

## **San Francisco Heart Walk**

**Thursday, September 26, 2024**

China Basin Park  
101 Terry A Francois Blvd  
San Francisco, CA  
11:00 AM – 1:00 PM  
Walk Begins 12:00pm

### **2024 Reward Center for Fundraising Participants**

All participants who raise \$100 or more for the Bay Area Heart Walk will be able to redeem Hero Gear as a reward for fundraising. Points will be redeemable for up to 6 weeks after the event. You can access the Reward Center through your participant center and have rewards shipped directly to you. If you choose NOT to redeem your reward, all the funds you raised go to move our mission forward.

Thank you for being a Heart Hero!

### **Event Schedule**

11:00 AM: Assigned Company Photos Begin  
11:00 AM: Heart Walk Booths and Activities Open  
11:15 AM: Opening Ceremonies Begin  
11:30 AM: Warm up with Ashley Davis  
12:00 PM: Survivor/Ribbon Cutting  
12:00 PM: Heart Walk Begins  
1:00 PM: Event Concludes

### **Be sure to check out!**

We'll be honoring our heart and stroke survivors with a special Ribbon Cutting at the start line and a Survivor Bell at the finish line. We're also thrilled to share we've enhanced our Game Zone! Before opening ceremonies, we will be hosting fun activities, including a photo-booth, coloring wall, and a face painting station.

## Team Photos

Teams with 75 or more registered walkers receive a reserved photo time.

Note there are **two photo areas**. Please double check your group's photo area.

[Click here to view the photo schedule.](#)

Don't see your organization listed? Just let an AHA staff member know that you'd like a group photo taken and we can help arrange that at our event.

## Parking

The most conveniently located parking garage is "Giants Lot A – Lot #1" at 74 Misson Rock St. Guests can pay at the kiosk on the northwest corner of the lot or by scanning one of the many QR codes throughout the lot.

Participants who plan to utilize other public garages near the festival area should expect to pay a parking fee.

[Click here to view parking map.](#)

## Route Map

There is a choice of a 1-mile or approximately 3-mile-long walk. Both options are non-competitive and non-timed.

The walk starts and ends at China Basin Park with participants either walking the loop once (1-mile option) or three times (3-mile option).

[Click here to view the route map.](#)

## VIP Tent

Top Walkers, those raising \$1000+, are invited to visit the VIP Tent on event day to receive an American Heart Association-branded black baseball cap and a red fanny pack as a small token of our appreciation!

## Water

There will be Hydration Stations in the festival area, and a Water Stop on the route, where walkers can refill their water bottles. While compostable cups will be available, **it is highly recommended that all event attendees bring their own**

**water bottle so we can keep waste to a minimum** and so that you can keep yourself hydrated throughout the duration of the event.

### **Pets**

Pets are welcome to attend the walk. All pets must be on a leash.

### **Kids**

The San Francisco Walk is a family-friendly event. Strollers are welcome.

### **Farmers Market**

Our events will no longer feature Food Trucks and instead will feature a Farmers Market-style “grab and go” snack station. We will offer a variety of snacks for your choosing.

### **Restrooms**

Public restrooms will be available in the festival area.

### **First Aid**

EMTs will be available in the First Aid Tent. Additionally, there will be an ambulance on-site in case of emergencies.

### **Rewards Center & Heart Walk Hero Gear**

The more funds you raise, the more points you earn to redeem **Heart Walk Hero Gear**. Once you reach a new fundraising milestone, additional points will automatically be added to **your points balance**. You can redeem points at any time up to the walk and points expire 6 weeks after the day of the Heart Walk. Point redemption starts after you've fundraised \$100. Since qualifying walkers can now order their T-shirt online through this new Reward Center, there will no longer be a T-Shirt Tent at any of our Heart Walks.

### **Survivor Booth - Heart Walk Heroes**

Heart disease and stroke survivors are invited to visit our Survivors Booth, where they will receive an American Heart Association drawstring backpack and a complimentary red baseball cap if they are a heart disease survivor, or a white baseball cap if they are a stroke survivor. In addition, all event attendees can honor their personal Heart Heroes, Stroke Heroes and Remembered Heroes at the Heroes Coloring Wall at the event.

### **Questions**

If you have a question not answered here, please feel free to contact us at (510) 903-4030 or email [tevin.ho@heart.org](mailto:tevin.ho@heart.org).