Complete the form below to claim your prize.*

NAME

ADDRESS

CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE

PHONE

EMAIL

GEOCACHING.COM USER NAME

While participating in this GeoTrail, did you do any of the following?

☐ PURCHASE MEAL/SNACK
☐ PURCHASE GAS
☐ PAID ADMISSION
☐ OTHER SHOPPING

If you traveled from over 50 miles away and stayed overnight to complete the trail, where did you stay?

☐ HOTEL
☐ CAMPGROUND
☐ OUTSIDE THE HERITAGE AREA (CARROLL, FREDERICK, AND WASHINGTON COUNTIES)
☐ CARROLL COUNTY
☐ FREDERICK COUNTY
☐ WASHINGTON COUNTY

*One prize will be awarded per geocaching.com account, while supplies last. Basic membership is free. For more information, visit geocaching.com.

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About the GeoTrail

The Heart of the Civil War Heritage Area (HCWHA) Geotrail—a three-county geocaching experience originally launched in 2016—was updated in the spring of 2021. With several geocaches hidden within Maryland’s Carroll, Frederick, and Washington Counties and an Adventure Lab, the trail is suitable for geocachers of all experience levels. Prizes will be available for geocachers who complete the trail, while supplies last. To be eligible for a free prize, geocachers must record the code word from at least 13 HCWHA geocaches and validate their passports in person at one of the locations below. One prize will be awarded per geocaching.com account.

CARROLL COUNTY VISITOR CENTER
1838 Emerald Hill Lane
Westminster, MD 21157
410-848-1388 | 1-800-272-1933
carrollcountytourism.org/visitor-center/

FREDERICK VISITOR CENTER
151 S. East Street
Frederick, MD 21701
301-600-4047 | 800-999-3613
visitfrederick.org/visit/visitor-center/

HCWHA EXHIBIT & VISITOR CENTER AT NEWCOMER HOUSE
18422 Shepherdstown Pike
Keedysville, MD 21756
heartofthecivilwar.org/newcomer-house

For those who have completed the trail, Heart of the Civil War GeoCoins are available for purchase. Check locations and availability at heartofthecivilwar.org/geo-trail. Some of these locations will ship the geocoin for a modest handling fee.

About the Heritage Area

The Heart of the Civil War Heritage Area is an area rich in history, covering portions of Carroll, Frederick and Washington Counties. It is located just below the Mason-Dixon Line, generally viewed as the dividing line between North and South. With one foot in the north, and one foot in the south, the stories of the Civil War and its meaning can be told nowhere better than in this part of Maryland.

The mission of the Heart of the Civil War Heritage Area is to promote the stewardship of our historic, cultural, and natural Civil War resources; encourage superior visitor experiences; and stimulate tourism, economic prosperity, and educational development, thereby improving the quality of life in our community for the benefit of both residents and visitors.