

Questions set by The Lord Ashton B. Required answers are in upper case letters.

Round 1 - Stones and Bones.

All questions or answers refer to places in The British Isles.

- 1a:** Where are the Standing Stones of Callanish situated?
THE ISLE OF LEWIS/OUTER HEBRIDES (Accept Either Answer)
- 1b:** The Roman Temple at Bath was dedicated to which deity? **SULIS MINERVA**
- 2a:** Which Queen of England is buried in Peterborough Cathedral?
KATHERINE OF ARAGON
- 2b:** Where is McBeth buried? **IONA** (Abbey)
- 3a:** The baptism of who, later to become infamous, was recorded in the parish registers of St. Michael-le-Belfrey, York on 16th April 1570? **GUY** (Guido) **FAWKES**
- 3b:** Thought to be the inspiration for Lewis Carroll's White Rabbit, in which Yorkshire town is there a carving of a rabbit, dressed as a pilgrim? **BEVERLEY**
- 4a:** Famous for its Lalique glass font, altar rail, cross and pillars, where is The Glass?
ST. HELIER/JERSEY (Accept Either Answer)
- 4b:** According to The Wensleydale Creamery, in which Yorkshire Abbey was Wensleydale cheese first produced? **JERVAULX ABBEY**
- Spare:** Built by Prisoners of War, where is The Italian Chapel? **ORKNEY**

Round 2 - Toys and Games

- 1a:** In the late 1940s which toy was first produced as a collection of push pin plastic body parts? **MR. POTATO HEAD**
- 1b:** In which decade was Twister first patented? **1960s**
- 2a:** Which toy did Stella McCartney use as her inspiration for a fashion show backdrop in 2008? **FUZZY FELT**
- 2b:** Trademarked in 1981, which board game did Chris Haney and Scott Abbott produce? **TRIVIAL PURSUIT**
- 3a:** The Babblebrook Rabbits, The Billabong Koalas and The Bouquet Skunks are characters in which range of toys first produced in Japan in the 1980s? **SYLVANIAN FAMILIES**
- 3b:** How much does each player start with in a game of Monopoly? **£1500**
- 4a:** Invented in 1931 the board game Criss Cross is now known as what? **SCRABBLE**
- 4b:** Which virtual pet, created in Japan in the 1990s, required regular care or it would die? **TAMAGOTCHI**
- Spare:** Monopoly was originally based on the streets of which city? **ATLANTIC CITY**

Round 3 - One of a Kind

- 1a:** Which is the only Scottish city to have an underground railway? **GLASGOW**
- 1b:** Who was the only British monarch to be tried and executed by Parliament? **CHARLES I**
- 2a:** Which is the only opera to have been composed by Beethoven? **FIDELIO**
- 2b:** Who was the only wife of Henry VIII to produce a male heir who became king? **JANE SEYMOUR**
- 3a:** Robert de Niro won his only Best Actor Oscar in 1981 for which film? **RAGING BULL**
- 3b:** The Hand and Flowers in Buckinghamshire is the only British pub to have won 2 Michelin stars. Who is the chef/owner? **TOM KERRIDGE**
- 4a:** Which nocturnal African mammal, orycteropus afer, is the only living species of its order? **AARDVARK**
- 4b:** Nicholas Brakespeare was the only Englishman to reach which position? **POPE**
- Spare:** The A1 Steam Locomotive Trust built a brand new steam locomotive used nationwide since 2008. What was it named? **TORNADO**

Round 4 - Transport and Music.

Questions or answers refer to means of transport.

- 1a:** In 1987 who got to number 1 with *Nothing's Gonna Stop Us Now*? **STARSHIP**
- 1b:** In 2001 who got to number 10 with *Days of Jupiter*? **TRAIN**
- 2a:** Who is the ex wife of Johnny Depp who recorded *Joe Le Taxi* in 1988? **VANESSA PARADIS**
- 2b:** Who had a 1990 hit with *Downtown Train*? **ROD STEWART**
- 3a:** Who took his Cadillac out *One Piece at a Time* in 1976? **JOHNNY CASH**
- 3b:** Who got to Number 2 in 1966 with *Sloop John B*? **BEACH BOYS**
- 4a:** Who manufactured the Terraplane featured in Robert Johnson's song *Terraplane Blues* in 1936? **HUDSON**
- 4b:** Who was *Driving in my Car* in 1982? **MADNESS**
- Spare:** Who reached number 5 with *Crash* in 1988? **THE PRIMITIVES**

Round 5 - British Trees. (Pictures at end)

- 1a: Picture D. **BEECH**
- 1b: Picture H. **SCOTS PINE**
- 2a: Picture C. **CEDAR**
- 2b: Picture A. **YEW**
- 3a: Picture E. **ELDER**
- 3b: Picture I. **ASH**
- 4a: Picture F. **HAZEL**
- 4b: Picture G. **ROWAN** or **MOUNTAIN ASH**
- Spare: Picture B. **BLACKTHORN**

Round 6 - Precious Stones

- 1a: Diamond is a form of which element? **CARBON**
- 1b: Who wrote the 1868 story *The Moonstone*? **WILKIE COLLINS**
- 2a: Who composed the opera *The Pearl Fishers*? **BIZET**
- 2b: Which Bond actress was Tiffany Case in *Diamonds Are Forever*? **JILL ST. JOHN**
- 3a: What is the birthstone for Taurus? **EMERALD**
- 3b: Traditionally sapphire is the stone for which wedding anniversary? **45TH**
- 4a: Which star of silent films appeared in *The Perils of Pauline* and *The Exploits of Elaine*? **PEARL WHITE**
- 4b: A person who engraves gemstones is known as what? **LAPIDARY**
- Spare: Jane Seymour was Solitaire in which Bond film? **LIVE AND LET DIE**

Round 7 - Links

- 1a: Where in Scotland links Lagavulin, Bowmore and Aardbeg single malt whiskies? **ISLAY**
- 1b: What links Dominic Dale, Stephen Maguire and Neil Robertson? **SNOOKER PLAYERS**
- 2a: In 1829 what linked the locomotives Sans Pareil, Novelty and Perseverance? **THE RAINHILL TRIALS**
- 2b: In stories for children what family name links Arriety, Pod and Homily? **CLOCK**

3a: Which artist painted *Lancaster Sands*, *The Slave Ship* and *The Fighting Temeraire*?
J. M. W. TURNER

3b: Which organisation connects Slimbridge, Martin Mere and Caerlaverock?
THE WILDFOWL AND WETLANDS TRUST

4a: Which television programme links Prue Leith, Oliver Peyton and Matthew Fort?
GREAT BRITISH MENU

4b: Which instrument links Count Basie, Errol Garner and Art Tatum? **PIANO**

Spare: What links the names Scoville, Beaufort and Mohs? **SCALES**

Round 8 - General

1a: Which is the smallest bone in the human body? **STIRRUP** or **STAPES**

1b: Red Rum won the Grand National 3 times, how many times did he come second?
TWICE

2a: In cake decorating what name is given to the technique of piping lines of a contrasting colour on wet icing then dragging a sharp point across the lines?
FEATHER ICING

2b: Which is the highest point of The Pennines? **CROSS FELL**

3a: In which country is The Oyster Bay Winery? **NEW ZEALAND**

3b: Callisto and Europa are moons of which planet? **JUPITER**

4a: Which series of books feature the land of Wester Ross and John Snow?
GAME OF THRONES

4b: What is the capital city of Croatia? **ZAGREB**

Spare. In which year was the Battle of Bosworth? **1485**