

Children's Beach House Rally
GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

April 15, 2023

Welcome...

Please make this a safe event. Don't speed. You will have plenty of time to reach the end of the rally and turn in your Quiz answer sheet on time. We want to see all of you at the Children's Beach House in Lewes for lunch and the trophy presentation. Today, awards go to the top three places overall.

A lead-car will precede the rally by about 30 minutes to provide for posting of emergency signs, in case any are needed. If an instruction is missing or incomplete, a poster will be erected to help you stay on course. Since mileages are provided for every turn, we will need you to download the GPS Twin Odo app for mileage accuracy. Please download and test it out before coming to the rally. Direct any questions to Don or Barb at 302-300-7932. A sample of the lead-car's work is posted near registration. Pay attention along the route. It is assumed that you will reach the end of the rally on time or earlier. If you are unavoidably delayed enroute, you will have to convince rally personnel that you should not be penalized. Start the rally at 10:00 a.m. plus your car number in minutes. (Ex. Car 6 will start at 10:06 a.m.) Execute each route instruction in ascending numerical order at the first opportunity that satisfies all requirements of the instruction, including mileage. Stay on public roads. Do not enter or count as opportunities to enter unpaved roads, private roads, or roads marked Dead End or one way against you. They do not exist for the purposes of this rally. If there is only one way legally to proceed, proceed that way even if no instruction is given. Complete each instruction before going on to the next one.

Along the route, questions will be asked. Begin to look for an answer as you execute the instruction immediately preceding a question. End your search as you execute the instruction following a question. Mark your answers on the answer sheet by printing a legible upper case letter corresponding to the correct choice in the space provided to the right. If you wish to change an answer, draw an "X" through the "incorrect" answer and print the "correct" answer to the right, in the blank area. Answers to the questions can be found by observing signs and landmarks along the route. Signs and/or landmarks will be on the right or ahead of the driver unless otherwise specified, except for street and road name signs, which may be anywhere at an intersection. Words painted on road surfaces and electronic signs will not be used, nor will home mailboxes or newspaper tubes or words lettered on them. At instructions including signs, mileage is given to the sign unless the word after is used, in which case mileage is to the turn. Mileages are accurate to the degree given. A tolerance of a tenth of a mile (plus or minus) may be sloppy, but it's better than nothing. Do not assume greater accuracy than stated. Quotation marks indicate a sign. If less than the entire message is used, an ellipsis will indicate missing items: "Entering..." , "...the City of..." , "...Lewes". Disregard arrows unless depicted, minuscule lettering referring to the authority that erected the sign, and graffiti. Multiple signs on the same support will be treated as separate signs. Upper- and lower-case lettering will be equivalent. Spelling and punctuation count.

GLOSSARY:

Left or Right - A turn left or right of any degree

TL - A Traffic Light

Intersection - The meeting of two or more roads

T - An intersection so shaped when approached from the stem

Ties: Ties will be broken by comparing responses, starting with any Special Tie Breaker question and, should that not suffice, then comparing quiz answers starting with Q 1. First wrong loses.

Penalties: One point per incorrect or missing quiz answer.

One quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) point per minute for lateness in turning in answer sheet at end of the rally.