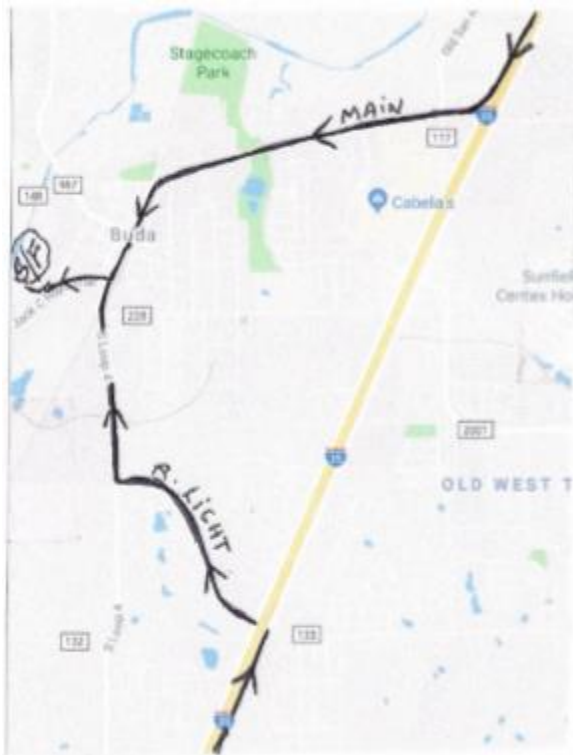


DIRECTIONS: Driving **N** on I 35, take exit #219, Drive about 1 mile on frontage road. **L** on Robert Light Blvd. about 1 mile. **R** on Loop 4 (967) about 1 mile. **L** on Jack Hays Trail. Bartons Crossing is 3rd street on your right.

Driving **S** on I 35, take exit #221 (Main St.) and drive about 1.3 miles on the frontage road to the traffic light. Turn **R** on Main St. and drive for about 1.2 miles, cross rail tracks, Main St will bend **L** along the tracks. Straight at traffic light, go 3 blocks and turn **R** on Jack Hays Trail. Bartons Crossing will be 3rd street on the right.

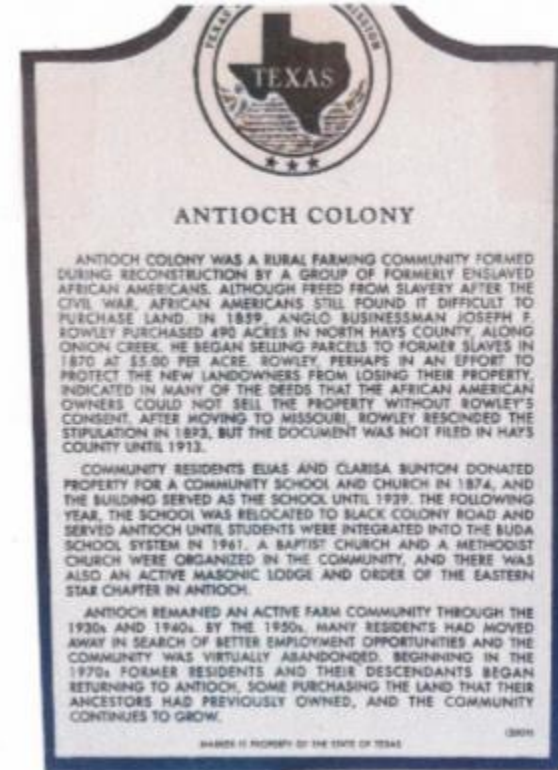


Special Programs: Walking City Parks, Louisiana Purchase, Amphitheatres, Food for Thought, Bridges, USA Street by Street, El Camino Real

The Colorado River Walkers
Present a Volksmarch

Historical Buda

Saturday, September 29, 2018



10k/5k Walk
Event ID: SW18/ 111385
AVA - 77, TVA -24



HISTORY: *Native Americans inhabited this area long before the white man arrived. They quarried chert (type of quartz) found nearby, which can be made into cutting tools.*

In about 1835 Mexican land grants were procured by some European settlers. They resold acreage to others, among whom was Joseph Rowley from Illinois, who bought 490 acres along Onion Creek in about 1859 for \$2.50 an acre.

Though Rowley could have sold that land in the reconstruction period after the Civil War for huge profits, he instead chose to establish a colony for black residents of the area. Starting in 1870 Rowley began selling the land to freed slaves for \$5 per acre, and white settlers for \$100 an acre. He also did all the paperwork for the black community to insure their ownership.

The Antioch Colony thus began before the Austin to San Antonio railroad was built in 1880, and before Cornelia Trimble founded the town of Dupre (Buda) in 1881.

LOCATION Start/Finish: Onion Creek Senior Center, 420 Bartons Crossing, Buda Tx. 78610

START / FINISH TIMES: Start between 7:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m., finish by 1:30 p.m.

ROUTE: Both the 5k and 10k routes will walk through historic downtown Buda, and across Onion Creek to view site of former Antioch Colony. The 10k route also goes through Stagecoach Park and past the new City of Buda Municipal Complex. Route is rated 1A.

WALK FEES:

All walkers (Credit or non-credit) are \$3.00.
Non-credit children under 12 are \$1.25 to cover AVA fee.

AWARDS: "B" awards from previous walks will be available. Children under 12 are eligible for a free "B" award.

DISCLAIMER: The Colorado River Walkers are not responsible for accidents, injuries, or any lost or stolen items during the event. Reasonable effort will be made to make this a safe, enjoyable event.

EVENT CONDITIONS: The event will be held regardless of weather conditions. All participants (including small children) must carry a Start Card. Walk route twice on same Start Card for additional distance credit. Events are noncompetitive. Walk, jog, or run at your own pace. Pets are allowed on the trail, but must remain on a leash with owner doing cleanup.

ELIGIBILITY: Everyone is welcome. These events are open to all, regardless of age, sex, creed, race or nationality. An adult must accompany children under age 12.

IVV CREDIT: This event is sanctioned by the American Volkssport Association (AVA), a member of the International Federation of Popular Sports (IVV) and counts toward acquisition of IVV Achievement Awards. IVV books may be purchased at the event for \$6.00. New Walker packets are available for \$5.00.

AMENITIES: Water and restrooms are available at the Start/Finish and at other places along the route.

Conduct: Participants are reminded that this event is open to all, including families. Please conduct yourself accordingly. The Colorado River Walkers retain the right to ask anyone engaging in offensive or inappropriate behavior to cease to participate and to leave the event area and facilities.

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