#### **Friedlander Geocaching**

Welcome to Camp Friedlander's geocaching course, the ultimate hide-nseek. The activity includes hiking along different areas around Camp Friedlander and searching for a waterproof container called a geocache. Scouts should be familiar with the basic operation of the GPS unit they are using; the course has been designed to utilize cell phones. This activity is very similar to the world wide game called Geocaching. The geocaching course at Camp Friedlander is open only to the registered Scout units that are using the camp facilities. Geocaches should NOT be added to official geocaching websites.

Geocaches may be hanging in plain site, or hidden. Often, Hidden caches are often within items that stand-out or in openings.

Keep your camp beautiful. Pick up litter as you hike.

What to bring: Pen, a phone, a GPS device (optional), a patch, 3 items smaller than 1 a nickel in width and 1 inch in height

#### **Cache Types**

**Traditional:** a cache that you travel directly to the posted coordinates and then search for the cache.

**Mystery/Puzzle:** a cache where something unique has to be done to get to the geocache.

#### Sizing

**Micro cache:** Less than 100ml. Examples: a pill bottle or a tiny storage box typically containing only a logbook or a logsheet.

**Small:** 100ml or larger, but less than 1L. Example: A sandwich-sized plastic container or similar.

**Regular:** 1L or larger, but less than 20L. Examples: a plastic container or ammo can about the size of a shoebox.

**\*\*Tip:** Log sheets and instructions fit into caches by rolling them and then placing in the lid, then insert into container.





# GEOCACHING



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## **Geocache List**

#### 1. Start of the Trail

Traditional | Micro | Easy 39°13'03.8"N, 84°16'49.8"W 39.217722, -84.280500 *Hint: Some signs are polarized.* 

#### 2. Water Tower

Traditional | Micro | Hard 39°12'53.7"N 84°17'16.2"W

39.214929, -84.287830

*Hint: The metal rings of the old camp's water tower still sit on the hillside.* 

#### 3. Chapel in the Woods

Traditional | Small| Moderate

39°12'56.7"N 84°16'58.5"W

39.215752, -84.282920

*Hint: Curious scouts will look under anything that moves.* 

#### 4. Temple of Trees

Traditional | Micro | Easy 39°12'54.1"N, 84°17'00.3"W 39.215028, -84.283417 *Hint: Do you know what you sit on*? **Instructions:** Enter the coordinates into your GPS device or the google maps search bar to locate the geocache. Once at the location, search to find the cache. Follow the instructions inside the cache. Be sure to bring the supplies identified on the other side.

#### 5. Feeding the Lake

Traditional | Micro | Moderate 39°12'54.1"N 84°16'45.8"W 39.215024, -84.279390 *Hint: From where does the water flow?* 

6. Bird Study

Traditional | Micro | Moderate

39°12'44.0"N 84°16'52.2"W

39.212216, -84.281163

*Hint: Knock knock. Who's there? Little birdies.* 

7. What a View!

Traditional | Micro| Moderate

39°12'46.2"N 84°16'50.5"W

39.212837, -84.280689

*Hint: The metal piping will outlast the wood.* 

#### 8. Challenge by Choice

Traditional | Micro | Hard 39°12'41.7"N 84°16'38.7"W

57 12 41.7 N 04 10 50.7

39.211571, -84.277425

*Hint: Everything needs a good support system.* 

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Contact DBCCSAA@gmail.com to report geocache issues.

#### 9. Hammock Outpost

Mystery/Puzzle | Micro | Hard 39°12'38.3"N 84°16'31.5"W 39.210639, -84.275417 Hint: Knock knock. Who's there? I'm an Eagle Scout.

#### **10. The Old Boathouse**

Mystery/Puzzle | Micro | Hard 39°12'48.4"N 84°16'32.8"W 39.213430, -84.275787 *Hint: "Il lui mangue une vis."* 

#### 11. Tigger Point

Traditional | Micro| Moderate 39°12'54.2"N 84°16'37.8"W 39.215055, -84.277153 *Hint: Gone but not forgotten.* 

#### 12. Amphitheater Trail

Mystery/Puzzle | Micro | Moderate 39°12'57.5"N 84°16'37.6"W 39.215972, -84.277111 *Hint: Lefty loosey, righty tighty.*