HOMETOWN TRIVIA · PROVINCETOWN, MA

How well do you know Provincetown?

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

1. Provincetown's Race Point Light dates back to about which year?

A. 1816
B. 1846
C. 1786

2. Between 2010 and 2020, did Provincetown grow or shrink?

A. It shrank
B. It grew

3. Which county is Provincetown in?

A. Hampden County
B. Barnstable County
C. Hampshire County

How well do you know Provincetown?

4. About how many people lived in Provincetown in 2020?

A. 3,700
B. 9,600
C. 1,300

REMEMBER WHEN · PROVINCETOWN

Let's talk about home

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

- Provincetown's Race Point Light dates back to 1816. Have you ever been there, or driven past it?
- Where did people in Provincetown go for an ice cream cone on a summer night?
- What was downtown Provincetown 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 · PROVINCETOWN

Around Provincetown

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

- ☐ BAKERY
- ☐ BANDSTAND
- ☐ DINER
- ☐ FIREHOUSE
- ☐ ICECREAM
- ☐ LIBRARY
- ☐ LIGHT
- ☐ MAINSTREET
- ☐ PARADE
- ☐ PICNIC
- ☐ POINT
- ☐ POSTOFFICE
- ☐ SCHOOLHOUSE
- ☐ TROLLEY

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Answers and sources

1. 1816 Provincetown's Race Point Light dates back to 1816.

Sources: https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q7278912 · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Race_Point_Light

2. It grew Provincetown counted 2,942 people in 2010 and 3,664 in 2020.

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

3. Barnstable County Provincetown is in Barnstable County, Massachusetts.

Sources: https://api.census.gov/data/2020/dec/pl · https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q49154

4. 3,700 The 2020 census counted 3,664 people in Provincetown.

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

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

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