in the 1,000 acre forested campus of The Evergreen State College. Restrooms are on the walk just a short distance from the start (0.15K). The 10K trails can be muddy. Boots and poles recommended. The 10K trails are isolated; walking with a partner is advisable.

NOTE: There is a \$3.00 parking fee for non-students visiting The Evergreen State College during weekdays 7:00 am – 9:00 pm. Stop at the booth to pay. Free parking on weekends.

Walk Registration

Registration takes place online using the AVA Online Start Box at 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 a stamped “virtual” insert card that you may print out.

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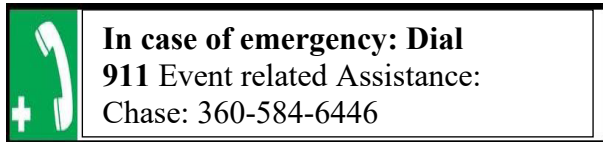
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THE EVERGREEN STATE COLLEGE

Wild & Woodsy Route Y3859

5K Walking directions



Difficulty level: Rated 1B. Be prepared for a muddy trail.

ESVA Challenges: 39 Counties (Thurston)

Start Point: The Evergreen State College, 2700 Evergreen Parkway NW, Olympia, WA 98505
Lat: 47.070981, Lng: -122.976864.

Caution: Trail may be slick.

Driving Directions: From I-5 take exit 104 (US 101 N). Take the exit toward Mud Bay Rd/The Evergreen State College. Keep left (do not exit to Mud Bay Rd), following Evergreen Pkwy NW and signs to The Evergreen State College. At the roundabout, take the 2nd exit onto McCann Plaza Dr NW. **NOTE:** There is a \$3.00 parking fee for non-students visiting Evergreen College during weekdays 7:00 am – 9:00 pm. Stop at the booth to pay. Free parking on weekends. **If you are not familiar with the TESC campus**, continue on McCann Plaza Dr as it makes a long U curve for the bus stop. Note the location of the concrete Directory Kiosk (start point) which is very near the bus stop shelter. Continue on McCann Plaza Dr and make the first right turn into parking lot B and find a parking space. Walk back to the Directory Kiosk.

Walk Directions

1. From the Directory Kiosk at the Main Campus bus stop, walk toward the large Native American statue (Welcome Woman).
2. **LEFT** walking down the ramp or stairs to the main Campus Plaza (Red Square).
3. **CONTINUE STRAIGHT** toward the library at the opposite end of the plaza. **Restrooms** in the library when open (turn right inside the doors).
4. **LEFT** on walkway prior to the library entrance toward **Seminar Building** (sign with arrow).
5. **CONTINUE PAST** the **House of Welcome** sign (also known as the **Longhouse Center**) and winding towards the entrance then walk **CLOCKWISE** around the House. If it is open, be sure to take a look inside.
6. Back at the entrance, **VEER LEFT** back to the House of Welcome sign.
7. **RIGHT** following the red brick walkway as it becomes concrete and veers right (do not go into the parking lot). Continue as the walkway curves into the woods.
8. As the walkway curves sharply to the left (shortly before the parking lot), you will see a sign “Trails of The Evergreen State College” off to the right. It shows the trees in these forests.
9. **RIGHT** onto the trail. This is the Organic Farm trail. Stay right on this trail, ignoring signs for the Forest Loop trail.
10. At the end of the Organic Farm fence, **LEFT** walking toward the red barn.
11. At the front corner of the barn **LEFT** to follow the grass/dirt path and **KEEP LEFT** on the exit driveway past the gray/green building to Lewis Rd NW (unmarked).
12. **CAREFULLY CROSS and RIGHT** on Lewis Rd for about 1K, walking facing traffic.
13. **RIGHT** at T (stop sign) on Sunset Dr NW. The road curves right to become Marine Dr.
14. **LEFT** on Driftwood Rd.
15. After the road goes down and then back up, **RIGHT** at marked crosswalk to cross Driftwood Rd and **LEFT** continuing on sidewalk along Driftwood Rd.
16. **RIGHT** just past stop sign at Overhulse Rd NW to re-enter The Evergreen State College campus.
17. **RIGHT** at the first walkway intersection.

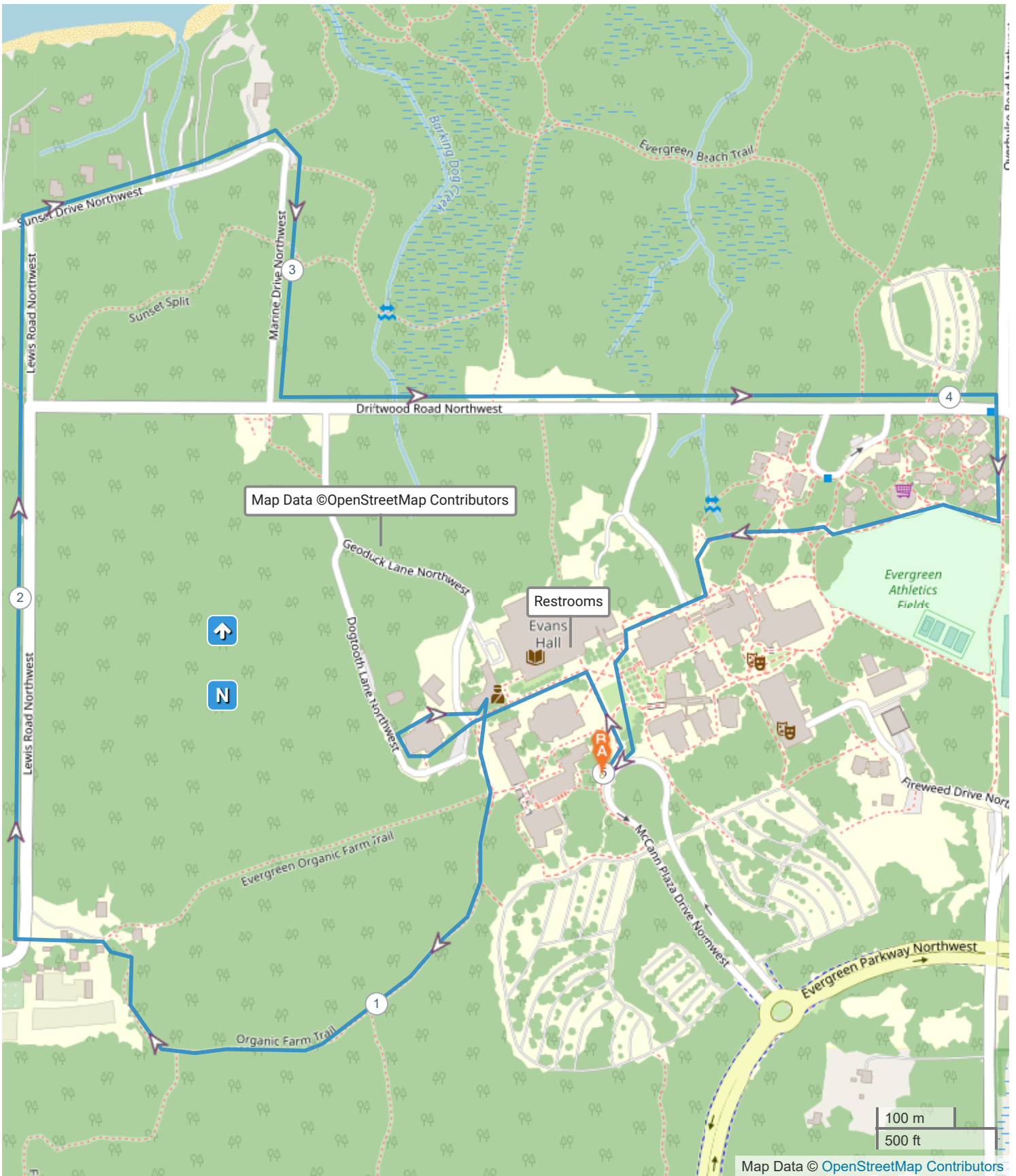
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18. **CONTINUE** on this walkway, passing the Housing Community Center building and winding your way right then left toward a blue emergency post.
19. **CONTINUE FORWARD** past the emergency post towards the yellow fire hydrant and **LEFT** on the walkway curving to the left. Follow this path (not the sidewalk) to the T intersection in front of a building.
20. **RIGHT** and walk to the stairs below the clock tower. Climb the stairs to the clock tower and Red Square.
21. **VEER LEFT** going diagonally towards the ramp/stairs that you came down at the beginning of this walk.
22. **RIGHT** at McCann Plaza Dr (the circle) and continue to the parking lot and your vehicle.

We hope you enjoyed your walk!

Don't forget to log back into the OSB system to "finish/complete" your online registration

The Evergreen State College 5K W&W 1B



THE EVERGREEN STATE COLLEGE
Wild & Woodsy Route
Y3859

10K Walking directions



Difficulty level: 10K Rated 2C. Be prepared for muddy trails. Boots and poles recommended.

ESVA Challenges: 39 Counties (Thurston)

Start Point: The Evergreen State College, 2700 Evergreen Parkway NW, Olympia, WA 98505
Lat: 47.070981, Lng: -122.976864.

Restrooms: Approximately 0.15km (500 feet) from the start point in the library (Evans Hall).

Caution: Trails and pedestrian bridges may be slick. These trails are isolated; walking with a partner is advisable.

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2. **LEFT** walking down the ramp or stairs to the main Campus Plaza (Red Square).
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4. **LEFT** on walkway prior to the library entrance toward **Seminar Building** (sign with arrow).
5. **CONTINUE PAST** the **House of Welcome** sign (also known as the **Longhouse Center**) and winding towards the entrance then walk **CLOCKWISE** around the House. If it is open, be sure to take a look inside.
6. Back at the entrance, **VEER LEFT** back to the House of Welcome sign.
7. **RIGHT** following the red brick walkway as it becomes concrete and veers right (do not go into the parking lot). Continue as the walkway curves into the woods.
8. As the walkway curves sharply to the left (shortly before the parking lot), you will see a sign “Trails of The Evergreen State College” off to the right. It shows the trees in these forests.
9. **RIGHT** onto the trail. This is the Organic Farm trail (1K).
10. **LEFT** on the Forest Loop (1K). You’ll be on this trail for a little more than 2K, keeping right until rejoining the Organic Farm trail.
11. **RIGHT** at the Y (Forest Loop with a right arrow sign on tree).
12. **RIGHT** at Y (Organic Farm with a right arrow sign on tree).
13. **LEFT** at T. There is a signpost marked E3-05. This is the Organic Farm trail.
14. At the end of the Organic Farm fence, **LEFT** walking toward the red barn.
15. At the front corner of the barn **LEFT** to follow the grass/dirt path and **KEEP LEFT** on the exit driveway past the gray/green building to Lewis Rd NW (unmarked).
16. **CAREFULLY CROSS** Lewis Rd and enter the woods onto the Kifer Loop Trail (small wooden sign in the ground).

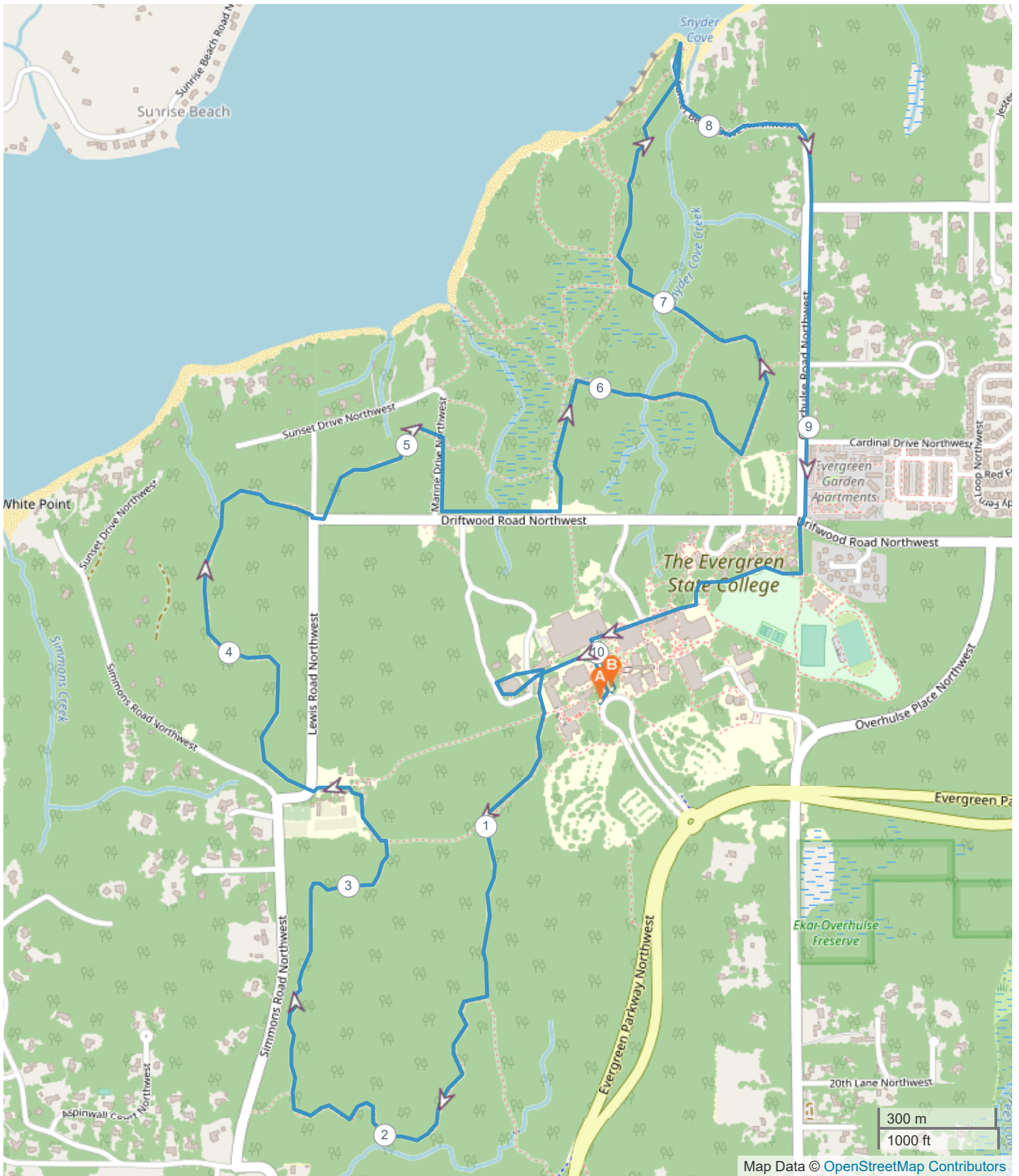
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17. Stay on the main trail for slightly more than 1K. This trail is not as maintained so there will be ferns crowding the trail near the beginning and end. The trail will start down a ravine and then climb out. The trail ends at Lewis Rd.
18. **CAREFULLY CROSS** Lewis Rd angling toward the stop sign (Driftwood Rd NW). (5K)
19. Enter the trail next to the stop sign into the woods (Sunset Split Trail). Follow the main trail approximately 0.5K.
20. Carefully cross Marine Dr NE (unmarked) and **RIGHT** walking on Marine Dr facing traffic (5K).
21. **LEFT** on Driftwood Rd.
22. **LEFT** on the gravel driveway at the clearing (sign says No Entry Emergency & Service Vehicles Only). Pedestrians may enter.
23. **CONTINUE STRAIGHT** towards the “Trails of The Evergreen State College” sign and into the woods.
24. Walk around the gate and **KEEP RIGHT** to stay on the main trail.
25. **RIGHT** at the Y (it’s sort of a four-way intersection since a narrow trail goes forward).
26. **KEEP RIGHT** at the Y. (6K)
27. **KEEP RIGHT** at the Y after the boardwalk and go uphill.
28. **LEFT** at the next intersection and an **IMMEDIATE LEFT** to make an acute turn. (DO NOT go into the parking lot).
29. At the Y keep **LEFT**. After some time, the trail goes downhill.
30. At the bottom of the steep hill, **VEER RIGHT** at the next path intersection. **CONTINUE** downhill and cross a stream on a bridge. (7K)
31. **CONTINUE** uphill on the trail.
32. At the T intersection with a major trail, **RIGHT** at the signpost marked Beach and E1-07.
33. **BEAR RIGHT** at the next Y.
34. **RIGHT** at the Y (post E1-09 on left). That is Eld Inlet through the trees on the left. **DO NOT follow trail down the hill!**
35. Ignore side trails and follow the main trail.
36. **VEER RIGHT** at the Y, keeping the water on your left.
37. **RIGHT** at the next intersection, keeping the water on the left. **DO NOT follow the main trail down the hill!**
38. The trail ends at what’s left of a driveway. **RIGHT** on the paved driveway.
39. **LEFT** on Sunset Beach Rd (unmarked) to the end of the cul-de-sac to admire the view.
40. Return to the end of the driveway, continue downhill then (a long) uphill on Sunset Beach Rd. (8K) At top of the hill, the road bends right past mailboxes and becomes Overhulse Rd NW.
41. **CONTINUE STRAIGHT**. Walk on the left side of the road. Move onto the sidewalk when available. (9K)
42. At the T intersection with Driftwood Rd NW, cross Driftwood Rd and continue **STRAIGHT** into the campus.
43. **RIGHT** at the first walkway intersection.
44. **CONTINUE** on this walkway, passing the Housing Community Center building and winding your way right then left toward a blue emergency post.
45. **CONTINUE FORWARD** past the emergency post towards the yellow fire hydrant and **LEFT** on the walkway curving to the left. Follow this path (not the sidewalk) to the T intersection in front of a building.
46. **RIGHT** and walk to the stairs below the clock tower. Climb the stairs to the clock tower and Red Square. (10K)
47. **VEER LEFT** going diagonally towards the ramp/stairs that you came down at the beginning of this walk.
48. **RIGHT** at McCann Plaza Dr (the circle) and continue to the parking lot and your vehicle.

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The Evergreen State College 10K W&W Forest Loop



ESVA/OTSVVA/AVA SPECIAL CHALLENGE PROGRAMS - 2026

For more information on ESVA go to: <http://www.esva.online/challenges/>

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| WALK NAME: | | WALK NUMBER: | | |
| The Evergreen State College | | 3859 | | |
| CURRENT ESVA SPECIAL PROGRAMS | | | | |
| Please note the years [in brackets] that each challenge is active. | | | | |
| 39 COUNTIES - (ONGOING) | Thurston | | | |
| DISCOVER YOUR STATE AND NATIONAL PARKS [2026-2028] | | | | |
| TELL ME A STORY [2025-2027] | | | | |
| THAT'S ENTERTAINMENT [2024-2026] | CULTURAL | FAIRS, FESTIVALS, ARCADES | CRAFTS/HOBBIES | SPORTS VENUES |
| PREVIOUS ESVA SPECIAL PROGRAMS | | | | |
| Patches for books received past the end date will be sent while supplies last. No refunds. | | | | |
| FRONTLINE HEROES [2021-2023] | MEDICAL CENTERS | DELIVERY SERVICES | SUSTENANCE PROVIDERS | ESSENTIAL SERVICES |
| ON THE ROAD AGAIN [2022-2024] | ONLY APPLIES TO TRADITIONAL EVENTS | | | |
| STROLLING ALONG THE RIVERS [2023-2025] | Yes, Barking Dog Creek (not marked) | | | |
| CURRENT OTSVA SPECIAL PROGRAMS | | | | |
| For more information on OTSVA go to: https://www.otsva.org/challenges.html | | | | |
| BUTTERFLY [2026-2028] | | | | |
| PEACE POLES [2024-2026] | | | | |
| CURRENT AVA SPECIAL PROGRAMS | | | | |
| For more information on AVA go to: https://cb.ava.org/specprog.php | | | | |
| Most programs allow the participants up to 12 months from the official end date to complete. | | | | |
| 50 STATES/51 CAPITALS | [ONGOING] | Washington | | |
| A-Z (Walking the US A-Z) | [ONGOING] | Olympia | | |
| A-MAZ-ING LABYRINTHS | [2024-2026] | | | |
| ANNIVERSARIES HURRAH | [ONLY 2026] | All AVA sanctioned events qualify for Anniversaries Hurrah. | | |
| GRAIN ELEVATORS: MONARCHS OF THE PLAINS | [2025-2027] | | | |
| IVV-AMERICAS | [2022-NO END] | All AVA sanctioned events qualify for the IVV-America's Special Program. | | |
| LIGHTHOUSES II | [2023-2025] | | | |
| PAR FOR THE COURSE | [2023-2025] | | | |
| RAILS TO TRAILS | [2022-2025] | | | |
| STEP TO THE BEAT | [2024-2026] | | | |
| WALKING WITH AMERICAN VETERANS | [2021-2027] | | | |
| WALKING WITH THE WILD THINGS | [2025-2027] | | | |