

# Dundee Walking Tour

The map shows a walking tour route in Dundee, Illinois, starting at the intersection of Webster St and Underwood Ave (marked 'Start' 1). The route proceeds through 8 numbered stops:

- 1. Start: Webster St & Underwood Ave
- 2. Incendiary Bomb WW II: Webster St & Underwood Ave
- 3. Fonda House: Webster St & Underwood Ave
- 4. Site of First Dundee School: Underwood Ave & Chicago St
- 5. Streetcar Wall: Underwood Ave & Happy Hollow Blvd
- 6. Rose Garden: Happy Hollow Blvd & N 57th St
- 7. WW II Memorial: Memorial Park
- 8. Dundee School Garden Project: Davenport St & Capitol Ave

Other streets shown include N 57th St, N 55th St, N 54th St, N 53rd St, N 49th St, Webster St, Underwood Ave, Chicago St, Davenport St, Capitol Ave, Dodge St, and Happy Hollow Blvd. A historical marker for the 'INCENDIARY BOMBS IN WORLD WAR II' is also visible on the map.

Accompanying photos include:

- Streetcar Wall
- Fonda House
- Incendiary Bomb WW II (historical marker)
- Rose Garden
- WW II Memorial
- Site of First Dundee School
- Walter Selby House
- Dundee School Garden Project



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Directions	Places of Interest
Start at 4808 Davenport.	(1) Built in 1891, the Walter Selby House was the site of a meeting in 1893 during which Selby and six other area home owners, met and decided to develop Dundee.
West on Davenport to 49 <sup>th</sup> St. Right on 49 <sup>th</sup> St. To California St. Left on California to 4908. School.	(2) This is the site of the first Dundee community building. An earlier building served as a Church, Community Meeting Place, and School.
East on California to 50 <sup>th</sup> St. Right on 50 <sup>th</sup> St to Underwood. West on Underwood to Baum's Drug.	(3) Plaque marks the site of an aerial explosion of a Japanese incendiary bomb during the night of April 18, 1945. No damage was done.
West to 51 <sup>st</sup> St. Left on 51 <sup>st</sup> St (South) to California Street. Right on California to 5108 California.	(4) Well-known actor Henry Fonda, grew up in this house.
West on California to Happy Hollow. Cross Happy Hollow to the Streetcar Wall.	(5) Horse-drawn and electric street cars provided transportation for Dundee residents from 1891 until the late 1950's. This wall marks the turn - around point at the end of the street car line.
West on Underwood to Memorial Park entrance. Enter the Park (Left) and follow the drive to just North of the Memorial. You will be at the South end of the Rose Garden.	(6) The Rose Garden, planted in 1959, offers beautiful roses, comfortable benches, and a peaceful atmosphere.
Follow sidewalk around to the Southeast corner of the Memorial.	(7) This Memorial was dedicated on June 5, 1948 by President Harry S. Truman. Names of 950 soldiers who died in World War II are engraved on the colonnade Memorial.
Go down walkway (South) to Dodge. Left to the East side of Happy Hollow. North on Happy Hollow to Davenport. East on Davenport to Chicago St. North and east on Chicago. Cross 52ed St and continue on Chicago to 51 <sup>st</sup> St. Dundee School Gardens will be on the right.	(8) School Garden. See the English Tea Garden, Lost Flower Children Garden, the Wizard of Oz Garden and many more. The School Garden Project is led by Sarah Newman.
Return to start of tour by going to the corner of 51 <sup>st</sup> St and Davenport. East to 48 <sup>th</sup> St.	

