

SPARK CONQuest 2023

Treasure Hunt

The logo features the word "SPARK" in a bold, black, sans-serif font. Below it, "CON" is written in a similar font, with a small "i" inside the "O". To the right, "Quest" is written in a bold, black, sans-serif font, with a magnifying glass icon integrated into the letter "Q". Below "CONQuest" is the year "2023" in a simple, black, sans-serif font. To the right of "2023" is the text "Treasure Hunt" in a smaller, black, sans-serif font.

Main Premise for this year's Treasure Hunt which will get participants out exploring downtown Raleigh in search for the coin medallion.

- Utility Box murals | letters from the north /south and the east/west street names used to spell out clue
- Newspaper Kiosks murals | letters from artist's First and Last name
- Each set of these is differentiated by a different style of frame around the art used
- Use Suijin Li's Hearts with Circles as a Key with position of the circle in relation to the frame line and side as the guide for how to use the numbers inside them to represent letters spelling out the clue.

Clue 1

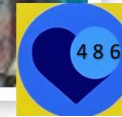
Heart placement with circle shows which name of the artist to use and the number(s) in the circle tell which letters (left circle first name, right circle second name)
Spells RALE?GH with 5 as the "I" off set to show the coin is behind the I

You may hunt as individuals,
Or *fixate* as a team
Flying Saucer 7 pm, a possible clue
If you choose to partake, even a brew
(SIX FOOT *italics letters* the height of the coin)



Clue 2

It is easy to tell them apart
Might be how one frames the art?
Using two to get a clue
Each image here to guide you
Some art is all location
Other pics are identification
Most characters do not count
Others will soon stick out
If you are clever you can solve this fast
Or all may wait on the clue that is last
Everything to find the coin is here to see
Check your morals, a utility
Numbers involved are not what they seem
Once you see it you'll know what they mean
So solve this now and make a mad dash
Tomorrow more clues could lead others to the cache



Peace | Glenwood

15 | 4 8 6

PE | NDO

Clue 3



Polk | Wilmington
LOOK | ING L
3224 | 567 3



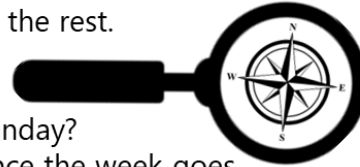
Jones | Glenwood
ONE | L
2 3 4 | 2



Cabarrus | Salisbury
BAR | L IS BY A
325 | 341 69 2

Clue 4

North is North, East is East
South is South and West is best
Being more central than the rest.
The map by *DRA*
This is where we play
Maybe until 7pm this Sunday?
@originovel on Insta, once the week goes
Hints will be there should clues via email cause woes
It's at *six foot height*, better stay on your toes.
Six Districts in the Raleigh Downtown
Yet unclear where the coin can be found
Hidden in plain view, safe and sound.
Amazing art on each *Utility Box*
Yet different than what's on any *Kiosk*
The routes and names may have you lost.
To find the coin you're going to need *more than one*
Just remember the adventure, go explore and have fun
If you wait until it's *almost over*, you may have to run.



This basically explains what the treasure hunter needs to know, though not as direct as just spelling it out.

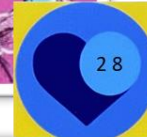
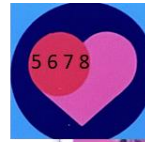
West is the closest road to the coin. The other 3 are far from it (North St. | South St. | West St. | East St.)

- It is located inside what the DRA considers downtown Raleigh
- Ending on Sunday at 7pm
- Follow Instagram where other hints were given out
- 6 feet off the ground is where it can be found
- Explains the art is different and to approach a solve with that in mind or, as the end draws near and the clues more clear, you may just need to be the fastest to get to it to win.

Christopher Williams

5 6 7 8 | 2 8

STOP | IS



Clue 5



Molly Chopin

1 5 | 1 3 5 6

M Y | C O I N

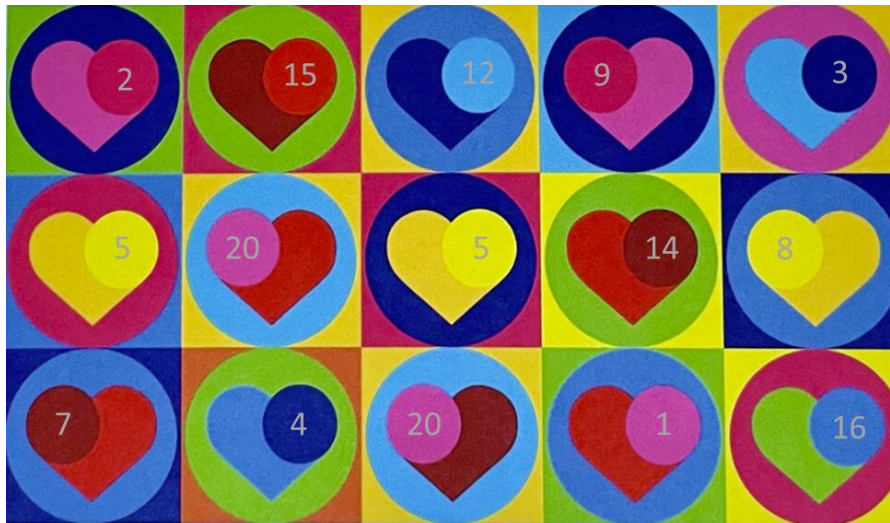
Jessica Wood

5 | 1 2 3 4

I | W O O D

Clue 7

Follow up clue. This was the only correct clue of three presented that participants could have taken a picture of at the Flying Saucer. Only 1 person/team did correctly.



T I G H T
20 9 7 8 20

P E N D O
16 5 14 4 15

C A B L E
3 1 2 12 5

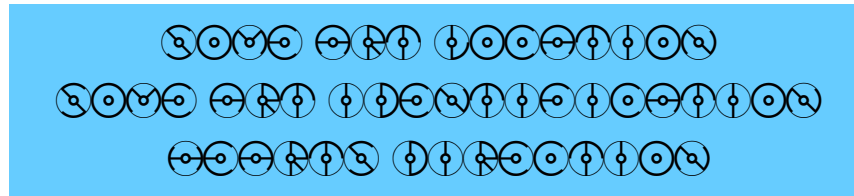
Heart/Circle Direction dictates the separation of scrambled words
(TIGHT is the 5 with circle on the left)

Clue 9



Should have been
interpreted as
LOOK BEHIND THE
RED RALEIGH
Specifically the "I"

Clue 10



riluri-mqsd

SAYs (in a more obvious way)
some art location
some art identification
hearts direction

These were strong hints at how to use
the art and know you needed to
differentiate them in order to figure out
what to use to solve them

Clue 11 **CH561EE**

HP 301 Black Original Ink Cartridge (**CH561EE**) = 301 parking lot



Clue 12 Area code 301 is located in western Maryland and covers
Germantown Waldorf Rockville



Clue 13

Happy Friday the 13th

Are You Feeling Lucky? (both of these were in an email as links to this address)

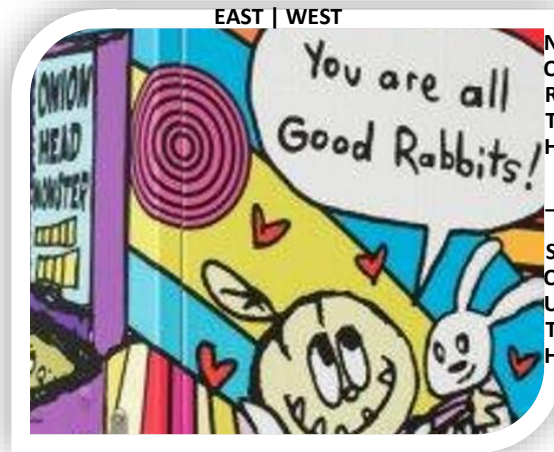
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Notice the use of the numbers 1 and 3 on Friday the 13th

301 IS THE PARKING LOT RAMP THE COIN WAS HIDDEN ON

Clue 14



Look back on the week
And let the hearts decide,
What you seek
And what the numbers hide.
Art presented one way
Spells from artist names.
Art on another medium
Uses roads to do the same.
Where to get a start
And how do you go about
Simply look at the heart
Then let the circles help you out.

Gives you the directions on how to directly
use the hearts and circles to go back to the
other clues and find the solution

The coin medallion's
hiding place



Its was inverted and magnetically attached with a
roughed up washer on the front facing side so that is
blended in and looked like it belonged there

Johnson | Glenwood



Hargett | McDowell



Hargett | Wilmington



Davie | East



Peace | Glenwood



Hargett | Boylan



North | Glenwood



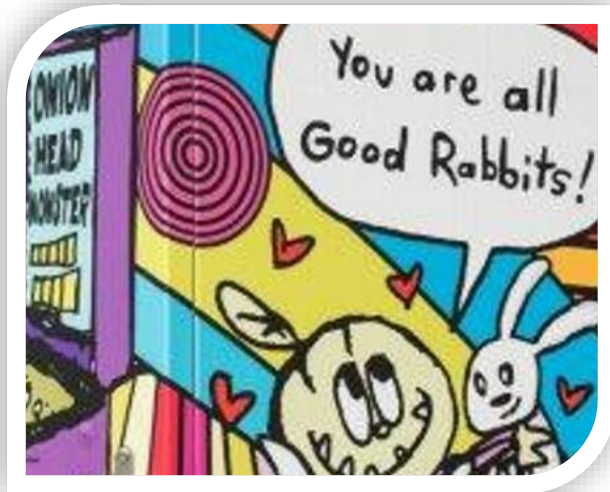
Lenoir | Wilmington



South | Salisbury



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Leslie Bartlebaugh



Christopher Williams



Molly Chopin



Jessica Wood



Wendy Spitzer



Jane Cheek



Sydney Baldwin



Mayanthi Jayawardena



Tim Lee



Shamica Phillips



Suijin Li



Jermaine Powell



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- Hargett | McDowell
- Johnson | Glenwood
- Hargett | Wilmington
- Davie | East
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- Peace | Glenwood
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- Cabarrus | Salisbury
- Jones | Glenwood
- Polk | Wilmington

- Leslie Bartlebaugh
- Molly Chopin
- Christopher Williams
- Jessica Wood
- Sydney Baldwin
- Jane Cheek
- Mayanthi Jayawardena
- Tim Lee
- Suijin Li (hearts key)
- Shamica Phillips
- JP Jermaine Powell
- Wendy Spitzer