

SUSQUEHANNA ROVERS VOLKSMARCH CLUB

HERSHEY

Two Year Round Walks in DAUPHIN COUNTY

January 2 to December 30, 2017

Town Trail

10K (6.2 Miles) or 6K (3.7 Miles) Trail Rating 1A
103238 AT16/Y1868

This trail qualifies for Animal Safari, Bridges, Food for Thought, Honoring Our Flag, National Register of Historic Places, Trekking with Trees, Walking the USA A-Z, and You'll Never Walk Alone Special Programs.

Bullfrog Valley Trail

10K (6.2 Miles) or 6K (3.7 Miles) Trail Rating 1A
106415 AT17/Y2057

This trail qualifies for Animal Safari, Honoring Our Flag, National Register of Historic Places, Take a Walk in City Park, Walking the USA A-Z, You'll Never Walk Alone Special Programs.

Location: Hershey, "the Sweetest Place on Earth", is home to the Hershey chocolate factory and is located in Dauphin County. The YR town walk takes you by Derry Church and into town near, but not through, Hersheypark (amusement park), Hershey's Chocolate World, the Hershey Museum, Zoo America and the Tanger Outlets of Hershey. Be aware that during the summer months there may be considerable traffic congestion. The park is open every day during June, July and August. In May and September it is only open on the weekends and for special events, such as Hershey Park in the Dark. Christmas Candylane is open November and December. Please check online for hours, special events and fees. www.hersheypa.com

**Start Point: Hershey Recreation Center,
605 Cocoa Avenue
(Route 743 between Routes 422 and 322),
Hershey, PA. 717-533-7138**

Town Trail: This trail leaves from the Recreation Center and goes through town to the park and back. The trail is on mostly paved walkways. The trail is suitable for wheelchairs and strollers.

Bullfrog Valley Trail: You will drive 3 miles to the start of the trail. The trail is on natural and paved surfaces. It goes past the Penn State Hershey Medical Center. It is suitable for strollers and wheelchairs.

Start Time: Monday thru Friday 5:30 am to 8 pm. Saturday 6:30 am to 6 pm; Sunday 9 am to 6 pm. From Memorial Day to Labor Day hours differ - Sat and Sun 12:30 pm to 8 pm. Call 717-533-7138 for current hours. They are closed all major holidays, but please call to ensure they are open if you come to walk near the holidays. The registration box is in the Rec. Center. If you wish to walk before the Rec Center opens, please call or email the Point of Contact.

Finish Time: Finish by dusk.

Award: This is a credit only event. IVV Credit is \$3.00.

You may walk for free. Children under 12 will not be charged for IVV Credit. There will be Hershey Walkfest patches from previous events for sale at \$1.00 each. All are welcome to walk.

General Information: Water and rest rooms available at the registration point. For the Town Trail, there is a rest room outside of the park gates. Pets are allowed on the walk, however they are not allowed in Hersheypark or Chocolate World. Check Hersheypark's website for information on a doggy kennel near the park. Always remember to clean up after them. They are not allowed in the Rec. Center.

Directions: From I-83 and Route 22 - Take Route 39 South or Route 743 South to Route 422, then south on Cocoa Avenue. The Rec. Center is clearly marked. There is a large playground near the street.

From Harrisburg and West - Take US 322/422 East to Hershey. If you continue on US 422, turn right on Cocoa Avenue. If you choose to take US 322, then turn left on Cocoa Ave. The Rec. Center is clearly marked. There is a large playground near the street.

From Lebanon and Reading - Take US 422 West to Hershey and then turn left on Cocoa Avenue. The Rec. Center is clearly marked. There is a large playground near the street.

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