

Official Rules

The Hunt for Good
Treasure Hunt
2022

Thehuntforgood.org

A Fundraising Event for
SAFE on Main
Formally known as the
Abuse Rape Crisis Shelter of Warren County, Ohio

Coordinated and Conducted by SAFE on Main Staff and Official SAFE on Main
Volunteers including Members of the SAFE on Main Board of Trustees
solely for the benefit and support of the
SAFE on Main, Inc.-
a non-profit corporation Charitable Organization
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1. Eligible Participants: Only individuals, age 18 and older who reside within the United States and complete the registration process by the deadline at thehuntforgood.org, including entering a working email address, paying the registration fee, and agreeing to the Terms and Conditions and these Official Rules, can be designated as a “Registered Hunter” in the event. A “Registered Hunter” is one individual person. Only individuals, age 18 and older who reside in the United States may purchase raffle tickets. Only Registered Hunters are eligible to win a chance of being awarded ‘The Hunt for Good’ treasure hunt’s cash prize(s). All raffle ticket holders, including the hunt Official Winners, are eligible to win the raffle.

Registration fees and raffle purchases are not refundable, unless the Hunt is cancelled and only then as outlined in Section 13. of these

Official Rules. This is a fundraiser for a non-profit organization. All proceeds go to the SAFE on Main in Warren County, Ohio.

2. Collaborators: All participants are encouraged to support this fundraising effort by paying the registration fee and thereby becoming a Registered Hunter. Only a Registered Hunter may submit guesses to the on-line virtual hunt(s), find and claim the hidden container in the physical hunt, and/or be declared an Official Winner of any hunt.

Although all participants are encouraged to support this fundraising effort by registering, non-registered collaborators are allowed. A Registered Hunter may collaborate with up to three associates in solving the clues and hunting virtually for items in the online virtual hunt(s), as well as for the location of the hidden container in the physical hunt. A Registered Hunter can submit only one guess for each hunt location. **A Registered Hunter can win only one hunt.**

Responsibility for any sharing of awarded treasure to team collaborators is the total responsibility of the winning Registered Hunter(s).

3. Restrictions on All Participants: All participants, registered or not, are subject to the following:

A. *The Hunt for Good* coordinators, and anyone who has access to clue materials prior to the event, are prohibited from participating in *The Hunt for Good*. They may, however, purchase raffle tickets and be awarded cash and treasure if they hold a winning raffle ticket.

B. Any person who gains knowledge of clue materials and/or hunt location(s) by any means other than the direct dissemination of clue materials from hunt coordinator(s) as scheduled during the event, is prohibited from participating in *The Hunt for Good* and will be disqualified as a Registered Hunter.

C. Any individual who has been convicted of a violent felony, or is registered, or is required to be registered as a sex offender, is prohibited from participating in *The Hunt for Good*.

D. A Registered Hunter is limited to winning one hunt only. If declared the Official Winner of a hunt, the winning Registered Hunter can work with other Registered Hunters but cannot be declared the Official Winner of more than one hunt.

4. Prohibited Behavior and Activity Restrictions: The following behaviors and activities are strictly prohibited during a person(s)' participation in *The Hunt for Good*. Any participant, (registered or not) who engages in these, or similar actions, will lose eligibility to participate without a refund of any sort and may be banned from participating in future events.

a. Trespassing: The physical hunt hidden container is not on private property.

b. Vandalism: No structure, fence, wall, or any property needs to be altered or moved to find the physical hunt container. The container is not buried, so digging is considered vandalism.

c. Any Violation of Federal, State or Local Laws or Ordinances:

Any conduct that violates local, state, or federal law is prohibited. This includes, but is not limited to reckless driving, speeding, littering, damaging property, and trespassing.

d. Hunting in the dark and/or outside of hours of operation during a Physical Hunt:

Dawn to Dusk are the only acceptable hours to hunt during a physical hunt. Hunters must also observe and obey all hours of operation at any and all locations physically visited.

e. Other prohibited activities include:

Gaining access to information through hacking; any form of stalking or tracking fellow *The Hunt for Good* participants; collaboration with any individual who has not agreed to the Official Rules, or who is not following said rules.

5. Clue Dissemination: *The Hunt for Good* coordinators will make every attempt to provide clues to all Registered Hunters at the same time using the email provided by the Registered Hunter at time of registration. Coordinators and SAFE on Main will not be held responsible for email delivery glitches, including clue dissemination emails being diverted

to a Registered Hunter's "Spam" or "Trash" inbox. The timing of clue delivery is not a valid basis for dispute.

6. Winners of Cash Awards: There are three ways to win a cash award:

- One Online Hunt,
- One Physical Hunt, and
- A Raffle

Keys to one of the three treasure chests containing cash are awarded to successful registered hunters as follows: A registered hunter (individual) can only win one hunt and they will not be in the drawing for the chance to win an additional key. All key winners will be awarded a cash prize during the treasure chest opening event.

Online Hunt – 3 keys awarded as follows:

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| 1 key | Awarded to first Registered Hunter who solves the online hunt by submitting a written description of the correct solution, including all of the required correct answers to all that hunt's clues. |
| 2 keys | All remaining Registered Hunters who solve the online hunt by submitting a written description of the correct solution, including all of the required correct answers to all that hunt's clues within 72 hours of first online clue release are put into a drawing for a chance to win a key. Two will be awarded 1 key each. |

Registered Hunters must use the same email address they provided when registering for the event. No text messages or any other media correspondence system will be accepted.

Physical Hunt - 5 keys awarded

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| 3 keys | Awarded to the first Registered Hunter to take the treasure hunt container into their possession, then follows the instructions within the box. These |
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may include: emailing a photo of themselves holding the container while at the treasure location to *The Hunt for Good* Coordinator using the same email address provided when registering for the event. No text messages or any other media correspondence system will be accepted.

2 keys Ten additional Registered Hunters who find the box 2nd through 11th place before the established hunt end time on the final day of the physical hunt and follow instructions within the box are put into a drawing for a chance to win a key. Two hunters will receive one key each.

The container used in the physical hunt will contain instructions. It will not contain actual cash or anything of value.

Every key holder wins cash. Three separate treasure chests will be at the treasure chest opening event.

One containing \$2,500 1 key opens and key holder gets: \$2,500

A second containing \$500 2 keys open and key holders get \$500 each

The third containing \$200 5 keys open and key holders get \$200 each

Total awarded to the six Registered Hunters holding the eight keys: \$4,500

“Non-hunt” raffle ticket winner receives \$500

7. End of the Hunt: If a hunt is still unsolved/unfound four (4) days after it started, *The Hunt for Good* Coordinator will provide additional clues. The names

of all Registered Hunters who received treasure chest key(s) will be announced prior to the *Treasure Chest Opening Event* where the winnings will be determined and awarded.

8. Verification of winning Registered Hunters: The eligibility status of a winning Registered Hunter will be verified prior to determining and awarding cash prizes. If a written dispute is made and an inquiry opened, the payment will be made to the winning Registered Hunter within thirty days of the outcome of the inquiry, provided that the inquiry determines in favor of the eligible Registered Hunter who was originally declared the Official Winner. If the inquiry determines that the hunter was ineligible or violated any official rules, there will be no declared winner of the key(s) in dispute or question and the assigned award will be donated to SAFE on Main in full.

9. Treasure Chest Opening Reward Event: All of the *Hunt's* Official Winners of keys will be invited to attend a *Treasure Chest Opening* event within ten (10) days after all hunts are successfully completely where the treasure will be awarded and the raffle ticket(s) drawn. Date will be established and posted as soon as possible following the final hunt. Any key winner who cannot attend, may participate virtually, or send a representative by contacting the SAFE on Main Office at least two (2) business days prior to the event.

Three locked treasure chests and eight (8) numbered containers containing one key each will be at the event. All keys unlock one of the three treasure chests. The first chest contains \$2,500 in winnings, the second contains \$500 in winnings, and the third contains \$200 in winnings.

The order of the *Treasure Chest Opening* awards event will be as follows:

1. A winning raffle ticket will be drawn, and the holder of that raffle ticket will be declared the winner of \$500. The raffle ticket winner does not have to be present to win, but they must have their raffle ticket purchase verified prior to cash award distribution.

2. The Official Winner of the on-line virtual hunt will select one of the seven numbered containers and try the key inside. Whichever chest the key opens determines the winnings awarded.
3. Two raffle winning Registered Hunters from the virtual hunt will each select one of the remaining numbered containers and try the key inside. Whichever chest the key opens determines the winnings awarded.
4. The Official Winner of the physical hunt will select three of the remaining numbered containers and use each of their three keys to open three treasure chests. Whichever chests the keys open determines the winnings awarded.
5. Two raffle winning Registered Hunters from the physical hunt will each select one of the remaining numbered containers and try the key inside. Whichever chest the key opens determines the winnings awarded.

10. Payment: Payment of the awards will be made by check or bank transfer within thirty days of the *Treasure Chest Opening* event unless there is an open dispute.

11. Official Disputes: A dispute will be considered only in the physical hunt. If an eligible Registered Hunter other than the declared Official Winner of the physical hunt believes that the declared winning Registered Hunter was ineligible or violated one of the official rules, a dispute may be entered by emailing thehuntforgood@gmail.com with the subject line "THFG Official Dispute" within 72 hours of the time at which the name of the winner of the physical hunt is announced. Any official dispute not made within the form and timeline set forth herein shall be disregarded.

The email must include all known details regarding the dispute, and must include the name and phone number of the initiator of the dispute.

The Hunt for Good Coordinator will acknowledge receipt of the official dispute within 24 hours and notify the SAFE on Main Board of Trustees. The dispute must be successfully received within 72 hours of the announcement of the identity of the Official Winner of the physical hunt.

When an official dispute is received, the SAFE on Main Board of Trustees will make an initial determination of the credibility and potential validity of the dispute. If the dispute is deemed credible and potentially valid, the individual who initiated the dispute will agree to a third party to mediate and make a decision in the inquiry. The decision of the third party is final. If the final decision results in the declared Official Winner of the physical hunt being ineligible, all participants will be notified.

The opening of an inquiry does not necessarily mean that the SAFE on Main Board of Trustees suspect any wrongdoing, but rather that the SAFE on Main Board of Trustees believe that the matter is worth investigation. If the dispute is not deemed credible and valid, an inquiry will not be opened, and the official dispute will be dismissed.

12. Contingencies:

a. **Physical Hunt Container Found by Non-Participant or a Registered Hunter Deemed to be Ineligible:** In either of these circumstances, The Hunt for Good Coordinators will offer a new hunt with new clues released at a designated time. The back-up hunt will not be as detailed as the initial hunt, and a fully digital hunt may be substituted. The rules of the back-up hunt may be different from these rules. No individual who is not officially and properly registered may qualify for any prize.

b. **Physical Hunt Container Destroyed or Otherwise Inaccessible:** In the unlikely event that the physical hunt container is destroyed by a non-human force, concealed or moved by natural elements, or is inaccessible for any reason, *The Hunt for Good* Coordinators may issue a revised set of clues to a new location, or may initiate a back-up hunt. The rules of the back-up hunt may be different from these rules.

13. **Cancellation of the Hunt:** Reasons for cancellation of *The Hunt for Good* treasure hunt event cannot be foreseen at this time, but may include (but not be limited to) circumstances such as natural disasters, digital communications disruptions, etc. *The Hunt for Good* Coordinators or the Executive Director of SAFE on Main may cancel *The Hunt for Good* for any reason. In the event of the event being cancelled all

registration fees will be donated to SAFE On Main unless a Registered Hunter notifies SAFE on Main within ten (10) days of cancellation to request a refund of their registration fee. The raffle will not be cancelled, so no refunds will be made for the cost of raffle tickets. In the case of hunt event cancellation, the raffle ticket award will be \$500. No refunds or reimbursements will be made for any costs incurred by participating in the event other than the registration fee itself, and only then if requested within ten (10) days following cancellation.

14. Decisions by *The Hunt for Good*: All decisions by *The Hunt for Good* Coordinators are final and binding, except for those decisions specifically made subject to dispute by these official rules. In the case of a dispute covered by these official rules, the decision made on that dispute by an agreed upon third party is final and binding.

15. Revision of Rules and Addition of Rules: *The Hunt for Good* Coordinators reserve the right to revise these rules, interpretate these rules, or add additional rules at any time, including during the hunt and after the treasure has been found, in the event of unforeseen behavior or circumstances.