

An Historical “Treasure Hunt” Type Quiz

To solve these cryptic quiz questions, you will need to take an observant stroll around Elstow. Start at the northern end of the High Street and head south. Further information to help you solve these clues can be found on the “Photos and History” pages at www.bedford.gov.uk/moothall

1. *The name of a house and a cottage confuse postmen on high. What is the name of both and the number that has been assumed by the smaller?*
2. Although there are several in the village, you cannot fish from any of them.
3. What originally rose daily in this now blooming place? And when?
4. Between 2 and 3, in 77 was, and is, an opening. Look for a direction to find out who the architect was.
5. Horseshoes, petrol & pop came from this location. When did the brewer acquire the house?
6. It's a sign and a celebration for 51. What was it called, when and why?
7. You can see it was quite a drive, but what was this place's proper name?
8. Before the first Act, for over 60 years, children learned here.
9. Two lights in the north-eastern shop contain how many diamonds?
10. Go green if you are stumped to find out who renewed a charter.
11. Norman's niece enabled others to follow Benedict. Who was she and he and how did she accomplish that?
12. What was the name of that lady's husband's and why did he die?
13. Before Medieval times, no-one rang here but they kept a lookout.
14. At its height, what was at least twice as long?
15. One day every week, young Bunyan saw something that gave him the idea for the symbolic starting point of Christian's journey. It is still exists - but what, and where, is it?
16. Formally a lady of letters, she now refreshes visitors. Who and where?
17. 'Site' of 1000s of images of Elstow.

Answers. Go to my website <http://clivearnold.weebly.com/links.html> and scroll down to the bottom of that page.