

SCAVENGER HUNT #1
THE SCOTT EXHIBIT HANGAR
(Bldg. 3)

DOWN TO EARTH:
THE AIRBORNE INVASION OF NORMANDY

1. Who were the 507th?
 - a. Parachute Infantry Regiment that contributed to the success of the Normandy invasion
 - b. Fighter squadron that contributed to the success of the Normandy invasion
 - c. Critical Mobile Army Surgical Hospital (MASH) that cared for the wounded
 - d. Provisional Infantry Regiment that contributed to the success of the Normandy invasion

2. Where did the 507th train at in the United States?
 - a. Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio, Texas
 - b. Fort Benning in Columbus, Georgia
 - c. Fort Gordon in Augusta, Georgia
 - d. Fort Polk in Vernon Parish, Louisiana

MAP ROOM AND MILITARY LEADER DISPLAY

3. What does the term D-Day mean?
 - a. Time to decide whether an operation will “go or no go”
 - b. A time or event of crisis or great danger
 - c. A coded designation for the start day of an important military operation
 - d. Term for people disembarking from a ship or airplane

4. “Operation Overlord” was the code name for which invasion?
 - a. The invasion of Sicily
 - b. The invasion of Southeast Asia
 - c. The invasion of North Africa
 - d. The invasion of Northwest Europe

5. Who gave the final “Let’s go” for D-Day? **(Use push button on Leader Display)**
 - a. Field Marshall Montgomery
 - b. Air Marshal Leigh-Mallory
 - c. General Eisenhower
 - d. Admiral Ramsey

AIR POWER ROOM

6. How many aircraft supported the Allied invasion of Normandy?
- a. 7,500
 - b. 10,000
 - c. 12,000
 - d. 15,000

FLIGHT TO FRANCE EXHIBIT AREA

7. What type of airplane did the 507th use to parachute into Normandy?
- a. C-46 Commando
 - b. C-47 Skytrain
 - c. C-54 Skymaster
 - d. C-76 Caravan

LA FIERE CAUSEWAY

(Check wall placard before entering Artifact area)

8. What is the definition of a causeway?
- a. A part of the beach across from the English Channel
 - b. A road elevated by a bank across from a body of water or wetland
 - c. A track across low or wet ground
 - d. B and C

ARTIFACT ROOM

9. What fabric is the replica maid of honor dress made from?
- a. Burlap
 - b. Rayon
 - c. Parachutes
 - d. Nylon

OUTSIDE 507TH EXHIBIT

10. Which cargo plane started life as a commercial airliner?
- a. C-46 Commando
 - b. C-47 Skytrain
 - c. C-54 Skymaster
 - d. C-76 Caravan

MAIN FLOOR AIRCRAFT DISPLAYS

(Lower floor)

11. Which of the following aircraft were developed during, but not used, during World War 2?
 - a. F-80 Shooting Star
 - b. F-84 Thunderjet
 - c. F-86 Super Sabre
 - d. F-89 Scorpion

12. Which of the following engines were used on the B-17 Flying Fortress?
 - a. R-4360
 - b. R-3350
 - c. R-1820
 - d. R-1360

13. How many B-17 Flying Fortresses were built by WW2's end?
 - a. 10,000+
 - b. 11,000+
 - c. 12,000+
 - d. 13,000+

14. Which country used the majority of the P-63 Kingcobra fighters during WW2?
 - a. United States
 - b. Russia
 - c. England
 - d. Poland

(Upper Floor)

15. Which aircraft dropped the atomic bombs on Japan in August 1945?
 - a. B-17 Flying Fortress
 - b. B-24 Liberator
 - c. B-26 Marauder
 - d. B-29 Super Fortress

ROSIE THE RIVETER

(Upper Floor)

16. Why did American women go to work during World War 2?
 - a. Many of the male workers were drafted into the Service
 - b. Industry had to meet the increased demands placed on America due to the war
 - c. Women wanted to do their part to help win the war
 - d. All of the above

TUSKEGEE AIRMEN EXHIBIT
(Upper Floor)

17. What African-American squadron did the War Department form in January 1941?
- a. The Flying Tigers
 - b. 99th Pursuit Squadron
 - c. 100th Fighter Squadron
 - d. 301st Fighter Squadron
18. Benjamin O. Davis was the commander of 99th Fighter Squadron, the 332 Fighter Group, and the 477th Composite Group. What year did he become the first African American general in the United States Air Force?
- a. 1954
 - b. 1956
 - c. 1958
 - d. 1960
19. Which of the following did Charles “Chief” Anderson accomplish?
- a. Learned how to fly in 1928
 - b. First African American to earn his commercial pilot’s license
 - c. Taught first advanced (secondary) course at Tuskegee in 1940
 - d. All of the above
20. The 332nd Fighter Group painted the tails of their P-51 airplanes red. What type of missions did the 332nd Fighter Group fly for the 12th and 15th Army Air Forces?
- a. Cargo (airplane) escort missions
 - b. Bomber (aircraft) escort missions
 - c. Naval (ship) escort missions
 - d. Ground (Army) support missions