



Department of Parks and Recreation

## Whitecliff Cache Course

### Welcome to the Whitecliff Cache Course

This course is intended to be a leisurely walk through the different areas of the park, looking for clues, which will result in the numbers needed to open the combination lock at the end of the course. This can be done alone, as a family, or with friends.

There are five small concrete posts, or waypoints, with a 6" by 6" brass plaque embedded in the concrete. See the satellite view (taken in 1995 so new construction is not shown) and table for additional clues in locating the waypoints. The first two rows of letters and numbers are coordinates for locating the waypoints using a Global Positioning System (GPS) receiver. The cache box contains the 6<sup>th</sup> and final letter. These letters must be located in order so they can be converted to numbers for the combination. See the combination chart below for decoding the letters.

The final reward, or cache, consists of a locked box containing a special prize and a logbook to write about your experience on the course.

**Please note that this course is only open during park hours (7AM to 11PM, 7 days a week), and the construction area surrounded by the orange fence should be avoided.**

For those that have access to a GPS receiver and wish to try the course with the coordinates on the plaques, visit our cache page at the Geocaching.com website at [http://www.geocaching.com/seek/cache\\_details.asp?ID=12535](http://www.geocaching.com/seek/cache_details.asp?ID=12535) for details.



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Waypoint	Letter	Decoded number
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
Cache Box		

#### Combination Decoding Key:

A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H |

4 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 3 |

(letter above equals number below)

i.e. A C G F D H = 42, 05, 13

#### Combination Lock:

Waypoint 1 and 2 comprise the first number for the combination (i.e. WP1=A or 4 and WP2=C or 2 which becomes 42 for the first number), waypoint 3 and 4 for the second number and waypoint 5 and the cache box for the third number. To open the lock, turn 3 full turns to the **RIGHT** stopping at the 1<sup>st</sup> number, Then **LEFT** one full turn past the 1<sup>st</sup> number stopping at the 2<sup>nd</sup> number, and then **RIGHT** to the 3<sup>rd</sup> number. Continue turning **RIGHT** after the last number until the dial stops and pull open the door. **Please close the door securely when finished and turn the dial LEFT one full turn.**

Waypoint	Clue
1	90 yards Northeast of bridge along the creek.
2	Against rock bluff.
3	Sitting on the bench under the bent tree, look forward for the old "No Littering" sign 57 ft. away in the woods.
4	Standing behind the wooden storage building, it's within 25'
5	At the junction of the twin bridges
Cache	Behind the evergreens near the beginning of the nature trail



**Sample Waypoint**



**Notes:**

- All waypoints are within the 100-acre park boundaries
- Between waypoints 2 and 3 there is a residence but it is owned by the City of Crestwood. Please respect the property.
- Between waypoints 4 and 5 there is a private residence. Please avoid crossing their property.
- Total distance between the waypoints and the final cache is approximately 1.75 miles if the trails are followed.