LOCAL EVENT DAY DETAILS

Check In Time: Registration for the event will begin at 9:30 am. If you pre-registered for the event online, then you can arrive at 10:00 am for check in.

Walk Time: The speakers will share their stories beginning at 10:30 am and the walk itself will follow shortly after that.

Parking Details: Public Street parking is available near the park that this event will be located at. In addition, there is parking available across the street at the AMTRAK Station. There are also a few other parking garages within the local vicinity. The AMTRAK Station is the option that is highly recommended in terms of parking due to it being the closest and safest option. The address of the park is as follows: 3001 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104.

Guest Speakers: Calli Votta will be speaking about her recovery journey at this event.

Activities: The activities available at this event will be recovery bracelet beading, recovery card making, recovery poster making, a raffle table, a recovery button making table, and a photo station with a balloon arch. There will also be an amazing DJ there, so dancing is highly encouraged!

Are Dogs Allowed: Yes, dogs are allowed, they just must be on a leash at the event.

Restrooms: There will be one handicap portable restroom and one regular restroom available to guests to use at the park itself. If individuals prefer to utilize nicer bathroom facilities, there are public restrooms available across the street at the AMTRAK Station.

HOW LONG IS THE WALK?

IS THERE A REGISTRATION FEE? No, there is no registration fee to participate in the NEDA Walk but we encourage a self-donation of at least $25 to receive a walk T-shirt.

SHOULD EVERYONE WALKING REGISTER? Yes, everyone, including children and pets, participating in the NEDA walk must register and fill out a waiver form.

IS THERE A FUNDRAISING MINIMUM? There is no minimum to participate, although we encourage all participants to fundraise. In order to receive an event t-shirt participants must raise or donate a minimum of $25.
WHAT’S THE EASIEST WAY TO FUNDRAISE? Your Participant Center has all the tools you’ll need to exceed your fundraising goals. You can send emails or create a Facebook Fundraiser - making FUNdraising, FUN! We also have lots of great incentives to reward fundraising efforts from $150 and beyond, more details here.

WHO DO I MAKE CHECKS OUT TO? Please make checks payable to the NEDA or National Eating Disorders Association. Donors can give online by credit card through your personal fundraising page or team fundraising page.

WHERE CAN I MAIL CASH/CHECK DONATIONS? You can mail any offline donation to our national office at any time. Please include a note with the name of the walker and event location so we credit it appropriately.

National Eating Disorders Association
333 Mamaroneck Avenue, Suite 214
White Plains, NY 10605

HOW DO I GET MATCHING GIFTS FROM MY EMPLOYER? Matching gifts can help double and sometimes triple your contribution. Please check with your employer to find out if matching gifts are available or visit our matching gifts search page.

CAN I TURN IN DONATIONS ON THE DAY OF THE EVENT? Absolutely! Just come to the registration/check-in tent upon arrival and we will have collection envelopes ready for you to use.

CAN I WALK AND VOLUNTEER? Yes, you can absolutely help volunteer and participate as a walker. Visit our Volunteer Page for more information or email Walks@NationalEatingDisorders.org for more information.

HOW MANY PEOPLE FORM A TEAM? It only takes two people to get started and five or more people to make a full team! There is no limit as to how large a team can be. If you have a large team, you can assign someone to help you manage it as a co-team captain. Contact Walks@NationalEatingDisorders.org for more information or help with getting started.

WHAT IF IT RAINS? We walk rain or shine! Please bring the appropriate gear. In the event of extreme weather (lightning, tornado, etc.) we will make a formal announcement by email, phone, on Facebook and on our website as to any changes in the event.

CAN I BRING A STROLLER? Yes! This is a family-friendly event and children of all ages are welcome.