HOMETOWN TRIVIA · CHARLEMONT, MA

How well do you know Charlemont?

Circle the answer you think is right. Answers are on the last page.

1. About how many people lived in Charlemont in 1950?

A. 340
B. 2,000
C. 860

2. Did Charlemont have more people in 1960 or in 2020?

A. More in 1960
B. More in 2020

3. Between 2010 and 2020, did Charlemont grow or shrink?

A. It grew
B. It shrank

4. Which county is Charlemont in?

A. Norfolk County
B. Essex County
C. Franklin County

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5. About how many people lived in Charlemont in 2020?

A. 420
B. 3,100
C. 1,200

REMEMBER WHEN · CHARLEMONT

Let's talk about home

Read one aloud and let the stories come. There are no wrong answers on this page.

- In 1950 about 860 people lived in Charlemont. What is the biggest change you have seen in town since then?
- Where did people in Charlemont go for an ice cream cone on a summer night?
- What was downtown Charlemont like on a Saturday when you were young?
- Where did you go to school, and how did you get there each morning?
- What did a loaf of bread or a gallon of gas cost when you first went shopping on your own?

WORD SEARCH · CHARLEMONT

Around Charlemont

C I O A L O R T M A I U V B R
B P C E T F B G P A N E K L Y
A E P E A L I B R A R Y L M H
N P A E C K T R O L L E Y A A
D A L A A R I O E S B W D I P
S M L L D B E P N H P A M N C
T O L I E A T A C O O O I S H
A N L L B Y T R M T G U R T A
N A N E O L U A A W L D S R R
D P R O R H T D W L T A A E L
S I L D C L C E N H A R N E E
S C H O O L H O U S E I N T M
U N H I A U R W I I D E T W O
L I B A K E R Y I V S Y A M N
P C P O S T O F F I C E K E T

- ☐ BAKERY
- ☐ BANDSTAND
- ☐ CHARLEMONT
- ☐ CHURCHBELL
- ☐ DINER
- ☐ FIREHOUSE
- ☐ ICECREAM
- ☐ LIBRARY
- ☐ MAINSTREET
- ☐ PARADE
- ☐ PICNIC
- ☐ POSTOFFICE
- ☐ SCHOOLHOUSE
- ☐ TROLLEY

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Answers and sources

1. 860 The 1950 census counted 855 people in Charlemont.

Sources: https://www2.census.gov/library/publications/decennial/1960/pc-s1-supplementary-reports/pc-s1-9.pdf · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Charlemont,_Massachusetts

2. More in 2020 Charlemont counted 897 people in 1960 and 1,185 in 2020.

Sources: https://www2.census.gov/library/publications/decennial/1960/pc-s1-supplementary-reports/pc-s1-9.pdf · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Charlemont,_Massachusetts

3. It shrank Charlemont counted 1,266 people in 2010 and 1,185 in 2020.

Sources: https://api.census.gov/data/2020/dec/pl · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Charlemont,_Massachusetts

4. Franklin County Charlemont is in Franklin County, Massachusetts.

Sources: https://api.census.gov/data/2020/dec/pl · https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q2437412

5. 1,200 The 2020 census counted 1,185 people in Charlemont.

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