HOMETOWN TRIVIA · NORTH ANDOVER, MA

How well do you know North Andover?

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

1. Which famous public figure was born in North Andover in 1899?

A. John Tukey
B. John F. Kennedy
C. William Jennings Miller

2. North Andover's Col. John Osgood House dates back to about which year?

A. 1775
B. 1720
C. 1665

3. Did North Andover have more people in 1960 or in 2020?

A. More in 2020
B. More in 1960

How well do you know North Andover?

4. Between 2010 and 2020, did North Andover grow or shrink?

A. It grew
B. It shrank

5. Which county is North Andover in?

A. Berkshire County
B. Norfolk County
C. Essex County

REMEMBER WHEN · NORTH ANDOVER

Let's talk about home

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

- William Jennings Miller was born right here in North Andover in 1899. Do you remember William Jennings Miller from the news?
- North Andover's Col. John Osgood House dates back to 1720. Have you ever been there, or driven past it?
- Where did people in North Andover go for an ice cream cone on a summer night?
- What was downtown North Andover 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 · NORTH ANDOVER

Around North Andover

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

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- [ ] FIREHOUSE
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- [ ] LIBRARY
- [ ] MAINSTREET
- [ ] MILLER
- [ ] OSGOOD
- [ ] PARADE
- [ ] PICNIC
- [ ] POSTOFFICE
- [ ] SCHOOLHOUSE
- [ ] TROLLEY

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Answers and sources

1. William Jennings Miller William Jennings Miller was born in North Andover in 1899.

Sources: https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q1758539 · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/William_J._Miller

2. 1720 North Andover's Col. John Osgood House dates back to 1720.

Sources: https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q5141773 · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Col._John_Osgood_House

3. More in 2020 North Andover counted 10,908 people in 1960 and 30,915 in 2020.

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

4. It grew North Andover counted 28,352 people in 2010 and 30,915 in 2020.

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

5. Essex County North Andover is in Essex County, Massachusetts.

Sources: https://api.census.gov/data/2020/dec/pl · https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q2302167

Word search answers. Every word reads left to right, top to bottom, or diagonally downward. None run backwards.

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