

Little Spokane River / Indian Painted Rocks

This is an easy-paced hike alongside a marsh environment. Located six miles NW of downtown Spokane, this hike has some of the most beautiful scenery in our area. At the trailhead, there are ancient Indian paintings on the rocks; as you make your way along the riverbanks, keep an eye out for the blue heron rookery in the tall cottonwoods by the river. No bikes, motorized vehicles or pets, please. Open 8:00 a.m. - dusk. Directions: From **N Indian Trail Rd** travel north to W Rutter Pkwy, parking lot is on the north side of Little Spokane River, just across the bridge. From **N Country Homes Blvd**, head north on Wall St, continue north on Waikiki Rd, then onto W Rutter Pkwy. Parking is on the right. Discover Pass required, go to discoverpass.wa.gov to purchase.

Route type: Dirt trail
Distance: 3.5 miles (round-trip)
ESTIMATED Steps: 7,000
Time: 1 hour 15 minutes
Calories: 294

Difficulty rating:  1 2 3 4 5
Easy Difficult

