DIRECTIONS: Using these directions and the Goose chase app, search the town of Yorktown for some of the special gems that can be found. Once you figure out the clues and completed the task, take a picture of your team in front of the historical artifact! After you have taken a selfie with all of the tasks, make your way back to the Somerwell House on the intersection of Church and Main Streets.

1. Start at the Victory Monument, which can be found on the corner of Comte De Grasse Street and Zweybrucken Road. Take a moment to study the monument -

As you cross (and recross!) Comte De Grasse Street, please be aware of traffic on this one way road!

especially the female figures lining the middle of the statue and the figure at the top. What do you think they represent and why is the way that they are posed important?

Take a picture of both the building AND the special landscape to earn

bonus points!

2. Make your way down Main Street and enjoy the colonial town atmosphere. Search for the home of a soldier captured in Charlottesville. Nearby there is a unique roadway that the colonists used to transport goods up from the docks. Why would this be more popular than the roadways built by the colonists?

- 3. Locate Thomas Nelson Jr's house and figure out why he was important to American History.
- 4. Also at Nelson's house, look on the outside of the building for evidence of the battle of Yorktown. Check out the gardens to find another reminder of the British occupation.

The family that owns this building has a very interesting history. It stands as a monument of three generations of a family achieving the American Dream.

- 5. On the corner of Main Street and Read Street you will find the Customs House. Read the sign to see what the purpose was for this house.
- 6. Look for the Swan Tavern building on Ballard and Main Street. This wooden building was destroyed in an explosion of a Civil War magazine in December 1863 and rebuild by the National Park Service. How many years did it take to reconstruct?
- 7. Find the sign near the bathrooms on Church Street. This sign talks about a group of Europeans who were not British or American. Who were they and why were they there?

Who was the other international element that was present during the Siege of Yorktown? What part did they play?

8. Next to the Ranger Station on Read Street, you will see the Poor Potter Dig site. By building these items, they defied King George's wishes as well as thrived as a rich business (despite the ironic title). What were they making?

Congratulations! You're done! Make your way back to the Somerwell House at the intersection of Church and Main Streets for the rest of your tour!