

This rally began in the back parking lot of Mayfields MCL Cafeteria, 2100 S Liberty Dr, Bloomington, IN

Run To The River Rally

Last year's rally was the Longest Day. You may think this one should have retained that name by the time you get home. Our route today is about 95 miles of scenic, but sometimes rough roads to get us to the Ohio River. This will give most of you an opportunity to find more good Miata roads on your long journey home.

We believe that the directions given are adequate, but if you should get confused or lost, a phone number is listed on the last page. As was the case last year, not all corners are marked with signs, but most of these intersections are T's and you have to turn. We have also identified some turns where you have no option but to turn. This way we don't have to admit that there is 20 miles until the next turn.

As always when we travel country roads, there is some loose gravel at intersections and where the heavy rains washed it from driveways. If you are alert and drive at reasonable speed it shouldn't be a problem.

There are no clues to solve during this run, **BUT...**

There will be a **trip report** to file at the end of the run. It will include such things as driving time and miles driven, towns encountered on the way, and possible questions related to comments highlighted in the directions.

We will be starting cars in groups of about 5. There is no requirement that the 5 cars stay together. Drive at your own pace and enjoy the scenery.

We will be giving a special award to the "average" drive. Therefore, it is important that everyone report his or her actual driving time and mileage.

Remember:

- This is not a speed contest. Obey all signs and enjoy the ride.
- Stay right and be alert. You are sharing the road with other cars, possibly large trucks, and horses and buggies.
- The Rally Master is always right!

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Seq	Ck	Mile	Directions
1		0.0	Turn right onto SR 45 (Bloomfield Rd).
			Starting Time: Starting Mileage:
2		0.3	At light, turn left onto L. Springs Rd. This area is marked with several Limestone quarries that have been a major industry for this region of Indiana.
3		1.2	At Y stay right on Leonard Springs Rd. There has been recent construction at this point and the road is a little rough with loose gravel.
4		0.5	Turn Left onto S. Leonard Springs Rd.
5		1.6	At T, turn Left onto Fowler Rd. In about 0.1 miles this road turns right and becomes Leonard Springs Road again.
6		0.5 0.6	At stop sign, turn left onto May Rd. No street sign for May Rd.
7		0.2	At stop sign, turn right on Rockport Rd. There is no street sign.
8		0.7	Turn left onto Tramway Rd.
9		1.6	At stop sign, turn right onto Victor Pike. There is no street sign.
10		0.8	Keep right on Victor Pike.
11		2.7	At stop sign (at T), turn left onto Rockport Rd. There is no street sign. Cross traffic does not stop.
12		4.4	At stop sign (at T), turn right onto W Popcorn Rd.
13		0.2	Turn left onto Springville Rd.
14		3.4	At "Y" (Yield sign), turn right onto Springville-Judah Rd.
15		1.6	At T, turn left onto Popcorn Rd.
16		0.3	At stop sign, go straight onto Old Farm Rd. (SR 54 traffic does not stop)
17		5.6	At stop sign, go straight onto Fayetteville-Coxton Rd. (SR 158 traffic does not stop)
18		2.6	At stop, turn right onto SR 450. FYI – State trooper lives on this road!
19		1.7	Turn left onto Twin Ponds Rd.
20		1.4	At yield, go straight onto Stumphole Bridge Rd.
21		3.3	At stop (U.S. 50), go straight. US 50 traffic does not stop.
22		0.2	At 4-way stop, go straight onto Sherwood Rd.
23		2.7	Turn left onto Beanie Deckard Rd.
24		<.1	At stop, turn right onto Porter Burton Rd.
25		1.5	At stop, turn left onto SR 60.
26		2.5	Turn right onto Fleenor Rd. Be alert for the Amish traveling the roads with us from here to Paoli.
27		0.3	Rough Railroad crossing.
28		3.5	At stop sign continue straight on 200W.
29		1.0	At stop sign continue straight on 200W.

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30		0.9	Stop at T. Turn left onto 610N.
31		1.1	At T, turn right onto 100W.
32		1.3	At stop sign turn left onto 500N.
33		1.0	At stop sign turn right onto SR 37.
34		4.0	Paoli city limits. Several opportunities for rest stops at fast food restaurants before stop light.
35		0.5	Traffic light at Wal-Mart entrance. Continue straight. Tobacco Road/BP station .5 miles ahead frequently has some of the lowest price gas around. Also, their restroom is available for our use.
36		0.6	Turn right and go ¼ way around the square, exit square and stay left.
37		<.1	At traffic light, turn left and continue on SR 37 South.
38		6.7	Turn right onto 550S. Pine Valley Store and former gas station on corner.
39		2.5	Stay right on 550S.
40		0.5	Left at Y onto 525S.
41		0.8	At stop sign, turn left onto 310W.
42		2.2	Turn left onto 475W.
43		1.3	Turn left onto 490W.
44		5.4	Continue straight on Brownstown Rd.
45		4.2	At stop sign, turn left onto SR 64.
46		0.1	Exit right to SR 37.
47		<.1	At stop sign, turn right onto SR 37. Warning: RR crossing in English is rough!
48		2.0	Turn left onto Magnolia Rd. Watch for signs to Curby and to Woolems Hardwoods because there is no street sign.
49		1.2	Turn left onto Mt. Sterling Rd.
50		3.8	At stop sign, proceed straight on Curby Rd.
51		1.7	At stop sign, turn right onto SR 66.
52		3.0	At I-64 junction continue straight on SR 66
53		2.9	At stop sign, turn left onto SR 62.
54		0.5	Overlook Restaurant is on the right. Park in area on left side on road. Look for "Entrance Only" sign.
			Ending Time: Ending Mileage:
			Check in with Rally Master for post run Trip Report.