

Rider name: _____

TEAM LYLE MINNESOTA 2014

BONUS LIST

**THE TEAM LYLE RALLY IS NOT A RACE!
RESPECT ALL SPEED LIMITS AND TRAFFIC LAWS.**

READING COMPREHENSION IS VERY IMPORTANT!!!!

Answers must be complete and correct. You may need to bring bounty secured on the rally to the scoring table – pay very close attention the bonus instructions – **no snivelling allowed!**

Bonus points will not be awarded unless the bonus is claimed at the scoring table. In order to be scored, you must present this Bonus Sheet along with any required receipts, bounty and the completed bonus claim form to the scorer. You are responsible for keeping this Bonus Sheet legible. Replacements are not available. Do not lose it. No Bonus Listings – No score.

TO EARN THE POINTS FOR EACH BONUS CLAIMED, YOUR BONUS SHEET MUST CONTAIN THE CORRECT ANSWER; TIME AND ODOMETER; + LOCATION (town) IF REQUIRED.

If you have any questions please see the rallymaster before you set out on your ride.

All bonus locations may be found using State Highway maps of Minnesota, Iowa, and Wisconsin. Respect all bonus locations – Please Tread Lightly.

The Rally begins at **9:00 am** and ends at **5:00 pm**. You have **8 hours** to **SAFELY** collect as many bonus points as you can. - **NO GRACE PERIOD** riders arriving after **5:00:00 pm** will be scored DNF.

If you are not going to finish the rally you MUST call the rallymaster to notify that you will not be returning. You may call the rallymaster with questions related to a bonus.

RALLYMASTER PHONE NUMBER: 651-468-5043

ODOMETER → END _____ START _____ TOTAL _____

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Motorcycle Bonus – Modern-Classic-Vintage-Antique Hardware Points

The model year of your motorcycle earns you points - “Old Bikes Rule!”

Modern → Ride a 2014 ~ 1994 model yr MC & earn – 44 points + 2 point per/yr older than 2014

Classic → Ride a 1993 ~ 1974 model yr MC & earn – 199 points + 5 points per/yr older than 1993

Vintage → Ride a 1973 ~ 1954 model yr MC & earn – 301 points +10 points per/yr older than 1973

Antique → Ride a MC 1953 or older & earn – 555 points +20 points per/yr older than 1953

Point calculation space will be provided on the bonus claim form provided to riders at rally finish
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“Most events recorded in history are more remarkable than important, like eclipses of the sun and moon, by which all are attracted, but whose affects no one takes the trouble to calculate.” - Henry David Thoreau.

Twenty five years ago Bill S. Preston, Esquire and Ted “Theodore” Logan embarked on a most excellent adventure through history. These fine young gentlemen traveled through time in a most radical phone booth bestowed on them by their future good friend Rufus. Modern civilization was at stake - Bill and Ted needed to pass their senior class history exam to fulfill their destiny of bringing peace and harmony to the world through the music of their band Wyld Stallyons.

Your task will be to travel by motorcycle to bag a bonus related to each on the eight historical figures that Bill and Ted brought back through time for a most impressive history report given by the young musicians and their new found historic friends to the San Dimas High School class of 1989. Each of the eight “Bill and Ted” (B&T) bonuses are worth individual points, however, if you successfully bag all eight historical figures you may claim the Homework Complete points AND you will be given a Final Exam at the rally finish to, perhaps, score an additional extra credit points. The final exam will test your situational awareness from your visits to some of the bonuses listed below, pay attention to your surroundings as you bag the eight “Bill and Ted” bonuses and you may be able to pass the final exam to score some easy-ish extra credit points.

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B&T #1 - Lydia, MN – BILLY THE KID - 186 Points

William H. Bonney better known as the outlaw Billy the Kid was born in New York City in 1859. He was described as being friendly, personable, and as lithe as a cat. Contemporaries described him as a "neat" dresser who favored an unadorned Mexican sombrero. These qualities, along with his cunning and celebrated skill with firearms, contributed to his paradoxical image as both a notorious outlaw and a southwestern folk hero. Sheriff Pat Garrett is credited with having killed Billy the Kid in the vicinity of Fort Sumner New Mexico on July 14, 1881, he also oversaw the burial. Rumors persist that Billy the Kid was not killed that night, but that Garrett, a known friend of Mr. the Kid, may have staged it all so the Kid could escape the law. And while there is no documented visit by Billy the Kid to Minnesota it has been suggested that he may be buried in an unmarked grave near Lydia. Jordan resident Kathy Machowski, a ghost hunter and a founding member of Beyond the Veil, wrote in November of 2009. “I was in Lydia Zion United Methodist Church cemetery not too far from Jordan, and I was doing my ghostie thing. Well, I got an electronic voice print of a man saying, “William Bonney”, I think he is here and wants it to be known.”

Travel to the town of Lydia, the Lydia Zion United Methodist Church cemetery is located about 1 mile east of Mn State HWY 13 along the south side of 205th St E at Vergas Ave. In this cemetery you will find the small simple gravestone held in perpetual care of Richard Schmidt who was born in 1859. The marker is located at the base of the large southwestern most Cedar tree in the west end of the Cemetery – The grave of Mr. the Kid? 😊 According to the gravestone, what year did “Richard Schmidt” die?

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B&T #2 – Minneapolis, MN – JOAN OF ARC - 111 Points

Joan of Arc is renowned in history as being one of the purest humans to ever live, having dedicated herself totally to God and remaining a virgin until she died. Saint Joan of Arc also challenged everyone around her to also aspire toward the same level of purity by forbidding her army from engaging in any type of behavior considered by the Church to be immoral. It is said that she personally chased whores from the camps of her army on many occasions while in the field.

On the grounds of the Joan of Arc church complex a few blocks east of I-35w at 4537 3rd Ave. So in Minneapolis is a bronze statue of Ms. of Arc. The statue was sculpted in year Y2K – What is the name of the sculptor noted on the plaque attached to the base of the bronze Joan of Arc?

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B&T #3 – Le Sueur, MN - NAPOLEON BOMAPARTE - 199 Points

The assassination of Napoleon included both a cosmetic and a lethal phase. The cosmetic phase consisted of arsenic poisoning, held just under the 10 ppm level required for arsenic death according to the Heavy Metals Laboratory of the Mayo Clinic. This weakened Napoleon, making the associated debility appear to be a natural illness. The lethal phase was carried out on May 3, 1821. Napoleon was given Calomel, a cathartic, in an orange-flavored drink called orgeat, flavored with oil of bitter almonds. Together they formed mercury cyanide, Napoleon lost consciousness and died two days later, from “natural” causes.

The Dr. William W. Mayo house is located at 118 M. Main Street in Le Sueur. This home is the nucleolus of the Mayo Clinic beginnings in Minnesota. From information available on the historic marker near the front of the home, it is stated that Dr. William Mayo was surfing from malaria when he suddenly decided to travel west from Indiana, what is the full 14 word quote attributed to Dr. Mayo, as said, to his started wife?

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B&T #4 – Anywhere – SOCRATES – 150 Points

Charged with impiety and sentenced to death under the law of Athens, Socrates did not try to disprove the charges or to escape death, but rather held to a different kind of rhetoric, aiming not at persuasion but at truth. Socrates believed the best way for people to live was to focus on the pursuit of virtue rather than the pursuit of comfort and material wealth. He always invited others to try to concentrate more on friendships and a sense of true community, Socrates felt this was the best way for people to grow together as a populace.

To fulfill this bonus simply stop at any independent Coffee shop and pick up a receipt for a purchase. Be sure the receipt has the name and location of the coffee shop, which must be machine printed on the receipt – the Coffee shop **MAY NOT** be a chain location such as Starbucks, Caribou, or Dunn Brothers as no self-respecting or virtuous philosopher would enter such a bogus place of superficial thought. Bring the receipt to the scorer’s table.

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B&T #5 – Minneapolis, MN – SIGMUND FREUD - 333 Points Available NOON - 4:00pm ONLY

“You never see a motorcycle outside a psychiatrist’s office”. Freudian psychoanalysis refers to a specific type of treatment in which the patient verbally expresses his thoughts, including free associations, fantasies, and dreams, from which the analyst induces the unconscious conflicts causing the patient's symptoms and character problems, and interprets them for the patient to create insight for resolution of the problems. If there was a ever a location for Sigmund Freud to observe the motorcycles superior psychological healing powers through free associations, fantasies, and dreams it would be The Bearded Lady Freak Show held each summer in NE Minneapolis.

Visit the Bearded Lady Freak Show (BLFS), which “officially” kicks off at Noon and runs well into the night, the BLFS show is based at the intersection of 13th Ave NE and University Ave in NE Minneapolis. Find the Blue Cat Motorcycle booth, ask for a Team Lyle token – you will be given token which must be brought to the scoring table to complete this bonus. Two-up riders must BOTH go to the Blue Cat Motorcycle both and EACH get a token. The folks from Blue Cat will only give one token per person; two-up teams need 2 tokens to complete the bonus.

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B&T #6 – St. Paul, MN – GENGHIS KHAN - 181 Points

Noted author Jack Weatherford is the former professor of anthropology at Macalester College on Grand Ave in St. Paul. He is best known for his 2004 book, *Genghis Khan and the Making of the Modern World*. In 2006, he was awarded the Order of the Polar Star, Mongolia’s highest national honor for foreigners. Weatherford writes that Khan’s Grand Mongol Empire was the impetus for the European Age of Discovery. Weatherford attributes unprecedented religious tolerance, low levels of discrimination and meddling with local cultures to the most excellent barbarian. Weatherford also professes that Khan promoted a culture of universal literacy, rule of law, the building of roads to support trade, and first international postal system, and widespread use of paper money. Weatherford currently lives in Mongolia and Charleston, South Carolina but was once a fixture along Grand Ave.

Pick up a receipt for any purchase from any business located on Grand Avenue in St. Paul. The receipt must be machine printed with a Grand Avenue, St. Paul address on the receipt. Bring the receipt to the scorer’s table.

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B&T #7 – Faribault, MN – BEETHOVEN – 284 Points

Ludwig van Beethoven was a crucial figure in the transition between the Classical and Romantic eras in Western art music; he remains one of the most famous and influential of all composers. Around 1796, by the age of 26, Beethoven began to lose his hearing. Beethoven lived in the small Austrian town of Heiligenstadt, just outside Vienna, from April to October 1802 in an attempt to come to terms with his condition. There he wrote his Heiligenstadt Testament, a letter to his brothers which records his thoughts of suicide due to his growing deafness and also records his resolution to continue living for and through his art. Over time, his hearing loss became profound: there is a well-attested story that, at the end of the premiere of his Ninth Symphony, he had to be turned around to see the tumultuous applause of the audience; hearing nothing, he wept.

The Minnesota State Academy for the Deaf enrolled its first student in 1863 and takes pride in a rich tradition of serving the educational, social and emotional needs of deaf and hard of hearing students throughout the state of Minnesota. Visit the Minnesota Academy for the Deaf located east of downtown Faribault. From Mn State Hwy 60 travel north on MN State HWY 299 to the entrance of the Academy. On the grounds of the Academy, in the yard the Rodman Hall Dining building, find a Model 1902 3” field pre-WW1 cannon. On the “business” end of barrel the weight of the barrel is engraved and noted in pounds, what is the weight of the barrel of the Model 1902 cannon?

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B&T #8 – Cannon Falls, MN – ABRAHAM LINCOLN - 262 Points

Abraham Lincoln was the 16th President of the United States, serving from March 1861 until his assassination in April 1865. Lincoln led the United States through its Civil War—its bloodiest war and its greatest moral, constitutional and political crisis. The first Minnesota Volunteer Regiment was the first army tendered to President Lincoln at the outbreak of the Civil War. This collection of courageous Minnesota farm boys is one of the greatest fighting regiments ever to serve our Nation. The 1st Minnesota was noted on the “Minnesota Running Man” monument at the Gettysburg battlefield as having “...saved this position & probably the battlefield. The loss...in the charge was 215 killed & wounded...47 men were still in line & no man missing. In self sacrificing desperate valor this charge has no parallel in any war. Among the severely wounded were Col Wm Colvill...”

Located in the Saint Pious V Cemetery just east of downtown Cannon Falls, along State HWY 19 is a monument dedicated to a Civil War Veteran (Col Wm Colvill). The Colvill statue, located on a hill in the back of the cemetery and has a number of plaques located on and near the monument and grave site. According to one of the plaques, on July 2, 1862 General Hancock commanded Col. Colvill and approximately how many men of the Minnesota 1st regiment to “Charge those lines”

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B&T #9 – Homework Complete - 1011 Points

Successfully bag all eight B & T historical figures above you may claim the “homework complete” points.

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B&T #10 – Final Exam – 0 to 444 Points

If your homework is “successfully” complete, it’s time for your final exam – you’ll get your final exam at the scorers table; this multiple choice test will measure your situational awareness from some of the Bill and Ted bonuses above. It’s a closed book exam (two up teams jointly take test with discussion allowed) you will be given 4 minutes to complete the exam.

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1 La Crosse, WI – 643 points

French Island on the Mississippi is home to the La Crosse Municipal airport and the gateway to Wisconsin. Located at the East Bound I-90 (Exit #1) rest area on French Island is a historical marker to Major General C.C. Washburn. He served in the Civil War, Congress, and as Governor of Wisconsin as well as starting a flour mill in Minneapolis that became General Mills. According to the Washburn historical marker on French Island, what did Washburn donate to the University of Wisconsin?

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2 Morristown, MN – 282 points

Ahlman’s Gun shop is a one of the most well known and historic gun retailers in the country. Cap Ahlman (1913-1965), the shop’s founder was a renowned gun smith and inventor. Cap created a replica “town” of famous American gunsmith original buildings. As you enter the Ahlman gun shop grounds you will see a row of buildings on your right – one of the buildings has a miss-spelled word on the sign above the door, just as was on the original building (hint there is small plaque on the building that notes the miss-spelled word) Ahlman’s gun shop is well signed off HWY 60 at Morristown – the shop is located about 2 miles north of HWY 60 on 230th Street. What gun related term is miss-spelled on the main sign above the door one of the historic gunsmith’s replica buildings? Write the answer below, *miss-spelled* just as is on the building.

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3 Waseca, MN – 284 points

George Herter once ran the largest mail order sportsman retail company in the world in Waseca – Herter’s Incorporated was based in Waseca until the mid 1970’s. The Company moved to Mitchell SD but was ultimately sold and became Cabelas. The original Herter’s Inc was located at 1209 S State St (aka HWY 13) in Waseca; today it is the Winegar Cooperation. Located in the visitors parking area near the front door in the building’s block wall is a granite plaque that states “Herter’s since ____” what year is stated on this granite plaque.

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4 Mikana, WI – 704 points

As you come into Mikana WI on HWY 48 located on the south edge of town is a dam and a historical marker that notes the site of the original log dam. According to information available on this marker, when (mm/dd/yyyy) did the train first come to Mikana WI?

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5 Burr Oak, IA – 777 points

No Team Lyle Minnesota rally would be complete without a Laura Ingalls Wilder bonus (or two) in honor of Mr. Eddie James, Lyle the Bear’s travel partner. Eddie loved and was inspired by Laura Ingalls Wilder’s writings. Eddie’s boundless energy and passion for living well and laughing often inspired both young children and adults to find a stronger more joyous spirit; and like Laura, inspired people with charm, wit, passion, and sheer force of personality encouraging people to push beyond their perceived limits.

*“A good laugh overcomes more difficulties and dissipates more dark clouds than any other one thing.”
— Laura Ingalls Wilder*

Talk about a “Bun Burner”! Locate the Laura Ingalls Wilder Museum located in the 1876 Maters’ Hotel in downtown Burr Oak, IA. According to a map of “Laura’s Travels” what is the TOTAL mileage listed in the frame “Mileage From” that notes her seven journeys across South Dakota, Minnesota, Wisconsin, Iowa, Missouri, and Kansas? (Math Required)

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6 South Troy, MN – 388 points

Located in South Troy, Mn is the “Three Pillars” museum. A church, a log cabin, and a school stand as a tribute the three foundations of American history; spiritual values, the pioneer home, and education. Also located on these grounds is a John Deere tractor and a stone and concrete monument entitled “Little House on the Prairie”. In this monument is a copy of Fred Ingles death certificate – he died at 10 months of age “...*little brother got worse instead of better, and one awful day he straightened out his little body and was dead.*” (Laura’s handwritten Pioneer Girl manuscript)

What is the year of Fred’s death is as noted on the death certificate and also carved on the monuments stone header?

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7 Madison Lake, MN – 297 points

As a daring young flier barnstorming southern Minnesota Charles Lindbergh landed in a wheat field NW of Madison Lake. A historical marker is placed in a City Park in the NW corner of the town near the corner of Park Road and Cherry Ave. To reach the marker from HWY 60 travel north on Park Road, the City Park is a few blocks north of HWY 60. According to information on the Charles Lindbergh Historical marker – How much did the devil may care youngster charge adventurous customers to go up for a ride in his Jenny?

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8 Connersville, WI – 499 points

About 9 miles NE of Connersville along C.R. V is a historic stone marker that identifies the last Indian Battle Field in Wisconsin. The marker is located in the Vanceburg Cemetery. The marker is located east of the main entrance facing north towards the road, just behind a chain link fence that borders the graveyard. According to this marker what Indian tribe won this last Indian Nations battle in Wisconsin that took place at this site in April of 1861?

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9 Caledonia, MN – 688 points

The “Earthwalkers” are three brothers born in Caledonia. On October 5, 1974 David Kunst became the first recorded person to have walked around the earth – David and his brother John with mule Willie Makeit left Waseca on June 20, 1970. About halfway around the world they were attacked by bandits, David was badly wounded and John was killed. After recuperating, brother Peter joined David in this quest. David successfully completed the walk around the world on October 5, 1974. Located near the junction of State HWY 44 and State HWY 76 in Caledonia is a park with plaques, a map and information about the walk. From information available in this park, what is the date (dd/mm/yyyy) that John was killed near Kabul Afghanistan?

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10 Manly, IA – 701 points

In downtown Manly IA, along Iowa State HWY 9 at the junction of the Iowa Northern Railway tracks is a in a City Park that has a Rock Island Caboose parked on a section of RR track. According to a bronze plaque located near the Rock Island caboose in the rock ballast supporting the tracks; what is the caboose’s five digit identification number?

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11 Carver, MN – 118 points

On the eastern edge of Carver MN at 308 Old Carver Road (aka CR 40) near Casey’s store is the Depot City Park with a Chicago Northwestern Railroad caboose parked on a section of RR track. What is the five digit identification number painted on the side of the caboose?

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12 Bay City, WI – 211 points

In downtown Bay City along WI State HWY 35 is the Flat Pennies Ice Cream shop which has a SOO Line RR Caboose parked on a section of RR track. What is the two-digit identification number painted on the caboose?

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13 Freeborn, MN – 571 points

Located in Freeborn at the corner of 5th and Main is the United Church of Christ Congregational. In the side yard is a boulder mounted on a grind stone, there is a bronze plague in memory of Rev. Wilbur Fisk attached to the boulder. According to the plaque, on what day (mm/dd/yyyy) was Rev. Fisk called as Paster of the church at Freeborn?

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14 Jessenland, MN – 206 points

About 5 miles north of Henderson, MN on Sibley County Road 6 was the nucleus of the 1st Irish Settlement in Minnesota, called Jessenland. The Church of St. Thomas is located here. Up on the hill behind the Church of St. Thomas is a cemetery, ride to the top of the hill – Caution, the road is gravel and the grades are very steep, especially the downhill route. At the very top of the hill, near the outside ring road is a sitting bench. Who is the hilltop sitting bench in memory of?

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15 Hastings, MN – 199 points

Located in the Spring Lake Park Reserve is Schaar’s Bluff overlooking the Mississippi River. The park reserve is about 5 miles, as the eagle flies, west of Hastings – from the Junction of Hwy 61 and Hwy 55 in Hastings travel west on Hwy 55 about 5 miles to Mississippi Trail (aka CR 42) turn right and travel about 2 miles to Idell Ave E., turn left (north) and follow the signs to the Spring Lake Park Reserve and the Schaar’s Bluff Trail Head Gathering Center. Located near the trailhead kiosk is a wooden bench placed in loving memory of Elizabeth L. Kulzer. What is “quoted” on the bench’s plaque placed in memory of Ms. Kulzer? (9 words)

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16 Bruce, WI – 681 points

Located along HWY 8 on the western edge of Bruce WI is the Bruce Park and Bruce Ballfields. Near the entrance to the ballfields, located in the Bruce Park, is a monument that notes the people and businesses that made the lighting of the ballfields possible. What year is noted on the this monument as the “Year of Lights”

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17 Wanderoos, WI – 369 points

Located in Wanderoos, WI is the Wanderoos Village Park and Ballfield. To get to the Park, from HWY 65 travel east on 70th Street a few blocks to get to the Village Park. As you enter the grounds to the Village Park there is a “Wanderoos Ball Park Memorial” sign that notes the people that made the lighting of the ball park possible. What day where the lights turned on at the ball park? (mm/dd/yyyy)

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18 – Sand Creek, WI - 554 points

Located on Main Street in Sand Creek is Cece and Allie’s Sand Creek Café, home of most excellent milkshakes. According to the blue neon sign over the door – what year was the Café established?

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19 – Theilman, MN - 399 points

The old Theilman Opera House has been restored and back in use for events. The Opera House is located on the north side of 261st Street across from a City of Theilman Park. What year is attached to the concrete block Opera house near the very top of the building?

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20 – Minneapolis, MN - 280 points

Lyle’s Liquor opens @ 10am

What Team Lyle Rally would be complete without a “LYLE” bonus! Travel to Lyle’s located at 2021 Hennepin Ave “... a classic seedy dive bar that everyone loves... serving Ice cold beverages and mouthwatering food,” visit Lyle’s and return to the scoring table with a machine printed receipt from a purchase made at Lyle’s during the rally.

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21 – Mankato, MN - 430 points

State HWY 66 bridges over the Le Sueur River about 4 miles south of US TH 169 SW of Mankato. From US HWY 169 travel south on Mn HWY 66 to the historic Red Jacket train trestle and park which is located near the HWY 66 Bridge over the Le Sueur River. In the Red Jacket Park near the trestle is an information sign that notes information about Le Sueur River watershed, history of the train trestle, and the Red jacket flour mill built on the banks of the Le Sueur River. According to information available on the Le Sueur River sign, what year did the Red Jacket Mill burn?

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22 Scarville, IA – 669 points

Located 2.5 miles east of Scarville on County Road A16 is Dahl Park and Winnebago River access 87 – on the picnic shelter is an information sign that among other things notes the history of the Upper Winnebago River region. According to information available on this sign, who platted Forest City in 1858?

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23 – Millersburg, MN - 111 points

Located in Millersburg near the 1881 Historic Millersburg School is a historical marker titled the “Millersburg & Northfield Bank Robbery”. According to information on this marker, how many Swedish families’s lived in the Millersburg area in 1876?

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24 – Old Frontenac, MN - 261 points

From US TH 61 follow C.R. 2 into Old Frontenac, near the corner of Van Blarcum Ave and C.R. 2 are located two benches that overlook the open space of Wakondiota Park. Between the benches is a plaque that notes the town and parks history. According to this plaque, what does the Dakota word “Wakondiota” mean? (10 words)

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25 – River Falls, WI - 283 points

Glen Park is located west of Main St and south of the South Fork Kinnickinnic River. From Main Street travel west on W. Park Road to the Glen Park sign on the corner of W Park Road and Glen Park Road, follow the Glen Park perimeter road north to the Swinging Bridge that was constructed in 1925. As the trail leaves the bridge and travels into Glen Park there are two black metal plaques standing next to each other on pedestals noting Glen Park historic facts. One of the signs talks of a zoo that included a Bear “couple” and other native animals, what are the names of the two bears noted on the plaque?

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26 – Dallas, WI - 521 points

Located on the west edge of town across the road from a dam is a City park near 1st Ave. In this park is a granite bench that was donated on behalf of Col. Steven Benseid, Commander of the 32nd Infantry Brigade. In whose memory is the bench placed. (first & last name required)

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27 – El Paso, WI - 327 points

Located on a hill just west of town along CR G is the St. Josephs Cemetery that overlooks the entire town. There is a cross in this cemetery that marks the original spot of the St. Joseph’s church alter and also very sweet sounding bell manufactured in 1893. Just “behind” these two items is a cover to a Town of El Paso time capsule. What date mm/dd/yyyy is the time capsule to be opened?

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28 – Delavan, MN - 683 points

Located near the Delavan water tower is a City Park that has a bronze statute placed in honor of the early settlers of the community. Behind this statue when looking towards the water tower is a tree planted in honor of a group of people as noted on a small flat granite marker. In whose honor was this tree planted in on May 31, 1995?

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29 – Ettick, WI - 648 points

Located at N. Main St and E 4th Street is the Gametime Village Park. Near the restrooms are a golden lion, a flagpole and a small statue of a firefighter. At the base of the firefighter statue is a plaque in Loving Memory of our "Papa" - what is the man's name that this statue is placed in loving memory of?

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30 – Prairie Farm, WI - 615 points

This is a two part bonus – you must correctly complete both parts from separate locations to score the points for this bonus. No points awarded for one correct answer.

PART 1:

In downtown Prairie Farm, located near River Ave and Brewster St is a Grand Army of the Republic Civil War monument that was erected by the August Roemhild Post # 237 – From information available on the monument, what year was the monument transferred to the Village of Prairie Farm by the Sons of Veterans?

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PART 2:

Travel about 3 1/2 miles south of Prairie Farm on CR F to the junction of CR V – turn right on CR V and about a 1/4 mile west of CR F on CR V is the Vanceburg Cemetery and the final resting place of Civil War veteran August Roemhild. Just inside the main entrance is the G.A.R. engraved stone of the Roemhild family. Find "Father" August's headstone, what is the date mm/dd/yyyy that August Roemhild died?

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31 Winona, MN – 594 points

Minnesota's only (known) Revolutionary War veteran is buried in the Woodlawn Cemetery in Winona. From US HWY 61 travel SW towards the hills on Huff street, make a quick right on W. Lake Blvd, the Cemetery is just up the road on your left. Enter the main gate, stay left and ride past a group of aboveground crypts, the grave will be on your right as you approach a "T" in the roadway, the grave stone is shaped like an old Frontier Fort. This will be the grave of Stephen Taylor who lived to the ripe old age of 100. According to information available at the grave site, how many soldiers served in Ethan Allen's immortal band that attacked the British at Fort Ticonderga?

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32 Rock Falls, WI – 601 points

Located along Hwy 85 near the downtown Rock Falls Mill Pond is a small park with a black granite memorial near three flag poles. On the monument is carved the prose poem "Desiderata" (Latin: "desired things") written 1927 by American writer Max Ehrmann. The monument is dedicated to the Hoover brothers; each killed in separate car crashes 11 years part. What are the first names of the two brothers?

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33 Stillwater, MN – 346 points

Located along MN HWY 95 about a 1/4 mile south of MN HWY 96 is a gravel surfaced wayside rest. Embedded in a rock wall bordering the wayside rest is a historic plaque noting the Tamarack House, a court house and Minnesota’s first Capitol; – according to this plaque, who was the first settler of this valley?

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34 Welch, MN – 212 points

Just south of the town of Welch the Cannon Valley Bike Trail crosses CR 7, near this crossing east of CR 7 and along 144th Ave Way is located a Bike Trail parking area. In this parking area is a replica of a passenger railway shelter located near the trail, a flagpole and an old RR wig-wag signal. According to the information available on the railway shelter; what was the population of “Welch Station”?

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35 Cordova, MN – 201 points

Located along Dodd Road (CR 2) just east of the town of Cordova is the Lake Gorman Cemetery. Near the flagpole is a monument placed in the memory of the Veterans of all wars; what is the popular 4 word military quote carved on this monument.

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36 Waumandee, WI – 454 points

Located about a mile west of the Waumandee along CR E is Harmonia Park, in this park is a sign with information about the Harmonie Gesellschaft Society which is a subchapter of the Freie Gemeinde movement started in Germany to counter formal religion – according to this sign, what year was the Waumandee chapter chartered?

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37 Brownsdale, MN – 499 points

Located about one mile west of Brownsdale along CR 2 is a monument to the Mousenic Rockets. The 1957 launch of Mousenic II by the Austin Model Rocket Society received International coverage by David Brinkley and was witnessed by Captain Charles Woody of the US Dept of Defense. According to information on this marker; what year was the Austin Rocket Society founded?

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38 Elba, MN – 442 points

Located just west of the City of Elba is the St. Aloysius Catholic Cemetery. Travel west on CR 26 up the hill to Kieffer Dr. and you will see a small sign noting the “Cemetery” in memory of Dean Holm – follow Kieffer Dr (gravel) about 100 yards to the cemetery. There is a structure with a Crucifix, two angels and an alter – in the concrete base of the Crucifix there is a nine word comforting phrase; what is the complete phrase?

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39 Modena, WI – 409 points

Located on the north end of town is the Modena Cemetery, according to cemetery sign, what date (mm/dd/yyyy) was the Modena Cemetery founded?

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40 Marion, MN – 450 points

Located on 65th Ave SE, just north of 54th St SE is the Marion Church of Christ, located in the front yard is the original church bell. Look on the concrete frame that holds the bell, what is the name of the person in who’s memory the bell is placed?

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41 Mindora, WI – 727 points

About 4 miles south of Mindora on HWY 108 is the Mindora Rock Cut, it is a hand-hewn cut 75’ deep in solid rock. At the cut is a marker noting the feat, next to the marker is a bench; in whose memory was the bench placed?

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42 Whalan, MN – 666 points **Shop opens @ 10am**

PIE! or not to PIE! asked nobody ever. Visit the Aroma PIE! shop, home of “World Famous Pies!” The PIE! shop is located at Main and 2nd Ave in Whalan. The PIE! is highly recommended, visit the Aroma PIE! shop and return to the scoring table with a machine printed receipt from any purchase made during the rally at the Aroma PIE! shop.

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43 Wabasha, MN – 377 points

About 5 miles SE of Wabasha near the Mississippi River you will find the Peterson Lake Landing. From Wabasha travel south on CR 30 (aka Hiawatha Dr) to North County Road 24 – turn left (east) and travel to the Peterson Lake Landing. A sign is located in the upper parking lot that has information about the landing and the Upper Mississippi National Wildlife and Fish Refuge – How many different types (photo-realistic illustrations) of Diving Ducks are represented on this sign?

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44 Nerstrand, MN – 214 points

Located about two miles due west of the town of Nerstrand is the Big Woods State Park. This park was established to preserve a remnant of the Big Woods, an extensive woodland that once covered of 3000 square miles of south-central Minnesota. From information posted on the Ranger Station located at the entrance to the park (you do not need to enter the fee area of the Park) what year was the park established?

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45 Downing, WI – 442 points

At 403 Main St is the former Bank of Downing, now a private residence – there are two dates listed on the header above the front door, what are the two dates craved into the header above the front door of the former Bank of Downing?

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46 Buffalo City, WI – 402 points

Located in the town of Buffalo City near the corner of W. 12th St. and N. Humbolt St is a City Park – near the center of this Park is an old windmill with a street light on top, below the light is the Old Buffalo City Fire Station. According to a historic sign on the Fire Station, what date (mm/dd/yyyy) that was Buffalo City incorporated as a city?

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47 Arkansas, WI – 350 points

Located near E Buss St and CR D is the Arkansas Elementary School. On the front yard of the school is a Memorial bell tower dedicated to the students and teachers, according to the plaque on the tower for whom is the Bell Tower named?

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48 Wasioja, MN – 333 points

An oldie but goodie bonus location – Located in the thriving populous that is Wasioja is a restored Civil War recruiting Station at the corner of CR 9 and 601 st Street. According to the historic marker near the building, what battle did Colonel James George lead the men of the Second Minnesota?

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Successfully complete bonuses #14 – Jessenland, MN and #28 – Hastings, MN and you may claim this bonus
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