**Smilovice in questions**

**A. History**

**B. Geography**

**C. School + associations**

**D. Others**

(Circle the correct answer or both)

**A. History**

**1. The first written mention of Smilovice is written in the year:**

a) 1448 b) 1548

**2. Which of the surrounding villages in the 17th century belonged to Smilovice:**

a) Komorní Lhotka b) Řeka

**3. Which important Czech composer has its roots in Smilovice:**

a) Leoš Janáček b) Bedřich Smetana

**4. When was the greatest frost in the village and apple trees froze on Kotasovka:**

a) 1929 b) 1949

**5. The cemetery evangelical chapel was built in:**

a) 1905 b) 1898

**6) What is the current state of the population and how many pubs were in the village at once:**

a) Over 800/3 b) Over 900/2

**7) Since 1991, the village was independent again. How many mayors took turns in office:**

a) 6 b) 7

**8) Former Polish Prime Minister and President of the European Parliament prof. Jerzy Buzek was born in House No. 77. In what year did he receive honorary citizenship:**

a) 2009 b) 2010

**9) The emblem of the village are:**

a) Peasant gates + crayfish b) Peasant gates only

**10) The origin of the name of the village is connected with František Smyl, who brought new settlers and later was also the mayor of Těšín:**

a) Yes b) No

**B) Geography**

**1) How many villages and parts of the city form the border with Smilovice:**

a) 7 b) 6

**2) The river Ropičanka, which flows north, flows into:**

a) Zalewu Szczecińskiego (Szczecin Lagoon) b) Zatoki Gdańskiej (Gdańsk Bay)

**3) The area of the village in hectares is similar to the height of the hill Godula in meters:**

a) More than 700 b) More than 800

**4) What is the altitude in the central part of the village near Godulanka:**

a) 390 m b) 490 m

**5) For cyclists, communication via the so-called "Vypolonka" is very attractive. It's in the direction of:**

a) Guty b) Komorní Lhotka

**6) What is the name of the part of the village that in the past belonged to Baron Bees and how many pubs were in the village at once:**

a) Supikovka/2 b) Rakovec/3

**7) How many kilometers do local roads measure and how many kilometers do we walk around the borders of the cadastre of the village Smilovice:**

a) 20 /10 km b) 10/5 km

**8) Which dam is strengthened by the Smilovice weir built in 1975 by a canal leading in the north part of the village on the border with Střítež:**

a) Žermanice Dam b) Těrlice Dam

**9) The river Ropičanka springs on the northern slopes of the hill:**

a) Kopanice b) Ropice

**10) Along the road from Střítež to Smilovice it grows in autumn with colorful berries:**

a) Rowan berry b) Elderberry

**C) School + Associations**

**1) The Czech-Polish school with a bell tower burned down in:**

a) 1963 b) 1968

**2. Who was the principal of a bilingual school after World War II:**

a) Antoni Pieknik b) František Kubala

**3) In 2022, there will be a significant anniversary in the village:**

a) 70 years since the founding of Sokol, later TJ

b) 100 years since the birth of Zofia Wanok

**4) In which year was MK PZKO associating Polish nationality (22% of the total. population in 2011) founded and how many theatrical performances did they perform:**

a) 1948/over 80 b) 1960/over 50

**5) The project from the European Fund for the Reconstruction of the Sports Center entitled "Překračujeme hranice (Crossing the Borders)" was implemented in the years 2007-2013 together with the city:**

a) Katowice b) Krzyżanowice

**6) The first school in the village 200 years ago was founded / arose in the current family house under number 21, where Mr. Terezie Sztefková lived with an interesting famous hobby:**

a) spinning on a spinning wheel b) manufacture of beads

**7) In 2010, the gardening association was reopened, which was suspended for 13 years. What would be the anniversary of the association this year without interruption and how many times did the cimbalom music „cimbálovka“ play at the events of the newly founded association:**

a) 55/1x b) 65/2x

**8) Every year, the KARMEL Educational and Spiritual Center organizes the XcamP for young people. The name "Karmel" comes from:**

a) Abbreviations of the main spiritual associations

b) The name of the national park in northern Israel

**9) The hunting lodge of the Smilovice-Řeka hunting association is 55 years old and is undergoing reconstruction. How many members the association has in total and how many are from Smilovice:**

a) 26/8 b) 50/5

**10) The beekeeping association based in Smilovice brings together beekeepers from five surrounding villages. The association was founded by Jan Wanok. The tradition of beekeepers will celebrate the Xth anniversary of its foundation in this decade and how long does the mother-bee live:**

a) 100 years since its foundation / 2-4 years

b) 50 years since its foundation / 20-50 days

**D. Others**

**1) In which year was a new hairdresser's opened in the municipal office building after the reconstruction of the restaurant "U dubu (Near the Oak)" with relocation to the current post office:**

a) 2013 b) 2010

**2) Smilovice native PhDr. Anna Krejzova CSc. taught Czech language abroad in 1985-1991 in which school:**

a) Gymnasium in Dijon b) Sorbonne University in Paris

**3) There is a monument to the fallen in the cemetery - a total of 13 citizens from the village. It is a monument to:**

a) World War I 1914-1918 b) World War II 1939-1945

**4) In the years 1955-1961, a military garrison was stationed at the top of Goduli. Their expertise was:**

a) Infantry training company b) Anti-aircraft combat unit

**5) Almost 110 years ago, the construction of a water sawmill began about 100 m above today's weir. In which year did the activity of this waterworks end and why:**

a) 1957 - shaft break b) 1947 - ignited by lightning

**6) During the glory of the fruit grower Mr. Kotas, apples from our orchards were imported to Tomáš Masaryk to Prague Castle. It was mainly a variety:**

a) apple „Mühlhauptová reneta“ b) Rubinola apple

**7) There were originally more than 10 ponds in the village and on its edge grew a sweet flag (puškvorec obecný), which was macerated in alcohol to produce brandy called:**

a) tatarčovka b) jalovcovka

**8) What was the profession of some inhabitants of Smilovice at the turn of the century in connection with the industrialist Fulda from Těšín**:

a) Stonemasons and carters (called „furmani“) b) highlanders (called „salašníci“)

**9) The legend of "Zlatohlavci (Goldenhead)" concerned:**

a) Snake b) Bear

**10) How was the bear on Godula caught for Archduke Albrecht:**

a) He was put to sleep with honey and brandy b) By folding doors

Literature for quiz questions:

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