Every Path in Berkeley: Walk 6 - August 2023

Start at Live Oak Park, close to Shattuck Ave & Berryman St. There are bathrooms in the Rec Center (when open) and a port-a-potty on the back side of the building by Walnut St

Head west on Berryman St

Cross Henry St and head R (north) on the opposite sidewalk

At Eunice, look for **Eunice Steps**, your first path, on the left hand side. Head down Eunice Steps.

At the bottom of the steps, continue straight on Eunice St.

Turn R on Milvia St

Turn R on Yolo Ave

Turn L on Sutter St

Go for two blocks and cross Sutter St at the light just before the tunnel

Head up Fountain Walk

At the Marin Circle, head left, carefully cross Marin Ave, and turn L at the next street Los Angeles Ave. Be very careful navigating the crosswalks in the Circle. Traffic exiting the circle (coming from your right in this case) is most dangerous to pedestrians in crosswalks here. Make sure cars exiting the circle are stopping for you!

After a short walk down Los Angeles, head on Jacque Ensign Way to Solano Ave

At the bottom of the path, turn L on Solano Ave

At the intersection with Contra Costa Ave, use the crosswalk to cross on the opposite side of Solano Ave

Turn R (uphill) on the opposite sidewalk along Solano Ave. The sidewalk turns into **Black Path** and heads uphill towards Mendocino Ave.

Turn R on Mendocino Ave

As Mendocino hits the circle, head back towards the Fountain Walk steps. You will need to cross two streets in the Circle (Los Angeles and Marin). Again, be very careful negotiating the crosswalks here and pay close attention to cars exiting the circle.

At the bottom of Fountain Walk, cross Del Norte St and look for the steps for **Terrace Walk** on your left. Head up Terrace Walk, a two-segment path that crosses Mariposa Ave.

At the top of the second path segment, cross Shattuck Ave and continue straight on Walnut St.

After a couple of houses, turn L on **Oxford School Way**.

At the top of the path, turn L on Oxford St.

Turn R on Los Angeles Ave

At Spruce St, use the crosswalk to go across Spruce. Continue L on Spruce St.

Walk about 3 blocks to **Easter Way** (after Santa Barbara Rd) and turn R on Easter Way. This is a 3-segment path that crosses Cragmont Ave and Euclid Ave before reaching Cragmont Park. Be very careful crossing Euclid! There is no crosswalk and you are crossing close to blind turns in the road. Once across, the final path segment is on your left, by a bus stop.

At the top of the final segment of Easter Path, take a break at Cragmont Park, if needed. There is a port-a-potty, water fountain, and nice view at this park.

When you're ready to move on, head north (left) on Regal Rd.

Turn R on Euclid Ave.

Turn R on Billie Jean Walk.

At the top of the path, turn R on Hilldale Ave.

Turn L on Poppy Lane.

Turn R on Pinnacle Path

At the bottom of the path, turn L on Regal Rd

Turn L on Cragmont Ave and continue for about 3 blocks. Cragmont is a long, narrow street with no sidewalks.

Turn L on **Upper Covert Path**, just past 1160 Cragmont Ave

At the top of the path, turn R on Keeler Ave

Turn L on Whitaker Path

At the top of the path, turn L on Sterling Ave

Turn R on **Betty Olds Path** (just across the way from where Twain Ave meets up with Sterling Ave)

At the top of the path, turn L on Whitaker Ave.

In a short while Whitaker Ave reaches Miller Ave. Look for **Anne Brower Path** straight across.

Head up Anne Brower Path

At the top of the path, turn L on Stevenson Ave

Turn R on Grizzly Peak Blvd

Turn R on Stoddard Path

At the bottom of the path, turn L on Miller Ave

Turn L on Shasta Rd

Turn L on Grizzly Peak Blvd

Use the crosswalk to cross GP Blvd and continue straight on Shasta Rd

Take your first R (uphill) on Hill Rd.

At the top of the hill, look for a path just to the right of the monogrammed metal gate. This is **Scott Newhall Path**. Follow this path and keep going straight as it goes through an open chain link gate

about halfway on the path (do NOT take the round steps going down to the right). The path ends on a private driveway with fantastic views across the Bay.

Turn L and walk up this driveway to a cul-de-sac. This is the continuation of Hill Rd. Continue straight on Hill Rd.

As the road crests, it meets up with Atlas PI on the left. Look for **Atlas Path** on the right side of Hill Rd, just across from Atlas Place. Turn R on Atlas Path.

At the bottom of the path, carefully cross Grizzly Peak Bl. This can be a treacherous crossing, with a blind turn on your left. Looks for cars, buses, and worst of all – delivery vans and trucks.

Once safely across, turn L and walk single-file along the shoulder/narrow sidewalk of GP Blvd.

Turn R on Columbia Walk. Check out the cool mural on the garage door as you go by.

Turn R on Fairlawn Dr

Turn L on Glendale Path, another 3-segment path. It comes up shortly after Arcade Ln.

Glendale Path crosses Fairlawn Dr and Queens Rd before arriving at Campus Dr.

At the bottom of the path, carefully walk across this no-stop-signs no-crosswalks free-for-all intersection and continue straight (downhill) on Campus Dr.

Turn R into Glendale-La Loma Park.

Go past the parking lot and continue on the path that turns L (downhill) from the playground. Follow this path as it reaches a field. There are bathrooms and water fountains on your right.

When you're ready to move on, go down the stairs to the right of the chained-off road. Turn L on Quarry Rd to exit the park.

Turn R on La Loma Ave

Keep going on La Loma until the stop sign with Buena Vista Way

At the stop sign cross to the opposite sidewalk of La Loma and continue on La Loma.

Turn L on La Vereda Rd

In one block, turn R on Cedar St

In the cul-de-sac, look for a narrow opening for **Cedar Path** on the right hand side.

Go down Cedar Path.

Towards the bottom of the path, bear left to stay on the left-side sidewalk of La Loma Ave (do NOT take the steps all the way down to the street).

Continue south on La Loma Ave for about 1 block.

Just past 1645 La Loma Ave, turn L (uphill) onto the wide driveway.

Look for **Hilgard Path** on your left, just past the garage.

Turn L onto Hilgard Path.

At the top of the path, turn R on La Vereda Rd

At the fork in the road, where La Vereda goes uphill on the left and Virginia St goes downhill on the right, stay to the left onto La Vereda.

Take your first set of stairs on the right. This is part of **La Vereda Steps**.

At the bottom of these steps, cross Virginia St and continue on La Vereda Steps.

At the bottom of the steps, continue straight onto La Virgina St. You can go down the steps at La Loma to continue to Virginia, or cross over to the right side of Virginia.

Turn R on Le Roy Ave

In the cul-de-sac, go straight on Le Roy Steps

At the top of the path, cross Hilgard Ave and turn R on the opposite sidewalk

Turn L on Le Roy Ave

Continue on Le Roy past Cedar St

Just past the driveway for 1544 Le Roy Ave, look for a narrow opening in the hedge on your left. This is the entrance to **Hill Ct Steps**.

Turn L on Hill Ct Steps

At the bottom of the steps, turn R into the Hill Ct cul-de-sac and continue straight as it reaches Euclid Ave

Turn R on Euclid Ave

Just past Buena Vista Way, use the crosswalk and carefully cross to the opposite sidewalk of Euclid Ave

Continue heading R on Euclid Ave

Turn L on Vine Lane

At the bottom of the path, continue straight onto Vine St and follow it downhill for 3 blocks

At the light with Spruce St, walk across Spruce and turn R on the opposite sidewalk

Continue on Spruce past Rose St

Turn L on **Berryman Path**, just past Congregation Beth El

Continue for two blocks as this multi-segment path crosses Oxford and Walnut streets. You will reach the walk's start/end point at Live Oak Park just past Walnut St. All done! Hurray!

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Go clockwise (head west on Berryman St first)

Route is 6.5 miles and includes 32 paths

