



Winter Facts Scavenger Hunt

Here are 10 fun questions about winter – how quickly can you answer them all?

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8,962 snow angels were made in Bismarck, North Dakota

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Six

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-128.6° F in Antarctica

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When the sun is at the most southern point in the sky. This happens on December 21 or 22 each year

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15 inches (38 cm) wide and was found in Fort Keogh, Montana

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76 inches, which fell in Silver Lake, Colorado in 1921

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Spiders

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122 feet in Bethel, Maine

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Chionophobia

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-15° F