MACQUARIE

Walk Features: This loop walk takes you from the Shops along streets, past playgrounds and through reserves. Some of the walk is on dirt tracks.

Duration of the walk: About 1 hour and 30 minutes.

Region: Belconnen.

Information about the Suburb: <u>Macquarie</u> was established in 1967 and named after Major-General <u>Lachlan Macquarie</u>, a former Governor of NSW. Its streets are named contemporaries of Governor Macquarie.

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Walk Directions

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To get to the start of the walk proceed north along Coulter Dr. Turn R into Lachlan St and follow it around to the Shops on Macquarie Pl.

Note that streets in brackets means there is no street sign at this point of the walk.

- 1. Facing away from the Shops go L around them to a concrete path passing a playground on your R.
- 2. Go L at a bus shelter into (Bennelong Cr).
- 3. Go R onto Erskine St and follow it around passing (Clint PI) and then Jarvis PI both on your R.
- 4. Go R on a concrete path into a park.
- 5. At a playground on your R, go L on a concrete path running out of the park.
- Go R onto (Castlereagh Cr) and then pass Druitt Pl, Bathurst Pl and Nepean Pl all on your R.
- 7. Go L onto Elizabeth Cr.
- 8. Pass Castlereagh Cr on your L.
- 9. Go R onto Bennelong Cr.
- 10.Go L onto Roberts St.

- 11.Go L onto (Brooks St).
- 12. When you reach Macquarie Primary School, go L on a concrete path with the school fence on your R.
- 13.Go R onto Bennelong Cr and proceed past a bus shelter and then the school on your R.
- 14.At the end of the school fence, go R down alongside the fence line to the Macquarie Neighbourhood Oval.
- 15. Proceed down to cricket nets then go L and clockwise around the oval.
- 16.Do a near complete circumference of the oval until you come to a concrete path.
- 17.Follow the path off the oval proceeding uphill between houses on your L and the school and a basketball court on your R.
- 18.Go L onto (Brooks St).
- 19.Go R onto Goulburn St, and then just past number 10, go L down a concrete path.
- 20. Cross over (Lachlan St) and continue straight ahead on a concrete path.
- 21.Pass a playground on your R and cross over (Badgery St) and continue straight ahead on a concrete path.
- 22.Go R onto (Blackman Cr) passing a playground on your R.
- 23.Continue on to pass the road opposite number 51.
- 24. Pass Lochbuy St on your L.
- 25.Go L at the next entrance into Lochbuy St and then immediately R on a concrete path as it heads towards an underpass.
- 26.DO NOT go through the (Redfern St) underpass but go L up a concrete path before it.
- 27. Pass Lyttleton Cr on your R.
- 28.Pass a bus shelter.
- 29.Immediately before an iron railing bridge go L on a bitumen path.
- 30.Go R on a concrete path.
- 31.Go L onto (Allman Cct).
- 32. Pass De Gillern Pl on your L.
- 33. Proceed onto a concrete path passing a playground on your L.

34.Go L onto (Collicott Cct).

- 35.At number 27 go L on a concrete path.
- 36.Go R on a bitumen path and follow it all the way down and continue straight ahead when it becomes a concrete path.
- 37. Cross over (Catchpole St) and continue straight ahead on a bitumen path.
- 38.Before the path swings around to your R and up to traffic lights on (Belconnen Way) (note the big Owl over the Way), turn sharp L down a concrete path.
- 39. Cross (Catchpole St) and go R alongside (Catchpole St).
- 40.Pass Fulton St on your L.
- 41. Proceed straight ahead on a dirt track behind houses on your L.
- 42.At the end of the houses when you come to an open grassy reserve, go L down a dirt track behind houses on your L and the reserve on your R.
- 43. Cross over Arndell St.
- 44. Continue straight ahead down Richmond St.
- 45.Just after number 7 continue straight ahead onto a concrete path.
- 46. Cross over (Lachlan St) and back to the Shops.