**Holiday Traffic Shuffle**

**During a Pandemic**

**Indy Region SCCA**

**December 5, 2020**

**Overview**

The goal is to travel from the start point to several different random locations and purchase items for the North Pole Holiday Banquet while stopping to enjoy the Holiday scenery and safely returning close to the time that Google said it should have taken. While making sure to observe all of Santa’s Social Distancing Guidelines.

**Santa’s Social Distancing Guidelines**

We will be using contactless registration. Please register online using the following link.  
[msreg.com/HolidayShoppingShuffle3](http://msreg.com/HolidayShoppingShuffle3)

Please arrive at registration between 4:30 and 5:30, to choose a car number and packet. All necessary waiver forms will be in that packet. Please complete the forms in the safety of your vehicle. When they are completed put them in the basket in the trunk of the registration car.

The mandatory safety meeting will be done by conference call starting at 5:45pm. The call-in number is **(602) 580-9480** and the **Access code is** **7146986**#

Since playing cards can be such gross items and could be covered with all sorts of nasty virus germs, we will not be using them this year to randomize your Random Locations. When a carload of shoppers arrives at the start line at their designated start time, they will be asked to select a bag that will contain among other things, a score sheet with their 6 Random Locations listed on it.

Whenever a shopper appears in a photo, they must be wearing a mask and be holding a Candy Cane in their left hand. They must also attempt to remain 6 feet from other shoppers.

When you finish the rally approach the OBS control. Let the control worker know when to mark your time. This will be your official end time. Leave a bag that contains your banquet items and your signed score sheet (this is a very important detail) in the back of the control car and be sure to text or eimail any pictures you took for bonus points to either the Rallymaster and/or the Helper Elf. (Contact information is on the last page of these instructions.)

In abundance of caution we will not have the traditional meal at the end of this rally. There are several restaurants near the end point you could attend for smaller unofficial gatherings. If your car wins a trophy, it will be mailed to you.

**Menu items**

Each team is looking for items for the Holiday Banquet. The more items you find, the more bonus minutes you are allowed. The table below shows the maximum number of items per type you can present at the end. All items must be presented with a receipt that is dated December 5, 2020 and is from one of the random locations that you were assigned at the start point.

**Soup 1 item**

**Salad 1 item**

**Main Course 1 item**

**Side Dishes 2 items**

**Dessert 1 item**

**Food Items**

**All food items must be non-perishable** because they will all be donated to a local food bank. The Main Course item must have either Beef, Chicken, Turkey or Ham as an ingredient. Grown protein is NOT considered meat, nor is any meat type followed with the word “flavored” considered meat. The Salad item must have at least three different vegetables as ingredients (I count mushrooms as vegetables). The Dessert item must have a Fruit ingredient. The Soup item must have the word “Soup” or “Chili” in the name.

**Random Locations**

At registration each team will be assigned 6 Random Locations. You may only purchase one item at each Random Location. Duplicate Random Locations may be used for multiple items.

*Example:* *If you were assigned two cities that specified Beidelburgh you could purchase a side dish item and a main course item at the same grocery store at the same time in Beidelburgh.*

*Example: If the random location is “New Market” a store with an address of New Market, Indiana (on the receipt)* ***or*** *a location on New Market Rd. would satisfy this requirement.*

**Teamwork**

Teams **must** stay together. Any teams that are observed traveling independently will immediately be disqualified.

**Bonus time**

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| **Minutes subtracted** | **Event** |
| 4 | Returning with a qualifying Soup item |
| 6 | Returning with a qualifying Salad item |
| 9 | Returning with a qualifying Main Course item |
| 1 | Returning with a qualifying Side item or any non-qualifying item (example: perishable) |
| 2 | Returning with a qualifying Dessert item |
| 1 | Any item with the words Lite, reduced, or healthy on the label |

*Excerpt of the bonus time chart from the score slip – the score slip will have additional bonus opportunities listed*

Teams are allowed to decide how much or how little bonus they wish to use. Leftover bonus time will be applied to the tiebreakers. Bonuses must be allocated before time sheets are turned in. Once a time sheet is submitted it is final and no further bonuses can be added or subtracted.

**Google Time**

Google time is the time required by google to travel your route in the order listed on the score sheet (simulating the order the cards were drawn.) If google time is greater than 3 hours, time will be subtracted in hour increments until it is under 3 hours.

*Example: If google time is 4 hour 25 minutes it will be adjusted to be 2 hours 25 minutes*

**Scoring**

When you finish shopping, come to the end point. Total up how much bonus time you are eligible to claim. If you arrive at the end point after your “google time”, you may use your “bonus time” earned to subtract time from your arrival time. The team has the decision of how much or how little bonus time they wish to use. **Please mark on your score sheet how much Bonus time you are planning on using**. All unused bonus time will be applied to the tie breaker. Present your time sheet for your official time stamp whenever you are ready.

The Winning Team will be the team that arrives closest to google time after chosen bonuses are subtracted from arrival time.

**Tie Breakers**

**First Tie Breaker** is awarded to the car that has accumulated the most extra Bonus Time.

**Second Tie breaker** is awarded to the team that has the longest Google distance between randomlocations.

**Third Tie breaker** will be any car with elves or reindeer in or on it at the end point.

**Random Locations:**

At the start point you will receive a score slip . The random locations will be indicated

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|  | Card Drawn | Random Location | GPS Coordinate |
| 1 | 8 Diamonds | Coatesville | N39.6880 W-86.6703 |
| 2 | Ace Spades | New Market | N39.9522 W-86.9226 |
| 3 | 8 Hearts | Coatesville | N39.6880 W-86.6703 |
| 4 | 9 Spades | Greencastle | N39.6432 W-86.8638 |
| 5 | 2 Spades | Clayton | N39.6892 W-86.5223 |
| 6 | 7 Hearts | Coatesville | N39.6880 W-86.6703 |

*Sample section of score slip*

**Example**

Using this sample, you can enter these locations into google maps directions dialog box. Brownsburg Square Shopping Center parking lot (your current location at the start point) to Coatesville post office to New Market post office to Coatesville post office to Greencastle post office to Clayton Post office back again to the Coatesville post office and finally returning to the Brownsburg Square Shopping Center parking lot. Choose the fastest route.

When I entered this into my phone, I was told that the route would take 3 Hour 55 minutes to complete with a total distance of 155 miles. Since this time is greater than 3 hours, I will subtract even hour increments until the total time is less than 3 hours. My new google time becomes 2 hours and 55 minutes. If I was in car #1 and left at 5:01pm, my team should turn our score sheet at 7:56pm.

If we arrived at the finish point at 8:16pm we could use 20 minutes of our bonus time to change our arrival time to 7:56. Bonus time can only be subtracted (never added). If I was a lead foot and arrived at 7:16, I would need to wait until 7:56 to turn in my score sheet.

Notice that in this example Coatesville appeared 3 times. Your team is not required to follow the route that google suggests. You are only required to travel to Coatesville one time. In this example, you may purchase as many as three items there on your visit.

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