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## **Coin Pick-Up Locations:**

Stark Parks Education Offices (Inside the Exploration Gateway):
Mon. - Sat. 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Sun. (vary, call for hours)

5712-12th St NW, Canton, Ohio 44708

N 40° 48.448 W 81° 27.450

Comfort Inn & Suites in Hartville: 953 Edison St NW, Hartville, Ohio 44632 N 40° 58.135 W 81° 21.301

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# What is GEOCACHING?

Geocaching is a global high-tech treasure-hunt in which participants use a combination of online clues and GPS coordinates to find "caches" (hidden containers). The caches are often hidden in unique and interesting places which participants may never have discovered on their own, but some are concealed as mundane objects in plain sight. Currently, there are more than 1 million active participants and approximately 985,000 caches hidden in more than 100 countries. For more information about Geocaching, visit www.geocaching.com.

# What is the Strolling Stark Geotour?

The Strolling Stark Geotour will introduce you to national attractions, quaint villages and towns, and unique spots surrounded by parks and trails.

Discover all of the strategically placed caches to complete your passport.

Complete 10 out of 12 to redeem your commemorative coin\*.

For more information on the trail visit StarkParks.com.

#### Strolling Stark Geocaching Trail Passport

To complete your passport, please find the cache listed in each box and record the bold word in the fact concealed in each cache.

SSG1 Eagle Point GC65VRV	SSG4 Flour Power GC65XJF	SSG7 Canawler's Paradise GC65XJZ	SSG10 Monumental Find GC65XA
Date:	Date:	Date:	Date:
Code Word:	Code Word:	Code Word:	Code Word:
SSG2 Trolling Stark GC66003	SSG5 Echo Location GC65ZXD	SSG8 Clean Sweep GC65ZXN	SSG11 A-Maize-ing GC65WTM
Date:	Date:	Date:	Date:
Code Word:	Code Word:	Code Word:	Code Word:
SSG3 No Ghosts Allowed GC661K4	SSG6 Kracker Cache GC65ZXH	SSG9 Ladies First GC65X10	SSG12 Home is Where the Hart Is GC660GV
Date:	Date:	Date:	Date:
Code Word:	Code Word:	Code Word:	Code Word:

## How to find a cache

- 1. Go to www.geocaching.com.
- 2. Register for a free basic membership.
- 3. Click "Hide & Seek a Cache."
- 4. Search for the caches in this trail using the "GC Code" listed in the passport.
- 5. Enter the coordinates of the geocache into your GPS Device.
- 6. Use your GPS device to assist you in finding the hidden geocache.
- 7. Carefully search for the cache showing respect for your surroundings.
- 8. Sign the logbook, fill in the passport and return the geocache to its original location.
- 9. Share your geocaching stories and photos online.

# **Geocaching Etiquette**

- Obey local laws. Follow regulations governing the use of roads and other public areas. Obtain permission before entering private property.
- Leave No Trace. Practice "Cache In Trash Out."
   Clean up litter along the way and don't leave any behind. This helps keep trails clean.
- Respect the geocache. Replace the container exactly as you found it.
- Log your find. Sign the logbook and share your experience online. If you take something from the cache, leave something of equal or greater value.
- Keep 'em moving. Only take a trackable item if you are willing to help it travel from geocache to geocache.

<sup>\*</sup> The first 250 participants who complete the trail will receive a commemorative coin!