Bridgend Heritage Walks Bollington

Travelling in Time

As you walk around the trail keep looking for the Steam Engine markers. They will show you the way to go.





How to use this quiz

Each section of the quiz matches a section with the same heading in the trail directions.

Before you walk each section, read the questions that go with it, so you know what you need to look out for!

You'll find some of the answers in the brown speech bubbles in the trail directions. Other things you'll find in the landscape as you walk. You can check your answers with the ones provided upside down below. No cheating, though!

Trail 7

Can you find a vehicle on the totem pole outside the Bridgend Centre? What is it? Well done, you're ready to go!

Barges, Bridges and the 'Bollington Bug'

- 1. Who was Mr Nolan?
- Can you find every item in the boxes before you get back to the Bridgend Centre? You have to look and listen all around you!

3 different shapes of leaves	A cow	Something yellow
Something rough	Tree roots	An animal foot print
An animal hole	A twig longer than your foot	An acorn

3. What was the 'Bollington Bug'?

Birdsong, cycling and plane spotting

- 4. Can you name this little bird? It has lots of relations one of which is blue but this one sounds a little grander!! You might see more birds in the winter than in the summer why is that?
- 5. How can you tell that bird boxes have been used?
- 6. What is this spikey leaf called? Can you find one? Mark it on the map!



1. He was the boatman who moved goods between Clarence and Adelphi Mills.
2. How many did you find?
3. It was a petrol-electric railcar that ran between Bollington and Macclesfield on the railway tracks. What ways can you think of that people travel to Macclesfield today?
4. This is a great tit with its black cap and yellow belly, you might also see blue tits, coal tits, willow tits or long tailed tits in this area.
5. You might see that the wood around them has scratch marks on it. 7. This is holly, there are lots of holly trees in the woods just before Whitely Green.
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8. Who spotted it? Do you know what type of tree it was? 10. Bill, dill, fill, gill, hill, hill, hill, hill, hill, hill, pill, quill, rill, sill, iill, iill, will and many more!! Do you know what they all mean? 11. What did you hear? 12. 23 - can you see them all?

Answers

From Whitely Green to Lowerhouse

- 7. Why did Beeley's horse block the road?
- 8. Who can spot the tallest tree?
- 9. This walk points out Adelphi Mill and goes past Lowerhouse Mill what words can you think of that rhyme with 'Mill'?

Full steam ahead!

- 10.Stop and listen! Name five different things you can hear! Which are natural and which are made by man?
- 11. How many arches does the viaduct have?



For the adults

This quiz is just a sample of things you could look for or do along the walk. Some other ideas to help the young walker enjoy the countryside:

- encourage them to look, touch, listen and smell their surroundings
- 'I spy' or alphabet games can they find something that smells beginning with 'A', see something beginning with 'B' and so on
- Language skills 'is it a twig? No it's a rusty brown gnarled branch!', find something bigger, smaller, longer, taller, rougher, smoother.
- Numeracy skills count stones, steps, trees. How many stones can you hold? More than me or less than me?
 Who can walk faster, slower, how many steps in one minute? Find examples of symmetry in nature.
- Bring an old envelope to carry home 'treasures' you may find to display when you get home and talk about and recall again and again!