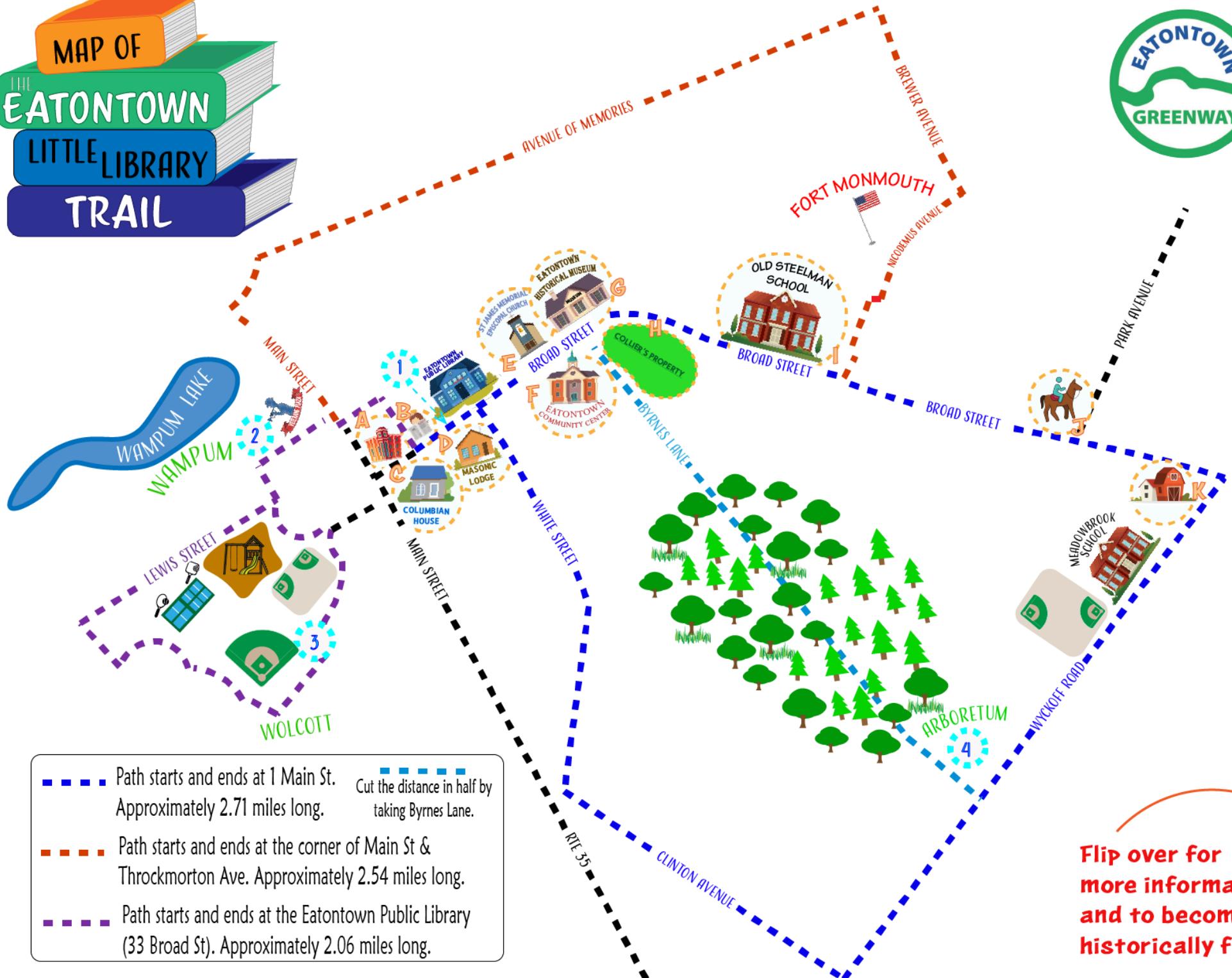
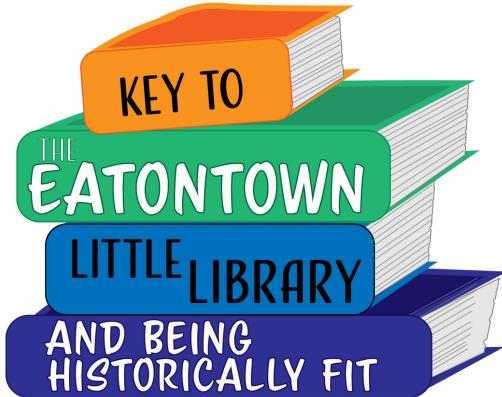


MAP OF THE EATONTOWN LITTLE LIBRARY TRAIL





Eatontown Little Libraries		
1	Little Library #1	Little Library located on lawn in front of the Eatontown Public Library (33 Broad St.) Taking the red or blue trail will bring you past this marker.
2	Little Library #2	Little Library located at Wampum Park, curbside behind the Veteran's Memorial. Taking the purple trail will bring you past this marker.
3	Little Library #3	Little Library located at Wolcott Park. From the Wampum parking lot, walk towards and cross Lewis St. Enter Wolcott Park via the path behind field #1, and follow the path around to the main parking lot on Willow St. The library is stationed in the grassy area by the bocce court. The purple trail will bring you past this marker.
4	Little Library #4	Little Library located at the main entrance to F. Bliss Price Arboretum. The blue trail will bring you past this marker.



Historic Eatontown		
A	One Main St	Address is 1 Main St. Take the blue or red path to visit this marker.
B	Eatontown Advertiser	Address is 21 Broad St. Take the blue or red path to visit this marker.
C	Columbian House	Address is 24 Broad St. Take the blue or red path to visit this marker.
D	Masonic Lodge	Address is 40 Broad St. Take the blue or red path to visit this marker.
E	St. James Memorial Episcopal	Address is 69 Broad St. Take the blue or red path to visit this marker.
F	Community Center	Address is 72 Broad St. Take the blue or red path to visit this marker.
G	Eatontown Historical Museum	Address is 75 Broad St. Take the blue or red path to visit this marker.
H	Collier Property	Corner of Byrnes Ln. and Broad St. Take the blue or red path to visit this marker.
I	Steelman School	Address is 215 Broad St. Take the blue or red path to visit this marker.
J	Park Ave. & Broad St.	Corner of Park Ave. and Broad St. Take the blue path to visit this marker.
K	Maida Farm	Address is 342 Broad St. Take the blue path to visit this marker.



A. ONE MAIN STREET

On this site stood a series of hotels dating back to the 1700s. Businessmen and farmers stayed at them when bringing goods and produce to the dock. It had been known as the Wheeler Hotel and later as the Metropolitan Hotel. It was then used as the Borough Hall housing offices, the fire department, library, and post office. The building was razed in 1966 when a new Borough Hall was built.

B. 21 BROAD STREET

Built in 1801, the building housed a bakery. A stone oven remains. In 1877, it served as an office for *The Eatontown Advertiser*, a hometown newspaper.



C. COLUMBIAN HOUSE

Built c. 1831 as a hotel to accomodate travelers who came to attend meetings at the Masonic Lodge. It once housed the first Eatontown Post Office.



D. MASONIC LODGE

Organized by Dr. Lewis in 1815, the building was erected 1822 - 1824. It has been used as a school, church and also a library. It was the oldest active Lodge in NJ.



E. EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Before the church was built in 1866, services were held in private homes and the Masonic Temple. It is the only bulding in Eatontown to be on the National Registry of Historical Buildings.



F. COMMUNITY CENTER

This was formally a Presbyterian Church, dating from the late 1800s. Pews, windows and some woodwork were salvaged from the Little Church Around the Corner in NYC and brought by barge to Red Bank and Eatontown Dock and then by wagon to this location.



G. EATONTOWN HISTORICAL MUSEUM

The former Read House dates from the 1700s. Originally, the house was one room. Examples of mortise and tenon frame construction using wooden pegs can be seen in the house, as well as mud and straw used for insulation.



H. BYRNES LN. & COLLIER PROPERTY

The street is named after Matt Byrnes and marks the entrance to the Collier Estate. Matt Byrnes was a noted trainer of racehorses. This area, including the F. Bliss Price Arboretum, was part of the estate of Peter F. Collier, the book publisher and founder of Collier's Magazine. This land featured extensive stables for his horses.



I. STEELMAN SCHOOL

Built in 1907, it was known as Eatontown Public School No. 1 and had 6 classrooms. It is the oldest school building still standing in town.



J. PARK AVENUE

In this area was the entrance to the original Monmouth Park which was open from 1870 - 1893. During World War I, most of the land was aquired by the War Department and became Camp Vail, which was later renamed Fort Monmouth.



K. MAIDA FARM

The house on the corner of Broad and Wyckoff was home of Dominic Maida who arrived from Italy in 1907. He was known for his scientific farming methods and high quality produce. Meadowbrook School is built on this property.