

**VOLKSMARCH SPONSOR:** Princeton Area Walkers, AVA 776

**SANCTIONED BY:** The American Volkssport Association (AVA), a member of the International Federation of Popular Sports (IVV).

**TRAIL DESCRIPTION:** The trail is mostly sidewalks with some natural surface trail through the Arboretum on the Drew campus.

**TRAIL BACKGROUND:** Originally known as "Bottle Hill" before it officially became Madison in 1834, Madison is still known as "The Rose City," due to the greenhouses which began to appear in 1856. Long after they were replaced first by Californian, and later by South and Central American growers, what remains is a beautiful residential commuter town, which is home to two universities and a wide range of restaurants from the casual to the elegant. The downtown is a Commercial Historic District, on both the State and National Registers of Historic Places. On this walk, we will visit both Drew University, and Fairleigh Dickinson University. Founded as a Methodist seminary in 1867, until July, Drew was led by former governor Tom Kean, who served as President of Drew while he also served as Chairman of the September 11th Commission. From Drew we will proceed to the Madison campus of FDU, and see the spectacular Mansion, designed by Stanford White in the 1890's. Donated by a patron, this building replicates a wing of Henry VIII's Hampton Court, and its 100 rooms are decorated in Italian marble. With its beautiful hilltop views, this building reminds us: "It's nice to be the King!"

**SPECIAL EVENTS:** College Campus

**DISTANCE:** 10 KM. **DIFFICULTY:** 1+

**START/FINISH LOCATION:** Atlanta Bread Company, 6 Main Street, Madison, NJ 07940

**START:** Register between 10:30 and 12:00 noon. Finish by 3:00 p.m.

**DATE:** Saturday, October 22, 2005

**REGISTRATION/FEES:** Fee for IVV credit is \$3. For non-IVV members we are requesting a \$3 donation to assist in covering our expenses.

**FACILITIES:** Restrooms are available at the start/finish point as well as on the campuses of Drew and Fairleigh Dickinson Universities.

**CONDITIONS:** The event will be held regardless of weather conditions, but keep in mind that severe weather will increase the trail difficulty. Please, no littering along the trail. Pets are not permitted.

**AWARD:** There is no special Award for this event. There is no pre-registration.

**EVENT PROCEDURE:** At the start point, each participant will receive a start card, which must be filled out legibly with the individual's name and address (preprinted address labels are suggested). The start card must be carried during the event and personally presented at control points along the trail. Participants missing a control point may be refused an award/or IVV credit. All cards remain the property of the sponsoring club and must be turned in at the completion of the event.

**ELIGIBILITY:** Anyone is welcome to participate in the walk. Children under 12 must be accompanied by an adult along the trail.

**IVV RECORD BOOKS:** Participants are reminded to bring their IVV record books. Additional books will be available for purchase at \$5 each.

**REFRESHMENTS:** Refreshments are available at the start point. We encourage walkers to patronize our gracious hosts at the Atlanta Bread Company.

**DISCLAIMER:** The sponsors of this event, their officials, members, and agents cannot be held responsible for any lost or stolen items, accidents, or injury at any time. Every reasonable effort will be made to make these events safe & enjoyable for all.

**FURTHER INFORMATION:**  
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### **Year Round & Seasonal Events**

Atlantic City Walk  
2 Long Branch Walks & 1 Bike  
Moorestown Walk  
4 New York City Walks  
2 Princeton Walks  
Titusville Walk  
Westfield Walk

### **2005 Event Schedule**

April 9	Historic Keyport
May 14	New York City
June 4	Liberty State Park
June 23	Atlantic City
June 25	Trenton
September 18	Rutgers University
October 2	Bordentown
October 22	Madison \ Drew University

For information on these events or club membership contact Maureen Penta (maurpenta@comcast.net) 732-229-8169.

The AVA National office maintains a voice message listing of all events by state updated monthly which can be accessed at 1-800-830-WALK (9255) and a web site at [www.AVA.org](http://www.AVA.org)



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**GNC LiveWell.**

**What is Volksporing?** The German term 'volksport' literally means a 'sport of the people'. Anyone of any age can participate in walking, biking, swimming, or cross country skiing events. These events are not a contest of speed, rather each participant sets their own pace and only needs to complete the event before the stated finish time -- thus everyone is a "WINNER".

**Directions:**

**From WEST:**

Take I-78 EAST toward New York. Take Exit 29 to I-287 NORTH toward I-80/Morristown for 15 miles  
\*Take Exit 35 South St. in Morristown toward Rt. 124/Madison Ave. for .1 mile.  
Turn LEFT onto South St. .1 mile  
Take first RIGHT, following signs to Rt. 124 East and Drew/FDU/St. Elizabeth.  
At stop sign, make RIGHT on to Rte 124 East. Follow Madison Ave/Rt. 124 for 3.5 miles, past 10 traffic lights and Drew University, on right. After you go under Railroad Bridge, Atlanta Bread will be on your LEFT. (See NOTE below.)

**From SOUTH:**

Take Garden State Parkway to Exit 127 or NJ Turnpike to Exit 10/Rt. 287 North, then proceed from \* as above.

**From NORTH:**

Take Rt. 287 South to Exit 37, Rt.24 East toward Springfield for 1.9 miles to the first exit  
Take exit 2A (510 West to Morristown) onto Columbia Turnpike for .3 miles.  
\*\*Cross left over three lanes before first light.  
Turn LEFT at light on to Park Ave for 2.5 miles, past 6 traffic signals to Atlanta Bread, on LEFT. Park Avenue becomes Main Street. (See NOTE below.)

**From EAST on I-78/24:**

Take 78 WEST on local lanes 4.0 miles after you pass over the Garden State Parkway to Exit 48 (24 WEST/to 287/Springfield/Morristown)  
Take 24 WEST 7.8 miles to Exit 2A-B (Take 2nd Exit, 2A (510 WEST to Morristown))  
Proceed from \*\* as above.

**From EAST on I-80:**

Take 80 WEST (local lanes) to Exit 43  
Take I-287 South (to Morristown)  
Continue from NORTH, as above.

**Parking**

**NOTE:** You cannot make a left into the Atlanta Bread parking lot. Go around large block, making two LEFT turns, and park in one of the public lots, or the rear Atlanta Bread lot.



# MADISON & DREW UNIVERSITY

Madison, New Jersey  
(Morris County)

Saturday October 22, 2005

A 10 Kilometer  
Non-competitive Walk



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