

# Hiking Good Sense

Only cross Highway 101 at stoplights.  
Wait for the “Walk” signal.

Walk on the sidewalk or pathway.

When you must walk on the road, stay on the shoulder. Walk on the left side of the roadway so you are facing the oncoming traffic.

If you walk after dark, carry a light and turn it on when cars are present.

Be prepared for the weather to get cooler. Carry another layer for warmth.

Respect property. The hike route will not take you onto private spaces.

**If you decide to walk on the beach, watch for “sneaker waves.” Do not climb on any logs or driftwood that could be picked up by the surf.**

***Sometimes the surf and tide are too high for safe passage. If the beach does not look safe, take the paved pathway along the headland.***

## For More Hiking and More History

Visit the Coos Trails website, [www.coostrails.com](http://www.coostrails.com), to learn about more hiking opportunities in the area.

Choose the “Walking Bandon’s History” tab on the Coos Trails site to access more images of historic places along Bandon’s streets.

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## Healthy History Hikes

# To the Beach And Back

Walk a loop route along quiet streets and pathways to reach the beach. Stop along the way to think about how some familiar spots used to look.



Length: 4 Miles

Allow 2 hours

The Challenge: To reach the beach, even if you don’t touch the sand

The Prize: Claim a “History Hiker” award at the museum.



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## A historic look at some familiar spots



The Masonic Lodge building before the 1936 fire.



Coquille Point Live Saving Station, 1910. Charlie Fox on watch.



The First Presbyterian church building before it burned in 1914?



Bandon City Park about 1911.



Bandon’s Central School, built in 1908. Burned in 1936. Replaced by Ocean Crest School in 1939.

Take the sand route, in blue, only in safe surf and weather conditions.

