HOMETOWN TRIVIA · PAWTUCKET, RI

How well do you know Pawtucket?

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

1. Which famous singer or musician was born in Pawtucket in 1939?

A. Leon Wilkeson
B. Wendy Carlos
C. Jeffrey Osborne

2. Which famous actor was born in Pawtucket in 1900?

A. Ruth Clifford
B. Thomas H. Ince
C. Nelson Eddy

3. The Pawtucket Congregational Church dates back to about which year?

A. 1867
B. 1897
C. 1827

How well do you know Pawtucket?

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

A. It shrank
B. It grew

5. Which county is Pawtucket in?

A. Providence County
B. Newport County
C. Washington County

REMEMBER WHEN · PAWTUCKET

Let's talk about home

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

- Wendy Carlos was born right here in Pawtucket in 1939. Can anyone hum a song by Wendy Carlos?
- Ruth Clifford was born right here in Pawtucket in 1900. What's your favorite movie or show with Ruth Clifford in it?
- The Pawtucket Congregational Church dates back to 1867. Have you ever been there, or driven past it?
- Where did people in Pawtucket go for an ice cream cone on a summer night?
- What was downtown Pawtucket 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 · PAWTUCKET

Around Pawtucket

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

- [ ] BAKERY
- [ ] BANDSTAND
- [ ] CARLOS
- [ ] CLIFFORD
- [ ] DINER
- [ ] FIREHOUSE
- [ ] ICECREAM
- [ ] LIBRARY
- [ ] MAINSTREET
- [ ] PARADE
- [ ] PAWTUCKET
- [ ] PICNIC
- [ ] POSTOFFICE
- [ ] TROLLEY

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Answers and sources

1. Wendy Carlos Wendy Carlos was born in Pawtucket in 1939.

Sources: https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q44641 · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wendy_Carlos

2. Ruth Clifford Ruth Clifford was born in Pawtucket in 1900.

Sources: https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q3453609 · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ruth_Clifford

3. 1867 The Pawtucket Congregational Church dates back to 1867.

Sources: https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q2065224 · https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pawtucket_Congregational_Church

4. It grew Pawtucket counted 71,148 people in 2010 and 75,604 in 2020.

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

5. Providence County Pawtucket is in Providence County, Rhode Island.

Sources: https://api.census.gov/data/2020/dec/pl · https://www.wikidata.org/wiki/Q49200

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

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