



Brockville Museum | Scavenger Hunt: Water Street E

Brockville's waterfront was once full of factories, not condominiums and parks like it is today. Use this 1946 map of the area (a fire insurance plan) to explore the Reynolds Park and Centeen Park area and learn more about Brockville's history!

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Where did the ferry that was once at the end of Ferry Street take passengers? Head along the waterfront trail just past the end of the street, there you will find a plaque with the answer!

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There is a flag pole at the Rowing Club; who does it honour? There is a plaque at the foot of the pole.

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For a decade in the 1960s, the Brockville Rowing Club ran a fundraiser taking bets on when ice on the river would thaw enough for a car to fall through. In 2021, the Brockville Rotary Club recreated this event using a concrete "car" - currently on display in the corner of the park. **What was the name of the car?**

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The grounds of the former Reynolds Coal Company coal sheds are now a park with parking. There is an anchor mounted in the roundabout. **In what year was the anchor installed here?**

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The Libbey, McNeil & Libbey Condensed Milk Factory, once located on this site, closed around 1970. This condominium was built in its place. **Who was mayor of Brockville between 1966 and 1977?** Find the park bench dedicated in his (and his wife's) memory.

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Besides Brockville, where else did George Chaffey live? (Note: there are 2 places) Find the large blue and gold plaque near the water to learn more about this notable Brockvillian.

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Canada's first underwater sculpture park, Centeen Memorial Dive Park, was established in what year? Find the stone monument and bronze plaque near the water's edge to find the answer.

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How much money did the 1966 Teenagers Mass March make for improvements to this park? Find the stone monument near Water Street that celebrates Canada's Centennial (1967) to find the answer.

9

64 Water Street was originally part of what? (c.1841) Spot the blue plaque on the house that acknowledges the history of property by the Local Architectural Conservation Advisory Committee. (Please respect private property and stay on the sidewalk)

Fire Insurance Plan (1946)

There have been a lot of changes to this area since 1946! Can you spot some of them?

Inspect all structures to be replaced on King

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Reynolds Park

Centeen Park



EAST MARKET ST.

SCALE 50 FT. = 1 INCH

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