

FROM RT. I-95 NORTH OR SOUTH -TAKE EXIT 13A EAST
RT 32 toward Ft. Meade. Exit 12B, Route 1 South toward Laurel
for one block. ***TURN RIGHT** on Howard St. which will become
Baltimore St. Church is on the corners of Baltimore & Foundry
Streets.

FROM RT. 295 NORTH OR SOUTH BALTO/WASH PKWY
TAKE EXIT FOR RT. 32 WEST toward Columbia.
TAKE EXIT 12B RT 1 South for Historic Savage.

***FOLLOW DIRECTIONS ABOVE:**

Parking is allowed in the Church parking lot & on streets

BE SURE TO OBEY ALL SIGNS & RESTRICTIONS:

AREA HOTEL: The Holiday Inn, 14402 Laurel Place, Laurel, MD, 301-
206-2600 (also Start Point of Laurel YR-219).

Freestate Events for 2019

April 29 - Montpelier Festival

June 1-Kinder Farm Park - National Trails Day

December 31, 2019-January 1, 2020

Enjoy our YRE's and earn a "I Walked 'Em All" Patch

Bowie -Y0390. Cambridge Y1046

Chesapeake Beach Y1087

Glen Burnie Airport Observation Trail Y1360

Kinder Farm Park Y1896

Indian Head Y0129, Laurel Y2019

Mount Airy Y1359, Ocean City Y1572

Savage Y0575, St. Mary's City Y1620 (Seasonal)

Sykesville Y0218, Wheaton Y1619 and Y0144

Freestate Happy Wanderers New Year's Eve & New Year's Day Walks SAVAGE, MARYLAND



Two 10-Km with 5-Km trail options
Two Events December 31, 2018
Two Events January 1, 2019



AT18/110919 and AT18/110920
AT19/110921 and AT19/110922



SPONSORED BY: The Freestate Happy Wanderers
Volksmarch Club, Inc. AVA-190, a walking club.

START/FINISH: Savage Methodist Church, 9050 Baltimore St. Savage, MD 20763. Located on the corner of Baltimore and Foundry Streets. See drive directions on back of brochure. Restrooms are available at the Start/Finish.

TIMES: Start both days anytime between 8:30 AM and 12 Noon, finish by 3:00 PM.

TRAILS: Trails are rated either 1A or 2B. Four 5-km trail options are available. Trails are on sidewalks, paved paths and natural wooded areas in and near the Savage Mill Historic District. Many options are possible, including a trail suitable for strollers. In addition, the walk box for the Savage YRE is available near the Start-Finish.

ELIGIBILITY: These walks are open to the public. Everyone is welcome to participate.

REGISTRATION: The fee for IVV Credit or Non-IVV Credit is \$3.00. Children 12 and under (IVV-Credit included) walk for free courtesy of Freestate Happy Wanderers. The same trail may be walked for distance credit twice on the same start card on the same day with no extra charge.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS: Honoring Our Flag, Bridges, US Post Offices, National Register of Historic Places and Walk the USA - Street by Street

Centurion Challenge Walkers may earn six IVV Credit stamps at our two day event. Two traditional events both days (5-km & 10-km trails) and the Savage YRE stamps for 2018 and 2019.

PROCEDURE: Each participant must register at the start and completely fill out a start card and including signing waiver. The start card is to be carried on the walk and presented at each checkpoint. Participants must turn in start cards at the Finish Table after completing the event.

CONDITIONS: Littering along the trails is prohibited. Howard County law requires that all pets be leashed and that owners clean up after their pets. The event will be held in all reasonable weather. Pets NOT permitted in the start building. If weather conditions are uncertain, and travelers' advisories are in effect on the days of the events, please call the contact person listed below to obtain up-to-date information on event status.

REFRESHMENTS: Food, beverages, and water will be available at the Start/Finish. Water and hard candy will be available at checkpoint both days.

DISCLAIMER: Every reasonable effort will be made to conduct a safe, enjoyable, and memorable event. The Freestate Happy Wanderers and the United Methodist Church shall not be liable for any accidents, theft, or material damage.

SANCTION: The events are sanctioned by the Maryland Volkssport Association (MVA) and the American Volkssport Association (AVA), a member of the International Federation of Popular Sports (IVV).

INFORMATION: Call 410-437-2164 (H), 410-533-5805 (C) before 9:00 PM or via email at wahasse1798@verizon.net. Additional information is available on our webpage. <http://www.mdvolks.org/freestate/>.

Fun, Fitness, Friendship!

Freestate is collecting warm winter adult hats, gloves, scarves and coats, in new or gently used condition. Items will be distributed to a charity for the needy in our area. Thank you for your generosity.