



Private Acorn

## *Young patriots - I need your help!*

*I was passing through Janney's Mill to refill my unit's flour when I lost my secret orders! Can you help me solve the puzzle before General Washington finds out?*

*Here's a clue to help you get started:* **R=3**

### **Where to Look for Clues:**

- The Dried Flower Barn (B4)
- Sons of the American Revolution (B4-5)
- Outside the Waterford Mill (C2-3)
  - Corner Store (D6)
  - Map Maker (C6)
  - Old Jail (D7)
- Second Street School (H5)
  - Kid's Play Area (E12)
- Nordic Wanderers (E12)

Numbering refers to the Fair Map in the Booklet!

### ***How to solve the puzzle (K & 1<sup>st</sup> graders may need help):***

- Clues to solve Private Acorn's cryptogram are spread throughout the Village of Waterford- look for the document with Private Acorn in the top right corner (example at the top of page)!
- Once you solve the cryptogram and figure out where Private Acorn's unit is supposed to go, make sure to bring your sheet to the Welcome Tent (village center; D6) to get your explorer button! **Happy solving!**

Complete the activity to reveal a letter! The numbers under the box correspond with the letter box above it.

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Remember- take the completed message to the Welcome Tent (D6) to get your button!