National Churchill Museum Scavenger Hunt

Find the answers to the following questions by reading the exhibit panels and watching the videos. Questions are divided according to the museum exhibit.

“Growing Pains”
1. When and where was Winston Churchill born?
2. What was the “magic lantern”?
3. Who were his parents?
4. What was the name of Churchill’s nanny?
5. Why did Churchill not do well in school?
6. What subject(s) did he like the most?
7. What educational institution did Churchill qualify to attend?
8. How many times did Churchill take the entrance exam?

“The Sword & the Pen”
9. What regiment did Churchill join to begin his career as a soldier?
10. How did Churchill supplement his Army income?
11. After fighting in the Boer War, Churchill decided to pursue a career in politics. How was he able to make a name for himself (i.e. became popular quickly)?

“The Glow Worm”
12. To what political party was Churchill elected to Parliament in the 1900 election?
13. In 1904, what political party did he join?
14. Whom did Winston Churchill marry?
15. What incident was Churchill criticized for when he was Home Secretary in 1910?
“Admiralty, Army & Arsenal”
16. What removed Churchill from politics during WWI?

17. Write down three facts from the World War I display.
   a. 
   b. 
   c.

18. What two inventions transformed warfare during World War I?
   a. 
   b.

“The Ins & Outs of Power”
19. Out of office and frustrated with his inability to influence the course of war, Churchill took up what hobby?

“Gathering Storm”
20. When did Britain and France declare war on Nazi Germany?

“Never Give In”
21. When did Churchill become Prime Minister of Britain?

22. What was the name of the electronic computer used to crack secret codes (use the dials to crack the code and find the answer)?

23. What does R.A.F. stand for?

24. Who is John F. Lutz?

“Sinews of Peace”
25. When did Churchill visit Fulton? Why?

26. What was the name of Churchill’s famous speech that he gave in Fulton?

27. What hand sign became a powerful morale weapon, which Churchill used constantly?

Churchill’s Personal Side (room with his paintings)
28. What was the name of Churchill’s dog?