

LANCASTER CITY QUIZ LEAGUE

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Surnames only required unless otherwise stated (answers required in bold). Please indicate if a surname is all that is required when asking the question. If a surname is all that is required and an incorrect first name is provided that should be treated as an incorrect answer.

Round 1 - ROYAL FAMILIES AND THEIR HOUSEHOLDS

A round on Kings, Queens, Princes, Princesses and their entourage according to Walt Disney!

- 1a Name the Disney film loosely based on the Brothers Grimm fairy tale, Rapunzel.
A Tangled
- 1b Which British actress is the voice of the character of 'Mrs Potts' in Disney's cartoon version of 'Beauty and the Beast'?
A Angela Lansbury
- 2a Which Disney princess sings 'Some day my prince will come'?
A Snow White
- 2b In which Disney film does Jafar, the Sultan's grand vizier, first appear?
A Aladdin
- 3a In a recent Disney film of the same name, which 'evil' queen did Angelina Jolie play?
A Maleficent
- 3b What is the title of the song in 'Pocahontas' which received an Academy Award for best original song?
A Colours of the wind
- 4a Which American actor voices the character of Mufasa in 'The Lion King'?
A James Earl Jones
- 4b Disney's 28th animated feature film, released in 1989, was based upon which short story by Hans Christian Andersen?
A The Little Mermaid

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- What is the name of the lion cub prince, son of Mufasa, in 'The Lion King'?
A Simba

Round 2 - Quiz Show Hosts

Questions about the current host or hosts of TV and radio quiz shows.

- 1a Who is the host of the ITV quiz show 'The Chase'?
A Bradley Walsh
- 1b Who is the host of the Channel Four quiz show 'Fifteen to One'?
A Sandi Toksvig
- 2a Who is the host of the Radio 4 quiz show 'I'm sorry I haven't a clue'?
A Jack Dee

2b Who is the host of the Radio 4 quiz show 'The News Quiz'?
A Miles Jupp

3a Who is the host of the BBC quiz show 'Eggheads'?
A Jeremy Vine

3b Who is the host of the ITV quiz show 'Tipping Point'?
A Ben Shephard

For questions 4a and 4b two names are required – one point for one correct answer, three points for both and both names required for a pass.

4a Who are the co-hosts of the BBC quiz show 'Pointless'?
A Alexander Armstrong and Richard Osman

4b Who are the co-hosts of the Channel 4 quiz show 'Countdown'?
A Nick Hewer and Rachel Riley

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A Who is the host of the Radio 4 quiz show 'Just a Minute'?
Nicholas Parsons

Round 3 - Stars

A round about the exciting world of celebrities!

1a Which British actor was the first husband of actress Angelina Jolie?
A Jonny Lee Miller

1b Name the American actress and her British musician husband who announced the end of their marriage using the phrase “conscious uncoupling” - one point for one correct answer, three points for both and both required for a pass.
A Gwyneth Paltrow and Chris Martin

2a Before her marriage to the actor George Clooney, what was Amal Clooney's maiden name?
A Alamuddin

2b What is the professional name of the British rapper, married to and recently separated from Millie Mackintosh, who starred in the reality TV series 'Made in Chelsea'?
A Professor Green

3a What is the forename of Simon Cowell's son?
A Eric

3b Which British model was the first wife of singer Peter Andre?
A Katie Price (accept Jordan)

4a Name the English husband and wife who met when they were both models but are now better known as successful TV presenters – he is the host of ITV's All Star Family Fortunes and she fronts one of the BBC's flagship Saturday night programmes - one point for one correct answer, three points for both and both required for a pass.
A Vernon Kay and Tess Daly

4b What is the forename of David and Victoria Beckham's second son born in September 2002?
A Romeo

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She's been known as Cheryl Tweedy, then Cheryl Cole, but what is Cheryl's surname now?

A Fernandez-Versini

Round 4 - A Rare Rural Round

1a The last Massey Ferguson tractor built in the UK rolled off the production line on Christmas Eve, 2002. This ended 56 years of production at a factory on the outskirts of which UK city?

A Coventry

1b The only remaining operational large scale tractor factory left in the UK is the New Holland (formerly Ford New Holland) factory situated in which UK town?

A Basildon

2a Who is the current Secretary of State for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs?

A Elizabeth Truss (accept Liz Truss)

2b The last serious Foot & Mouth crisis in the UK started in February 2001. Who was the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries & Food in place at the time and who, 4 months later, was demoted by Tony Blair

A Nick Brown

3a First grown here commercially just after the First World War, the UK is now the fifth largest producer of this crop in the world. The largest factory in the world for processing this crop is based in East Anglia. What is the crop?

A Sugar Beet

3b This breed of sheep is the most hardy of all Britain's breeds and is a native of the Lake District. Name the breed.

A Herdwick

4a Name the three most popular beef breeds farmed in the UK (one point for each, three for a pass).

A Limousin, Charolais and Aberdeen Angus

4b In terms of tonnes produced, name the three most popular eating apples grown in the UK (one point for each, three for a pass).

A Gala, Cox and Braeburn

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1 Which potato variety, renowned as a good 'chipper', is the most popular potato grown in the UK?

A Maris Piper

Round 5 - Manned Space Flight

- 1a Who was the first American woman in space?
A Sally Ride
- 1b Who was the third man to walk on the moon?
A Pete Conrad
- 2a Yuri Gagarin was the first man to fly in space. What was the name of his spacecraft?
A Vostok 1 (accept Vostok)
- 2b In 1986 the 25th manned Space Shuttle mission ended in disaster when the spacecraft exploded 90 seconds or so into the flight. What was the name of the Shuttle involved?
A Challenger
- 3a Who was the first man to walk in space?
A Alexei Leonov
- 3b What is the name of the Russian space capsule that has been flying for decades and is still used to deliver astronauts and cosmonauts to the International Space Station?
A Soyuz
- 4a Who was the second American to fly in space?
A Virgil (Gus) Grissom
- 4b The first American manned space programme was codenamed Mercury. The third was codenamed Apollo. What was the codename of the second?
A Gemini

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- What was the name of the first Russian manned space station?
A Salyut 1 (accept Salyut)

Round 6 - In Memoriam

Questions relating to some of the famous people who died in January 2016.

- 1a What was David Bowie's original surname?
A Jones
- 1b Who was the member of the American band the Eagles who died in January?
A Glen Frey
- 2a What role did Alan Rickman play in the film "Robin Hood Prince of Thieves"?
A The Sheriff of Nottingham
- 2b How old was Sir Terry Wogan when he died in January?
A 77
- 3a Cecil Parkinson's political career was famously affected when it became public that his mistress was expecting his child. What was the name of his mistress?
A Sara Keays
- 3b Which former Test Match Special commentator died in January 2016?
A Jack Bannister

4a Which actor, best known for his portrayal of Grizzly Adams, died in January 2016?
A Dan Haggerty

4b Who was the presenter of the children's TV show Crackerjack from 1973 to 1979?
A Ed Stewart

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A Which famous publisher, a former Jewish refugee, died in January 2016??
Lord (George) **Wiedenfeld**

Round 7 - Literature

1a Whose childrens' books feature Moomintrolls?
A Tove Jansson

1b The Emerald City was the title of the first draft of which novel?
A The Wizard of Oz

2a Who reached the paperback top ten of non-fiction bestsellers with his book "The Bermuda Triangle" in 1975?
A Charles Berlitz

2b Nick Hornby wrote a bestselling account of his obsession with which football team in his novel "Fever Pitch"
A Arsenal

3a The novels "The Man of Property", "In Chancery" and "To Let" make up which saga?
A The Forsyte Saga

3b Who is the author of "Confessions of a Shopaholic"??
A Sophie Kinsella

4a Who wrote the autobiographical "The Empire of the Sun", made into a film by Steven Spielberg?
A J G Ballard

4b John Clelland's novel "Memoirs of a Woman of Pleasure" is usually published under which title?
A Fanny Hill

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A Who writes the Inspector Rebus novels?
Ian **Rankin**

Round 8 - General

1a What flower does saffron come from?
A Crocus

1b What does the trade name AMSTRAD stand for?
A Alan Michael Sugar Trading

- 2a In what year did Margaret Thatcher become Prime Minister?
A 1979
- 2b Who wrote "The world according to Garp"?
A John Irving
- 3a Who is the patron saint of France?
A St Denis
- 3b How many hundredweights are there in an imperial ton?
A 20
- 4a What was the first name of the composer, Delius?
A Frederick
- 4b What is the present name for what used to be called the cameleopard?
A Giraffe

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- A** In diving what does the acronym "SCUBA" stand for?
Self-Contained Underwater Breathing Apparatus