

on horseback. What's he fighting? square!) Check out the statue of a knight tour the church's piazza. (That's Italian for bell tower and the Tyndall stone facade. Now Admire its smooth modern style, the 40-foot

#### 510 River Ave, 1967 Holy Rosary Roman Catholic Church,

entrance. What numbers are on the door handles? a pool, sauna and shops. Walk right up to the front even called it a "posh address". When it opened it had apartment building in the city. The Winnipeg Free Press Standing thirty storeys tall, this used to be the tallest

#### 55 Nassau Street, 1970

statues in the front wall look like giant trophies? Gallery even owned it at one point. Don't those and field champ and a ballerina. The Winnipeg Art including a lieutenant governor's son, a national track this home has boasted some prominent owners, One of the last mansions standing in Osborne Village,

#### Moss & Kantor House, 218 Roslyn Road, 1901

bungalows. Which one would you like to call home? On your stroll, admire the cute mid-century behind the hustle and bustle of the neighbourhood. Osborne Village. Visit Roslyn Crescent and leave Surprise! There's a touch of quiet suburbia in

#### Roslyn Crescent

like to have? balconies and decks! Which one would you older neighbour. Look at all the different designed in an L shape to make room for its This contemporary apartment block is

#### OZ Condos, 90 Bole Street, 2014

garage. Sign of the times! residents' horses was turned into a parking the Great Depression hit. In 1954, a barn for was as elegant as a building could be when of Fort William tapestry brick, the Locarno Incked into the end of the street and made

## Locarno Apartments, 1 Roslyn Road, 1929

This Gothic Revival church, like many others in the

Unlike most other old buildings in Osborne Village,

changed. It's still an apartment block with six units

designed in the Prairie school style. But one thing is

different: Its name! Can you tell what it used to be?

Gladstone School, 500 Gertrude Avenue, 1962

How do you like the colourful mosaic murals? They're a highlight of Gladstone's stylish modern

design. The school actually got its start as a two-

room school house, not far from here. Can you

guess what year that was? There's a hint on the

Back in the day, this building's design was

were meant to look spacey and futuristic.

80s, it's been a late-night dessert spot.

Originally, it was a pharmacy. Since the early

considered super groovy. Its curved glass walls

this handsome and sturdy structure has barely

area, is a historic site. Admire the stained glass.

What colour is most prominent? Now look up at

the clock. Those are roman numerals! Do you

St. Luke's Anglican Church,

know what the numbers are?

544 Wardlaw Avenue, 1906

Wardlaw Apartments,

front of the building!

**Baked Expectations,** 

161 Osborne Street, 1954

130 Nassau Street, 1905

year and month was the building officially dedicated? balconies, then check out the plaques in front. What tour equal arms, was condo-ized in 2013. Admire the church, designed in the form of a Greek cross with People used to pray here. Now they live here! This

#### 511 River Avenue, 1910 First Church of Christ Scientist,

home to tycoons, horses and luxury cars. at the turn of the 20th century. It was Kilmorie, a sprawling estate that was built This grand old gate is all that remains of

#### across from Moss & Kantor House Nanton Gates and Stable,

overlooking the Assiniboine River. pack terrace, with a swimming pool match its name. It's also known for its block has a fountain in the lobby to This fancy, out-of-the-way apartment

#### Fountain House, 300 Roslyn Road, 1964

Legislature. Can you tell which one is tallest? are angled for good views of the Manitoba it was actually the first to be built. All three the most modern of the three towers, but Thanks to re-cladding, 1 Evergreen looks like

#### 1, 7 and 11 Evergreen Place, 1970s and 80s

## **MEST OF OSBORNE STREET**

side to the other? What's different about the bricks from one Since 1972, it's been an apartment block. with three large turrets that are sadly gone. This building was the original Victoria Hospital,

#### River Manor Apartments, 424 River Avenue, 1912

light fixtures do you see above the front entrance? 30 patients. Now, it's an office building! How many house for many. After that, it was a nursing home for then after the Great Depression it became a boarding change. It started as a home for one wealthy family, This Queen Anne style building has seen a lot of

## J.C. Falls House, 36 Roslyn Road, 1907

## Crescent Fort Rouge United Church, 525 Wardlaw Avenue, 1910

Like its neighbour St. Luke's, this church is all about the Gothic Revival. Look at the towers. Which one is taller? Now look at the plaque on the right side of the entrance to discover the church's original name.

#### Trinity Baptist Church, 549 Gertrude Avenue, 1909

This grand place of worship mixes a few different styles - Romanesque revival, Gothic and Tudor. One of Trinity Baptist's most unique features are its rose windows. Count how many petals they have!

#### River Osborne Community Centre, 101 Pembina Highway, 1988

In the 1960s this space was called Metro Park, with a sunken "bear pit" that was meant to be a cool hangout spot. When it was replaced by the community centre, only the park's Brutalist concrete sign remained.

#### Bank of Montreal, 464 Stradbrook Avenue, 1905

For almost a century, BMO owned this Classical Revival building, made with Menominee brick and Tyndall limestone. In 1999, it became a cookware store. Look up at the new sign. What kitchen appliance do you see?

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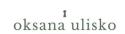
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#### much bigger neighbours. Would you prefer to live in a small building — or a tall one? The Saigon is a modern, boxy twist on the city's classic three storey walkups. This one is surrounded by

## Anne revival style. the house's peak. They help show off its Queen cottage-y feel. Look at the circular patterns on

original fireplace and stained glass, as well as a

These days it's an office building but it retains its

Leslie Ironside House, 94 Roslyn Road, 1895

This house was eventually split into a duplex.

Gaze up at the turrets! What colour are they?

could be five storeys instead of the usual three.

was a hefty price back then made heftier by

expensive fireproofing permits so that the building

with 36 suites, cost just \$212,500 to build. But that

and windows — a common feature in Gothic admire all the pointed arches on the doorways

a cross. What do you think it looks like? Now

village. Look up, up, waaaaay up. That's not

Augustine Church, 444 River Avenue, 1904

Augustine's steeple stands tall over the

This historic Queen Anne-style castle, complete

Roslyn Court, 40 Osborne Street, 1909

Revival design.

Spanish elements. are architectural style that mixes Tudor and Today, you can still admire the Blackstone's was declared "in vogue" by the Winnipeg Tribune. suites for almost a century. When it opened, it This cute stucco building has rocked 18 apartment

Saigon Apartments, 51 Roslyn Road, 1952

#### Blackstone Apartments, 100 Roslyn Road, 1927

into a theatre! Look at the mural and find the became an Esso station. In 1983, it was turned gas pump owned by Imperial Oil. In 1966, it used to be a gas station! At first, it was just a Guess what? The Gas Station Theatre actually

#### Gas Station Theatre, 161 Osborne Street, 1914

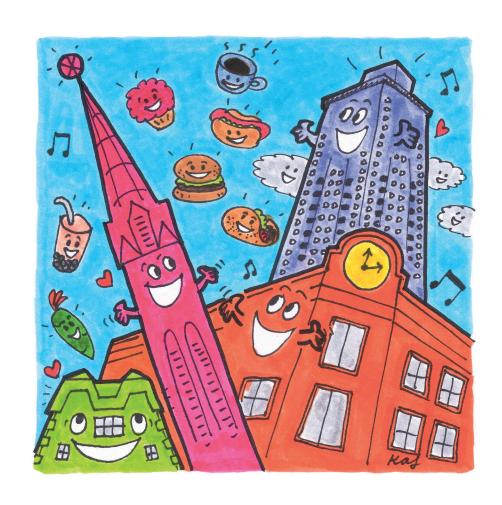
up at the faded mural. What colour is the wine Now, it's all business. Stand on the corner and look strip. Originally, the Courtyard had apartments. welcomed shoppers to the village's commercial For over a century, this grand structure has

#### The Courtyard, 100 Osborne Street, 1910

#### EAST OF OSBORNE STREET

details and answer our questions! to learn how the buildings have evolved. Search for special of Osborne Village's architectural wonders. Read our fun facts more! Fuel up at a local cafe and restaurant, then take a tour Classical, Gothic, Queen Anne, Romanesque, Modern — and years old. Others are brand new. Each one has its own style: most eclectic architecture. Some buildings are over a hundred pets and neat boutiques. The area also has some of the city's in Winnipeg. Look around and you'll see colourful people, cute Welcome to Osborne Village! It's the coolest neighbourhood

# **EXPLORE** OSBORNE VILLAGE!



## an architecture tour for kids

