

## Ottawa Voyageurs Walking Club Club de marche Voyageurs d'Ottawa



## OTTAWA - ALTA VISTA - CVF-ON PT # 281 Distance: 10 km; Trail Rating: 1B, 3-Season, Route #6

Start/Finish Point: Shoppers Drug Mart, Alta Vista Plaza, 1559 Alta Vista Drive, Ottawa, ON Parking: Alta Vista Plaza or street parking along Alta Vista Dr.

Washrooms: Available at the Tim Hortons beside the start point & along the route

CVF Special Programs: Lighthouses, Famous Canadians, Art in Public Places, Moving Waters

- Exit Shoppers Drug Mart, going through the parking lot to the street (Alta Vista Dr).
   Turn left on Alta Vista Dr to Cluny St. Cross and turn left on Cluny St to the end.
   Cross and turn left on Knox Cres to the end of the sidewalk. Left on Acton St to
   Station Blvd. Cross and turn right on Station Blvd to the end of the street.
- 2. Take the paved path to the "Y" intersection. **Left** on the paved bike path (**Caution: shared pathway**). Just before the parking lot on the left, veer **left** into the parking lot and keep to the left-hand side of the parking lot to cross to the far end. Take the paved path and follow the yellow, striped crosswalk through the next parking lot to the street.
- 3. **Cross** the street (850 Peter Morand on right). Continue **straight** on the brick/paved path between the buildings. At the street, veer **right** for a few steps then **left** to take the path beside the pond and black fencing (on your right). At the "**T**" intersection, turn **right** on the paved path and continue on the street (Botsford St) to Smyth Rd.
- 4. Turn **right** on Smyth Rd to the next traffic lights. **Cross** Smyth Rd then **straight** on the paved path. At the "**T**" intersection, **left** on the path. At the street, continue **straight** (Portage Ave) to the end. At the intersection, **slight right to cross** Haig Dr. Continue **right** on Haig Dr to Chapman Blvd. **Left** on Chapman Blvd to Saunderson Dr.
- 5. Cross and turn left on Saunderson Dr to Hamlet Rd. Right on Hamlet Rd to Othello Ave. Slight right to the crosswalk. Cross Othello Ave and go straight ahead on the sidewalk (Washrooms available at Starbucks or inside the shopping mall). Just before Pet Value on the left, left to cross at the cross walk and right to continue past Pet Value to the street. Continue left as the sidewalk curves past the Shafie Food Centre and along St Laurent Blvd to Smyth Rd. The Cape North Lighthouse is on the right.
- 6. **Cross** and turn **left** on Smyth to Russell Rd. **Cross** and turn **right** on Russell Rd to Cuba Ave. **Left** on Cuba Ave to Hutton Ave. **Right** on Hutton Ave. After passing the Hutton Park sign, **left** on the path into Hutton Park, past the playground, to the street (Saunderson Dr)
- 7. **Right** on Saunderson Dr **crossing** Haig and continuing to the end of Saunderson. Continue straight ahead on the path, through the opening in the fence, passing a pond on the right. At the "**Y**" intersection, keep **right** following the sidewalk past the Perley Health Centre (on the left) and through the parking lot. **Left** on the dirt path following



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- the power lines to the "T" intersection with a paved path. **Right** on the paved path and continue to the street.
- 8. **Left** on Browning Ave to the end. At the corner of Browning and Devon, **straight** on the paved path into Balena Park. At the building, turn **left** to follow the narrow dirt path through the park to the street (Balena Ave). **Right** on Balena Ave to Avalon PI.
- 9. **Left** on Avalon PI to Mimosa Ave. **Right** on Mimosa to the end. **Left** on Penhill Ave for 1 block to Crestwood PI. At the corner of Penhill Ave and Crestwood PI, **left** on the dirt path through the park (Coronation Park).
- 10. At the end of the path, **right** on the street (Station Blvd) passing a new splash pad (Moving Waters) to Neighbourhood Way. **Right** on Neighbourhood Way. **Left** to **cross** Neighbourhood Way and then **slight left** on the wide paved path to Industrial Ave.
- 11. **Left** on Industrial Ave to Alta Vista Dr. **Cross** Alta Vista Dr and continue straight on Industrial Ave to Riverside Dr. **Left** on Riverside Dr then immediately **left** on the path through the Cancer Survivors Park (Public Art & Famous Canadians) Stay **right** at the split to Alta Vista Dr.
- 12. **Right** on Alta Vista Dr to the next crosswalk. **Left** to cross Alta Vista then **right** to continue on Alta Vista Dr to the start point. (**10.15K**)

