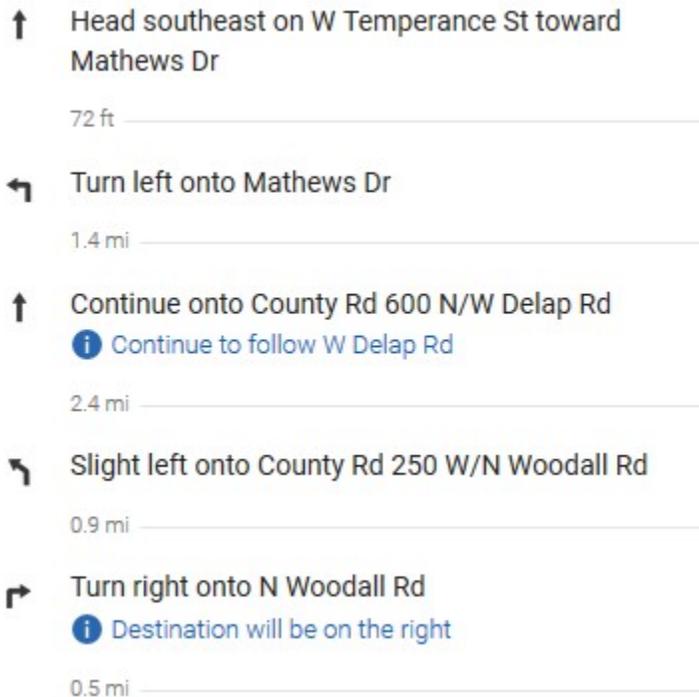


Alternate Meeting Locations

1. Sometimes the church building is unavailable due to previously scheduled church activities, and sometimes some activities might be better suited to taking place in another location.
2. Below are several free alternative locations that the pack has used.

Beanblossom Bottoms Nature Preserve – Sycamore Land Trust

1. Beanblossom Bottoms Nature Preserve is owned and run by the Sycamore Land Trust. No reservation is necessary and there is no charge to use the preserve.
2. Beanblossom Bottoms Nature Preserve is located at: N Woodall Rd, Ellettsville, IN 47429, 5.2 miles from Ellettsville First United Methodist Church.



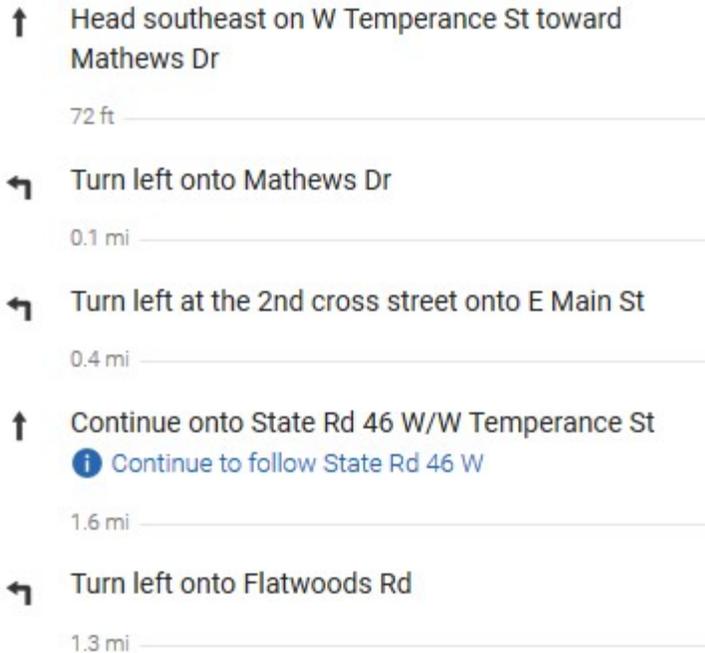
3. Beanblossom Bottoms Nature Preserve has several options for hiking trails, allowing for hikes of different lengths. One of the loops is on a boardwalk trail. An observation deck allows you to see a bald eagle nest in the distance. The preserve provides a home for the endangered Indiana bat, Kirtland's snake, rare orchids, and other threatened species.

B-Line Trail

1. The B-Line Trail is maintained by the City of Bloomington. No reservation is necessary and there is no charge to use the park.
2. Shelter reservations may be made here: <https://mcparksandrec.org/wp/shelters-splash-pad/>
3. The B-Line Trail is located in downtown Bloomington between Country Club Drive and Adams Street, 7.9 miles from Ellettsville First United Methodist Church.
4. The B-Line Trail is a 3.1 mile multi-use trail in the United States, connecting the downtown area of Bloomington, Indiana, to an area in a neighboring county. The trail connects with the Bloomington Rail Trail which in turn runs into the planned Limestone Greenway trail.
5. The B-Line Trail also contains many works of art that can be used to fulfill requirements at several rank levels. See Appendix for Art Hike information and map.

Flatwoods Park

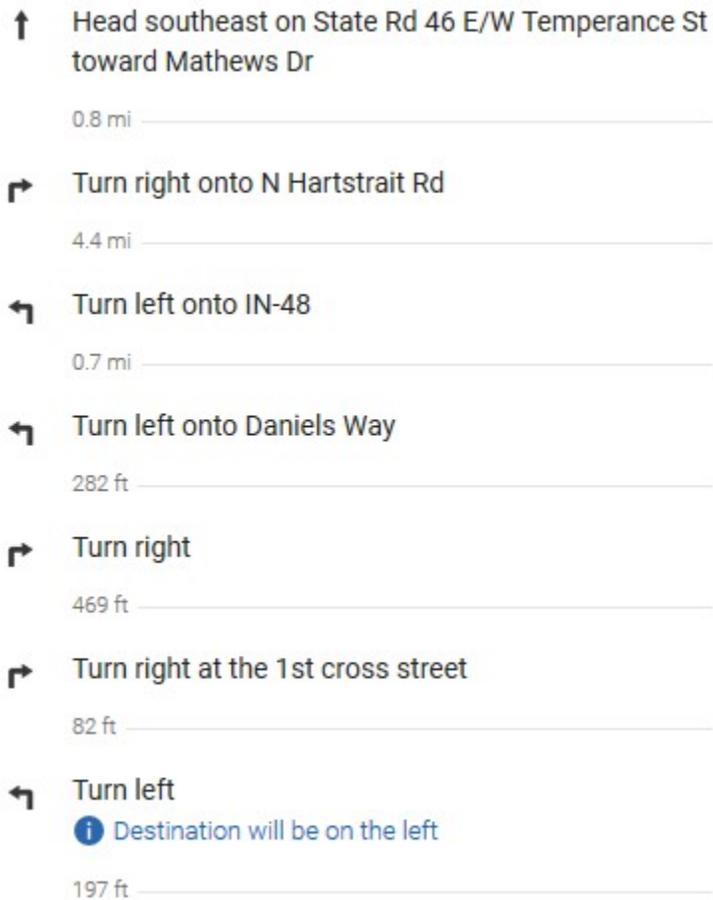
1. Flatwoods Park is run by the Monroe County Parks & Recreation. Unless you want to reserve a shelter, no reservation is necessary and there is no charge to use the park.
2. Shelter reservations may be made here: <https://mcparksandrec.org/wp/shelters-splash-pad/>
3. Flatwoods Park is located at: 9499 Flatwoods Rd, Gosport, IN 47433, 3.4 miles from Ellettsville First United Methodist Church.



4. Flatwoods Park has a three shelters, a playground, a large field, and a short hiking trail.

Ivy Tech Community College

1. Ivy Tech Community College has rooms available for community use.
2. Ivy Tech Community College is located at: 200 Daniels Way, Bloomington, IN 47404, 6.0 miles from Ellettsville First United Methodist Church.



3. Ivy Tech Contact: Jackie Delp – jdelp13@ivytech.edu
4. The Facilities Rental Request Form (see appendix) must be filled out
 - a. Note: Though the form says “The tenant shall provide an insurance certificate”, this does not apply to the meetings the pack typically holds at Ivy Tech. Always verify this with Jackie, though.
5. Room requests must be made several months in advance.

Karst Farm Park

1. Karst Farm Park is run by the Monroe County Parks & Recreation. Unless you want to reserve a shelter, no reservation is necessary and there is no charge to use the park.
2. Shelter reservations may be made here: <https://mcparksandrec.org/wp/shelters-splash-pad/>
3. Karst Farm Park is located at: 2450 S Endwright Rd, Bloomington, IN 47403, 7.7 miles from Ellettsville First United Methodist Church.

↑ Head southeast on State Rd 46 E/W Temperance St toward Mathews Dr

0.8 mi

↘ Turn right onto N Hartstrait Rd

4.4 mi

↑ Continue onto S Kirby Rd

1.0 mi

↙ Turn left onto W Gifford Rd

0.7 mi

↘ Turn right onto S Endwright Rd

0.8 mi

↘ Turn right

456 ft

4. Flatwoods Park has a ten shelters, multiple playgrounds, large fields, soccer fields, and a splash pad. The splash pad is free Friday-Monday, and must be reserved Tuesday-Thursday. Karst Farm Park also has a hiking trail that will eventually connect with trails in Ellettsville.

Leonard Springs Nature Park

1. Leonard Springs nature Park is run by the Monroe County Parks & Recreation. No reservation is necessary and there is no charge to use the park.
2. Parking is very limited. Carpooling is highly encouraged.
3. Flatwoods Park is located at: 4685 S Leonard Springs Rd, Bloomington, IN 47403, 9.4 miles from Ellettsville First United Methodist Church.

➤ Take N Hartstrait Rd and S Kirby Rd to S Bunger Rd
in Van Buren Township

12 min (7.4 mi) _____

➤ Turn right onto S Bunger Rd

1 min (0.5 mi) _____

➤ Continue to S Leonard Springs Rd

2 min (1.3 mi) _____

➤ Turn right onto S Leonard Springs Rd

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29 s (0.2 mi) _____

4. The Leonard Springs Trail is only slightly over a mile, but this rugged, wood chipped, natural trail with steep slopes and stairs allows views of a wetland, two caves, Shirley Springs, and several other natural wonders.

Monroe County Public Library – Ellettsville

1. The Ellettsville Branch of the Monroe County Public Library has rooms for public use. Reservations can be made several days in advance, but the librarians like them to be reserved at least two weeks in advance. The Main Branch in Bloomington also has rooms available for public use.
2. In Ellettsville, two rooms are available, and a kitchenette is available upon request. The two rooms can be combined into one large room if necessary.
3. The Ellettsville Branch of the Monroe County Public Library is located at: 303 E Kirkwood Ave, Bloomington, IN 47408, 450 feet from Ellettsville First United Methodist Church.
4. The Main Branch of the Monroe County Public Library is located at: 600 W Temperance St, Ellettsville, IN 47429, 7.9 miles from Ellettsville First United Methodist Church.

↑ Head southeast on State Rd 46 E/W Temperance St toward Mathews Dr

📍 Continue to follow State Rd 46 E

📍 Pass by McDonald's (on the right in 2.4 mi)

3.2 mi

↶ Turn left onto W Arlington Rd

2.9 mi

📍 At the traffic circle, take the 3rd exit onto W 17th St

0.7 mi

↷ Turn right onto N College Ave

📍 Pass by SpringHill Suites by Marriott Bloomington (on the right in 0.6 mi)

0.9 mi

↶ Turn left onto W Kirkwood Ave

📍 Destination will be on the left

0.2 mi

5. Room requests may be made here: <https://mcpl.info/geninfo/public-meeting-rooms>