



SPARTA YOUTH SCAVENGER HUNT



Rules: *(Please read first.)*

Goals: Complete as many questions correctly by visiting each location listed in each question. There are 16 questions with 2 bonus questions. Answering the questions should take a few hours. All sites are within walking or biking distance of downtown Sparta.

Eligibility: Any Sparta area student (private, public, or homeschooled) may participate. Only one entry form per person may be submitted for the prize drawing.

Timeline: The Sparta Youth Scavenger Hunt starts **August 1, 2020**. Entries must be turned in by **11:59 pm August 15, 2020**.

To Enter: Blank Sparta Youth Scavenger Hunt forms can be picked up at the Little Free Library located on the right side of the downtown Mueller Square entrance. Forms can also be requested by email at SpartaKiwaniis2020@gmail.com. Completed forms must be dropped into the Sparta Free Library book return slot located on the north end of the Library.

Prizes: To be eligible to win a Grand Prize you must answer 16 of the 18 questions correctly. Winning entries will be selected at random from all completed forms turned in by the deadline. Multiple Grand Prizes will be awarded at values up to \$100. Participation awards will also be drawn from all completed forms.

Conduct: Have fun! Remember to obey traffic laws, be safe while traveling around town, and respect private property.

Release of Liability: All Sparta Youth Scavenger Hunt participants agree to release and hold harmless the Sparta Kiwanis Club, Monroe County Local History Room & Museum, and all partnering organizations and businesses from any and all liability for any potential harm to person or property resulting from the participation of this Scavenger Hunt.

Notification: All winning entries will be contacted by August 31, 2020.

Contact: For questions or more information please contact the Sparta Kiwanis Club at SpartaKiwaniis2020@gmail.com or call the Monroe County Local History Room at 269-8680.

Sponsors: Sparta Kiwanis Club and Monroe County Local History Room & Museum

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Registration: *(Please fill out one form per student participating)*

Student Name: _____ Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

Email (Parent/Guardian): _____ Phone Number: _____

School: _____ Grade (for Fall 2020): _____



SCAVENGER HUNT QUESTIONS



Instructions: Write the answer to each question in the blank(s).

Example: What Sparta service organization is celebrating its 100th year?

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1. What does it say under the electronic clock on the northwest corner of the Park Bank building, located at 145 N. Water St.?

2. On the outside of the old high school at 201 E. Franklin St. there are two words and a date marking the building. What are the two words and what is the date?

3. What was the name of the person who brought the Civil War cannon, located in Blyton Veteran’s Park, back to Sparta in 1867?

4. The new World War II memorial at Blyton Veteran’s Park has area veterans names listed in alphabetical order. What is the name of the 32nd veteran listed on the memorial?

5. A memorial in Blyton Veteran’s Park honoring the National Guard and Reserve members who served our country during Operation Desert Storm has how many names listed?

6. Whose logo appears on the Snack Shack at Memorial Park football field?

7. What 3 animal figures will you spot at the Sparta Aquatic Center?
_____, _____, and _____
8. What number is painted on the side of the Sherman Tank near the Sparta VFW on S. Rusk Ave.?

9. Which animal is featured on the bench located at Fisherman's Park?

10. What are the names of the two bridges crossing Beaver Creek in Evans-Bosshard Park?
_____ and _____
11. A building at the corner of Water and Oak Streets has the name “Williams” on it. What year was it built?

12. Name one of the current businesses in the Sparta building built over Beaver Creek in downtown Sparta?

13. There is a faded sign painted on the east side of the building located at 117 West Oak St. (presently the Midwest Hearing Center). Name the advertised business.

14. Lady Justice stands atop this historic government building on Court Street erected in 1895. What is she holding in her right hand?

15. Which two words are engraved above the entrance to the Museum Building?

16. What is the last name of the man who was instrumental in construction of the present-day Sparta Free Library and is inscribed on the front steps of the building?

- * Bonus: How many towers of lights are located around the main baseball diamond at Memorial Park?

- * Bonus: In Woodlawn Cemetery (875 N. Water St.) a mausoleum/columbarium is located along one of the vehicle pathways. What name is inscribed above the door?
