



PETROLIA SCAVENGER HUNT 2016

**DROP OFF YOUR COMPLETED SCAVENGER HUNT AT
THE PETROLIA LIBRARY BY FRIDAY AUGUST 26TH
DON'T FORGET TO INCLUDE YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION**

Learn Petrolia's amazing history, explore your Town and win prizes!

1. What story do the Stained Glass windows at Victoria Hall tell?
2. What building has a beehive symbol in the bricks?
3. Locate an artillery gun in Petrolia - what street is it on?
4. Find a store on Petrolia Line with a tin ceiling.
5. Where is the Founding of Petrolia plaque located?
 - a. What year did Petrolia become a village?
 - b. What year did Petrolia become a Town?
6. How many tennis courts does Petrolia have? - Where are they located?
7. What building has a mural? Who painted this mural? What year was it painted?
8. What store has a horse and cart on the roof? How long has this business been in Petrolia? Go inside! Tell them you're on the Scavenger Hunt and get something special.
9. Find a store in a historical building with a vault.
10. What is located at the south east corner of Victoria Hall?
11. What is the name of the park at the corner of Nelson Street and Princess Street?
12. What two Petrolia history makers are depicted in metal and located at the south end of Greenfield Street? What's their story?
13. East End Cemetery - write down three occupants and their birth and death dates, what is unusual about most of the occupants buried here?

14. What is the house number of Lancey Hall in Crescent Park?
15. Where can you find a wall made from glass bottles?
16. What is the name and address of the house with gargoyles on the roof?
17. How many churches are in Petrolia?
18. How many banks are in Petrolia?
19. What business is located at 4162 James Street? What do they do there?
20. Whose former home is located at the South West corner of Greenfield Street and Dufferin Avenue? What was the name of the home? What is that building now?
21. In what restaurant will you find a painted wall mural telling the story of oil? Who painted the mural?
22. Find a carriage step in Petrolia. What name is on the step?
23. What park is located at the north end of Gem Avenue? What can you do at this park?
24. What is located at 370 Centre Street? Stop in during the week and have a look around.
25. How many names are on the Cenotaph in Victoria Park? Who designed the sculpture?
26. How many chain saw sculptures are in Bridgeview Park? What are they?
27. People used to name their homes. What was the name of the red brick house just East of Tank Street overlooking Bridgeview Park? Who lived there?
28. Find two more homes with names - what are the addresses?
29. 150 years ago where might you find a three pole derrick in Petrolia?
30. What is a railway spur line? Where was one located in Petrolia? Where did it begin and end? (*HINT - try google earth*)
31. What year did Petrolia get fresh water from Lake Huron? *HINT - answer is on Centre Street north of the Fire Hall.*
32. What is the name of the green building located south of the Greenwood Park Baseball diamond?

33. Petrolia has a few very odd street names. List two of them, one that starts with an "O" and one that starts with an "I"
34. What is located at 4343 Petrolia Line? What is unique about this building?
35. Find George's Auto Body Shop painted sign - what street is it on?
36. Find Wrought iron fence post with a chestnut tree growing through it. Name the street corner (two streets) this property is on.
37. What building has twin spiral staircases?
38. On what corner do you find the Boges Hardware mural painted on a building?
39. What building has a unique eyebrow roof design on its north side?
40. What is the address of Baden Powell House? - Who was Robert Baden Powell?
41. What years did the Squires win the Allan Cup?
42. Name 10 NHL players from Petrolia.
43. How many advertising boards are in the rink area at the Greenwood Recreation Centre/ Arena?
44. How many benches in the arena lobby?
45. What is the largest trophy in the trophy case?
46. What famous retired NHL player recently spoke in Petrolia? What year did he win a Stanley Cup? and what year did he win a gold medal?
47. Who is working at the OHDCC reception desk on the day of your visit?
48. How many names are on the donor wall?
49. How many lifeguard chairs are in the pool area?
50. In the Wellness Centre at the OHDCC there are quotes on the wall - write down one of these quotes.
51. Add your email address to the OHDCC contact list at reception and get a FREE swim pass. (One pass per person with valid email)
52. What are the hours of operation for the Petrolia Compost Site? Where is the compost site located?

To learn more about Petrolia try these websites

town.petrolia.on.ca, petroliaheritage.com, petrolia150.ca