HOMETOWN TRIVIA · PRESQUE ISLE, ME

How well do you know Presque Isle?

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

1. Which famous writer was born in Presque Isle in 1942?

A. Tabitha King
B. Yvon Chouinard
C. John Crowley

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

A. It grew
B. It shrank

3. Which county is Presque Isle in?

A. Sagadahoc County
B. Aroostook County
C. Lincoln County

4. About how many people lived in Presque Isle in 2020?

A. 23,000
B. 8,800
C. 3,100

REMEMBER WHEN · PRESQUE ISLE

Let's talk about home

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

- John Crowley was born right here in Presque Isle in 1942. Has anyone here read something by John Crowley?
- Where did people in Presque Isle go for an ice cream cone on a summer night?
- What was downtown Presque Isle 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 · PRESQUE ISLE

Around Presque Isle

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

- ☐ BAKERY
- ☐ BANDSTAND
- ☐ CROWLEY
- ☐ DINER
- ☐ FIREHOUSE
- ☐ ICECREAM
- ☐ LIBRARY
- ☐ MAINSTREET
- ☐ PARADE
- ☐ PICNIC
- ☐ POSTOFFICE
- ☐ PRESQUEISLE
- ☐ SCHOOLHOUSE
- ☐ TROLLEY

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Answers and sources

1. John Crowley John Crowley was born in Presque Isle in 1942.

Sources: https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q736447 · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/John_Crowley_(author)

2. It shrank Presque Isle counted 9,692 people in 2010 and 8,797 in 2020.

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

3. Aroostook County Presque Isle is in Aroostook County, Maine.

Sources: https://api.census.gov/data/2020/dec/pl · https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q986013

4. 8,800 The 2020 census counted 8,797 people in Presque Isle.

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

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

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