



Swarthmore Senior Citizens Association

Answers

1. Before Swarthmore was developed in the late 1800s, this area was mostly:
 - A. Undiscovered
 - B. Marshland
 - C. Woodland
 - D. Farmland**

2. Swarthmore was originally called Westdale in reference to its being the birthplace of a famous:
 - A. Scholar
 - B. Poet
 - C. Artist**
 - D. Athlete

3. The President of Swarthmore College is:
 - A. Valerie Smith**
 - B. Edward Parrish
 - C. Rebecca Chopp

4. Swarthmore Borough has the third oldest what in the nation?
 - A. College
 - B. Coop**
 - C. Police car
 - D. Mayor

5. Swarthmore college is working hard toward the goal of their “To Zero By 2035” program. What do they want to bring down to zero by the year 2035?
 - A. Their annual budget deficit
 - B. Net carbon emissions**
 - C. Losses by their sports teams
 - D. Freshmen who don’t graduate



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6. What is the origin of the word “Swarthmore”?
 - A. It refers to the gently rolling moor-like local landscape.
 - B. It refers to an historic residence associated with the founder of the Quakers.**
 - C. It's the local native American word for “wet basement”.
 - D. Its origin isn't known.

7. Swarthmore Borough may finally install a bathroom in a popular location. Where will it go?
 - A. Swarthmore's Central Park
 - B. The Crum Woods
 - C. Little Crum Creek Park**
 - D. Umoja Park

8. Because of its commitment to urban forestry and green spaces, Swarthmore is officially designated as a:
 - A. Tree Town
 - B. Tree City USA**
 - C. Tree-Friendly Town
 - D. Forest

9. Swarthmore is a relatively small borough, covering only about how many square miles?
 - A. 0.5
 - B. 1.5**
 - C. 3
 - D. 6