



## RICHMOND STAR COURSE

### READ THIS BEFORE YOU GO:

#### Waypoint Requirements:

- **Your first waypoint is at the Start Point.** Take a photo here and submit to GORUCK HQ via text with the appropriate hashtag before departure. You are free to go when this is done. **GORUCKHQ: 510-633-3107**
- You must take your team photo as physically close as you can get to each waypoint, or as instructions specify.
- At each waypoint listed below, you will be responsible for texting a picture of your team and the corresponding hashtag to your remote support handler
- **Hashtags are a mandatory part of the event.**

#### Key Star Course Rules

- **The course will be at least 26 miles.** You and your team can hit the waypoints (except for the Start Point waypoint which must be done at the start of the event) in whatever order you want (good strategy helps), but **YOU MUST HIT ALL WAYPOINTS AND RUCK TO THE FINISH LINE WITHIN THE TIME HACK TO EARN THE PATCH.**
- **Share the road, No highways, Obey all local laws:** Use pedestrian-friendly routes only where there are sidewalks or safe pedestrian pathways. Any use of highways or other dangerous routes will result in disqualification from the event. Be considerate of others while moving throughout the area, especially around landmarks and memorials.
- See full rules in your Star Course participant info packet or Star Course Rules FAQ.

#### Emergency Communications Plan

- Life-Threatening Emergency: Call 911
- Non-Life-Threatening Emergency, Team or Individual Drops (see below)

#### Team / Individual Drop Procedures.

- Text Event via 540-684-8582 (Cadre Igor) the following information:
  - (1) "DROP"
  - (2) "Team Name"
  - (3) "Individual(s) Full Name"
  - (4) "# of remaining teammates continuing ruck"
  - (5) Example: "DROP / Team Weirdos / Bomber Bash / 3 continuing ruck"
- **You must do a proper hand-off with remote support if your COMMS person drops.** This means texting your remote support handler with the number of the teammate who will be taking over COMMS duty.



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### WAYPOINTS:

- ✓ **START/END: William Byrd Park - 2201 Shields Lake Dr, Richmond, VA 23220**  
Every journey begins with a single step. Take your first photo here before stepping off. This is mandatory to check in with remote support before you leave. **#starcoursecheckin**
- ✓ **Carytown- New York Deli- 2920 W. Cary Street, Richmond, VA 23221**  
Opened in 1929 & in its present location since 1934, the New York Deli is Richmond's oldest restaurant. **#NYdeli**
- ✓ **Greetings from Richmond Mural- 311 W. Broad St, Richmond, VA 23220**  
The mural by VCU alumni Mickael Broth and Ross Trimmer is hard to miss — it's large, brightly colored and greets pedestrians walking up West Broad Street into the Arts District **#greetingsfromrichmond**
- ✓ **Hollywood Cemetery- James Monroe's Tomb- 412 S. Cherry St, Richmond, VA 23220**  
The James Monroe Tomb is located in the southern reaches of Hollywood Cemetery, in a prominent location surrounded by a circular drive and overlooking the James River. The principal feature of the tomb is an architecturally unusual cast iron cage, designed by Albert Lybrock **#jamesmonroe**
- ✓ **Legend Brewing Co- 321 W 7th St, Richmond, VA 23224**  
Full service restaurant and Brew Pub started by Tom Martin in 1994 **#legendbrewing**
- ✓ **Mini Statue of Liberty- 3215 E Broad St, Richmond, VA 23223**  
Small replica, impressively presented on the grounds of the Chimbarazo Hospital Museum on the Richmond National Battlefield and is one of 200 replicas in 39 states put up in 1951 by the Boy Scout troops to celebrate the organization's 40th anniversary **#ministatue**
- ✓ **Richmond Raceway Front Stretch Entrance Way/ Ticket Counter- 600 E Laburnum Ave, Richmond, VA 23222**  
Richmond Raceway is a 0.75 miles, D-shaped, asphalt race track located just outside Richmond, Virginia in unincorporated Henrico County. It hosts the NASCAR Cup Series, NASCAR Xfinity Series and the NASCAR Camping World Truck Series. **#richmondraceway**
- ✓ **The Grand Kruger at Science Museum of Virginia- 2500 W Broad St., Richmond, VA 23220**  
A Kugel fountain features a free-rotating granite ball supported by aquaplaning on a thin film of water below. The Grand Kugel, carved from South African black granite, is the world's largest and sits in front of the Science Museum. **#grandkugel**



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✓ **The Markel Building- 5310 Markel Road, Richmond, Virginia, 23230**

Inspired by a foil-wrapped potato (seriously), the Markel Building has been deemed one of the 10 ugliest buildings in the world. The exterior of each floor is wrapped in a solid, unbroken piece of aluminum 555-ft. Long. **#markel**

✓ **Three Days in April 1865- Near the Brown's Island Side of Pottersfield Memorial Bridge- 37° 32.05' N, 77° 26.659' W, near Brown's Island Park: S 7th St, Richmond, VA 23219**

This installation depicts events when the city fell to the Union army after four years of Civil War. Take a picture under the archway **#threedays**

✓ **Virginia Holocaust Museum- 2000 E Cary St, Richmond, VA 23223**

Founded to educate the community about the tragedies of the Holocaust, the Virginia Holocaust Museum memorializes and archives the atrocities of World War II. **#holocaustmuseum**