**River Penk**

* The River Penk is a small river flowing though [Staffordshire](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Staffordshire&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhi7_DBBC0rFiwVqdrwk0Lb6kL9FvQ) , [England](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/England&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh3lEyubWAREPBjQ2pc3i_vVUMbvg) .De rivier Penk is een kleine rivier maar [Staffordshire](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Staffordshire&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhi7_DBBC0rFiwVqdrwk0Lb6kL9FvQ) , [Engeland](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/England&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh3lEyubWAREPBjQ2pc3i_vVUMbvg) . Its course is mainly within [South Staffordshire](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Staffordshire&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhijjXPKGmHadbk_sRVT1ClkS_vbzA) , and it drains most of the northern part of that district, together with some adjoining areas of [Cannock Chase](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cannock_Chase_(district)&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhisxWCiFyvGEn8NXXqbJAaukKtVAQ) , [Stafford](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Stafford_(borough)&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjVXG72vbpy4oxkD52jAfZpclz4YQ) , [Wolverhampton](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wolverhampton&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg1Tca66Xgfm_x0MSczi7l0p2djVQ) , and [Shropshire](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Shropshire&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhj1RkEZ-Xwt6MWpJ1cqBMFVdMEcdA) .
* De cursus is voornamelijk binnen [South Staffordshire](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Staffordshire&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhijjXPKGmHadbk_sRVT1ClkS_vbzA) , en het riool de meeste van het noordelijk deel van deze wijk, samen met enkele aangrenzende gebieden van [Cannock Chase](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cannock_Chase_(district)&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhisxWCiFyvGEn8NXXqbJAaukKtVAQ) , [Stafford](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Stafford_(borough)&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjVXG72vbpy4oxkD52jAfZpclz4YQ) , [Wolverhampton](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wolverhampton&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg1Tca66Xgfm_x0MSczi7l0p2djVQ) en [Shropshire](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Shropshire&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhj1RkEZ-Xwt6MWpJ1cqBMFVdMEcdA) . It flows into the [River Sow](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Sow&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh5MoUMYAxGB3VUbf0XiTAGXIs7Hw) , which is a tributary of the [River Trent](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Trent&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgXOnfciPC97jadC7YL8lOv-lDL0g) , so its waters flow ultimately into the [North Sea](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/North_Sea&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiW9tRo4_YyxowDLjud1SC5Dx8vgQ) via the [Humber Estuary](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Humber_Estuary&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgoayeVkOY5GpLoOmmzjCSAoWE8hg) .
* Het mondt uit in de [rivier de Sow](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Sow&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh5MoUMYAxGB3VUbf0XiTAGXIs7Hw) , dat is een zijrivier van de [rivier Trent](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Trent&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgXOnfciPC97jadC7YL8lOv-lDL0g) , dus het water stroomt uiteindelijk in de [Noordzee](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/North_Sea&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiW9tRo4_YyxowDLjud1SC5Dx8vgQ) via de [Humber-estuarium](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Humber_Estuary&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgoayeVkOY5GpLoOmmzjCSAoWE8hg) .

**[** [**edit**](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php%3Ftitle%3DRiver_Penk%26action%3Dedit%26section%3D1&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjWw8HoaoS_sdZseeBgaXDHqh02lg) **] EtymologyEtymologie**

* The name "Penk" is actually a [back-formation](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Back-formation&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgJj170-pI2i-5LHMD6UkpXvR6kkA) [[ 1 ]](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Penk&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjjBZfaOMSp4dkB1qQK0xk8HHoegQ#cite_note-0) from the [toponym](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Toponym&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjTSPp-aBz1ziLTDcd4oejK1FbX7w) [Penkridge](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Penkridge&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhBN9bO7O0Fh2GuDR0oVFnKBqhFRQ) .De naam "Penk" is eigenlijk een [back-vorming](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Back-formation&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgJj170-pI2i-5LHMD6UkpXvR6kkA) van het [toponiem](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Toponym&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjTSPp-aBz1ziLTDcd4oejK1FbX7w) [Penkridge](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Penkridge&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhBN9bO7O0Fh2GuDR0oVFnKBqhFRQ) . This was understood to mean "ridge by the Penk"; hence the river was assumed to be the Penk.
* Dit werd verstaan "ridge door het Penk", vandaar de rivier werd van uitgegaan dat Penk worden. In reality the settlement name is from Celtic roots: pen crug , signifying the crest of a hill, or a main mound or tumulus.
* In werkelijkheid is de afwikkeling naam is van Keltische roots: pen crug, betekenende de top van een heuvel, of een grafheuvel of tumulus belangrijkste. From this was derived the name of a Roman fort in the area, Pennocrucium , from which the present town takes its name. [Margaret Gelling](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Margaret_Gelling&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjrNPzXs4xGcrvasV6WAcesdkQJhw) has proposed a precise location for the mound, now destroyed by ploughing, that gave both the town and the river the names [[ 2 ]](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Penk&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjjBZfaOMSp4dkB1qQK0xk8HHoegQ#cite_note-1) .
* Hieruit werd afgeleid van de naam van een Romeins fort in het gebied, Pennocrucium, waaruit de huidige stad zijn naam ontleent.
* [Margaret Gelling](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Margaret_Gelling&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjrNPzXs4xGcrvasV6WAcesdkQJhw) heeft voorgesteld om een precieze locatie voor de heuvel, die nu vernietigd door ploegen, dat de gaven zowel de stad en de rivier namen.

 **[** [**edit**](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/w/index.php%3Ftitle%3DRiver_Penk%26action%3Dedit%26section%3D2&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjT5Ussebk63NCTlcNYn5GeMcrANQ) **] CourseCursus**

* The general course of the Penk is a descent from the mid-Severn sandstone section of the Midlands Plateau to the Cheshire-Shropshire-Staffordshire plain.Het algemene verloop van de Penk is een afdaling vanaf het midden van de Severn zandsteen deel van de Midlands naar Plateau-de Cheshire Shropshire Staffordshire-vlakte. Along much of its length, the Penk is shadowed to within a few miles by the [Staffordshire and Worcestershire Canal](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Staffordshire_and_Worcestershire_Canal&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhW3IhUT2dh3OzxBax1mh37dazJMQ) .
* Langs een groot deel van zijn lengte, Penk is de beschaduwde binnen een paar mijl door de [Staffordshire en Worcestershire Canal](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Staffordshire_and_Worcestershire_Canal&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhW3IhUT2dh3OzxBax1mh37dazJMQ) .
* The Penk rises in the centre of the village of [Perton](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Perton&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhguKPEKzf_ok8OprDGgMfj7_-bSTA) , [South Staffordshire](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Staffordshire&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhijjXPKGmHadbk_sRVT1ClkS_vbzA) , approximately three miles west-north-west of [Wolverhampton](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wolverhampton&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg1Tca66Xgfm_x0MSczi7l0p2djVQ) .De Penk stijgt in het centrum van het dorp [Perton](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Perton&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhguKPEKzf_ok8OprDGgMfj7_-bSTA) , [South Staffordshire](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/South_Staffordshire&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhijjXPKGmHadbk_sRVT1ClkS_vbzA) , ongeveer drie mijl west-noord-westen van [Wolverhampton](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Wolverhampton&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhg1Tca66Xgfm_x0MSczi7l0p2djVQ). The Penk itself flows entirely within Staffordshire, skirting around the Wolverhampton suburbs of [Tettenhall](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tettenhall&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgwZzy_wNFNLVjqVGl2A15bmtpCXw) and [Pendeford](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pendeford&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjDkljPCLUJdqi7AI0DLKnokmMORA) , although it is joined on its right by a number of streams from within Wolverhampton, as well, on the left, the Moat Brook, which drains Oaken, Codsall and Bilbrook.
* De Penk zelf stroomt volledig binnen Staffordshire, plinten rond de voorsteden van Wolverhampton [Tettenhall](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tettenhall&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgwZzy_wNFNLVjqVGl2A15bmtpCXw) en [Pendeford](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Pendeford&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjDkljPCLUJdqi7AI0DLKnokmMORA) , ook al is toegetreden op zijn recht door een aantal van stromen uit binnen Wolverhampton, alsmede aan de linkerkant, de gracht Brook, die drains Oaken, Codsall en Bilbrook. It flows through the village of [Coven](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Coven,_Staffordshire&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhGLq1Qk637iNoDLNm4oY3L89FrWw) and is then joined by a major tributary, the [Saredon](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Saredon&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhygyeP5dHVAg4YI5DGBRj5KJi-qw) Brook, which drains the area around [Cheslyn Hay](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cheslyn_Hay&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjbMIJKbsoY5MLePcDaOA9x1LTtBQ) and [Great Wyrley](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Great_Wyrley&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiNLy_W1SiFuEOiIS9klmvzQvC3TA) .
* Het stroomt door het dorp [Coven](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Coven,_Staffordshire&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhGLq1Qk637iNoDLNm4oY3L89FrWw) en wordt dan vergezeld door een belangrijke zijrivier, de [Saredon](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Saredon&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhygyeP5dHVAg4YI5DGBRj5KJi-qw) Brook, die ongeveer het riool op het gebied [cheslyn Hay](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cheslyn_Hay&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhjbMIJKbsoY5MLePcDaOA9x1LTtBQ) en [Groot-Wyrley](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Great_Wyrley&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiNLy_W1SiFuEOiIS9klmvzQvC3TA) .
* It then flows north to the market town of [Penkridge](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Penkridge&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhBN9bO7O0Fh2GuDR0oVFnKBqhFRQ) , where it turns east and is joined by the Whiston Brook - a tributary which drains a substantial area, stretching out into Shropshire. Vervolgens stroomt het noorden tot de markt van de stad [Penkridge](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Penkridge&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhBN9bO7O0Fh2GuDR0oVFnKBqhFRQ) , waar het draait oosten en wordt vergezeld door de Whiston Brook - een zijrivier welk gebied afvoeren van een substantiële en strekt zich uit in Shropshire. Turning north again, it flows across the plain, past [Acton Trussell](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Acton_Trussell&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgMq6TYq4u-y4y-LNKrR17TZa1BoQ) and into a marshy area, where numerous drains have been constructed and brooks canalised to contain flooding.
* Wat weer ten noorden, stroomt het over de vlakte, langs [Acton Trussell](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Acton_Trussell&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgMq6TYq4u-y4y-LNKrR17TZa1BoQ) en in een moerassig gebied, waar talloze riolen zijn aangelegd en beken gekanaliseerd om overstromingen te bevatten. Passing on to [Baswich](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Baswich&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhu4HvgKiYpIzgnjQG2R2NV5p5jEw) on the outskirts of [Stafford](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Stafford&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhin4giaW4-yX_LsXRbLWJxAFzZKtg) , it joins the [River Sow](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Sow&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh5MoUMYAxGB3VUbf0XiTAGXIs7Hw) , which itself soon empties into the [River Trent](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Trent&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgXOnfciPC97jadC7YL8lOv-lDL0g) - a major river which will empty ultimately via the [Humber](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Humber&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiZT3wtjpLp6KizrdW6VweJi7sOvw) into the [North Sea](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/North_Sea&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiW9tRo4_YyxowDLjud1SC5Dx8vgQ) .
* Dan over [Baswich](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Baswich&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhhu4HvgKiYpIzgnjQG2R2NV5p5jEw) aan de rand van [Stafford](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Stafford&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhin4giaW4-yX_LsXRbLWJxAFzZKtg) , hij samenkomt met de [rivier de Sow](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Sow&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhh5MoUMYAxGB3VUbf0XiTAGXIs7Hw) , die binnenkort zelf uitmondt in de [rivier de Trent](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/River_Trent&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhgXOnfciPC97jadC7YL8lOv-lDL0g) - een grote rivier die het legen van de uiteindelijk via de [Humber](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Humber&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiZT3wtjpLp6KizrdW6VweJi7sOvw) in de [Noordzee](http://translate.googleusercontent.com/translate_c?hl=nl&langpair=en%7Cnl&u=http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/North_Sea&rurl=translate.google.nl&usg=ALkJrhiW9tRo4_YyxowDLjud1SC5Dx8vgQ) .