

# Niantic/Waterford/New London Wanderings (short version)

Start: Niantic Center School, Rt. 156 in Niantic (about 1 mile west of village center)

Ride Write-up: Wu-SL063

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Mile	Dir	Road Info/Description
0.0	O L	Start; Left onto Rt. 156, then...
0.0+	QR	@ TL onto Black Point Rd
0.5	BL	TCO Black Pt. Rd (under bridge)
0.5+	QR	@ SS TCO Black Pt. Rd
1.0	R	@ SS onto Old Black Pt. Rd
3.4	R	@ SS onto The Great Wight Way
3.5	L	West Lane (speed bumps)
3.7	R	Bond St (n/s) after chained gate
3.8	L	>> East Shore Rd @ bend
4.5	L	>> Billow Rd @ bend
4.5+	R	@ SS onto West End Rd
4.6	R	Bidwell St
4.7	L	@ SS onto Attawan Ave (n/s)
5.0	R	@ SS w/ island onto Attawan Rd
5.3	R	@ SS onto Old Black Pt. Rd....
5.3+	QR	Terrace Ave
5.5	R	Sharply @ SS on Manwaring Rd
5.8	L	@ end onto Shore Rd
6.1	R	S. Washington Ave

Mile	Dir	Road Info/Description
11.8	R	@ end w/ SS rejoin Shore Rd
12.2	R	Seaside Dr – tour non-operational Seaside Regional Center for the Dept. of Mental Retardation and retrace out to Shore Rd
13.0	R	@ SS onto Shore Rd
13.3	R	@ end w/ SS on Great Neck Rd
13.9	R	Into Harkness State Park
14.2	O	<i>Comfort station</i>
-	L	On path toward mansion; follow path left and right to rear entrance to Camp Harkness; then left to exit
14.9	R	Great Neck Rd (Rt. 213)
15.5	R	Ridgewood Ave >> Shore Dr
16.2	R	@ SS onto Peninsular Ave >> Highland Ave @ bridge
16.3	R	Stuart Ave (n/s); fence on right
16.4	L	@ SS onto Neptune Ave (traffic)

Mile	Dir	Road Info/Description
6.3	R	@ SS onto Crescent Ave
6.4	L	@ SS onto Bayview Ave
6.5	BR	@ fork onto Ocean Ave
6.6	BR	@ fork onto Atlantic St
6.7	O	<i>McCook Park on right (comfort stop)</i>
6.8	R	@ SS onto Columbus Ave
6.9	R	@ SS onto Katherine St (n/s) just after crossing above RR tracks
7.0	L	>> Haigh Ave (n/s) @ bend
7.1	R	@ end w/ SS onto Rt. 156; follow through Niantic & over bridge
9.3	R	Gardiners Wood Rd
10.1	L	@ end w/ SS on Jordan Cove Rd
10.5	R	@ end w/ SS onto Shore Rd
11.2	ST	@ SS onto New Shore Rd

Mile	Dir	Road Info/Description
16.7	L	@ bend w/ SS onto Pequot Ave; follow past Mitchell College along the Thames River and past the Pfizer Research Center

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19.0	R	Onto traffic circle & take 1 <sup>st</sup> right onto Naumeg St, then....
19.0+	QR	Trumbull St to end & through gate into Fort Trumbull State Park
19.6	O	<i>Fort Trumbull State Park pier</i>
-	RD	Retrace out to traffic circle
20.2	BR	Around rotary & under bridge to 2 <sup>nd</sup> rotary
20.3	BL	Up slip ramp of rotary and go <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> around rotary
20.3+	R	Onto Willets Ave and uphill
20.6	L	@ TL onto Montauk St (traffic)
21.4	O	<i>Michael's Dairy &amp; Mitchell College</i>
22.7	R	@ end w/ SS onto Pequot Ave
23.4	R	Neptune Ave
23.6	R	Stuart Ave @ bottom of hill
23.7	L	@ end w/ SS onto Highland Ave >> Peninsular Ave @ bridge

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31.0	R	@ end w/ SS onto Pennsylvania Ave & prepare for immediate left turn
31.1	L	Hope St (careful turning)
31.4	ST	Cross Lake Ave @ SS TCO Hope St
31.6	L	@ end w/ SS onto Pattagansett Rd
31.7	R	@ TL onto Rt. 156....
31.7+	QR	Into Niantic Center School
31.7+	O	Finish

Mile	Dir	Road Info/Description
23.9	R	Parkway
23.9+	R	@ SS onto Shore Dr (n/s) >> Glenwood Rd @ left bend
24.1	R	@ SS onto Ridgewood Ave
24.4	L	@ SS on Great Neck Rd (Rt. 213)
25.1	R	@ end w/ SS onto Dimmock Rd (Rt. 213 goes left here)
25.8	L	Braman Rd (n/s) @ intersection
26.9	R	@ SS onto Rt. 213 and...
26.9+	QL	Lamphere Rd
27.3	O	<i>New London Country Club on left</i>
27.7	L	Shore Rd @ sharp left bend
28.0	R	@ SS onto Jordan Cove Rd
28.5	R	@ SS onto Gardiners Wood Rd
29.2	L	@ end w/ SS on Rt. 156 (traffic)
30.7	R	Smith Ave (restaurant on right)
30.8	L	Grand St

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