

Clemson 4 Wheel Center

Poker Run Directions 2014

Checkpoint # 1, Draw your first card at **Clemson 4 Wheel Center** before departure.

Checkpoint # 2, draw your 2nd card at **Westminster Chamber of Commerce (historic train depot), Main St, Westminster SC**. Estimated driving time is 20 minutes. Checkpoint will be **open 9:00AM until 11:30AM**.

1. Head west on US-123/US-76/SC-28 towards Westminster, go 12.8 miles to East Main St on right.
2. Bear right onto East Main Street, go 0.2 miles to checkpoint # 2, Chamber of Commerce/Visitors Center on right (parking lot just past train depot).

Checkpoint # 3, draw your 3rd card at **Kangaroo Express, Hwy 441, Hollywood GA**. Estimated driving time is 1 hour. Checkpoint will be **open 10:15AM until 1:00PM**.

1. Head west on Main Street, go 0.2 miles to E. North Ave.
2. Turn left onto E. North Ave, go 0.3 miles to US-76.
3. Turn right onto US-76, go 1.3 miles to North Horseshoe Bridge Rd on left.
4. Bear left onto North Horseshoe Bridge Rd, go 6.5 miles to intersection at New Madison Rd.
5. Continue straight onto New Madison Rd, go 2.3 miles to US-123.
6. Turn right onto US-123, go 1.6 miles to River Road on right.
7. Turn right onto River Rd, go 4.4 miles to Cleveland Pike Rd.
8. Turn left onto Cleveland Pike Rd, go 0.9 miles, crossing into Georgia, to intersection (Cleveland Pike becomes Prather Bridge Rd in Georgia). ***** See Yonah Dam side trip info on back *****
9. Turn left (straight if returning from Yonah Dam) onto Prather Bridge Rd, go 1.8 miles to Camp Mikell Rd on right.
10. Turn right onto Camp Mikell Rd, go 0.7 miles to Old Rothell Rd on left.
11. Turn left onto Old Rothell Rd, go 0.9 miles to Anderson Rd at right fork.
12. Bear right onto Anderson Rd, go 2.1 miles to Black Mountain Rd.
13. Turn left onto Black Mountain Rd, go 0.3 miles to GA 17-A.
14. Turn right on GA 17-A/North Talmadge Dr, go 7.1 miles to stop light at US-441.
15. Continue straight across US-441 to checkpoint # 3 at Kangaroo Express on right.

Checkpoint # 4, draw your 4th card at **Long Creek General Store on US-76, Long Creek SC**. Estimated driving time is 1 hour 10 minutes. Checkpoint will be **open 12:00 Noon until 3:30PM**.

NOTE – This leg of the trip will take you to the town of Tallulah Falls and the area of Tallulah Gorge State Park. There should be ample time for visiting some of the many attractions in the area. After the turn onto Jane Hurt Yarn Drive (# 3 below), you will pass the entrance to Tallulah Gorge State Park visitors center, where information about the area can be found. There is a \$5 per vehicle parking fee if you choose to visit the visitor's center.

1. From the Kangaroo Express, turn right, then right again (north) on county road 648 (historic Hwy. 441), go 5.6 miles to US-441.
2. Turn left onto US-441 north, go 2.6 miles to Jane Hurt Yarn Drive on right.
3. Turn right onto Jane Hurt Yarn Drive, **note your odometer reading here**, and go 1.0 miles to left turn (Jane Hurt Yarn Dr becomes Rock Mountain Rd once past the State Park entrance, then Rock Mountain turns to gravel, then it turns left at the next intersection).
4. Turn left to stay on Rock Mountain Rd, go 0.8 miles to fork.
5. Bear left at fork, towards "Stone Place" (sign with arrow), to stay on Rock Mountain Rd, go 2.0 miles to Camp Creek Rd. ***** See "Stone Place" side trip info on the back of this sheet *****
6. Turn left onto Camp Creek Rd, go 2.0 miles to Connector Rd on right.

7. Bear right onto Connector Rd, go 0.9 miles to Wolf Creek Rd.
8. Turn sharp right onto Wolf Creek Rd, go 7.4 miles to US-76.
9. Turn right onto US-76, go 8.7 miles to checkpoint # 4, Long Creek General Store on left.

Checkpoint # 5, draw your 5th and final card at 250 Winstead Road, West Union SC. Estimated driving time is 55 minutes. Checkpoint will be **open at 12:30PM until 4:00PM. Final card must be drawn by 4:00 PM.** The optional rock climb is also at the Winstead Road checkpoint, and the BBQ and prize presentation will be held here as well. See parking information below.

1. Head southeast on US-76 towards Westminster, go 1.7 miles to S-37-36 (gravel road on left, has sign to Riley Moore Falls before reaching the turn-off).
2. Turn left onto gravel road S-37-36, go 5.8 miles to Cobbs Bridge Rd.
3. Turn left onto Cobbs Bridge Rd, go 2.3 miles to Ramsey Creek Road on left.
4. Bear left onto Ramsey Creek Road, go 1.4 miles to Coffee Road.
5. Turn left onto Coffee Road towards Walhalla, go 4.5 miles to South Maple St.
6. Go straight onto S Maple St 1 block to Main St.
7. Turn right onto Main St, go 0.9 miles to SC-183/Pickens Hwy on left.
8. Turn left onto SC-183, go 2.1 miles to Fowler Rd on right.
9. Turn right onto Fowler Road, go 0.8 miles to Winstead Road on left.
10. Turn left onto Winstead Road, go 0.3 miles to checkpoint # 5 on right.

***** IMPORTANT – This is private property. Please treat it as you would want your own property treated – do not litter, do not spin tires & tear up the grass, etc. As much as is possible, please leave it as you found it. Thanks!! *****

Parking – There will be almost more vehicles than there's room for, so please park tightly and be considerate of other vehicle parking needs. **Please do not park on or block any driveways.** Parking is available in front yard and back yard. If you do not intend to try the rock climb, parking in the front yard is preferred. There will be some room at the top of the rock climb for vehicles that complete the rock climb.

Yonah Dam side trip – At intersection of Prather Bridge Rd and Yonah Dam Rd (checkpoint # 3, leg # 8 above), turn right and drive up-river about 4.5 miles to Yonah dam and Yonah Lake. This is a scenic drive with some opportunities to explore, and will add only 25-30 minutes (plus exploration time) to your day. Return to the intersection with Prather Bridge Rd and continue straight to pick up the main route at checkpoint # 3, leg # 9.

Stone Place side trip – At the turn onto Jane Hurt Yarn Drive (checkpoint # 4, leg # 3 above), note your odometer reading. At (odometer reading) plus approximately 2.6 miles, there is a gravel road to the right, to "Stone Place". There are exploring opportunities, and 4 wheel drive may be needed coming back out because of the steep grade. It's very good gravel road, but steep in places. This side trip is about 3.5 miles round trip and will add 30 minutes or so (plus exploring time) to your day. Come back out to Rock Mountain Rd and turn right to continue on the main route to Camp Creek Rd, where you'll pick up at checkpoint # 4, leg # 6.