



**AMERICA'S
WALKING CLUB**
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Sue's Friendship Walk & Don's Bike

2024 Schedule

As of March 10, 2024

January

1 TW **SWS - CO-OP Murals Walk**
4 DB *Sacramento River*
6 FW Davis – So. Davis/El Macero
13 FW Auburn – Flour Garden Bakery
18 DB *Natomas Flood Plan*
20 FW Jackson - Historic Town &
27 FW Sacramento - Sierra Oaks Vista

February

1 DB *Sacramento – American River*
3 FW Sacramento - Pocket Area
10 TW **San Jose Holly's Hot Chocolate**
15 DB *Arden*
17 FW Roseville – Sculpture
24 FW Woodland – Historic
29 DB *Lincoln*

March

2 FW Carmichael – **Hidden Parks**
9 FW Manteca
14 DB *Circle Davis*
16 TW **Burlingame**
23 TW **Knights Ferry**
28 DB *Roseville*
30 FW Elk Grove -Around the Lakes

April

6 FW Sacramento – Arden Park
11 DB *Pocket Area*
13 FW San Francisco - Presidio
20 TW **Auburn – American Canyon**
25 DB *Rancho Cordova*
26/27/28 **CVA Convention**
Rohnert Park

May

4 FW Sacramento - Gold River
9 DB *Sacramento River*
11 FW Lodi
18 FW Vacaville - Lagoon
23 DB *Natomas Flood Plain*
25 FW Rancho Cordova - Lake Natoma

June

1 FW Reno – Take Your Pick
6 DB *Sacramento – American River*
8 TW **Calaveras Big Trees**
15 FW Sacramento - North Natomas
20 DB *Arden*
22 FW Davis – University
29 FW Rio Vista



July

4 DB *Lincoln*
6 FW Fair Oaks - Historic
13 FW Vacaville - Historic
18 DB *Circle Davis*
20 FW Tahoma
27 FW Modesto

August

1	DB	Roseville
3	FW	Citrus Heights
9	FW	Tahoe City – Lake Forest
10	TW	Donner Memorial State Park
11	FW	Truckee
15	DB	Pocket Area
17	TW	San Francisco Fort Funston
24	FW	Sebastopol
29	DB	Rancho Cordova
31	FW	Placerville

September

7	FW	Olympic Valley - Squaw Valley
12	DB	Sacramento River
14	FW	SFBB - Lands End
21	FW	Sacramento – Ashton Park
26	DB	Natomas Flood Plain
28	FW	West Sacramento -Clarksburg

October

5	FW	Roseville- Maidu Park
10	DB	Sacramento – American River
12	FW	Roseville
19/20	TW	Cambria Scarecrow Festival
24	DB	Arden
26	TW	Caswell Spooky Walk

November

2	FW	Auburn - Placer County Museums
7	DB	Lincoln
9	FW	Sacramento - South Natomas
16	FW	Mill Valley/Sausalito Loops
21	DB	Circle Davis
23	FW	Sacramento - Capital
30	FW	Petaluma

December

5	DB	Roseville
7	TW	Sutter Creek
14	FW	Sacramento-Elmhurst to East Sac
19	DB	Pocket Area
21	FW	Davis -Tunnels and Bridges
28	FW	Lincoln
31		New Year's Eve

Rules of Engagement

FW in Normal Type = Friendship (Group) Walk
TW in Bold Type = Traditional Walk
DB = Don's Bike Events

1. An email message will be sent for all events on this schedule to anyone interested. The message will contain location, time, directions, and trail description. If you are not receiving the weekly email Walk Alerts, send Don Ratliff an email request at dratliff1515@gmail.com
2. Traditional Walks (TW) have a start time window usually between 8:00 AM and 12:00 Noon. The COMPASS has information on these walks, including point of contact.
3. Friendship (group) Walks (FW) will start at 9:30 AM unless announced otherwise.
4. Bike rides will start with signup at 9:15 and ride at 9:30 except during the hot months of June, July and August (we will see about Sept) when they are scheduled at signup at 8:15 and ride at 8:30. Don and Marillyn Ratliff may not be available for all the group bikes scheduled.
5. Bike outings will **not** take place in rain, high wind or when the route is hazardous. In those cases, bikers will be asked to do the walk if available. All bike event participants must wear a helmet.
6. Staffing of Friendship Walk events is minimal and provided by other walkers to help expedite registration and get the walk started promptly at about the time indicated. We try to be available a half-hour before the start times but are occasionally tardy. If you get there before help arrives, go ahead and start registration or just have patience.

This schedule is not sponsored by any club or association; it is the sole effort of Don Ratliff, and subject to change, although reluctantly. Check the Placer Pacers website - www.placerpacers.org for the latest schedule.

Other sources to check are:
CVA website, www.CVA4U.org
AVA website, www.AVA.org
Sacramento Walking Sticks website, click on Calendar of Events
www.SacramentoWalkingSticks.org

