

Spring Ahead Walk – Trenton to Princeton – Sunday Mar 23, 2014

This is a casual 12 mile walk mostly on the D&R Canal towpath from Trenton to Princeton. It's a nice warm-up for the upcoming Great Canal Walk (4/5/14).

Starts: front of Trenton Transit Center 8:00 am – expected finish 12:30-1:00pm in Princeton at intersection of D&R Canal & Alexander Rd. (aka Turning Basin) (1 mile from Princeton Junction train station, 1.5 miles from Princeton town center.)

Contact: Paul Kiczek paul@freewalkers.org and cell# 973-214-1811 call anytime.

Train - there's a NJ Transit train (#7817) running from NYC arriving @ Princeton Junction 7:27am and @ Trenton 7:46. This is the train to take from all points north of Trenton to arrive for our 8:00am start at front of the Trenton Transit Center.

Other Mass transit - [Here's a good overview of center and its buses, light rail and all trains to Trenton.](#)

Parking at Other Points - Here's a good list of plenty of small [D&R lots](#) along the trail for alternatives.

Start - Trenton Parking - there is plenty of parking near [Trenton Transit Center](#) (72 South Clinton Avenue) - looks like about \$10-11 per day. It appears there may be some street parking but it might be time limited - however there could be a break for this being Sunday.

End - Princeton Parking - maybe the best strategy for people north of Trenton is to park in Princeton on Alexander Rd (at the D&R park parking lot – called [Turning Basin Park](#) and grab a ride to the train station OR park at the [Princeton Junction Train station](#) (there are commercial lots there too metered) and catch the **7:27 to Trenton** (arrives at Trenton 7:46). (That's what PK is doing). [Go to Alexander Rd Parking lot at 7:00 am and we'll shuttle people to Princeton Junction train station to catch that train.](#)

Walk - we'll be heading out of the Trenton train station west for a 1/2 mile on State St to the Calhoun St bridge across the Delaware where we pick up the start of the ECGreenway/D&R Canal. See the [Interactive Map](#) on TR2NB40.org for details.

Lunch – Plenty of places in Princeton to eat and visit but town is about 1.5miles north and the train station is 1 mile south. For something different you could even try to catch a bus or the “dinky” (special commuter train) along your travels.

Keep Up to Date - For further details on the walk sign up at <http://freewalkers.org/events/spring-ahead-walk-2014-trenton-to-princeton> I'll post up to date info there in the event description area. Call me if you need help.