

Moultrie Middle School's Old Village Historical Marker Walking Tour

ACTION BASED LEARNING

Research has shown that the brain stores information more readily when learning is paired with physical activity. Moultrie Middle School's Wellness Committee has developed an Old Village Historical Marker Walking Tour that can be used by families, teachers, classes and the community:

- to explore the beautiful Old Village
- to exercise for our health
- to learn and to make us more knowledgeable
- to practice skills learned in school
- to let us enjoy nature, fresh air, and our freedom
- to provide an opportunity for family bonding and friendship building



Begin your walk on Coleman Boulevard at the Jasper Green Park in front of the Moultrie

Historical Markers

Walk west along Coleman Blvd. and stop at the first 3 markers.

1. **Sgt. Jasper/Jasper Green**
2. **Moultrie School/General William Moultrie**
3. **Coleman Blvd./Kings Highway**
Turn left onto Hibben Street and continue down to:
4. **Mt. Pleasant Presbyterian**
5. **Hibben House**
Turn around and walk back up Hibben Street, turn right onto Bennett Street. Stop at Marker 6, cross Venning Street to view Marker 7.
6. **Whilden House/54th Massachusetts**
7. **Mount Pleasant Home for Destitute Children**
Turn around and turn right onto Venning Street, then turn right onto Pitt Street and stop at Marker 8.
8. **Pitt Street Merchants**
Walk down Pitt Street and turn left onto King Street, stop at Marker 9.
9. **Darby Building**
Turn right onto Carr Street and stop at Marker 10.
10. **War of 1812**
Turn right onto Bank Street and stop at Marker 11.
11. **Patjens Post Office**
Turn left onto Pitt Street and stop at Marker 12.
12. **Ferry Service/Ronkins Long Room**
Continue down Pitt Street and turn right onto McCants Drive. Walk around the curve and this becomes Middle Street. Walk down Middle Street to Marker 13.
13. **Alhambra**
Continue down Middle Street to Pierates Cruze. Turn right onto Pierates Cruze to Marker 14.

- Walking Distance without Cove Inlet-17,194ft or 3.26 miles
- With Cove Inlet Extra Credit-add 6,850ft or 1.3 more miles
- 1 mile=5,280ft. or 1760 yds. or approximately 2,000 steps

14. **Pierates Cruze/Pierates Cruze Gardens**
Walk through Pierates Cruze and turn right onto Middle Street.
Walk down Middle Street and turn left onto Center Street.
Walk down Center Street. (For 1.3 miles extra credit and a beautiful view, turn **RIGHT** onto Pitt Street and follow to the end of the Pitt Street Bridge for the Cove Inlet Marker, then turn around and walk back to Center Street) To skip the extra credit and the beautiful view, turn **LEFT** onto Pitt Street instead.
Follow Pitt Street and turn right onto Ferry Street, stop at marker 15.
15. **Old Village**
Turn left onto Royall Avenue and stop at Marker 16.
16. **Storm of the Century**
Cross to the other side of Royall Avenue and walk back up towards Coleman Blvd. Stop at Markers 17, 18, 19 and 20.
17. **Friendship AME Church**
18. **Laing School**
19. **St. Andrew's Church**
20. **Etiwan Masonic Lodge**
Continue to walk up Royall Avenue (changes into Whilden Street) and turn right onto Hibben Street. Turn right onto Coleman Blvd. and finish your tour at the Farmer's Market at Moultrie Middle School. This is a great place to have a picnic!

Good Health Recommendation:

Try to walk 10,000 steps per day



1. Sgt. Jasper/Jasper Green
2. Moultrie School/General Wm. Moultrie
3. Coleman Blvd./King Highway
4. Mount Pleasant Presbyterian
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7. Mount Pleasant Home for Destitute Children
8. Pitt Street Merchants
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Distance between markers

1. Sgt. Jasper/Jasper Green (about 400' to next marker)
2. Moultrie School/General Wm. Moultrie (about 500' to next marker)
3. Coleman Blvd./Kings Highway (about 1,500' to next marker)
4. Mount Pleasant Presbyterian (about 850' to next marker)
5. Hibben House (about. 950' to next marker)
6. Whilden House/54th Massachusetts (about 350' to next marker)
7. Mount Pleasant Home for Destitute Children (about 525' to next marker)
8. Pitt Street Merchants (about 850' to next marker)
9. Darby Building (about 225' to next marker)
10. War of 1812 (about 475' to next marker)
11. Patjens Post House (about 300' to next marker)
12. Ferry Service/Ronkins Long Room (about 2,200' to next marker)
13. Alhambra (about 375' to next marker)
14. Pierates Cruze/Pierates Cruze Gardens (about 4,325' to next marker)
15. Old Village (about 275' to next marker)
16. Storm of the Century (about 425' to next marker)
17. Friendship AME Church (about 225' to next marker)
18. Laing School (about 950' to next marker)
19. St. Andrew's Church (about 75' to next marker)
20. Etiwan Masonic Lodge (about 1,775' to Farmers Market)

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Practicing Skills Learned at School

- Sequential Ordering: Can you follow the order from point A to point B?
- Math: What is the total walking distance when the extra credit Cove Inlet leg is added? Can you convert that to metric? If you only did one third of the course and turned around and went back to the beginning, what was the distance you walked?
- Literacy: Read the markers. Are there words you don't understand? Talk about vocabulary that you don't understand. Write the words down and look them up when you get home.
- Social Studies: What was the original use for Highway 17? How did Mount Pleasant get its name?
- Science: Pierates Cruze has beautiful camellias. Discuss the factors that allow these plants to survive and grow here for so many years. Notice the clouds overhead. What kind are they? What do they tell you about how the weather is changing today?

For more information on the Old Village Historic District see the Town of Mount Pleasant website: <https://tompsc.com>

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