Marked in blue, the 2.1 mile Low Gap walking loop begins along the quaint, shaded shopping area of School Street. It passes the ivy covered brick walls of the old Palace Hotel and meanders along residential neighborhoods before finding a path along Orr Creek. This unique portion of the route takes the walker through a small, shady grove of redwood trees and then passes a large grass playing field where soccer players frequently frolic. From the bridge that crosses Orr Creek, it is a short walk to the many hiking opportunities of Low Gap Regional Park. The return route passes some of Ukiah’s historic homes before returning to Alex Thomas Plaza via a variety of small shops and stores.