



December 2025 Newsletter

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We meet on the second Wednesday in February, April, June, August, October, and December. Currently most of our meetings are held remote using the internet except for the August PICNIC Meeting which is normally held at the outdoor patio next to the cafeteria at the Adventist Health Portland, 10123 SE Market St, Portland, OR 97216

Schedule of Club Events

10 Dec – Annual Pizza General Meeting - 5:00 to 7:00PM

Round Table Pizza (party Room),
SE 82nd Avenue & SE King Road
Pizza and drinks provided by our club
Agenda will look at 2026 events

17 Dec – Christmas walk in Downtown Portland Walk will start in the Good Sam Medical Center's Parking Garage



**Last Years Wednesday 5 km Walkers with Portlandia
On the Christmas Walk in Downtown Portland
Photo by Dick**

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**DEC 3 @ 9:40 to 9:55 AM (WEDNESDAY)
LAKE OSWEGO, OR**

Safeway grocery Store, 401 A Ave

Gallery without Walls Walk – YRE 1609

The walk will have two 5km loops. The first loop will be in the downtown area and will pass most of the sculptures that are in the downtown area. The second loop will cross Lakewood Bay and pass homes along the shore. The second loop will also pass some of the sculptures in the downtown area. 5 km & 10 km rated 1A (easy)



Wed. Walkers – Gresham 5 Nov 2025 Photo by Ed

**DEC 10 @ 9:40 TO 9:55 AM (WEDNESDAY)
MILWAUKIE, OR**

Parking Lot, SE 32nd Ave. and SE Llewellyn St.

Milwaukie Group Walk – YRE 389

Walk through the quaint town of Milwaukie, neighborhoods along the Willamette River and a park. Look for the Peace Poles.
5 and 10 km rated 1A (easy)

**DEC 17 @ 9:40 TO 9:55 AM (WEDNESDAY)
PORTLAND OR**

Good Sam Medical Center Parking #2,
NW Marshall St between 21st and 22nd
Registration at elevator on Level G

Ed will have parking passes so you can park in the garages for Good Sam Medical Center

Christmas Celebration Walk – YRE 410

The walk will go into downtown and go by and into businesses decorated with holiday decorations. Highlights include Multnomah Athletic Club, Pioneer Plaza, Portlandia, and Benson Hotel.

5 km & 10 km routes- rated 1A (easy)

**DEC 20 @ 3:00 to 4:30 PM (SATURDAY)
PORTLAND, OR**

Tiny's Coffee House, 1412 SE 12th Ave

Christmas Ships Walk - Event

Walk on pavement along the Willamette River, crossing the river on Tilikum Crossing Bridge and returning on the Hawthorne Bridge for viewing of the Christmas Ships parade. Both the Columbia River and Willamette River Ship Fleets are scheduled to be there. Ships scheduled to leave at 4:30pm

5 and 10 km rated 1A (easy)

**DEC 31 @ 9:30AM TO NOON (WEDNESDAY)
VANCOUVER, WA**

McMenamins East Vancouver

1900 NE 162nd Ave., B-107

New Year's Eve Walk - EVENT

Celebrate New Year's eve in the morning walking with a choice of 3 different 5 km routes and one 6k routes. The NW Loop (rated 1B) will be in older nice residential areas and in a small wooded park with dirt trail. The NE Loop (rated 1A -6km) is on paved pathways near and in residential areas. The SE Loop (rated 1A) will mainly be in Pacific Community Park on paved or gravel trails and the SW Loop (rated 1A) will be in a newer area with some very nice homes.

Group walk start at 9:50

There will be random prizes of Champagne and Sparkling Cider awarded to some walkers.



Wed Walkers – Cook Park 12 Nov 2025

Photo by Ed