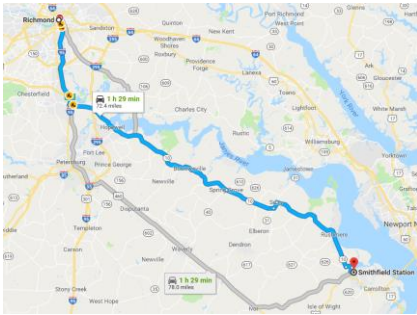


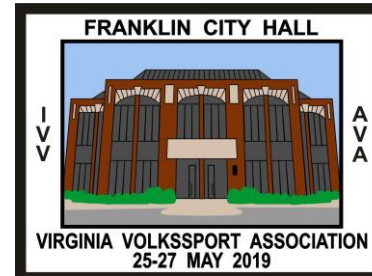
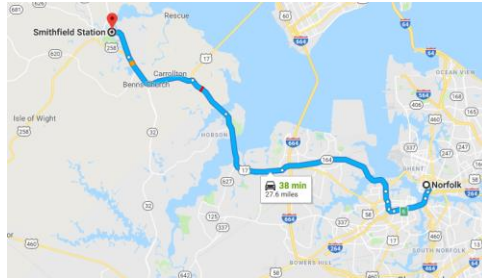
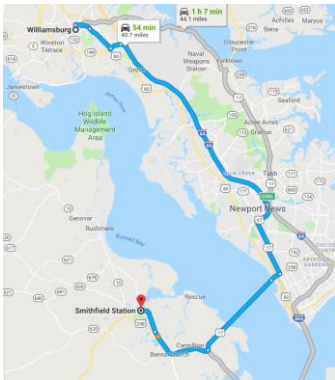
VIRGINIA VOLKSSPORT ASSOCIATION MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND

25-27 May 2019

From Richmond and Points North:



From Peninsula and Middle Peninsula: From Norfolk and Points East:



PRE-REGISTRATION: Mail to VVA, 302 Queens Crescent, Williamsburg VA 23185 by May 13, 2019:

Name	Franklin Award		Charles City Award		Courtland Award		Chippokes SP Award	
	Credit		Credit		Credit		Credit	

Email Address _____

City of Franklin (AT 19/113171)

Charles City County (AT 19/113172)

Southampton County (Courtland)
(AT 19/113173)

Surry County (Chippokes Plantation State Park)
(AT 19/113174)

AVA: America's Walking Club



Eligible for credit towards IVV Achievement Awards



General Event Information

Sanctioned: All events in this brochure are sanctioned by the American Volkssport Association (AVA), a member of the International Federation of Popular Sports (IVV). These events count toward the acquisition of IVV achievement awards.

Disclaimer: The American Volkssport Association or its subsidiary clubs are not responsible for theft or loss of personal belongings or property. All participants must sign a waiver.

Sponsor: Virginia Volkssport Association (AVA-VA)

Distances: All events are 5 or 10 kilometers, except Chippokes, which is 6 or 10 kilometers.

Registration Point: Registration for all four events is at Smithfield Station, 415 S Church St, Smithfield, VA. You will have to drive between 14 and 43 miles to the starting point for each event. After you finish the walks, you will need to drive back to the Registration Point to turn in your start cards and stamp your books.

Registration Times: Registration times are Saturday, Sunday, and Monday from 8:15 am to 4 pm.

Eligibility: All are welcome. Everyone must register and sign the insurance waiver at the start, fill out and carry a start card, and turn it in upon completing the walk. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult.

Awards: There is one A Award (see pictures on the front) for each event. The awards are 5"x4". Twenty of each award will be available and will be not be reordered. Two are courthouses, one is City Hall, and one is the Chippokes Plantation mansion.

Fees: There is no charge to participate. The cost of the award and credit will be \$9 for Pre-Registered, and \$10 after May 13, 2019. Credit only is \$3. There will be no refund of any monies paid. There is a \$5.00 parking fee for Chippokes State Park, unless you have a State Park pass.

Conditions: These events will be held regardless of most weather conditions. Carry water regardless of weather conditions. IVV Books and New Walker packets will be available for sale at all events. Pets are welcome on the trail, but not in the registration point. Wheelchairs and strollers may be used on all trails, but Chippokes may be difficult.

Refreshments: Water and candy will be available at the start/finish. Restrooms will be available at or near all start points, but may not be available on the trail. Restaurants are available on the town trails.

Point of Contact: Sandy Croushore, 302 Queens Crescent, Williamsburg, VA. Email: szcroushore@verizon.net. Telephone: (757) 532-3468.

More information about volksmarching and location of events is available at www.ava.org.

City of Franklin

Trail Description: Rated 1A: This walk will be along the town sidewalks.

Qualifies for AVA Special Programs: United States Post Offices, Take a Walk in a City Park, Walk the USA - Street by Street, Walking the USA A-Z. Also qualifies for Virginia Cities program.

Charles City County

Trail Description: Trail rating: 1A. This walk will be along the Virginia Capital Trail, including the birthplace of John Tyler.

Qualifies for AVA Special Programs: Bridges, Vice Presidential Walks. Also qualifies for Virginia Counties program.

Surry County (Chippokes Plantation State Park)

Trail Description: Trail rating: 1B. The walk will be along park roads and trails.

Qualifies for AVA Special Programs: Bridges. Also qualifies for Virginia Counties program.

Southampton County (Courtland)

Trail Description: Trail Rating: 1A. The walk will be along town sidewalks of the county seat.

Qualifies for AVA Special Programs: United States Post Offices, Walk the USA – Street by Street, Walking the USA A-Z. Also qualifies for Virginia Counties program.

Driving Directions to Smithfield Station:

From Richmond and Points North—Take your favorite route to I-95 S through Richmond to Exit 61 A to Hopewell on VA 10 E for about 55 miles to Main St in Smithfield. Turn LEFT on Main St and continue to Church St for about 0.6 miles. Turn RIGHT on Church St and continue to Smithfield Station just before the bridge. Park in the lot across the street on the right.

From Peninsula and Middle Peninsula—Take I-64 S to Exit 258A J.Clyde Morris Blvd/US 17 S. Continue on US 17 about 1.7 miles to Jefferson Ave. Turn LEFT on Jefferson Ave and continue about 4 miles to Mercury Blvd. Turn RIGHT on Mercury Blvd and continue over the James River Bridge on US 17 S for about 4.7 miles to Bartlett and US 258 S. Turn RIGHT on US 258 S and continue to S Church St. Bear RIGHT on S Church St and continue over the bridge to Smithfield Station. Park on the left in the big parking lot.

From Norfolk and Points East—Take your favorite route to VA 164 W. Merge onto Bridge Rd/US 17 N for about 3 miles to Bartlett and US 258 S. Turn RIGHT on US 258 S and continue to S Church St. Bear RIGHT on S Church St and continue over the bridge to Smithfield Station. Park on the left in the big parking lot.