

Lancaster Quiz League 24 September 2012.

This quiz has been set by the Golden Lion A. Normal rules apply.
(Note for question person: - Answers required are in bold).

Round 1 - Questions on Entertainment

- 1a) Which Jane Austen novel was the basis for Alicia Silverstone's movie "Clueless"? **Emma**
- 1b) What was Nicole Kidman paid £2million for wearing in a 2003 commercial that the viewers couldn't even see she had on? **Chanel No 5**
- 2a) Which multiple 2003 Grammy winner is the daughter of the sitar virtuoso Ravi Shankar? **Nora Jones**
- 2b) Which 52 year old became Britain's oldest female singles chart topper in 1998? **Cher**
- 3a) What word completes the title of Badly Drawn Boys' album "*One Plus One is*"? **One**
- 3b) Which male artist was one of the two responsible for designing the cover of The Beatles Sgt. Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band album? **Peter Blake**
- 4a) Who married his personal manager Sharon Arden in 1982? **Ozzy Osborne**
- 4b). Who's "*I have a dream*", was the last UK chart topper of the 20th Century? **Westlife**
- Spare:** What colour is Dipsy the Teletubby? **Green**

Round 2 - Monarch Burial Places

Archaeologists think they have found the burial site of Richard III's body in a car park in Leicester. Here are some questions about current burial sites of British monarchs.

- 1a) Who was the last monarch to be buried at Westminster Abbey? **George II**
- 1b) Which monarch is buried at Gloucester Cathedral? **Edward II**
- 2a) The remains of Harold Godwinson (of 1066 fame) are buried at which abbey in Essex? **Waltham Abbey**
- 2b) Name one of the two monarchs buried at the Frogmore Estate at Windsor? **Victoria or Edward VIII**
- 3a) Which monarch is buried at Worcester Cathedral? **John**
- 3b) King Aethelstan (died 939 AD/CE) is buried at which abbey in Wiltshire? **Malmesbury**
- 4a) What is the name of the chapel at Windsor where all monarchs since George III (excluding Victoria & Edward VIII) are buried? **St George's**
- 4b) Every Scottish monarch (except for two) from 858 - 1058 AD/CE are buried where? **Iona Abbey**

Spare: Who was the first monarch to be buried at Westminster Abbey?

Edward the Confessor

Round 3 - Gods And Goddesses

The Romans and Greeks had many Gods and Goddesses. They had different names for the same God or Goddess - eg The Greek God of love was Eros, the Roman God of love was Cupid. Give the names of the equivalent Greek and Roman God or Goddess for the following: -

(Note: One point for one correct answer and 3 points for both. Both correct answers required for a pass.)

(Note to question masters: in some cases there are alternative answers — accept any of the given answers. You may need to be flexible with pronunciation!) (also G=Greek, R=Roman)

1a) The God of the Sea? **G: Poseidon or Triton, R: Neptune**

1b) The God of the Sun? **G: Apollo or Helios, R: Phoebus or Sol**

2a) The God of Thunder? **G: Zeus, R: Jove or Jupiter - also accept Tonas)**

2b) The Messenger of the Gods? **G: Hermes, R : Mercury**

3a) The Goddess of Wisdom and Arts? **G: Athene , R: Minerva**

3b) The Goddess of Love? **G: Aphrodite, R: Venus**

4a) The Goddess of Beauty? **G: Aphrodite or Artemis, R: Diana or Venus**

4b) The Goddess of Victory? **G: Nike R: Victoria**

Spare: The God of Wine? **G: Dionysus, R: Bacchus**

Round 4 - Days of the Week

All questions have a day of the week in either the question or the answer

1a) Which group had a hit with *Blue Monday* in 1983? **New Order**

1b) What was the name of the gangster movie starring Bob Hoskins and Helen Mirren released in 1979? **The Long Good Friday**

2a) Which actor was nominated for an Oscar for her appearance in *Looking for Mr Goodbar* in 1977? **Tuesday Weld**

2b) Thursday Next is the heroine in a series of books written by which author? **Jasper Fforde**

3a) What name was given to the 16th September 1992 when the UK left the European Rate Mechanism? **Black Wednesday**

3b) Which female singer had a hit with her version of the Rolling Stones *Ruby Tuesday* in 1970? **Melanie Safka**

4a) Which author wrote *Saturday Night and Sunday Morning*?

Alan **Sillitoe**

4b) Who was the main character in the TV series (and movie) *Dragnet* ?

Joe Friday

Spare: - Who wrote the book "*The Man who was Thursday*"?

G K Chesterton

Round 5 - Shakespeare's Comedies

You will be given two clues to a Shakespeare play — the first is the setting and the main characters, and the second is an outline of the plot. Can you name the play? 3 points if you name the play after 1 clue. 1 point if you name the play after 2 clues.

If you answer incorrectly at any stage, you get no points, and it becomes a pass. For a pass, you will get both clues, and a correct answer will score 1 point.

1a)

Setting: Comedy set in and around the Forest of Arden; Characters include Frederick, Celia, Rosalind, Orlando and Oliver.

Plot: Frederick has usurped his brother's dukedom: Rosalind disguises herself as a boy called Ganymede, Oliver is attacked by a lion, Rosalind marries Orlando.

Answer: **As You Like It**

1b)

Setting: Comedy set in Navarre, France; Characters include Ferdinand, King of Navarre, Dull, the constable, and Costard the clown.

Plot: Ferdinand has resolved to abstain from the company of women for three years. When the King of France arrives with his daughter and three ladies-in-waiting, Ferdinand falls in love with the Princess. When the King of France dies, the Princess has to return home, and vows to return to Ferdinand in a year's time.

Answer: **Love's Labour Lost**

2a)

Setting: Comedy set in Vienna; Characters include Vincentio, Duke of Vienna, Angelo, his deputy, Claudio, Juliet and Isabella.

Plot: Vincentio disguises himself as Friar Lodowick to see how Angelo manages the harsh morality laws. Claudio is condemned to die for getting Juliet pregnant before their wedding. His sister, Isabella, is a nun who tries to help Claudio, saying that she would give her life for him, but not her virginity. Vincentio is moved by this, frees Claudio and restores freedom to Vienna.

Answer: **Measure For Measure**

2b)

Setting: Comedy set in Messina; Characters include Leonato, Don Pedro, Claudio and Benedick, Hero and Beatrice.

Plot: Claudio falls in love with Leonato's daughter, Hero, but Don Pedro's jealous brother plans to spoil the wedding. Benedick falls in love with Beatrice. A servant girl is disguised as Hero to make Claudio think she is unfaithful, but after much confusion, the two couples are wed.

Answer: **Much Ado About Nothing**

3a)

Setting: Comedy set in Illyria; Characters include Orsino, Olivia, Sir Toby Belch, Malvolio, Viola and Sebastian

Plot: Orsino is in love with Olivia. Viola and Sebastian are shipwrecked. Viola thinks her twin brother is dead, and disguises herself as a man to become page to Orsino. But Sebastian is alive, and arrives in Illyria. After much confusion, Orsino marries Viola and Sebastian marries Olivia.

Answer: **Twelfth Night**

3b)

Setting: Comedy set on a lonely island; Characters include Prospero, his daughter Miranda, Caliban and Ariel.

Plot: Prospero and Miranda have been cast away on the lonely island by Prospero's brother Antonio. By using magic, Prospero brings Antonio to the island along with the King of Naples. Miranda falls in love with the King's son; the wrecked ship is magically restored, and they all return to Milan and Naples, with Prospero restored as the rightful Duke of Milan.

Answer: **The Tempest**

4a)

Setting: Comedy set in Athens; Characters include Theseus, King of Athens, Hippolyta, Hermia, Lysander, Oberon and Titania

Plot: Hermia wants to marry Lysander, against her father's will. They flee to a wood inhabited by fairies, where Oberon and Titania are involved in a quarrel. Oberon gets a potion from Puck, to make Titania fall in love with the first creature she sees on waking. After a series of mistakes and mischances, Oberon is left to perform a spell which will ensure a happy ending.

Answer: **A Midsummer Night's Dream**

4b)

Setting: Comedy set in Ephesus; Characters include twins who are both called Antipholus, and their father Aegeon

Plot: The twins have been separated early in life by a shipwreck. One goes to live with his father in Syracuse, and when he becomes a man he sets out to find his brother. Antipholus of Syracuse arrives in Ephesus just as his father has been arrested and condemned to death. However, his lost brother just happens to live in Ephesus, and after much confusion, their father is freed and the twins are reunited.

Answer: **The Comedy Of Errors**

Spare:

Setting: Comedy set in England; Characters include Sir John Falstaff, Mistresses Ford and Page, Nym and Bardolph

Plot: Falstaff tries to get hold of the money which Mistresses Ford and Page control. The ladies play a series of tricks on Falstaff, who hides amongst the dirty linen, is thrown into the mud, and beaten by Mistress Ford whilst in disguise as Mrs Prat.

Answer: **The Merry Wives Of Windsor**

Round 6 - Astronomy and Chemistry

- 1a) Name one of the stars that make up the Summer Triangle in Britain's night sky?
Altair, Deneb or Vega
- 1b) Which of the naturally occurring noble gases is radioactive? **Radon**
- 2a) What is the alloy of gold and silver (usually with other trace metals) called? **Electrum**
- 2b) What do the letters NGC stand for in modern astronomy? **New General Catalogue**
- 3a) In which constellation is the Pole Star (Polaris)?
Ursa Minor (accept Little Bear or Little Dipper)
- 3b) What is the alloy of lead and tin called? **Solder**
- 4a) Fluorine, Chlorine and Iodine are in which group (or type) of chemicals? **Halogen**
- 4b) Name one of the moons of Mars? **Phobos or Deimos**
- Spare:** The Lanthanide and Actinide Series form which group of elements? **Rare Earth**
- Spare:** In which constellation is the Horsehead Nebula? **Orion**

Round 7 - Figures on Queen Victoria's statue in Dalton Square

The panels on the above statue feature some of the great and good of the Victorian Age. Given the clues can you identify the following whose relief all appear on that statue.

- 1a) Scientist (1791-1867). Discovered benzene and was heavily involved in the study of electro-magnetism?
Michael Faraday
- 1b) Scottish mathematical physicist (1824-1907). Realised the concept of absolute zero temperature?
Lord Kelvin (accept William Thompson)
- 2a) Scottish satirical writer (1795-1881). Credited with calling economics "*the dismal science*". His comments on the French Revolution influenced Dickens' Tale of Two Cities?
Thomas Carlyle
- 2b) Welsh social reformer (1771-1858). One of the founders of the Co-operative movement. Associated with developing the mill at New Lanark?
Robert Owen
- 3a) British manufacturer and radical liberal statesman (1804-1865). Helped form and became the chief spokesman of the anti corn-law league. One of the first aldermen of Manchester?
Richard Cobden
- 3b) British Conservative statesman (1830-1903). Also known as Lord Robert Cecil and Viscount Cranborne. Was Prime minister three times?
Lord Salisbury
- 4a) English, born the son of a Lincolnshire rector (1809-1892). Poet Laureate during much of the reign of Queen Victoria?
Alfred (Lord) Tennyson
- 4b) British Liberal statesman (1847-1929). Also known as Archibald Primrose. Succeeded Gladstone as prime minister in 1894?
Earl of Roseberry

Spare: Scientist, Anglican priest, philosopher, theologian. Born 1794 in Lancaster: died 1866. Master of Trinity College Cambridge from 1841. Known for coining the word "scientist"?
William **Whewell**

Round 8 - General

1a) How was General Joseph Warren Stilwell popularly known as? **Vinegar Joe**

1b) What is the name of J K Rowling's book to be published 27 September 2012?
The Casual Vacancy

2a) Which country is currently hosting the 2012 ICC T20 World Cup? **Sri Lanka**

2b) What was the name of Bob Dylan's album released on September 11 2012? **Tempest**

3a) *La Futura* was the new album released by which group on 11 September? **ZZ Top**

3b) What derogatory nickname was given to Spurs footballer Darren Anderton? **Sicknote**

4a) "*NW*" published on 4 September 2012 was the title of who's new novel? **Zadie Smith**

4b) Which county won the 2012 Cricket County Championship? **Warwickshire**

Spare: Who were Rangers first opponents in the SOL Division 3 on 11 August 2012?
Peterhead