

The Big Rocking Horse of Gumeracha

General Knowledge · Practice Test · 21 Questions

1. What is the name of the structure described in the text?

- A) The Giant Seesaw
- B) The Big Rocking Horse
- C) The Australian Outback Giant
- D) Gumeracha's Giant Toy

2. Where is The Big Rocking Horse located?

- A) Gumeracha, South Australia
- B) Torrens Valley, Victoria
- C) Adelaide Hills, New South Wales
- D) Gumeracha, Queensland

3. What makes this rocking horse unique in the world?

- A) It is the oldest rocking horse
- B) It is made of wood
- C) It is the only one of its kind
- D) It is the tallest toy in the world

4. What material is the structure entirely built of?

- A) Wood
- B) Steel
- C) Concrete
- D) Aluminum

5. Approximately how much concrete is used to anchor the structure?

- A) 25 tonnes
- B) 80 tonnes
- C) 10.5 tonnes
- D) 18.3 tonnes

6. What is the total weight of The Big Rocking Horse structure?

- A) 80 tonnes
- B) 18.3 tonnes
- C) 25 tonnes
- D) 10.5 tonnes

7. What is the height of The Big Rocking Horse to the top of its head?

- A) 10.5 Metres
- B) 2.4 Metres
- C) 6.1 Metres
- D) 18.3 Metres

8. What is the body length of The Big Rocking Horse?

- A) 18.3 Metres
- B) 2.4 Metres
- C) 10.5 Metres
- D) 6.1 Metres

9. What is the body height of The Big Rocking Horse?

- A) 10.5 Metres
- B) 2.4 Metres
- C) 6.1 Metres
- D) 18.3 Metres

10. What is the height from the ground to the top of the horse's head?

- A) 10.7 Metres
- B) 18.3 Metres
- C) 4.6 Metres
- D) 6.1 Metres

11. How many observation platforms are there on The Big Rocking Horse?

- A) 2
- B) 4
- C) 3
- D) 5

12. At what height is the observation platform located at the saddle?

- A) 4.6 Metres
- B) 18.3 Metres
- C) 6.1 Metres
- D) 10.7 Metres

13. The Big Rocking Horse is a scaled-up version of what?

- A) A toy train
- B) A wooden rocking horse sold in the gift shop
- C) A carousel horse
- D) A statue of a horse

14. Who created and officially opened The Big Rocking Horse?

- A) The Miller family
- B) The Penno family
- C) The Gous family
- D) The Wilkinson family

15. In what year was The Big Rocking Horse created and opened?

- A) 2004
- B) 2009
- C) 1981
- D) 2024

16. Which family sold The Big Rocking Horse to the Miller family in 2004?

- A) The Gous family
- B) The Penno family
- C) The Wilkinson family
- D) The text does not state the seller

17. In what year did the Gous family purchase The Big Rocking Horse?

- A) 2004
- B) 1981
- C) 2024
- D) 2009

18. Which family currently owns The Big Rocking Horse?

- A) The Gous family
- B) The Miller family
- C) The Penno family
- D) The Wilkinson family

19. What new attractions did the Penno family add to the park in 2024?

- A) A Ferris wheel and a carousel
- B) A petting zoo and a playground
- C) Minigolf and the BIG park bench
- D) A water slide and a maze

20. The big park bench was built in honor of whom?

- A) Wal Wilkinson
- B) Peter Parsons
- C) A member of the Penno family
- D) The longest-serving employee of the toy factory

21. Who has been assembling toys in the factory since 1983?

- A) Wal Wilkinson
- B) Peter Parsons
- C) The original owner
- D) The current owner