

ETW 2021 WALK SCHEDULE

Go to the OSB (Online Start Box) via <https://my.ava.org/index.php>

MONTH	DATE	DAY	LOCATION	TYPE & RATING
January	1	Friday	Alcoa Greenway (Afternoon Walk)	YRE 5/10 KM - 1A
January	12	Tuesday	West Town Mall (Fun Walk)	Non-AVA -1 A
January	23	Saturday	Townsend (Peaceful Side of the Smokies)	YRE 7/11/14 KM - 2A
February	6	Saturday	Gatlinburg Tourist	YRE 5/10 KM - 1A
February	9	Tuesday	Wares Bend Road	TGW 5/10 KM - 1A
February	20	Saturday	Knoxville UT	YRE 7/12 KM - 3A
March	9	Tuesday	Wildcat Pointe: Morganton Branch/Wildcat Ridge	TGW 5/10 KM - 3C
March	13	Saturday	Knoxville Music, Moonshine & Arts	YRE - 5/10 KM - 1A
March	27	Saturday	Rogersville (NEW -- Online Start Box)	YRE 5/10 KM - 1A
April	10	Saturday	Sequoyah Hills/Dogwood Trail	TGW 5/10 KM - 1A
April	13	Tuesday	TBD	TGW 5/10 KM
April	24	Saturday	NEW - North Knoxville (OSB Only)	YRE 5/10 KM
May	8	Saturday	Clinton 12 Historic	YRE 5/10 KM - 2A
May	11	Tuesday	TBD	TGW 5/10 KM
May	22	Saturday	Maryville	YRE 5/10 KM - 1A
June	5	Saturday	Secret City Historic	YRE 5/10 KM - 1A
June	8	Tuesday	TBD	TGW 5/10 KM
June	19	Saturday	Members' Picnic	TGW 5/10 KM
July	10	Saturday	Ijams Nature Center	TGW 5/10 KM
July	13	Tuesday	TBD	TGW 5/10 KM
July	24	Saturday	Elkmont Historic Trail	YRE 7/12 KM - 2C
August	7	Saturday	Gatlinburg Trail (Starts at the SVC)	YRE 7/10 KM - 2B
August	10	Tuesday	TBD	TGW 5/10 KM
August	21	Saturday	Appalachian Trail/Newfound Gap (OSB Only)	YRE 5/10 KM - 4C
September	10	Friday	Maryville (Evening)	YRE 5 KM - 1A
September	14	Tuesday	TBD	TGW 5/10 KM
September	25	Saturday	Seven Islands State Birding Park (OSB Only)	YRE 5/10 KM - 3B

October	9	Saturday	Alcoa/Maryville Extended Greenway	YRE 5/10/20 KM - 1A
October	12	Tuesday	TBD	TGW 5/10 KM
October	23	Saturday	Linda Nelson Memorial in Alcoa	YRE 5/10 KM - 1A
November	9	Tuesday	TBD	TGW 5/10 KM
November	13	Saturday	Ft. Loudoun State Historic Park	YRE 5/10 KM - 3C
November	26	Friday	Opt Outside - Ijams Nature Center	TGW 5/10 KM - 2B
December	TBD	Saturday	Blount County Jaycee's Christmas Parade	Members' Lunch
December	14	Tuesday	TBD	TGW5/10 KM

ACRONYMS

AT = Appalachian Trail

AVA = American Volkssport Association

GSMNP = Great Smoky Mountains National Park

KM = Kilometer / Each Kilometer is equivalent to 0.6214 miles.

MMA = Music, Moonshine and Art

OSB = Online Start Box

PSB = Physical Start Box

SVC = Sugarlands Visitor Center

TBD = To Be Determined

TE = Traditional Event

TGW = Traveling Guided Walk

UT = University of Tennessee

YRE = Year Round Event

AVA TYPES

Traditional Events (TE) are walks limited to one or two days with a set start and end time.

Traveling Guided Walk (TGW) are done as a group at different locations throughout the year.

Year Round Events (YRE) can be done as a group, and also as an individual.

AVA TRAIL/ROUTE RATING SYSTEM

Part 1 – INCLINE/ELEVATION

1 Very small hills or very little stair climbing.

2 Some moderate hills or stair climbing.

3 Some significant hill or stair climbing.

4 Lots of significant hills or stair climbing.

5 Many steep hills.

Part 2 - TERRAIN

A Almost entirely on pavement.

B A significant part of the route is on well-groomed trails with very few obstacles.

C A significant part of the route is on somewhat difficult terrain (rocky/rooted paths or soft sand.)

D A significant part of the route is on very difficult terrain.

E The majority of the route is on very difficult terrain.