



Trail Explorers Scavenger Hunt Questions 2010

These questions represent locations you will encounter while exploring the trails in the Stateline area. In some cases questions pertain to locations a few blocks off the trail enabling you to get a flavor of the diverse communities. Be sure to bring these questions and a pencil to record your answers and a camera while you explore the trails. Although the questions are listed south to north you can explore the trails in any order. When you have all the answers, submit them along with one to four photos and a summary of your experiences at www.bikethebadger.com or mail to Friends of the Badger Trail, W5446 Cty Hwy NN, New Glarus WI 53574

- 1. Wes Block Trail Access (Freeport):** Does the trail go over or under Hwy 20?

Hint: At the Jane Addams Trail Head at Wes Block Access the trail crosses Hwy 20, a four lane auto roadway. Note whether the trail goes over or under the Highway.

- 2. Red Oak:** What is the 4-digit number of the Illinois Central caboose next to the trail?

Hint: North of Beaver Road on the northwest corner of Lane Road (a dirt road) is a red Illinois Central caboose sitting on rails on private property but visible from the trail. Note the four-digit number painted on the side of the train car.

- 3. Orangeville:** What is the name of the person memorialized on the stone bench at the trailhead?

Hint: At the Orangeville trail head parking lot is a stone bench dedicated to a local doctor by his family and friends. The doctor lived from 1935 to 2003. Record his name.

- 4. Monroe:** There are two landscapers located on the trails. What is the name of the one near Monroe?

Hint: South of Monroe between Bethel Road/17th Street and Hwy 69 is a landscaper on private property visible from the trail on the west side. Record the name.

- 5. Monticello:** How many marked auto parking spaces are in the parking lot?

Hint: At the Monticello Trail Head on Cty EE is a parking lot that serves users of the Sugar River and

Badger Trails. Count the number of marked parking spaces, including the handicapped one.

- 6. Belleville:** There are two landscapers located along the trail. What is the name of the one north of the tunnel?

Hint: North of the Stewart Tunnel between Fahey Road and the city of Belleville is a landscape company located on private property visible from the trail on the east side. Record the name.

- 7. Belleville:** How many tiers are on the fountain in John Frederick Park?

Hint: The trail runs through a park in downtown Belleville at the intersection of South Park Street and State Highway 69 dedicated to Belleville's founder, John Frederick. In the park is a round fountain with multiple layers. Record the number of tiers.

- 8. New Glarus:** What are the Swiss names on the street signs at the corner of Railroad St. and Fifth Ave?

Hint: The Sugar River Trail ends at a former rail depot at Railroad St. and Fifth Ave. in downtown New Glarus. There are street signs on the pole and below them are the street names in both English (i.e. Railroad St. and Fifth Ave.) and Swiss. Record the Swiss names.

- 9. Brodhead:** How many bears are carved in the former tree trunk next to the trail?

Hint: Coming south on the Sugar River Trail in Brodhead the crushed limestone surface ends at Decatur Road and the trail continues on a city street, W 3rd Ave. Two blocks down in a back yard facing the trail is a chain saw sculpture created in a former tree trunk. Note the number of bears carved in the trunk. Be sure to look on all sides.