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Kzoo Parks

# Winter Family Scavenger Hunt

Clues & Maps • Prizes • Winter Fun

## Scavenger Hunt Guide

Kzoo Parks is excited to present the Winter Family Scavenger Hunt! Take an adventure through city parks using clues and maps to find hidden items.

30 items have been hidden in 15 participating parks throughout the City for you to find and take a photo with for a chance to win prizes. The scavenger hunt is free and all community members are welcome to participate.

Note: This is not an in-person gathering, but instead a self-paced scavenger hunt.

## How to Participate

Use this guide when exploring parks to find hidden items and take a photo with them. Each page of this guide features a different park and includes clues and a park map to help you find the hidden item.

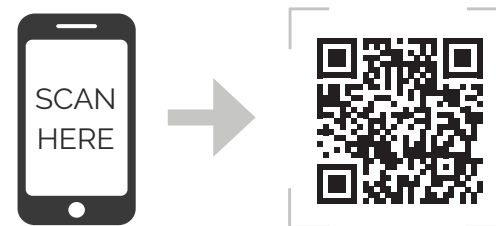
The participating parks have also been divided into different difficulty levels so that you can choose your level of challenge!

Two items will be hidden in different spots in each park; one item will be in an accessible location near the road and the other will be hidden further in the park and more difficult to find. Find either item and take a photo with it.

Once you have found and photographed **five** of the hidden items (each from a different park) fill out the submission form to enter the prize drawing. **All submissions must be made by 5 p.m. on Wednesday February 28.**

A link to the submission form can be found on the scavenger hunt page on the Kzoo Parks website, scan the QR code below with your phone or visit:

**[www.kzooparks.org/scavengerhunt](http://www.kzooparks.org/scavengerhunt)**



## Prizes

Five winners will be randomly selected to win their choice of a Family Season Pass at Kik Pool or a week of summer camp for one child. Winners will be contacted via email and announced on social media on Friday, March 1 at 8 a.m. The first 50 participants will also receive a free scavenger hunt t-shirt for each participating family member.

## Rules & Guidelines

- Participants only need to take a photo with the items and are asked to leave items where they found them so that others can participate.
- The hidden items will be placed in locations that are within reach, and will not be placed in restricted areas, under any park equipment, or above seven feet off the ground.
- Participants will not need to look through flower beds or dig anywhere to find hidden items.
- Two items will be hidden in each of the 15 participating parks; one item will be in an accessible location near the road and the other will be hidden further in the park.

## Safety Precautions

When planning outdoor activities in cold weather, residents are reminded to dress warmly, check the weather, and plan ahead to ensure they can safely enjoy the winter season.

## Park Maps

The park maps included in this guide are not to scale or architecturally accurate. They are simply intended to give a general idea of where park amenities and hidden items are located.

## Parking & Access

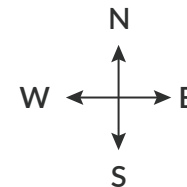
Please note, some park vehicle gates are closed for the winter. At Milham Park, the parking lot on Kilgore Road near the picnic shelter is open year-round. Weather conditions such as snow or ice may also affect access to parking lots and paths. Please use caution when using park areas covered in snow or ice.

## Questions

If you have any questions please call us at **3-1-1 (337-8000)** or email us at **[kzooparks@kalamazoocity.org](mailto:kzooparks@kalamazoocity.org)**.

CHALLENGE LEVEL:

**EASY**



# Axtell Creek Park

530 Crosstown  
Parkway



## Movie Character Clue:

I sang Let it Go and  
have the magical ability  
to control ice and  
snow. Who am I?



## Black Historical Figure

Clue: I gave the speech  
"I Have A Dream"



# Davis Street Park

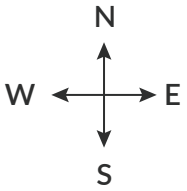
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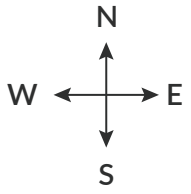
**Movie Character Clue:** I'm the Queen of Arendelle. When I was little I loved building snowmen with my sister and one of the snowmen even came to life! Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:** I have the most Grammy wins of all time with 32.







# Dutton Street Park

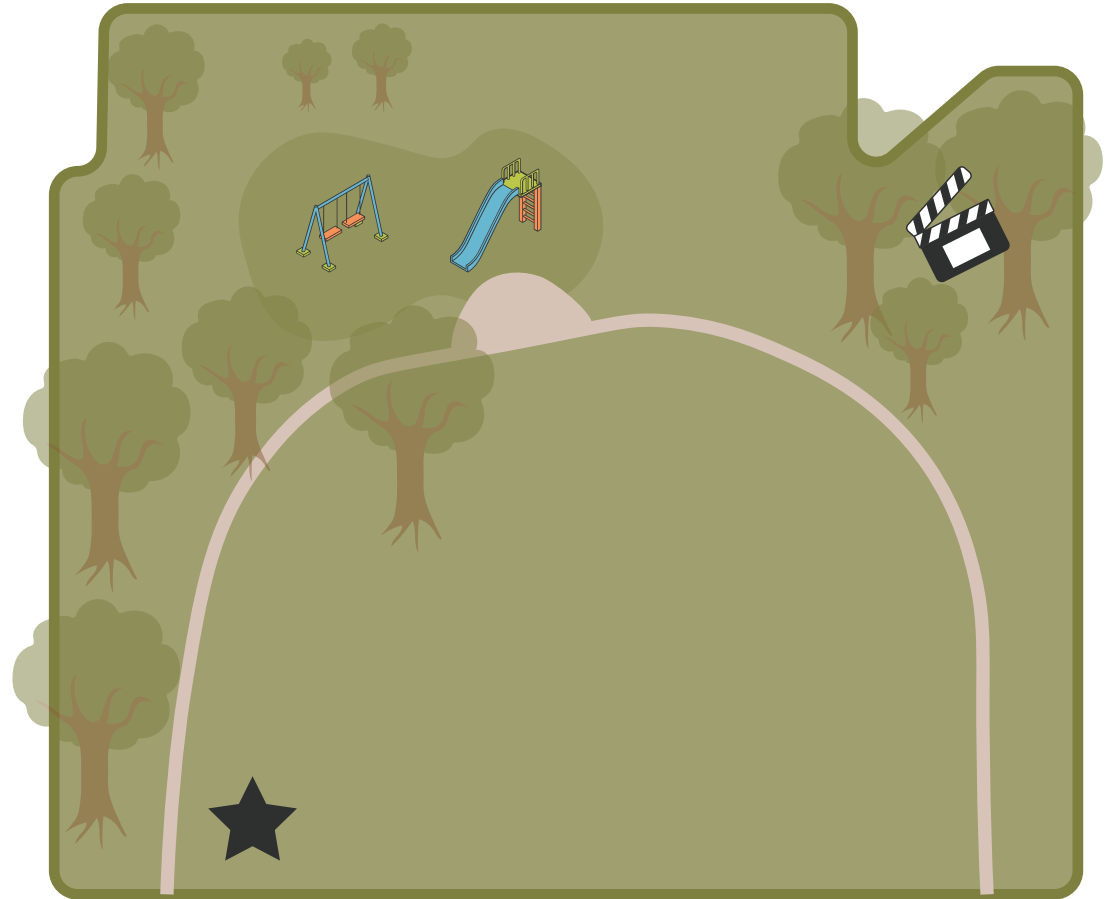
224 W. Dutton Street



**Movie Character Clue:** I'm the prince of the Southern Isles. I make a great first impression but there's more to me than you may realize. Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:** I am a civil rights activist who had a pivotal role in the Montgomery bus boycott.



# Hays Park

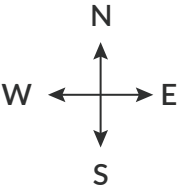
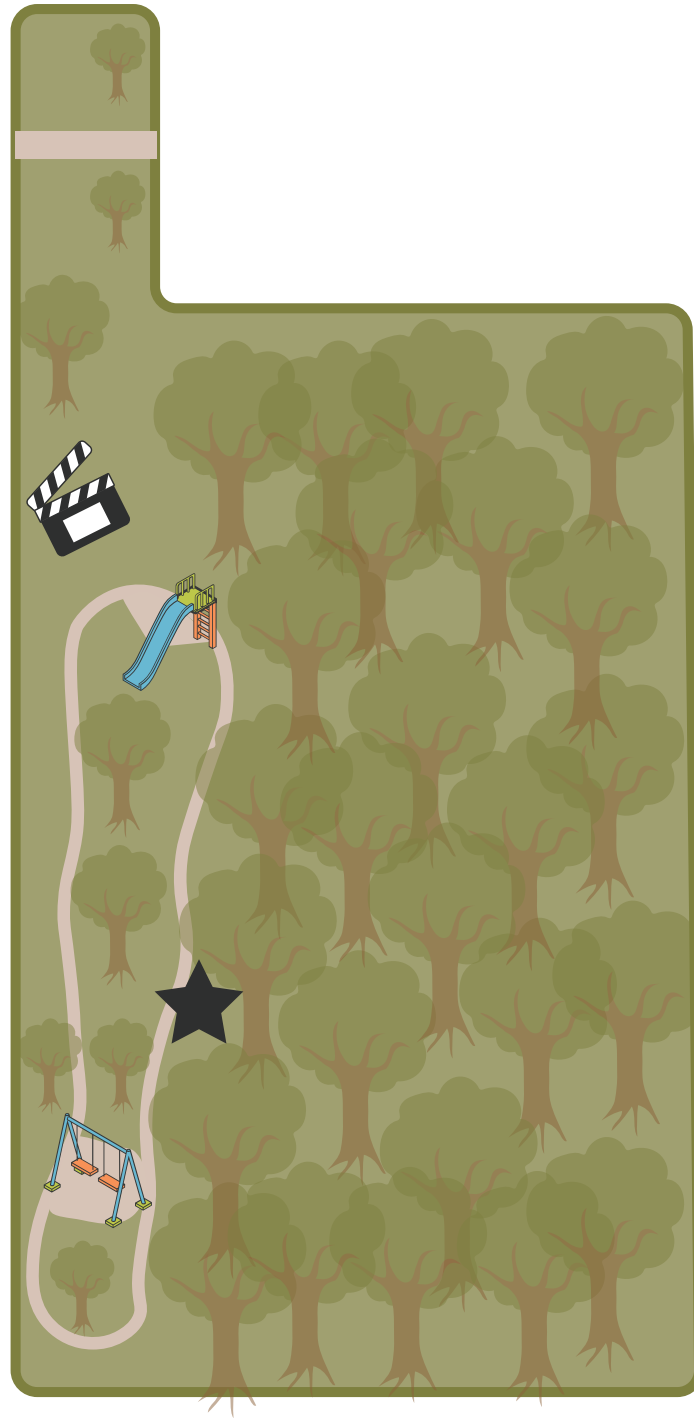
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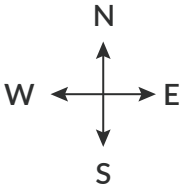
**Movie Character Clue:** I am a mountaineer, Ice Master, and I also have a reindeer named Sven. Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:** I was the first African American President for the United States.







# Reed Street Park

1700 Portage Street



## Movie Character Clue:

I'm a friendly snowman  
and I can't wait for  
summer! Who am I?

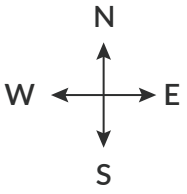


## Black Historical Figure Clue:

I have the fastest 100m  
dash in history.



CHALLENGE LEVEL:  
**MEDIUM**



# Bronson Park

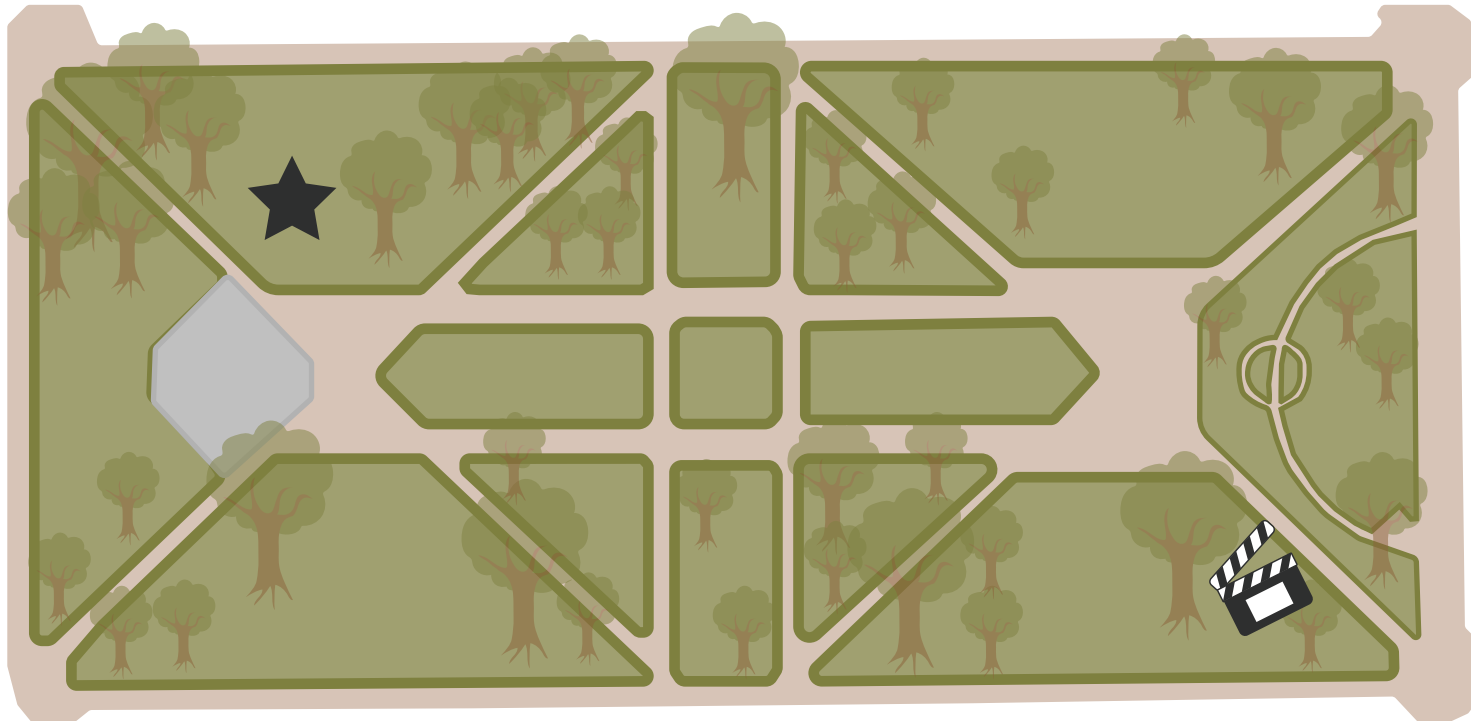
200 S. Rose Street



**Movie Character Clue:** I'm a moody mammoth with a big heart. I'm fiercely protective of my herd, even if we are a bit unconventional. Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:**  
I was known as the "Queen of Soul."  
I also was born in Detroit Michigan.



# Frays Park

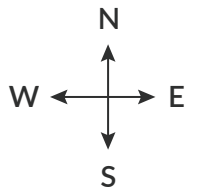
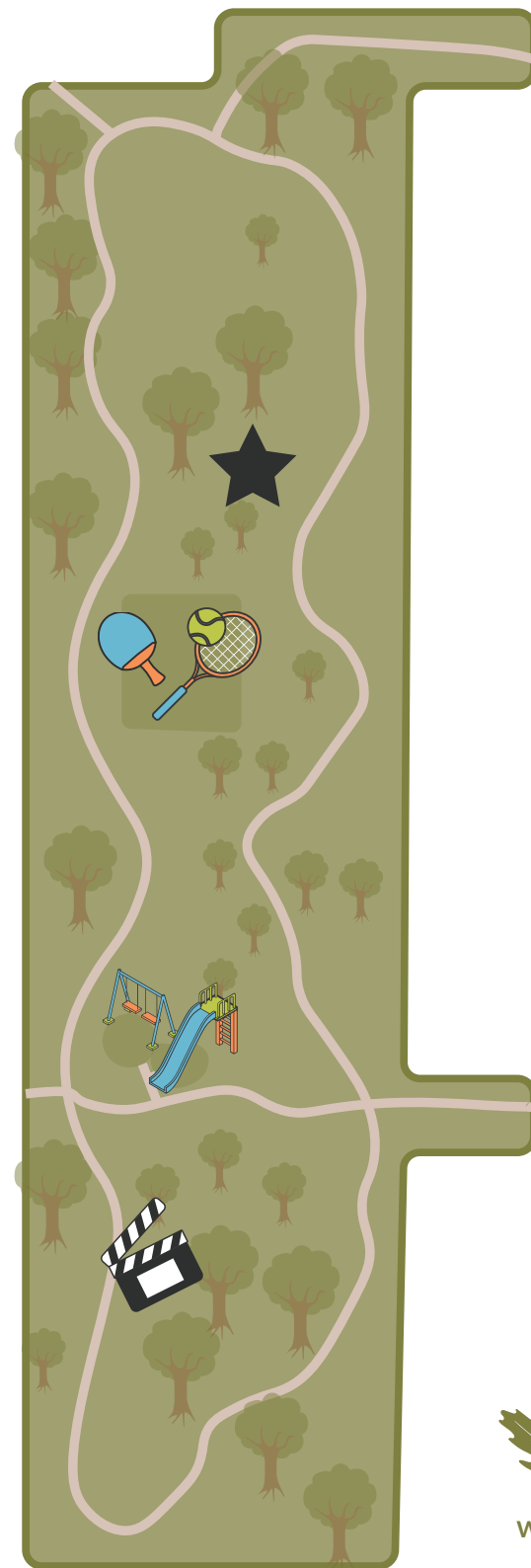
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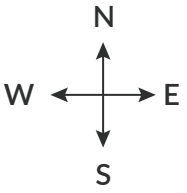


**Movie Character Clue:** I'm a woolly mammoth, but I think I'm a possum. Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:** I was the first black Supreme Court justice.





# South Westnedge Park

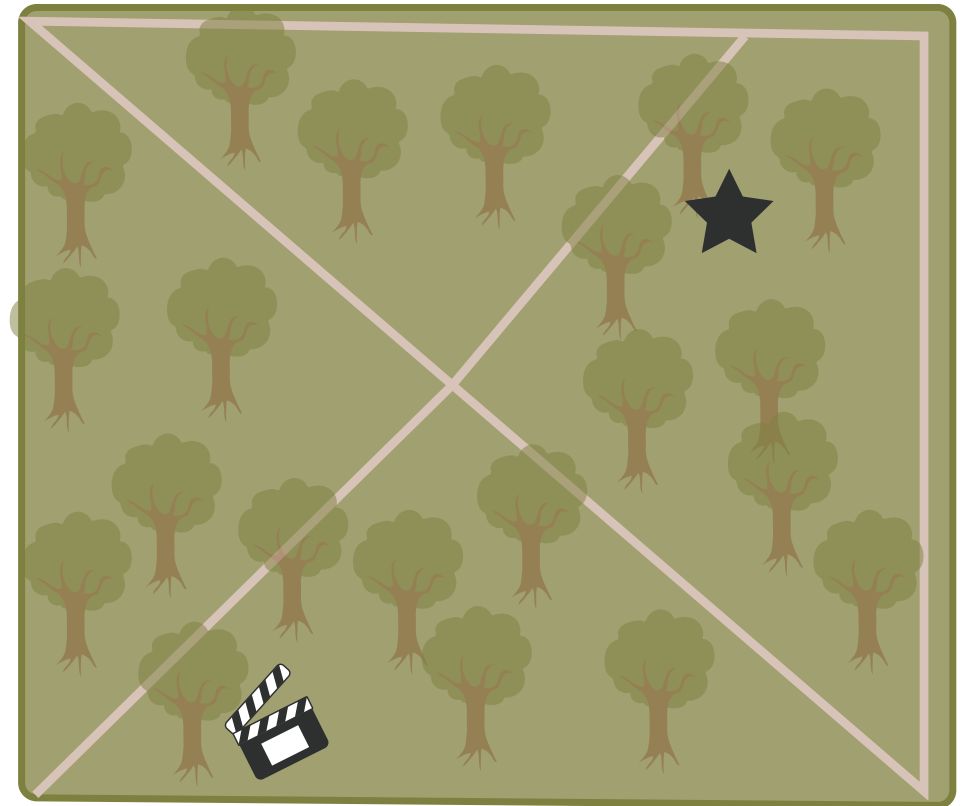
1101 S. Westnedge Avenue



**Movie Character Clue:** I'm a saber-toothed tiger who didn't used to be a fan of humans, but thanks to a mammoth and a sloth I've warmed up to them. Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:** I helped lead people to freedom using the Underground Railroad.



# Upjohn Park

1000 Walter Street



**Movie Character Clue:** I'm an optimistic, talkative sloth looking for companionship. I'm normally quite clumsy but have an unexpected talent for winter sports. Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:** I have won more Grand Slam singles titles than any other woman or man.





# Verburg Park

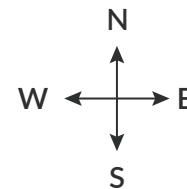
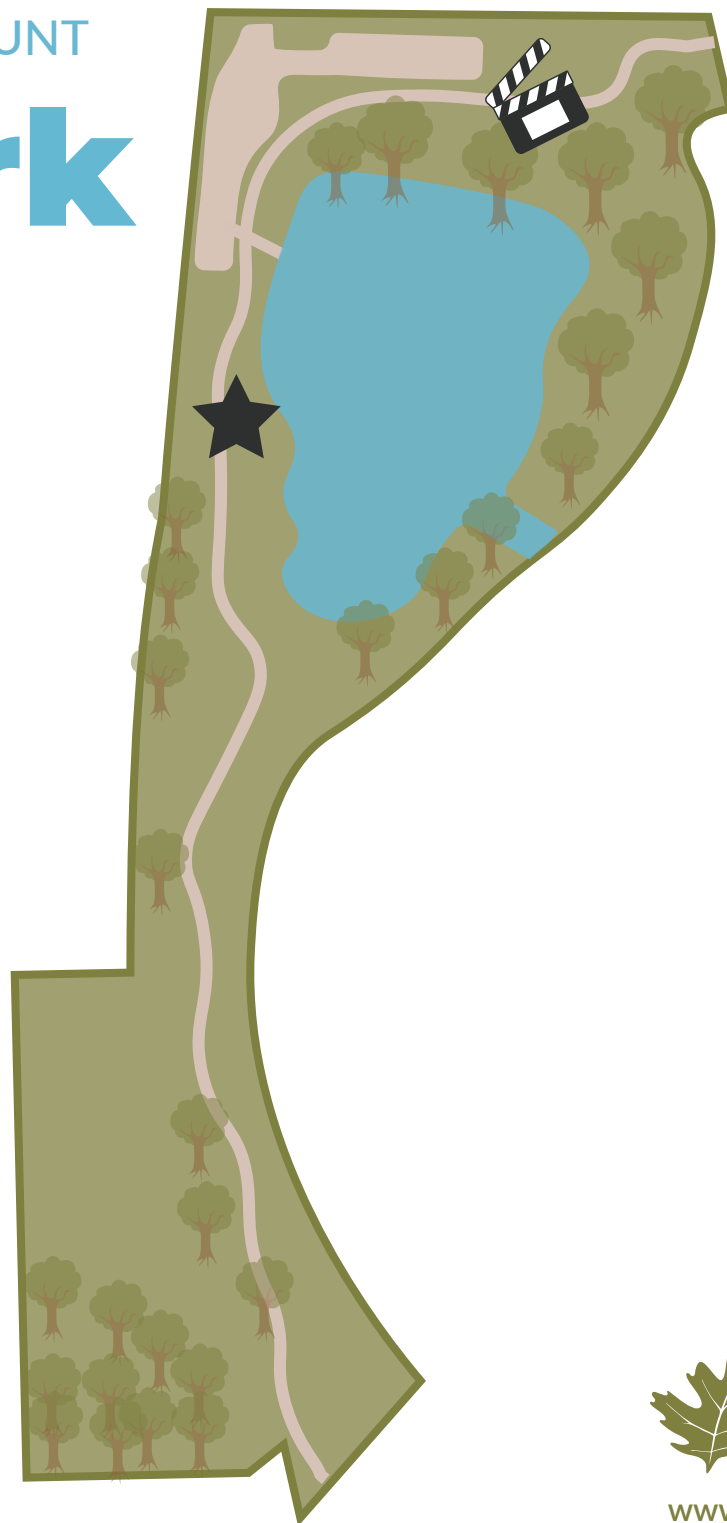
669 Gull Street



**Movie Character Clue:** I'm a saber tooth squirrel and I work tirelessly to collect and protect my acorns, even when it gets me into trouble! Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:** I was the first black NBA coach, and I won a record 11 NBA championships as a player.



CHALLENGE LEVEL:

**HARD**

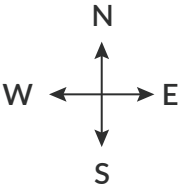
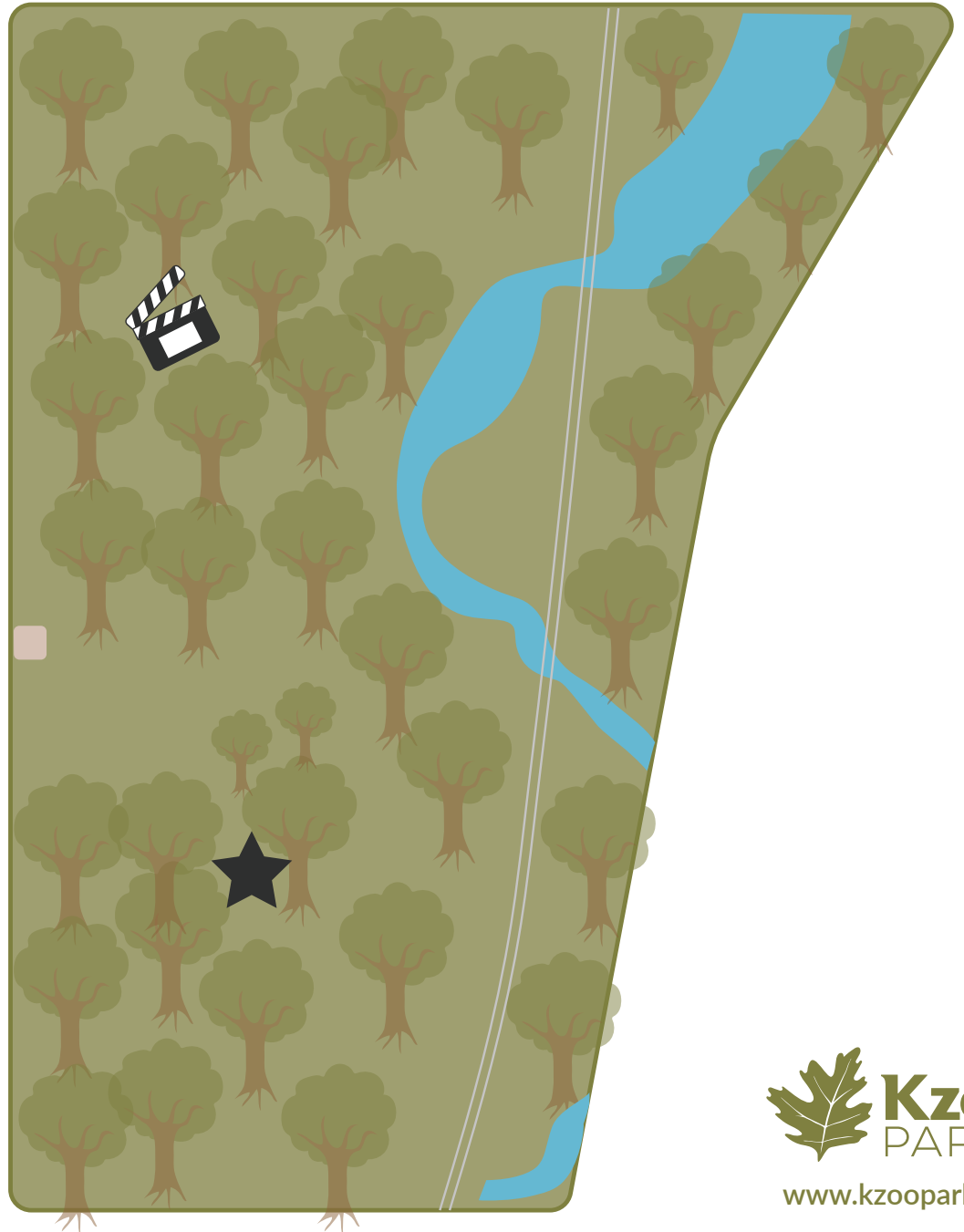
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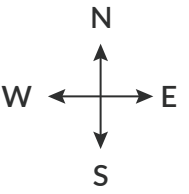


**Movie Character Clue:** I'm the stern leader of Emperor Land and am determined to keep order and harmony among my colony of penguins. Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:** I wrote the novel "The Color Purple."





# Crane Park

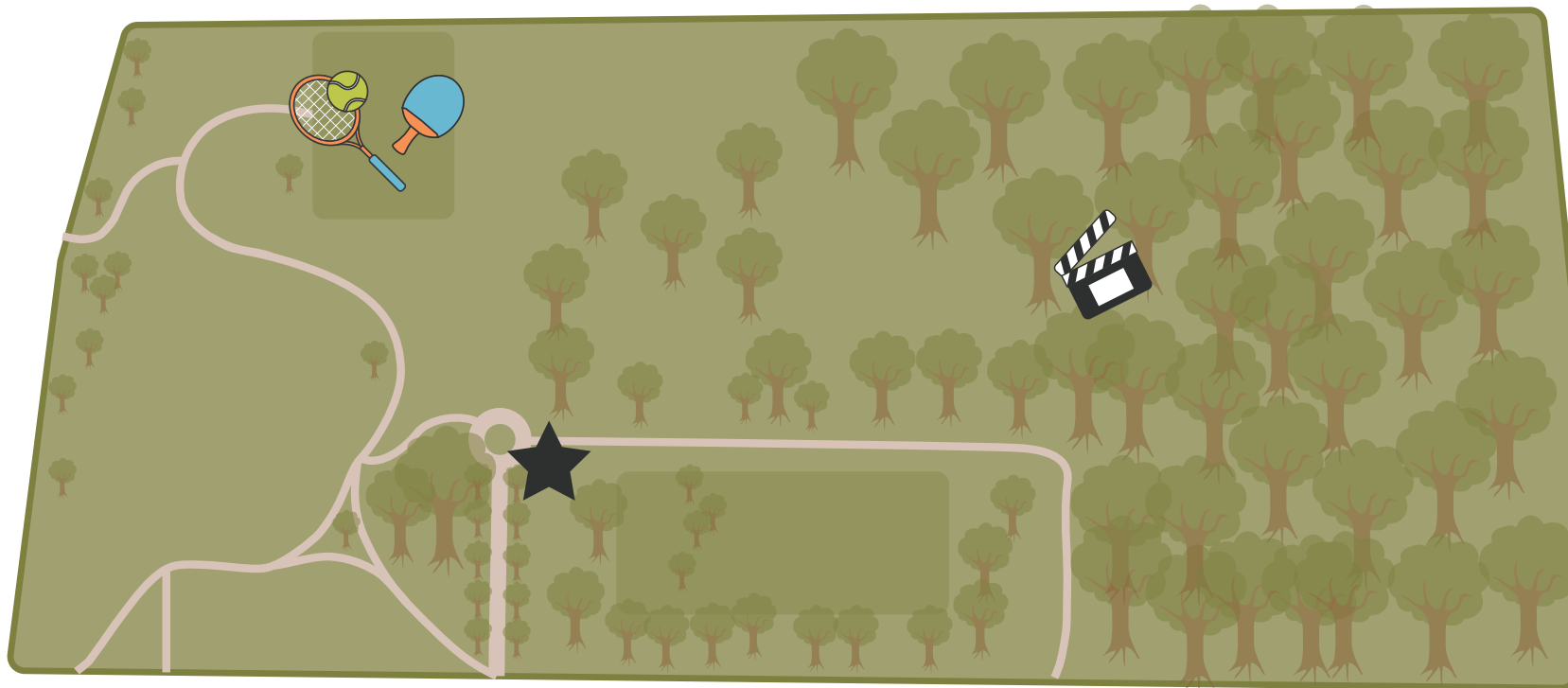
2001 S. Westnedge Avenue



**Movie Character Clue:** I'm the only penguin in my colony that can't sing, but I'm a great tap dancer! Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:** I became the first black woman to travel into space.



# Milham Park

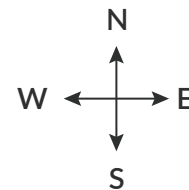
607 E. Kilgore Road

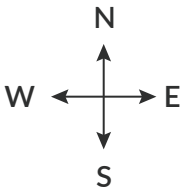


**Movie Character Clue:** I am a singing teacher and have one of the most beautiful voices out of all the penguins in Emperor Land. Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:** Becoming blind as a newborn, I became one of the greatest musicians of all time.





# Sherwood Park

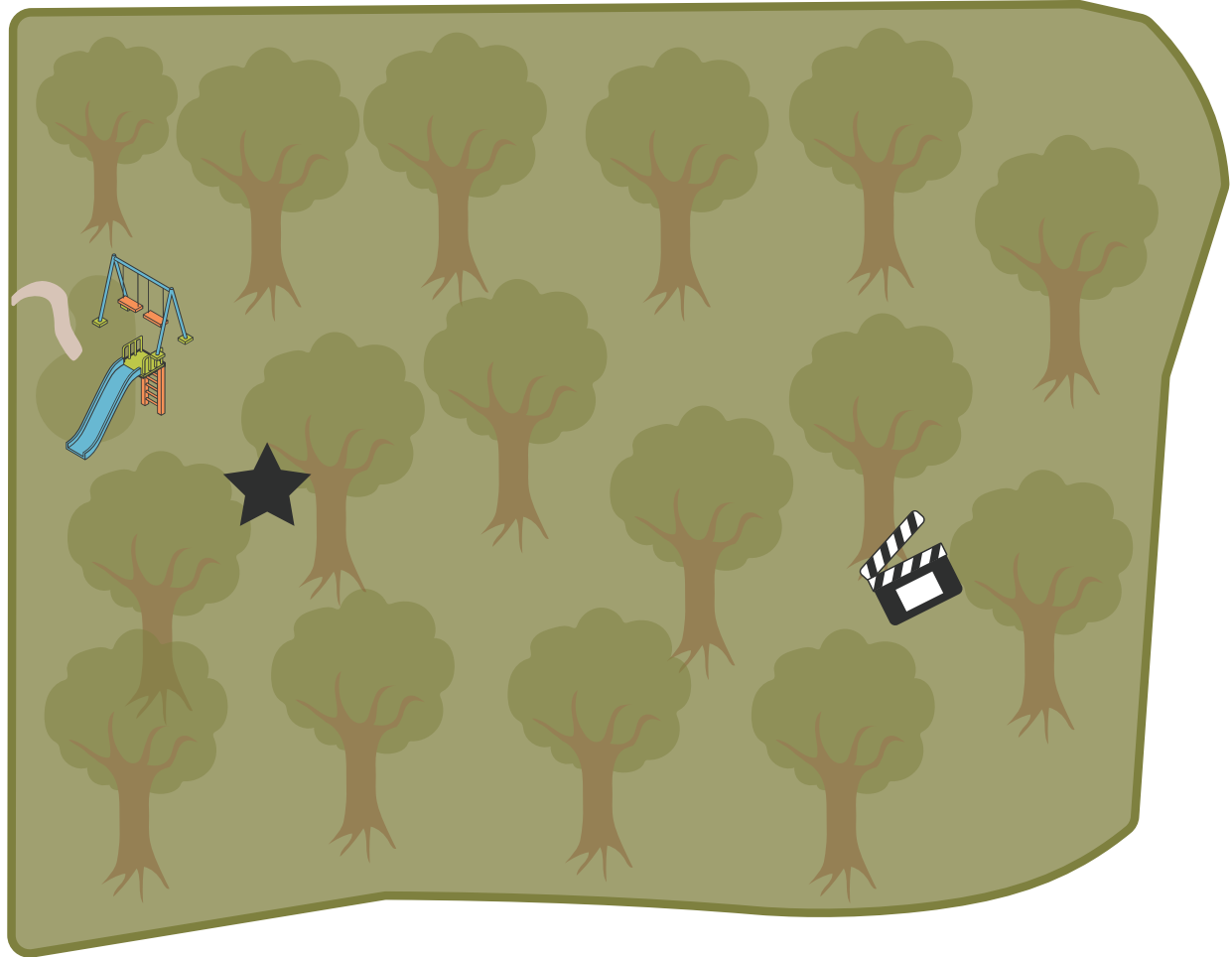
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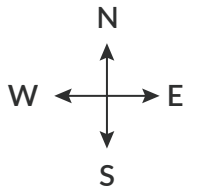
**Movie Character Clue:** I'm a rockhopper penguin with a plastic necklace that I believe has brought me extraordinary wisdom. Bring me a pebble and I'll answer a question for you. Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:** I was born into slavery and became a leading spokesperson for the abolition of slavery and for racial equality.







# Mayors' Riverfront Park

251 Mills Street



## Movie Character

**Clue:** I'm a charismatic, confident Adelie penguin. I'm the leader of the Amigos and full of love. Who am I?



**Black Historical Figure Clue:** I have won a record seven U.S. Gymnastics Championships.

