Welcome to the 58th annual ODHDC Happy Heros Holiday Hangover Hassle, the best rally of the year so far! Today, you will be driving around our scenic city and answering (or not) a bunch of questions that we have put together for you.

This year, we're throwing a little culture in with your driving! Our theme is "City of Big Readers," a name we may have stolen from the library. All of our questions pertain to authors, stories, poems, or other literary themed related to Chicago. It's not required that you've actually read or heard of any of these things, though an actual ability to read is advised.

Here are some rules:

- 1. Pick up a registration packet. If you're reading this, congratulations! You've completed step one!
- 2. Fill out the registration sheet and bring it back to us with \$20 in unmarked, non-sequential bills. We refuse to accept IOU's, checks, charming smiles, or, in the case of our parents, promises to subtract it from whatever money we probably owe you for something or other. As far as the registration goes, we're only collecting emails so we can remind you about this fine event next year! Rest assured, no one here is in charge enough to sell this information off.
- 3. Hang out! Have fun! Study the names of some streets in Chicago.
- 4. At 11:55, we'll honk our horn a few times, signaling a short drivers meeting. At exactly 12:00, we'll hand out the questions and answer sheets!
- 5. After that, you're on your own for the next three hours. Drive around answering these questions. Or give up, head to the bar early, and watch some football. We suggest the former.
- 6. The rally ends at exactly 3:00. Answers must be turned in at that time. There's a penalty for sheets turned in after that. We'll be finishing at Timothy O'Tooles, in the lower level at 622 North Fairbanks. They tell us we have a room reserved and that they'll validate parking for \$11 in the garage on the northeast corner of Fairbanks and Ontario. Given the meter rate hike that kicks in today, that may be your best bet.
- 7. We'll start scoring once we have your sheet. All questions are worth the same value and you are encouraged to guess at answers. Depending on how much we drank last night, we may even award you extra points if we like what you write enough. However, if you've got more wrong answers than right ones, we will penalize you (keep in mind that winning is the ultimate penalty)!
- 8. Once we've checked everyone's sheets, we'll read of the answers and then announce the winners. Want to argue about an answer? We love to fight! We've got photos proving we're right, though, so you better be ready with the same (or something equally convincing.)
- 9. You're on your own for food and beer. Remember to pay before you leave!

Here are some suggestions:

- 1. Creative cheating is encouraged! However, using Google Street View, phoning friends, and stealing the answers have all been done before and are no longer considered creative.
- 2. Remember, the "winner" of this event is in charge of planning next year's rally. To win is to lose. Second place is the most coveted finish of all.
- 3. If you'd like to avoid winning, we suggest you include question #75.
- 4. Unless indicated, spelling doesn't count. It can't hurt you to be as specific as possible with your answers.
- 5. There's a few questions in here that are pretty much freebies. We look forward to seeing if you figure out a way to answer them incorrectly.
- 6. We (hopefully) have an awesome Hero of the Year trophy. There's a nomination form attached to your answer sheet. Write a short essay telling us why you/someone you love/someone you hate deserves this award and you/they could win! If it turns out that we didn't find a trophy in time, we won't do this and your essay will have been for naught.
- 7. Here's the usual disclaimer: There is no legal entity of an Outer Drive Hero Drivers Club. There are no meetings, no newsletter, and no officers. Nobody is in charge of anything here. The fact that you showed up today as well as some other people that you may even know is pure coincidence. Over the next few hours, you may engage in a number of driving maneuvers more suitable for the demolition derby than well travelled city streets, all of which will be unwise and probably illegal. If you wreck or get arrested (see question 39!), you don't know us and we certainly don't know you. Do your best to make it back to the endpoint and without a police escort. Please remember that Chicago is the home of the red light camera so keep that in mind while showing off your awesome driving skills!
- 8. As always, be aware of your surroundings. Obviously, we visited all of these places, and we never felt worried about our safety (that could be because we're oblivious), but if an area doesn't feel right to you, get out.
- 9. Have fun! Or don't. We don't care.

Bonus

Thanks for reading this far! If you'd like to pad your score and can bring us any of the following items before the 12:00 start time, we'll give you some extra points (but no more than 7).

-Library Card -Book(s)

-ebook reader -original poem written by a member of your car

-Girl Scout cookies (year old boxes will be available for -gas mask \$4 each! We'll even give the money to our troop!) -acorn

-Map (correctly folded)
-Wine or champagne cork
-live animal, not human
-Map (incorrectly folded)
-roll of paper towels
-left-handed screwdriver

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Turn this plus \$20 in to your Rally Masters by 12:00pm