

CHILDREN'S QUESTIONNAIRE FOR THE NORTH PERROTT HERITAGE TRAIL

CHURCH LANE

1. ST MARTIN'S CHURCHYARD –

- 1) As you leave the churchyard can you see a large tomb on your left near the path before you reach the gate? What is the name given to this type of tomb?
- 2) Can you find the small lid cut out of the top? - why do you think that people placed coins inside this compartment?
- 3) Can you name the type of gate leading to and from the churchyard?

2. THE NURSERY GARDENS -

- 1) Can you see the long wall on the left side of Church Lane? What type of stone is it made of?
- 2) What would have been grown in these walled gardens when they belonged to North Perrott House?

3. THE OLD RECTORY -

- 1) Who would have lived in this house when it was the Rectory?

4. CROSS TREE COTTAGE -

- 1) What objects are placed on the stone wall in front of the cottage and how many can you see?
- 2) How is rain collected at this house?

5. GREEN BARTON -

- 1) What material is this roof made of?
- 2) How is the ridge (top) of this roof different from other roofs?

6. THE VILLAGE GREEN -

- 1) What are the dates on the War Memorial and which War is being commemorated?
- 2) Many years ago what would have been the purpose of the Trough?
- 3) What is missing from the large square stone with a circular hole in the centre?

DOWNCLOSE LANE

8. THE OLD BAKERY -

- 1) Three of these cottages used to be the Bakery, the first (Baker's Cottage) was where the Baker lived, the second was his Shop and the third was where he baked the bread. What is the object on the sign ?

MIDDLE STREET

9. THE OLD FORGE -

- 1) Can you see the 2 small niches (tiny windows) on the wall? What do you think their original purpose was?
- 2) Who would have worked in a Forge?
- 3) What would they have made?

TEACHER'S COTTAGE -

- 1) Who would have lived in this cottage many years ago?

11. THE OLD SCHOOLHOUSE –

1) By looking at this building can you tell in what year it was built?

12. THE OLD COURT HOUSE -

1) After a trial in court, who would have sentenced the criminal when found guilty?

13. THE MANOR ARMS INN -

1) Where is the Inn sign situated?

2) What animals do you see on the sign?

3) What would the two iron rings fixed to the wall of the Manor Arms have been used for in olden times?

14. THE OLD POST OFFICE -

1) What is the red box on the wall for?

2) What time is the post collected on Wednesday?

EAST STREET

15. SYMES FARMHOUSE -

1) What are the two different types of roof material used on this house?

2) Why is the thatched roof covered with wire?

16. BUCKLAND COTTAGE -

1) How many sets of niches (tiny windows) can you see on the wall of this house?

2) Can you remember what they are? (you will have seen a similar set on the wall of No 9, The Old Forge).

NEW STREET

17. PEEL HOUSE -

1) What type of fence encloses the front garden?

2) What are the names of the climbing plants growing on the front of the house?

18. THE HOSKYNS MEMORIAL HALL -

1) What are the dates and initials over the door?

2) Whose initials are they?

19) THE OLD SLAUGHTER HOUSE (Wayside) -

1) How is this house different from the others you have seen?

20. DAIRY COTTAGE -

1) Apart from milk, what other type of food might you find being made in a dairy?

2) The Dairyman used to live in Dairy Cottage - where did the large wooden door in the wall next to the Cottage lead to in olden days?

21. THE MANOR LODGE AND HAMSTONE PILLARS -

- 1) How many different patterns are there on the windows of the Lodge?
- 2) This was once the entrance to the drive to North Perrott Manor. How did people travel along this drive before there were cars?
- 3) How many Pillars are there in the walls on both sides of the Drive?

THE OLD MANOR DRIVE This drive is a permissive footpath but you may walk along it. However , it is not a Public Right of Way.

22. THE GARDEN HOUSE –

- 1) What material is the roof covered with and how many different shapes of roof can you see from the Lane?
- 2) The Head Gardener of North Perrott House once lived here – what would he been in charge of growing?

23. THE NORTH PERROTT CRICKET GROUND -

- 1) Where is the Cricket Pavilion and what is it used for?
- 2) For what purpose are the large white screens?
- 3) Can you see the 'wicket' and what happens here?

NEW STREET

24. THE MANOR FARM AND BARNs -

- 1) This house is very old; In what century do you think it was built?
- 2) There is a row of holly trees in the front garden. They look like holly balls on long trunks, can you name the special way in which they are grown?.
- 3) Why would this house have barns built next to it?
- 4) What would the barns been used for?

25. TOWNSEND COTTAGE -

- 1) What type of windows has this house got?
- 2) What are the oblong 'bars' on the glass made of?

26. TOWNSEND FARMHOUSE -

- 1) Why do you think this house is called Townsend?
- 2) What is the name of the type of small window directly above the front door?
- 3) For what reason do you think it has been given this name?

27. TRINDLEWELL LANE -

- 1) Can you find the road sign for this Lane?

28. THE NORTH PERROTT FARM SHOP AND GARDEN CENTRE -

- 1) Name five things you might buy in this type of shop?