HOMETOWN TRIVIA · CAPE ELIZABETH, ME

How well do you know Cape Elizabeth?

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

1. Which famous actor was born in Cape Elizabeth in 1894?

A. Gladys George
B. Esther Ralston
C. John Ford

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

A. It shrank
B. It grew

3. Which county is Cape Elizabeth in?

A. Aroostook County
B. Cumberland County
C. Washington County

How well do you know Cape Elizabeth?

4. About how many people lived in Cape Elizabeth in 2020?

A. 3,300
B. 25,000
C. 9,500

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Let's talk about home

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

- John Ford was born right here in Cape Elizabeth in 1894. What's your favorite movie or show with John Ford in it?
- Where did people in Cape Elizabeth go for an ice cream cone on a summer night?
- What was downtown Cape Elizabeth 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 · CAPE ELIZABETH

Around Cape Elizabeth

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

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

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Answers and sources

1. John Ford John Ford was born in Cape Elizabeth in 1894.

Sources: https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q51114 · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/John_Ford

2. It grew Cape Elizabeth counted 9,015 people in 2010 and 9,535 in 2020.

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

3. Cumberland County Cape Elizabeth is in Cumberland County, Maine.

Sources: https://api.census.gov/data/2020/dec/pl · https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q1034417

4. 9,500 The 2020 census counted 9,535 people in Cape Elizabeth.

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

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

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

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