

**AQUAE SULIS** Stage 21 *nomen meum est .....*



1. On which river is the city of Bath?
2. How much hot water comes out of the ground every day?

At what temperature?

3. How far down in the Earth has it been?
4. Which people believed in a goddess Sulis?

The spring was not disturbed by these people. What did the Romans build around it?



5. How many plunge baths were there heated by the spring?



How were some other baths heated?

What were the pipes made of?

6. What kind of people travelled a long way to bathe in the waters there?

Where had Rusonia Aventina come from?

What evidence is there that she probably went because she was ill?

7. Where had Julius Vitalis travelled from?



8. The spring was in the central area of the baths complex. On one side of it were the baths; what building was in a large courtyard on the other side?

9. What did the Romans now call the goddess?

10. When someone died after swimming in the water in 1978, they had dig down in order to clean the spring, and so archaeologists had a chance to excavate more than previously.

Which details did they find out?

What different things were found which had probably been thrown into the spring as offerings - or for another purpose?

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