

"The Ultimate Athabasca Scavenger Hunt"

Using historical signs and places in downtown Athabasca, complete this mission.

Athabasca

- ☐ Take a picture of the Strathcona Street sign.
- ☐ What year did Athabasca become a village?

- ☐ Take a picture of the Alberta flag.
- ☐ What company established Athabasca?

- ☐ Take a picture of the oldest person in your team leaning on the Skinner Street sign.
- ☐ What is the meaning of the name Athabasca?

- ☐ Take a picture (of a picture) of the front of a Town of Athabasca Brochure from 1912.
- ☐ Athabasca is the "Gateway to the _____."
- ☐ Take a picture of a naturally growing flower.
- ☐ Athabasca was known as the _____ Growing Capital.
- ☐ How far is Athabasca from the geographical center of Alberta? _____
- ☐ Take a picture of a drift wood pile.



Athabasca River

- ☐ How long is the Athabasca River? _____
- ☐ Take a picture of the Athabasca bridge.
- ☐ What was the name of the first steamer on the Athabasca River? _____
- ☐ Take a picture of one of your team members being piggybacked by another team member in front of the mural depicting men unloading cargo from a boat.
- ☐ Take a picture (of the picture) of Robert Service with a fish.
- ☐ What 2 different ways did people use to get across the Athabasca River before the bridge was built? _____
- ☐ Take a picture of the 2 youngest people in your group under the SS Athabasca mural waving like the young boys in the painting.
- ☐ What year did the SS Athabasca sail away? _____
- ☐ Take a picture of the males on your team flexing their muscles in front of the mural of trackers pulling scows up the Athabasca River.

Transportation

- ☐ What year did the first train arrive in Athabasca? _____
- ☐ Take a picture of the old CN Station with the members on your team sitting outside on the benches.
- ☐ How many dogs are in the picture on an historic sign of the Athabasca Mail Carrier? _____
- ☐ Take a picture of an old tractor with the tallest and shortest person in your team standing next to the wheel.
- ☐ Take a picture on an old wagon with old fashioned wagon wheels.
- ☐ Take a video of the mural with the train in it with your team members making their best train noise impression in the background.

- ☐ When was the boat building boom in Athabasca? _____

Buildings

- ☐ Take a picture or video of your team running down the front steps of an old school pretending to be excited to be let out of school.
- ☐ Take a video of someone walking along the curb of the courthouse front lawn like a balance beam.
- ☐ What denomination used to meet in the United Church? _____
- ☐ Video your team jumping up and down the stairs in front of the courthouse.
- ☐ How many students did the Brick school first start with? _____
- ☐ Take a picture of the Alberta Provincial Historic Resource emblem on an old church building.
- ☐ Take a picture of the person with the next birthday standing in front of the Grand Union Hotel.
- ☐ Take a picture of the new bank on the location where the Imperial Bank used to stand.
- ☐ Take a picture of your team staggered by age going up the front steps of the United Church.



People and Wildlife

- ☐ Who was the first switchboard operator in Athabasca?

- ☐ Take a picture of a bird.
- ☐ Who were the unique settlers to Amber Valley?

- ☐ Take a picture of 2 people standing beside the Pioneer Memorial busts imitating their facial expression.
- ☐ How many people can you fit on the bench in the Gazebo in the park?
- ☐ What should you never feed a moose? _____
- ☐ Take a picture or video of someone picking up litter and putting it in a trash can.
- ☐ What is the name of the lady who was a fur trader in Athabasca? _____
- ☐ Take a picture (of a picture) of Billy Day and his 2 moose.
- ☐ Take a picture of the War Memorial.
- ☐ Take a picture of the Rotary Club Centennial Brick Project stone with your team's feet around the outside of the stone.
- ☐ Take a picture of your favorite beaver hat on the historic sign with different beaver hat styles.
- ☐ Take a picture of the Ukrainian Pioneer Memorial.

Finally...

- ☐ Standing on the Riverfront Stage, take a video of someone in your group describing the most interesting thing you learned on the Scavenger Hunt.

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