

Five Points Scavenger Hunt



Welcome to the Five Points neighborhood in Denver, Colorado! This remarkable area has a rich and vibrant history. Given its name due to its location at the five-way intersection of Washington Street, 27th Street, 26th Avenue, and Welton Street, Five Points is one of Denver's oldest neighborhoods. The city's first street railroad, the Denver Horse Railroad Company, connected Five Points with downtown Denver in 1871. Five Points soon became the focal point of activities for the African American community. Today, efforts to renew and revitalize the neighborhood have begun so future generations can appreciate the historic structures that make this area unique. During this scavenger hunt you will be searching the surrounding area for important buildings located throughout the neighborhood.

Items you will need: Pencil and smart phone. Use your map and clues to answer the following questions as you tour the city. Begin your hunt on **Washington Street**.

1. To get to your first stop head **north** on **Washington Street** and take a **right** onto **Welton Street**. Turn **left** onto **29th Street** and then a **right** onto **California Street**. Make your way to **3091 California Street**. (Walking time ≈ 10 minute)

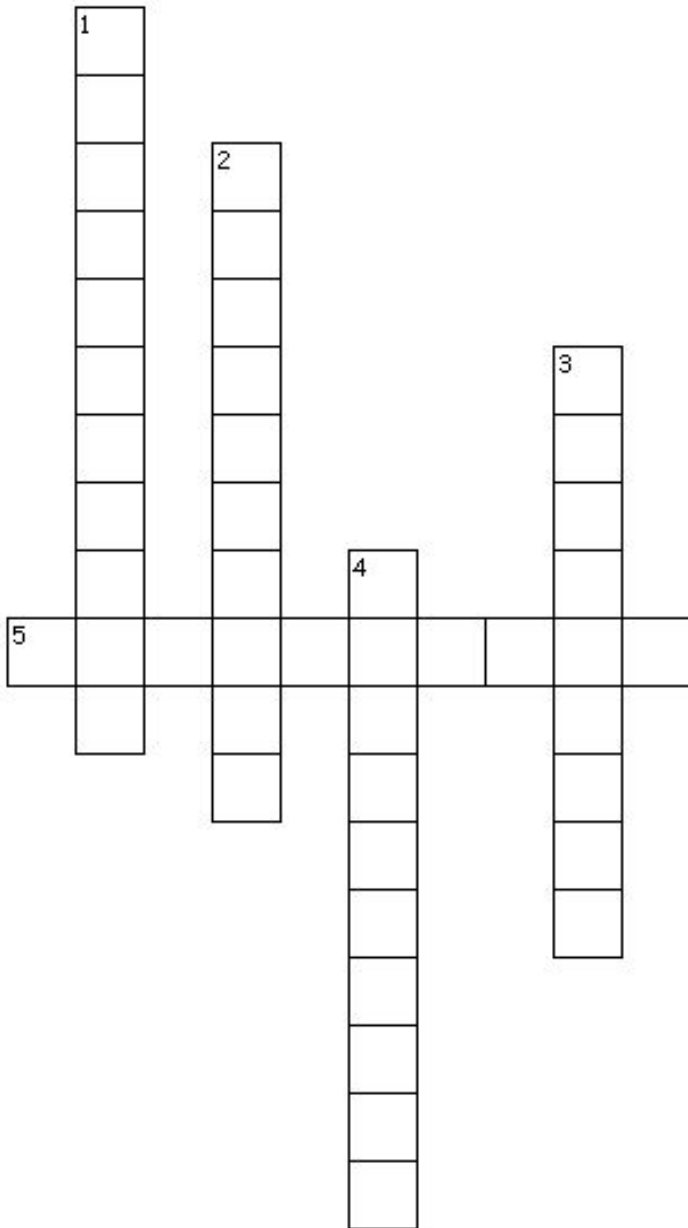
Founded in 1971 by Paul W. Stewart, the **Black American West Museum** is dedicated to collecting, preserving, and disseminating the contributions of African Americans in the Old West. To complete this stop on your hunt, use the Denver Story Trek smartphone application and listen to site #19 for the Black American West Museum. Then complete the activity below. The various words, that when entered correctly in the list, will spell your next location in the highlighted boxes.

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5. The audio guide tells you to visit an exhibit in the museum on buffalo _____.	<table border="1" style="margin: auto;"> <tr> <td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="background-color: yellow; width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td> <td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td> </tr> </table>											
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Your next stop is 2830 Lawrence Street, the Sacred Heart School.

2. Next, head **southwest** on **California Street** towards 30th and take a **right** onto **30th Street**. Turn **left** onto **Lawrence Street**. Located at 2830 Lawrence Street you will find the **Sacred Heart School**. (Walking time ≈ 11 minutes)

To move on to your next stop you must first fill in this crossword puzzle. Once you are in front of the Sacred Heart School, use your smartphone to log onto the Denver Public Library’s “Creating Communities” application. Find the entry about your location then complete the puzzle below.



Across

5. This 1890 building is in what revival style?

Down

1. Classrooms were located to optimize natural lighting and _____.
2. What student population used the building until 1979?
3. The _____ utilized the open, centrally-located auditorium.
4. What type of art program was the school noted for?

3. To get to your next destination head **southwest** on **Lawrence Street** toward 28th Street and turn **left** onto **Broadway**. Situated at **2342 Broadway** you will find the **Delaney Carriage Company Building**. (Walking time \approx 9 minutes)

This building is a rare surviving example of a former carriage fabrication and repair facility, an industry that disappeared in the early 20th century as automobiles replaced the horse-drawn carriage and wagon as the dominate means of transportation. From 1901-1917, the Delaney Carriage Company manufactured and repaired horse-drawn carriages. The building then went on to serve as the location of Scotts Auto Body, further representing the city's industrial and commercial adjustment in response to the rise of the automobile.

The **façade** (front of building) consists of a change made in ca. 1921 when the north corner of the building was removed to accommodate the new Broadway right-of-way. The change left the building with a new address on Broadway.

Take a look at the picture below from 1902. What features (if any) are still visible today? *Circle the ones you find and take a picture of it.*



4. Your last stop is located at **2363 Blake Street**. To get there, head **north** on **Broadway** towards Lawrence and take a **left** onto **Larimer Street** and then a **right** onto **24th Street** then turn **left** onto **Blake Street**.
(Walking time ≈ 5 minutes)

From 1888 until 1910 the Pacific Express Company delivered railroad freight out of this building. The company's wagons were housed on the first floor and the horses were in the basement level. The Pacific Express Stable has significance as a relatively unaltered 19th century stable building and has retained much of its original interior and exterior integrity.

The Pacific Express Stable/Francis J. Fisher Building was posted to the National Register of Historic Places on September 20, 1984. To find out how to list a property on the National Register of Historic Places go to <http://www.nps.gov/nr/index.htm>.

To be considered eligible, a property must meet the National Register Criteria for Evaluation. This involves examining the property's

_____, _____, and _____.

Thank you for participating in the Five Points scavenger hunt!

