## Sonoma County Movie Rally June 8, 2014

## General Instructions

1. Our cell phone numbers are:
2. Commands and directions to be executed are indicated in ALL BOLD CAPS. See illustrations on page 2
2.1. TURN indicates a command to change direction of travel to a different road from the road you are currently on. TURN LEFT or TURN RIGHT are the two standard commands.
2.2. BEAR LEFT or BEAR RIGHT indicates a turn of less than 90 degrees to the left or right from straight-ahead travel.
2.3. Bend indicates the road you are travelling on simply changes direction. A bend in the road is not a TURN.
2.4. TEE refers to an intersection where the road you are on intersects with a second road to force a TURN LEFT or TURN RIGHT command (straight-ahead travel not possible). It is roughly shaped like the letter " T ". It is considered a TEE only if you are approaching from the bottom, not from the 'arms'.
2.5. Y refers to an intersection where the road you are on intersects a second road forcing a BEAR LEFT or BEAR RIGHT turn command (straight ahead travel not possible).
2.6. PROCEED means to drive or continue on in the forward direction.
2.7. MOVE is used as in making a lane change.
3. (STOP) indicates a stop sign.
4. (LIGHT) indicates a traffic control light such as a standard three color traffic light, flashing red lights, or flashing yellow lights
5. (YIELD) indicates a red or yellow triangular yield sign.
6. The word CAUTION identifies situations related to safety (e.g. limited sight distance) or to help stay on course (e.g. street signs partially hidden) or for your comfort (e.g. seriously rough road surfaces).
7. Intermediate landmarks may be called out to help you stay on course. Text as seen on signs will be identified inside quotation marks, e.g. Sign on right "Caution Left Turns". Landmarks are usually signs or structures that are prominent and relatively permanent.
8. Text in italics is informational and has no relationship to staying on course, it can safely be ignored.
9. Mileage columns: left is cumulative distance along the course, right is intermediate distances.
10. Obey all applicable laws and rules of the road. State law requires slower moving traffic to keep to the right. Drive at your own pace and allow others to do the same by using turnouts. This is NOT a race - it is YOUR responsibility to operate your vehicle in a lawful and safe manner.
11. The data recorded below are for your own information.

| End odometer: |  | End time: |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Start odometer: |  | Start time: |  |
| Total mileage: |  | Total time: |  |

The starting point is the Applebee's Restaurant, 5301 Old Redwood Hwy, Petaluma. You will reset your trip counter just before you exit Applebee’s parking lot onto McDowell Bl.

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Mileages:

| 0.0 |  | Exit Applebee's parking lot and TURN LEFT onto McDowell Bl |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 0.1 |  |
| 0.1 |  | (LIGHT). PROCEED across Old Redwood Hwy |
|  | 2.5 |  |
| 2.6 |  | (LIGHT). PROCEED across Lynch Creek Way |
|  | 0.4 |  |
| 3.0 |  | (LIGHT). TURN RIGHT onto E. Washington St |
|  | 0.2 |  |
| 3.2 |  | PROCEED over US 101 |
|  | 0.4 |  |
| 3.6 |  | (LIGHT). TURN LEFT onto Payran St |
|  | 0.2 |  |
| 3.8 |  | (STOP). TURN RIGHT onto D St |
|  | 0.5 |  |
| 4.3 |  | PROCEED across D St Lift Bridge |

The D Street Lift Bridge appeared in Explorers with River Phoenix and
Ethan Hawke \& in Lolita, with Jeremy Irons. The Petaluma River is a
working river as you can see to the left.
Rex Ace Hardware stands where the old Tomasini Ace Hardware stood
until it burned down a few years ago. It was old, creaky and
wonderfully crammed with stuff. It also appeared in Mumford.

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In Peggy Sue Got Married, Kathleen Turner was filmed walking in front of Carither's Department Store at the corner of Western and $4^{\text {th }}$. Now it's an empty store front for lease (not really the same, is it?)


|  | 0.1 |  | (STOP). TURN LEFT onto Liberty St |
| :---: | :---: | :--- | :--- |
| 4.9 |  |  |  |


|  |  | St. Vincent's Church also appeared in Basic Instinct but, like the Sisters, I doubt <br> that it approved. |
| :---: | :---: | :--- |
| 5.0 |  | (STOP) at TEE. TURN LEFT onto Howard St, becomes 6 ${ }^{\text {th }}$ St, no signs |
|  | 0.2 |  |
| 5.2 |  | (LIGHT). TURN RIGHT onto D St |


| 920 D | was | nanda Peterson's home in Explorers. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 0.5 |  |  |
| 5.7 |  | TURN RIGHT onto Laurel Ave. |  |
|  | 0.2 |  |  |
| 5.9 |  | (STOP) at TEE. TURN RIGHT onto B St |  |
|  | 0.1 |  |  |
| 6.0 |  | (STOP). TURN LEFT onto Fair St, 10th St to the rig |  |
| Peta | Hig | School was used for "The Hop" in $\underline{\text { American Graffiti. }}$ |  |
| Q1 |  | Petaluma High School is home to whom? |  |
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|  | 0.5 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6.5 |  | (STOP) at TEE. TURN LEFT onto Western Ave |
|  | 0.2 |  |
| 6.7 |  | (STOP) and (LIGHT). TURN RIGHT onto North Webster St |
| Q2 |  | What is home to the Vikings? |
|  | 0.3 |  |
| 7.0 |  | (LIGHT). TURN LEFT onto Bodega Ave |
|  |  | 884 Bodega Ave., former home of Gilardi's Liquors, is where the kids try to score some booze in American Graffiti. |
| Q3 |  | These arms aren't for hugging: |
|  | 0.9 |  |
| 7.9 |  | PROCEED past Eastman Ln on the left |
|  |  | The driveway at 5345 Bodega Ave led to the Brenner Ranch, supposedly located on Bodega Head, in The Birds. |
|  | 6.4 |  |
| 14.3 |  | PROCEED past Pepper Rd on the right |
|  | 0.5 |  |
| 14.8 |  | TURN LEFT onto Tomales Rd (eventually becomes Tomales Petaluma Rd) |
|  |  | The U.S. Coast Guard Training Center stood in for Panda Modem Headquarters in Mumford. |
|  | 7.2 |  |
| 22.0 |  | (STOP) at TEE. TURN RIGHT onto Hwy 1 |


| Downtown Tomales appeared in Radio Flyer and the bank was robbed in Bandits. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Q4 |  | Why wouldn't you want to rob the bank today? |
|  | 2.5 |  |
| 24.5 |  | PROCEED past Whitaker Bluff Rd on the left and Fallon-Two Rock Rd on the right |
|  | 2.9 |  |
| 27.4 |  | (STOP) at TEE. TURN LEFT toward Valley Ford to stay on Hwy 1 |
|  |  | In Bandits, a crash involving a Clover-Stornetta milk truck was filmed near Valley Ford. |
|  | 2.2 |  |
| 29.6 |  | BEAR LEFT at Freestone Valley Ford Rd to stay on Hwy 1 |
|  | 3.0 |  |
| 32.6 |  | TURN RIGHT onto Bodega Hwy |
|  | 0.6 |  |
| 33.2 |  | PROCEED past first intersection with Bodega Ln on the right |
| Q5 |  | What is "A nice store in a small town"? |
|  | 0.2 |  |
| 33.4 |  | TURN RIGHT at second intersection with Bodega Ln |

St. Theresa of Avila Church and James E Potter School appeared in both The Birds and Finian's Rainbow.


| Q6 |  | What does a Wooden Duck "watch over"? |
| :---: | :---: | :--- |
| 33.5 | 0.1 |  |
|  | 0.1 | Bodega Ln bends RIGHT |
| 33.6 |  | (STOP) at TEE. TURN LEFT back onto Bodega Hwy |
| 34.1 | 0.5 | Where can "the whole family have fun without a license"? <br> Q7 |
| 35.1 | 1.0 | TSTOP) at TEE. TURN RIGHT onto Hwy 1 RIGHT onto Bay Hill Rd. The next $\sim 4$ miles will be driven on a narrow <br> lane road, please use caution. |
| 38.9 | 3.8 | (STOP) at TEE. TURN LEFT onto Hwy 1, the Coast Highway |
| 40.1 | 1.2 |  |




| 73.0 |  | TURN RIGHT onto West St (easy to miss!) |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 73.2 |  | TURN LEFT onto Liberty St |
| 226 Liberty St. is Kathleen Turner's childhood home in Pegqy Sue Got |  |  |
| Married. |  |  |

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Q11 - Bonus Question: Why were Citroens used frequently as moving camera platforms in the movies and TV?


That's it, you have completed the rally! Record your time and mileage, and then go to McGuire's Irish Pub, 145 Kentucky St for a meal and a brew!

## This completes the rally.

Don't Forget to Record Your Mileage and Time on the Coversheet.
Returning to the Hwy 101: Follow Petaluma Blvd in either direction to reach Hwy 101.

