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BLACK HISTORY TRIVIA CONTEST

- ◆ The Children's Department at Central Branch will assist with recommendations for research
- ◆ ENTRANTS MUST BE 17 YEARS OF AGE OR YOUNGER
- ◆ Get all the answers correct and you may be one of four winners drawn for an **mp3 video player** (4 prizes total will be awarded)
- ◆ Please turn in your answers at the Central Branch during the month of February in order to be eligible for the drawing
 - ◆ Winners will be announced March 2
- ◆ Winners must pick up prize in person in the Children's Department at Central Branch
 - ◆ For more information: 804-733-2387 x26

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The Rules

Petersburg Public Library

Black History Month 2012 Teen Trivia Contest



February 2012



The first Black public high school in Virginia was called?

What was the Black business center in Petersburg during the 1970s known as?

What park in Petersburg was the site of a Civil War hospital for African-American soldiers? _____

On what street was the Underground Railroad House located?

During the mid-nineteenth century what city in Virginia had the largest free African-American population?

Who was Petersburg's first African-American Mayor?

Name one famous African-American born in the twentieth century who was born and raised in Petersburg.

Name the first African-American to be named Director of the Petersburg Public Library. _____

What is the current name of the school established in 1882 as Virginia Normal and Collegiate Institute?

Name one of the earliest Black churches in America located in Petersburg.

In 1829 a group of African-Americans left Petersburg to set up a colony in Liberia, Africa. Who was their first president?

What was the name of one of the popular places in Petersburg to socialize for African-Americans before desegregation?

Providence Cemetery established in 1818 for African-Americans was also known by what name?

Name one of two African-American ministers arrested during the *library crisis* at the Petersburg Public Library in the 1960s.

What is the oldest free Black settlement located in Petersburg called?

