

Disclaimer:

The sponsors of this event cannot be held liable or responsible for accidents, theft, material damage, and/or injury. Every reasonable effort will be made to make the walk safe and enjoyable. Participants are cautioned to take due care and restrain your children. An adult must accompany children under the age of 12 and pets must be on a leash. It is requested that participants keep the trail free from papers and other debris. By registering for this event, the participant agrees to these conditions. Reminder, this walk is on a DNR property. All visitors are expected to observe the rules which are designed to fulfill the purpose for which state parks were established, namely to preserve a primitive landscape in its natural condition for the use and enjoyment of the people.

General Information:

About the walk:

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Directions:

From I 64 take exit 4 (New Harmony, Mt. Vernon, Griffin) HWY 69 South 9 miles to the Harmonie State park sign. Turn right on State Road 269 and go 1 mile to the Harmonie State park entrance.

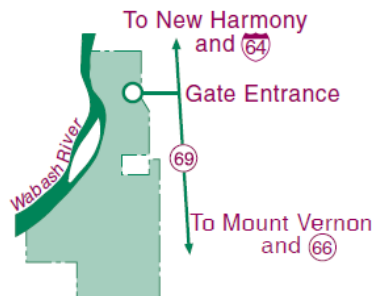
Pre-Registration:

Form must be returned by September 11, 2013. Make check payable to: River City Ramblers, 2003 N. Heidelberg Ave., Evansville, IN 47711 Please Circle: Header Bar and Credit \$11.00 Bar and Credit \$6.00 Credit Only \$3.00

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____



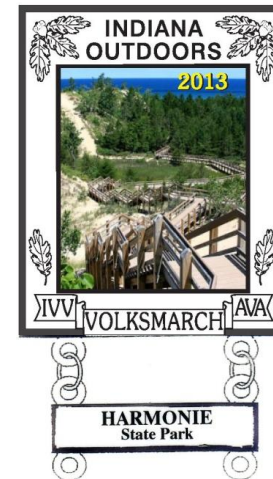
The River City Ramblers

Present

Harmonie State Park

Volksmarch

A Non-Competitive 5 K or 10 K Walk Event



**New Harmony, Indiana
Saturday, September 21, 2013**

**Start Time: 9:00 AM to Noon CDT
Finish Time: Before 3:00 PM CDT**

Trail Rating: 3B

This Walk Does Not Qualify For Any Special Programs



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Welcome:

The River City Ramblers welcome you to Harmonie State Park, located on the banks of the Wabash River in Posey County, Indiana. Harmonie State Park is a 3,465-acre park located just off highway 69, 25 miles northwest of Evansville IN and 4 miles south of New Harmony IN. It is a trail lover's paradise! Facilities include: a beautiful Olympic size swimming pool, 200 class A camping sites, youth tent area, housekeeping cabins, boat launch ramp, nature center, and many other features.

Nearby New Harmony Kunstfest September 21-22, 2013. Hew Harmony honors two unique communities from the early 1800's established by the Rappites and the Owenites. The Atheneum Visitors Center is located at North and Arthur streets. Kunstfest is a traditional German Festival honoring the founding fathers of New Harmony with music, food, arts & crafts and family fun. Come enjoy New Harmony's annual celebration of German Heritage with hand made arts & crafts, live music and food. Located throughout the town of New Harmony, ride a horse drawn wagon through New Harmony's historic streets. Enjoy live music as you enjoy traditional German food and desserts. *If you have never experienced Kunstfest, you will want to make sure this year you do.*

What is a Volksmarch?

A Volksmarch is literally a "folks walk" or a walk for the people. It is a self-paced walk for all to enjoy. Local clubs develop routes, selecting trails for scenic interest, historic points, natural beauty, and walkability. The purpose of a Volksmarch is to encourage physical fitness, promote fellowship and to enjoy the outdoors. It is fun activity to do with the family, friends or all by yourself. Most volksmarches are 10 km, or 6.2 miles, in length. There are clubs in every state of the US and more than 30 countries.

Start Time:

Between 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 Noon local time.

Finish Time:

By 3:00 p.m. local time.

Weather: This event will be held rain or shine. Please dress appropriately.

Location:

Harmonie State Park, 3451 Harmonie State Park Road (state Road 269), 812-682-4821. After you enter the park follow the Volksmarch signs to the Start/Finish point, at the Cherry Hill Shelter.

Park Fees:

All participants must pay the current admission to the park when applicable. An annual pass to all DNR properties is available for both in-state and out-of-state visitors.

Registration & Start Cards:

All participants, including infants and children, must check in at the registration table and receive a start card. Your start card must be signed before the walk and returned to the finish table upon completion of the walk. This procedure allows us to keep track of all participants.

Event Award:

Each Department of Natural Resources (DNR) property in this series has a special 2 ¼ inch die cast medal with a DNR property bar attached and to which additional DNR property bars may be added to form a chain. Completion of the trail and payment of the registration fee is required for the award.

Fees:

Everyone is welcome to participate in this event for free. However, if you desire the award and credit, the fee is \$13.00. The property bar and credit is \$8.00. The fee for IVV credit only is \$3.00. You may walk for free if no award or IVV credit is desired. There will be no refunds. You may Pre-register. For this the fee for the Award and credit is \$11.00; for bar only and credit is \$6.00. Pre-registration can be mailed to the River City Ramblers, no later than September 11, 2013.

Refreshments:

Water and restrooms will be available at the Start/Finish point and at the checkpoints. You may wish to carry water with you.

Trail Description:

Rating 3B. The trail will be going through grassy meadows, over rolling hills, across streams, all in a forest setting. There is some significant hill climbing. Most of the route is on park trails. It is not suitable for strollers or wheelchairs. The trail will be marked. Pets must be on a leash.

Sponsors:

The River City Ramblers is a non-profit walking club located in Evansville, Indiana. It is a member of the Indiana Volkssport Association and the American Volkssport Association