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Gary Funkhouser – Quiz on Iowa



Gary Funkhouser handed out two lists of questions about Iowa towns and facts. Everyone joined in a table of 3-4 people to answer the questions as a group. He then gave the answers. The questions are included below for

your enjoyment. **We will publish the answers next week.**

1. Home of Albert the Bull location?
2. Where Donna Reed annual celebration is held?
3. The Dow House built in 1874 at 5 times normal cost with red brick triple wide walls and is 3 stories high?
4. Town known as the Ice Cream capital of Iowa?
5. Location of the W.A. McHenry House with 6 fireplaces and 14 rooms/
6. Location of the Danish Windmill and the Danish Immigrant Museum?
7. Town with "Little Mermaid" in the city park pond?
8. Iowa's Antique city?
9. City closest to DeSoto National Wildlife Refuge and Bertrand Museum?
10. City where Brigham Young was elected President of the Mormon church in 1847?
11. City with Swedish coffee pot and saucer?
12. Small Page county town located in two states divided by main street?
13. City known as the home of Glen Miller and has an annual celebration?
14. Oldest town in Iowa?
15. Name of town on an island in the Mississippi river?
16. Fastest growing community currently?
17. Richest income town in Iowa?
18. Second richest community in Iowa?
19. What number order was Iowa in receiving statehood?
20. "Safest town" in Iowa?
21. Iowa's richest man, Iowa's only billionaire?
22. What livestock is the largest production in Iowa?
23. Poorest town in Iowa?
24. In Iowa the "middle class income range is \$36,000 to?
25. Year Iowa became a state and who was the President of the U.S. that year?

IOWA, Beautiful Land

1. How many glasses of milk does a dairy cow produce each day?
2. How many basketballs would one cow's leather provide?
3. What fort was constructed to protect one Indian tribe from another?
4. How many gallons of sap does it take to make one gallon of maple syrup?
5. Where is Iowa's first capitol building located?
6. Where are the 2 black angel monuments located in Iowa?
7. Where is the Herbert Hoover presidential library located?
8. What Iowa city draws up to 4,000 visitors for its quilt show and sale?
9. In what city is Snake Alley located?
10. In what city is Iowa's "Swinging Bridge" located?
11. In what city is the Maharishi International University located?
12. In what town is the American Gothic House located (pitchfork farm couple)?
13. What town is named after the wife of a Seminole chief?
14. Where is the Nelson Pioneer Farm Museum located?
15. What county is home to over 600 Amish people?
16. Farmington, Iowa and Waterloo, Missouri were prepared to go over war for what?

17. Where is the longest double decker swing bridge located?
18. What county is known for its covered bridges?
19. Cowboy actor John Wayne's boyhood home is located in what town?
20. What teams and where was the first intercollegiate football game played?
21. The National Balloon Classic is held annually at what Iowa town?
22. Mamie Doud Eisenhower's birthplace is located in?
23. The 162 ft. Mahanay Bell Tower where one can see parts of 7 counties is located where?

Meeting Minutes

Bill Vorthmann called the meeting to order at the Treynor Community Building. Twelve members were present. Bill Vorthmann led the Pledge of Allegiance and gave the opening prayer.

Bill Vorthmann gave facts about this day in history. Dale Willenborg, Chad Gutttau and Bill Vorthmann provided humor.

Dee Gutttau won the 50/50 drawing. Keith Denton won the attendance drawing, but did not collect.

Bragging Rights: (\$ to fund youth activities)

Kirk Vorthmann talked about Ashlyn's knee surgery.

Dale Willenborg told about riding out the storm with grandchildren in Cedar Rapids and cutting up downed trees there for 2 1/2 days. They probably will not have electricity for several weeks.

Gary Gutttau talked about walnut tree branches that broke off and flew 200 yards into his field.

Bill Vorthmann said his grandson took three sheep to the State Fair and got two purple ribbons. He said that only parents and exhibitors could go to the fair.

Anniversaries: Jerry and Barb Hempel celebrated their 37th wedding anniversary.

Auction Items: Gary Funkhouser brought two yellow roses shipped from Equador. Ken Graham bought them for \$4. Gary Funkhouser bought a dozen apples from Dee Gutttau for \$1.

New Business: The Silver Creek 4H Club will receive can kennel proceeds for this period.

Flags will be put up on Tuesday, August 18 at 4:00 p.m. to celebrate the beginning of the school year. Meet at Gary Gutttau's house at 4:00 or at the Community Center about 4:15. We will take down flags Saturday, August 22 after the Optimist meeting.

Gary Funkhouser said that masks will be expected to be worn at school, but not required.

Homecoming has been moved to September 18.

The club will again order dictionaries for the 3rd grade.

Board Meeting: There will be a board meeting August 29 after the club meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned and concluded with the saying of the Optimist pledge.

2020 HUMOR

- The dumbest thing I've ever purchased was a 2020 planner.
- The buttons on my jeans have started social distancing from each other!

Calendar

Aug 18 – Put up flags for beginning of school, 4:00 p.m.
 Aug 19 - School Starts
 Aug 22 – Take down flags

Birthdays

Aug 11 – Chad Gutttau (recognized)
 Aug 23 – Judy Gutttau

Anniversaries

Aug 15 Jerry & Barb Hempel (recognized)
 Aug 25 Gary & Julia Funkhouser

Programs

August - Dale Willenborg
 September - Jordan Campbell
 October - Bill Vorthmann
 November - Jerry Hempel
 December 6, 13 - Ken Graham
 December 19, 26- Chad Gutttau

Speakers

Aug 22 – Cody Guidry, McAllister's Deli
 Aug 29 – Tim Jacob, cancer survivor