

July 26, 2009 Path-a-thon Walk Led by Jen English

This walk was the MEDIUM EFFORT walk for the Path-A-Thon and covers every path south of Tunnel and east of Claremont. Many chances for Bay views on this walk, especially in the first part of the route; a few are pointed out, but be on the lookout for your own favorites.

ROUTE:

Start at John Muir School Park and head out on **Oakridge Path**

LEFT Domingo Ave.

cross street at El Camino and continue left on Domingo

RIGHT **Oakridge Path** (whimsical garden with ducks and chickens on right; view between houses at top of path)

STRAIGHT Oak Ridge Rd. (view through open-backed garage on right)

pass Park Path

RIGHT **Oak Ridge Steps** (view halfway down)

LEFT El Camino Real

cross The Uplands & stay to right (treehouse on right)

STRAIGHT onto **Claremont Path**

RIGHT Hillcrest (views between houses)

next RIGHT Roanoke Rd.

immed. LEFT at The Uplands (chicken mailbox on left)

at crosswalk/walking sign on right, down and then to the left on **dirt path in center of the Uplands** (not an official numbered path)

LEFT off the dirt path and across the street to **The Crossways**

RIGHT Hillcrest

immed. LEFT **South Crossways** (walk can be made slightly longer by walking the loop of Chabot Crest/Chabot Rd./Chabot Terrace)

back on South Crossways

LEFT Hillcrest Rd. (tennis courts/skateboard ramps on right)

pass Eucalyptus on left

Stay left as street curves past Hillcrest Ct. (views to the right)

pass The Steps

sharp curve RIGHT at Eucalyptus/Hillcrest sign

RIGHT **The Steps**

LEFT Hillcrest

next LEFT Hillcrest Ct. (views between houses)

At dead end, RIGHT **The Footway** (outdoor fireplace)

STRAIGHT Encina Place

cross The Plaza Dr.

immed. LEFT (paved) **Encina Walk** (creek under house on right)

RIGHT Oakvale Ave. (pass creek on right continuing under houses)

next RIGHT Domingo Ave.

next LEFT The Plaza Dr.

next LEFT **The Cutoff**

next left El Camino Real

next RIGHT **Park Path**

next LEFT Oak Ridge Rd.

STRAIGHT onto **Oakridge Path**

next LEFT Domingo Ave. (optional RIGHT instead of left here, cross Ashby for Peets, etc. Then LEFT at Claremont and back to park).

RIGHT Oakridge Path

End at John Muir School Park.