



THE HAPPY WANDERERS

AVA-0717

Invite you to join us for 5 km or 10 km Volksmarches

Lake Helen, FL - Halloween

at

Colby-Alderman Park

Saturday - October 22, 2022



EVENT POINT OF CONTACT:

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DATE: October 22, 2022

SANCTION NO: SE / 122289 2022

LOCATION: Colby-Alderman Park, Lake Helen

START: Between 8:30 - 10:00. Finish by 1 pm.

AVA Special Programs: Town Halls/City Halls; Walking the United States (Florida) and Walking the USA A—Z (L);

AVA TRAIL RATING: The trails are rated 1B, mostly on city sidewalks with a small section on a wooded trail suitable for rugged-terrain strollers. Pets are permitted throughout.

DESCRIPTION: Join the Happy Wanderers for a pre-Halloween haunt in old Lake Helen / Cassadaga. 5/10km trails. Founded by Henry DeLand and named after his daughter, the City of Lake Helen was intended as one of the prettiest and most pleasant towns in Florida. Cassadaga is a small unincorporated community. It is



especially known for having a large number of psychics and mediums -- and has consequently been named the "Psychic Capital of the World." Cassadaga is registered as a Historic Site and has always been known for its amazing energy vortex. Our walk includes city streets and green spaces, and includes the venerable 1920s-era Cassadaga Hotel, which is of course, haunted!

PARTICIPATION: This is a fun event for all persons. People of all ages are welcome to participate. An adult must accompany all minors on this event.

DISCLAIMER: The American Volkssport Association or its subsidiary clubs are not responsible for theft or loss of personal belongings or property.

REGISTRATION: Register between 8:30 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.

We provide detailed walk instructions, a map, and a start number. Participants walk at their own pace, normally taking about 1 hour for 3 miles (5 kilometers) and 2-2.5 hours for 6.3 miles (10 kilometers). The completion time is prior to 1 pm. Please check-in at the finish when you return to stamp your books and turn in your start card, so we know you have completed the event.

COSTS: There is a \$3 fee covering administrative costs for the event and for the AVA/IVV event stamp used to sanction/record the event. No refunds are provided after the start of the walk.

FOOD and WATER: Water and hard candy are available at the start point and any checkpoints. We prefer that you carry your own drinking water. Members of the Happy Wanderer may meet for lunch after the event at a local restaurant. Info at the Registration table.

AWARDS: No A Award is available for this walk, but the club will have our boutique items available to include prior event B Awards, patches or pins.

SANCTIONED: This event is sanctioned by the American Volkssport Association (AVA), a 501c. (3) non-profit and member of the International Federation of Popular Sports (IVV).



DIRECTIONS (for GPS Navigation):

Colby-Alderman Park

1099 Massachusetts St, Lake Helen, FL 32744.

From I-4, Exit 116 to Orange Camp Road, towards Lake Helen. Becomes W Main St., .9 miles to S High St., and turn right. Go .5 miles to W Ohio Ave., make a left and then an immediate right onto Macy Ave. for .7miles, becomes Marion St. Turn Left onto Colby Lane at the Cassadaga Hotel, then right onto Massachusetts St. and follow that to the park entrance.



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