

Lancaster City Quiz League : 26 November 2012

Questions are set by Halton Social. The required answers are in bold type.

ROUND 1

A round on TV quiz show presenters.

Given the name and the year who was the original presenter of the following television shows? (Full name required)

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| 1a. Take Your Pick | 1955 | Michael Miles |
| 1b Double Your Money | 1955 | Hughie Green |
| 2a Ask The Family | 1967 | Robert Robinson |
| 2b A Question of Sport | 1970 | David Vine |
| 3a Play Your Cards Right | 1980 | Bruce Forsyth |
| 3b Family Fortunes | 1980 | Bob Monkhouse |
| 4a Through the Keyhole | 1987 | David Frost |
| 4b Crackerjack | 1955 | Eamonn Andrews |

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| 1) Name that Tune | 1976 | Tom O'Connor |
| 2) Opportunity Knocks | 1956 | Hughie Green |

ROUND 2

A Christmas Theme.

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| 1a | In the song "The Twelve Days Of Christmas", what did my true love give to me on the 12th day? | Ans: 12 Drummers Drumming |
| 1b | Who wrote the Christmas story, "The Snowman"? | Ans: Raymond Briggs |
| 2a | Traditionally what colour is Santa Claus' belt? | Ans: Black |
| 2b | In the TV show "The Simpsons", who or what is Santa's Little Helper? | Ans: The pet dog |
| 3a | In Charles Dickens' "A Christmas Carol", how many different ghosts visited Scrooge? | Ans: 4 |
| 3b | Who were Balthazar, Melchior and Caspar? | Ans: The Three Wise Men |
| 4a | From the Christmas Carol "Good King Wenceslas", where was Good King Wenceslas the King of? | Ans: Bohemia |
| 4b | In which famous Christmas Song is a snowman pretended to be "Parsons Brown"? | Ans: "Winter Wonderland" |

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| 1) | In what year was the first Christmas card produced? (2 years either way) | Ans: 1843 |
| 2) | Which famous actor dies in in Switzerland in 1977 on Christmas day at the age of 88. | Ans: Charlie Chaplin. |

ROUND 3

Remember when British car and motorcycle industry led the world? Which British manufacturer produced the following models? 1a to 2b are cars and 3a to 4b are motorcycles. (For the cars the original manufacturers branded name is required)

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| 1a | The Elf. | Ans: RILEY |
| 1b | The Hornet | Ans: WOLSELEY |
| 2a | The Stiletto | Ans: SUNBEAM |
| 2b | The Vogue | Ans: SINGER |
| 3a | The Viper | Ans: VELOCETTE |
| 3b | The Constellation | Ans: ROYAL ENFIELD |
| 4a | The International | Ans: NORTON |
| 4b | The Red Hunter | Ans: ARIEL |
| Spares: | | |
| 1 | The Ensign | Ans: STANDARD |
| 2 | The Golden Flash | Ans: B.S.A. |

ROUND 4

NORTHWEST Town/city (not villages). You are given a cryptic clue, name the town.

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| 1a | Garden equipment in a firehouse | Ans: Barrow in Furness |
| 1b | Water in vital organ | Ans: Liverpool |
| 2a | Pitch, save to disk | Ans: Blackburn |
| 2b | Available goods in harbour | Ans: Stockport |
| 3a | Bleached refuge | Ans: Whitehaven |
| 3b | Iron a heavyweight | Ans: Preston |
| 4a | Naval forest | Ans: Fleetwood |
| 4b | Ancient bad actor | Ans: Oldham |
| Spares: | | |
| 1 | Unwise comedian | Ans: Morecambe |

ROUND 5

All to do with the body (that's the human body)

- 1a What tube connects the ear to the nose? Ans: **Eustachian**
- 1b Where on the body is the Axilla? Ans: **Armpit**
- 2a What is Rubella otherwise known as? Ans: **German Measles**
- 2b What acid is found in the stomach? Ans: **Hydrochloric**
- 3a What is the largest internal organ? Ans: **Liver**
- 3b What does MRI stand for? Ans: **Magnetic Resonance Imaging**
- 4a What is an epistaxis? Ans: **Nosebleed**
- 4b What is the hallux? Ans: **Big toe**
- Spares:
- 1 Name either of the female sex hormones? Ans: **Oestrogen or Progesteron**

ROUND 6

'All Inclusive'

Not a round for the culture vultures, a test of your knowledge of sunshine holiday venues. It is advised that there should be no discussion between questions.

- 1a Now an independent nation, the Cape Verde Islands was ruled by which colonial power until 1975? Ans: **Portugal**
- 1b The Dominican Republic shares the island of Hispaniola with which other nation? Ans: **Haiti**
- 2a The resorts areas of Sharm el Sheik and Hurgada are in which country? Ans: **Egypt**
- 2b The resort areas of Izmir and Antalya are in which country? Ans: **Turkey**
- 3a Which Caribbean island would you be visiting if you landed at VC Bird International Airport? Ans: **Antigua**
- 3b Which Caribbean island would you be visiting if you landed at Piarco International Airport? Ans: **Trinidad**
- 4a What is the local currency in the southern (Greek) part of Cyprus? Ans: **Cyprus Pound (accept Pound)**
- 4b What is the local currency in Tunisia? Ans: **Dinar**

Spares:

On which island would you find the tourist area called St Lawrence Gap?

Ans: **Barbados**

In which country would you find the tourist area called Jumeriah Beach?

Ans: **Dubai**

ROUND 7

British Geography

- 1a Which river flows through Leicester? Ans: **Soar**
- 1b Which river flows through Guildford? Ans: **Wey**
- 2a What is town/city is the administrative centre for Essex? Ans: **Chelmsford**
- 2b What is town/city is the administrative centre for Kent? Ans: **Maidstone**
- 3a The A2 road runs between London and what other city/town? Ans: **Dover**
- 3b The A3 road runs between London and what other city/town? Ans: **Portsmouth**
- 4a What canal terminates at Whaley Bridge? Ans: **Peak Forreest Canal**
- 4b What canal terminates at Ellesmore Port ? Ans: **Shropshire Union**
- Spares:
- 1 Which is the 3rd largest city in England (by population)? Ans: **Leeds**
- 2 Which is the 4th largest city in England (by population)? Ans: **Sheffield**

ROUND 8

Nicknames

- 1a Former England spinner Phil Tufnell acquired which nickname because of his ability to fall asleep anywhere, rather than his less than sprightly fielding? Ans: **The Cat**
- 1b Which rhyming nickname was given to James Hunt by Formula 1 fans? Ans: **The Shunt**
- 2a Former boxing champion Nigel Benn revelled in which nickname? Ans: **The Dark Destroyer**
- 2b Former Chelsea footballer Ron Harris was known by which epithet thanks to his reputation for strong tackling? Ans: **Chopper**
- 3a Musician Ian Kilminster is known by which nickname? Ans: **Lemmy (of Motorhead)**
- 3b Louis Armstrong was given which nickname? Ans: **Satchmo**
- 4a Outspoken MP Dennis Skinner was known by which nickname? Ans: **The Beast of Bolsover**
- 4b US General Normal Swartzkopf gained which nickname? Ans: **Stormin' Norman**

Spare: Which former darts world champion glories in the nickname DARTH Maple?

Ans: **John Part**

Spare: Which German wartime commander was known as The Desert Fox?

Ans: **Erwin Rommel**