

# Kenwood Cherry Blossoms / Spring Flowers Y1091

Kenwood, Bethesda, Maryland

10k and 5k Walks

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## Kenwood Cherry Blossoms / Spring Flowers Y1091

### YRE Description

Come and view the beautiful cherry blossom lined streets and spring flowers of the Kenwood neighborhood of Bethesda. After the cherry blossoms are gone, azaleas and other spring flowers will be in bloom.

There are two trails; a 10km and a 5km.

### Registering for the walk

The Seneca Valley Sugarloafers Volksmarch club charges all participants over 12 a \$3 fee. When you register for your walk event, please DO NOT check the "No Credit" checkbox for any participant over 12 years of age.

When you register for the walk you can download the PDF file with walk information. The PDF includes directions to the walk start and walk instructions. The fee for the download is \$2. You will be credited for this fee if you complete the walk and pay the walk participant fee within 60 days.

### After you have completed the walk

Please remember to log back into the OSB's "Finish Table" after completing the walk. Completion information includes the date the event was walked, the distance walked and applicable special programs.



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### Driving Directions to the 10km trail start

Address: The Shops at Sumner Place, 4611-E Sangamore Rd, Bethesda, MD 20816

GPS Coordinates of the Start Point are **38.949334,-77.1207477**

Plus code is **WVXJ+PH Bethesda, 7, MD**

*Plus codes are based on latitude and longitude. By using a simpler code system, they are intended to be shorter and easier to use than traditional global coordinates.*

#### Directions:

Washington Beltway (I-495 W), Exit 39, River Rd. (MD 190) to Washington.

**RIGHT** on Goldsboro Rd (MD 614).

**LEFT** on Massachusetts Ave (MD 396).

**RIGHT** on Sangamore Rd at firehouse.

Continue past The Shops at Sumner Place (4701 Sangamore) to STOP sign in front of Defense Intelligence Agency.

**LEFT** 1 block,

**LEFT** into The Shops at Sumner Place.

### Driving Directions to the 5km trail start

Address: Bethesda Outdoor Pool, 6300 Hillandale Rd, Bethesda, MD 20815

GPS Coordinates of the Start Point are **38.970426,-77.1112986**

Plus code is **XVFX+QW Bethesda, 7, MD**

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#### Directions:

Washington Beltway (I-495 W), Exit 39, River Rd. (MD 190) to Washington.

**LEFT** on Goldsboro Rd (MD 614).

**RIGHT** on Bradley Blvd (MD 191).

**RIGHT** on Glenbrook Rd.

Bear **RIGHT** onto Little Falls Pkwy.

**LEFT** onto Hillandale Rd.

**LEFT** into the Pool parking lot.



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5k (3.1 miles) AVA rating 1A

**NOTE:** On streets without sidewalks, please walk CAREFULLY on LEFT, facing traffic. When on the Capital Crescent Trail keep to the right side of the trail, as this is a very busy trail with lots of bicyclists and runners. No restrooms available at the start point or on the walk.

1. Walk to the intersection of Little Falls Parkway and the Capital Crescent Trail. It is located at the back of the pool on the left side of the parking lot.
2. **Carefully CROSS** Little Falls Parkway.
3. **Continue** on paved path, the Capital Crescent Trail, until you reach the next street with a STOP sign (Dorset Ave. – no sign).  
*Cherry trees will be coming into view. If the cherry trees are not in bloom, look for other spring flowers in this lovely neighborhood.*
4. **CROSS** and **RIGHT** on Dorset Ave.
  - a. Cross Kennedy Dr.
5. **CROSS** and **RIGHT** on Brookside Dr (Little Free Library)., with grass median.
  - a. Cross Oakland Rd.
6. **RIGHT** at traffic circle and go a short way around circle.
7. **RIGHT** on Kenwood Ave. (first street).
8. **LEFT** on Kennedy Dr.
  - a. Cross Parkway Dr.
  - b. Cross Woodlawn Ave.
9. **LEFT** on Chamberlin Ave.
  - a. Cross Elmwood Rd.
  - b. Cross Brookside Dr.
  - c. Cross Shadow Rd.
  - d. Cross Highland Dr.
10. **LEFT** on Garnett Dr.
11. **LEFT** on Highland Dr.
  - a. Pass Kenwood Ave.
12. **RIGHT** on Woodlawn Ave.
  - a. Pass Shadow Rd.
13. **CROSS** and **RIGHT** on Brookside Dr. to traffic circle.
14. **LEFT** to walk around the traffic circle and continue on Brookside Dr. (Little Free Library).
  - a. Cross Oakland Rd.
15. **LEFT** on Dorset Ave.
  - a. Cross Kennedy Dr.
16. **LEFT** on paved path, the Capital Crescent Trail. Continue to Little Falls Parkway.
17. **Carefully CROSS** Little Falls Parkway to the pool parking lot.

These walk directions and maps may only be used in conjunction with a signed American Volkssport Association athletic waiver. All other uses are prohibited.

*Thank you for walking our Sugarloafer year-round today!*

*We hope you enjoyed this trail.*



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10k (6.2 miles) – AVA rating 2A

**NOTE:** On streets without sidewalks, please walk CAREFULLY on LEFT, facing traffic. When on the Capital Crescent Trail keep to the right side of the trail, as this is a very busy trail with lots of bicyclists and runners. Restrooms are available at the Safeway (near the start point).

1. With your back to Starbucks Coffee turn **LEFT**.
2. **LEFT** at the end of the stores, leaving the shopping center.
3. **LEFT** at the first street, Sangamore Rd. (no sign). Follow the sidewalk with the woods on your left.
  - a. Cross 2 driveways, the first one to townhouses and the second one to houses.
4. **LEFT** at first asphalt path going into the woods (before the intersection of Sangamore Rd. and MacArthur Blvd).
5. Continue straight on the asphalt path. (Don't worry about this steep trail; you will not have to climb up it.)
6. Continue through the pedestrian underpass (1 km).
7. **LEFT** on the first asphalt path after going through the underpass.
8. **RIGHT** on asphalt path, Capital Crescent Trail, going towards River Rd.
  - a. Cross over Mass. Ave.
  - b. Cross over River Rd.
  - c. Continue on Capital Crescent Trail until you reach the next street with a STOP sign (Dorset Ave. – no sign).  
*Cherry trees will be coming into view.*
9. **LEFT** on Dorset Ave. (3.9 km).
  - a. Cross Kennedy Dr.
10. **CROSS and RIGHT** on Brookside Dr. (Little Free Library), with grass median.
  - a. Cross Oakland Rd.
11. **RIGHT** at traffic circle and go a short way around the circle.
12. **RIGHT** on Kenwood Ave. (first street).
13. **LEFT** on Kennedy Dr.
  - a. Cross Parkway Dr.
  - b. Cross Woodlawn Ave.
14. **LEFT** on Chamberlin Ave.
  - a. Cross Elmwood Rd.
  - b. Cross Brookside Dr.
  - c. Cross Shadow Rd.
  - d. Cross Highland Dr.
15. **LEFT** on Garnett Dr.
16. **LEFT** on Highland Dr.
  - a. Pass Kenwood Ave. on right
17. **RIGHT** on Woodlawn Ave.
  - a. Pass Shadow Rd. on left.
18. **CROSS and RIGHT** on Brookside Dr. to the traffic circle.
19. **LEFT** to walk around traffic circle and continue on Brookside Dr. (Little Free Library).

**NOTE:** Restrooms are available at McDonald's at River Rd. To reach the McDonald's **DO NOT** cross the bridge over River Road, follow the path to the right of the bridge and go under the bridge. Then return to the bridge to cross over River Rd. (Do **NOT** attempt to cross River Rd on foot, as it is a very busy street. There is NO traffic light there.)

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- a. Cross Oakland Rd.
  - b. Cross Dorset Ave.
  - c. Cross Norway Dr.
  - d. Cross Lawn Way.
20. **Carefully CROSS** River Rd. at traffic light, and continue STRAIGHT on Ridgefield Rd.
21. **Cross and LEFT** on Westbard Ave (traffic light). Continue along the back of the shopping center.
- Note: Restrooms available at back left inside the Giant store.*
- a. Cross Westbard Cir.
22. **CROSS** Massachusetts Ave. at the traffic light at the bottom of hill. (8.3 km) Continue uphill on Ft. Sumner Dr.
- a. Cross Namakagan Rd.
  - b. Cross Overlea Rd.
  - c. Cross Wood Way
  - d. Cross Brookeway Dr.
23. **Cross and RIGHT** on Rockmere Dr., and continue as Rockmere Dr. curves left.
- a. Cross Scarsdale Rd.
  - b. Cross Rockmere Ct.
24. **Cross and RIGHT** on Baltan Rd.
25. **LEFT** on Overlea Road
- a. Cross Overlea Court.
26. **LEFT** on Sangamore Rd.
27. **Carefully Cross** Sentinel Dr., watching for cars turning left onto Sentinel Dr.
28. **LEFT** on Sentinel Dr. Continue to steps on right leading into the parking lot for the Shops at Sumner Place.
29. **RIGHT** down the steps, and continue to the sidewalk going past Safeway.

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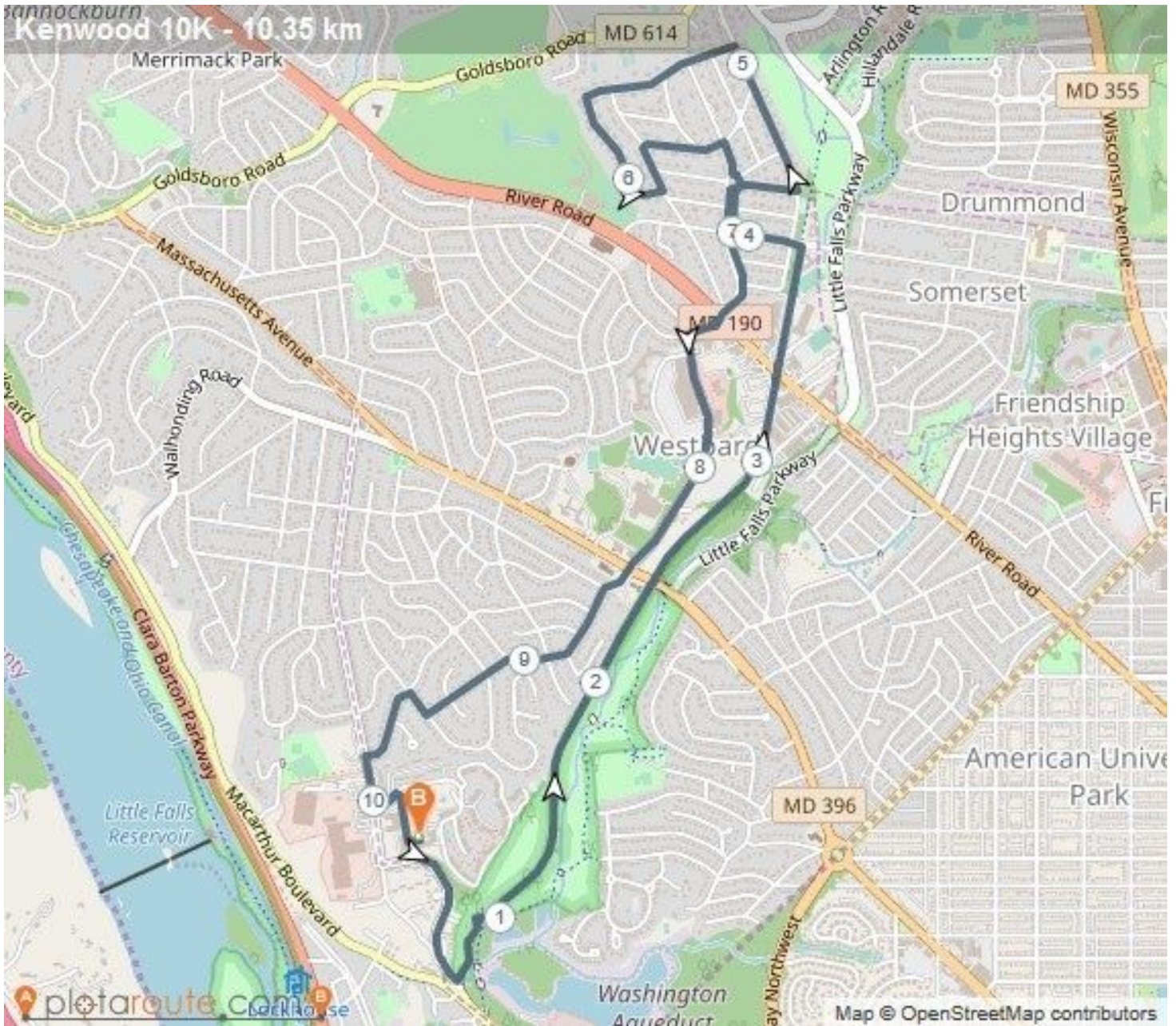
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### Internet Resources

Geographic region: [https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Piedmont\\_\(United\\_States\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Piedmont_(United_States))

Club Information: [Seneca Valley Sugarloafers Volksmarch Club](#)



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