

**INCASTER CITY QUIZ LEAGUE:**  
**Semi-Finals 8<sup>th</sup> May 2017**  
**Quiz set by Golden Lion B.**  
**Answers required are in bold**

**Round 1: Know Your Telly**

These are descriptions of BBC and ITV programmes taken from a recent Freeview Programme Guide. Name the television programme.

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| <b>1A</b> | Paul Martin is joined by experts James Lewis and Mark Stacey   | <b>Flog It</b>            |
| <b>1B</b> | Four people who have never met before hope they will go home with thousands of pounds                  | <b>The Chase</b>          |
| <b>2A</b> | Paul Pennyfeather finds himself tutoring the son of Margot   | <b>Decline and Fall</b>   |
| <b>2B</b> | AC12 wrestle with the new forensic evidence  | <b>Line of Duty</b>       |
| <b>3A</b> | Four players take on an extraordinary machine in the hope of winning the ten thousand pound jackpot    | <b>Tipping Point</b>      |
| <b>3B</b> | In the second leg of their journey Christina Trevanion and Thomas Plant shop their way through Ireland | <b>Antiques Road Trip</b> |
| <b>4A</b> | Hardy and Ellie uncover the truth  | <b>Broadchurch</b>        |
| <b>4B</b> | A confrontation with the Northmen brings a shocking turn of events                                     | <b>The Last Kingdom</b>   |

**Spares**

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| <b>1</b> | Josie d'Arby is in the Yorkshire Dales for lambing season | <b>Songs of Praise</b>       |
| <b>2</b> | Sonali Shah is down on the Dorset coast with a couple     | <b>Escape to the Country</b> |

**Round 2: Natural History**

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| <b>1A</b> | There are only three native species of newts in the UK: Great Crested, Smooth and which other? | <b>Palmate</b>     |
| <b>1B</b> | There are only three native species of conifers in the UK: Scots Pine, Yew and which other?    | <b>Juniper</b>     |
| <b>2A</b> | Hart's Tongue, Common Male and Broad Buckler are all types of what?                            | <b>Ferns</b>       |
| <b>2B</b> | Broad-bodied Chaser, Keeled Skimmer and Emperor are all types of what?                         | <b>Dragonflies</b> |

- 3A** *Troglodytes troglodytes* is the Latin name for what species of animal? **Wren**
- 3B** *Meles meles* is the Latin name of what species of animal? **Badger**
- 4A** Name the National Nature Reserve situated near Haverthwaite, important for its Hazel Dormouse population and raised peat bogs.  
**Roudsea Wood and Mosses (Accept Roudsea)**
- 4B** Name the National Nature Reserve in Silverdale, important for its limestone woodlands and pavements and also the re-introduction of lady's slipper orchids.  
**Gait Barrows**

### Spares

- 1** Extinct in Britain since about the year 700, what feline predator is being proposed for reintroduction from Europe? **Lynx**
- 2** Since 2004 a reintroduction programme has been underway on Salisbury Plain for the world's heaviest flying bird. What is it? **Great Bustard**

### Round 3: It all adds up

You will be given two clues, the answers to which are both numbers. Only the sum of these numbers is required for your **final answer**.

For example: *Add the number in the nickname of a miner in the California Gold Rush to the number of Shades of Gray*

*(49 + 50) The answer required is 99*

- 1A** Add the number of Charlton Heston's Days In Peking to the number of Brothers Karamazov **(55+3) 58**
- 1B** Add the number of lines in the TV system discontinued in 1985 to the number of trombones leading the big parade **(405+76) 481**
- 2A** Add regnal number of the only English pope to the title of Paul Hardcastle's UK chart hit of 1985 **(4 + 19) 23**
- 2B** Add the number of Spartans legendarily at Thermopylae to the number of tons in Tennessee Ernie Ford's US No1 hit of 1955 **(300 + 16) 316**
- 3A** Add the number of Jewish men thrown into the fiery furnace by Nebuchadnezzar to the number of the highway on which Bobby Troup got his kicks **(3 + 66) 69**
- 3B** Add the number of Biblical plagues of Egypt to the number of Kings of Scotland called James **(10 + 7) 17**

- 4A** Add the mission number of the last Apollo space flight to the number of mythical Gorgons (17 + 3) **20**
- 4B** Add the number of Marquez's year of solitude to the door number in the address of the First Lord of the Treasury (100 + 10) **110**

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- 1** Add the number of contiguous states of the Union to the number of Dodie Smith's dalmations (48 + 101) **149**
- 2** Add the minimum age a person must be to stand for public office in the UK (excluding Scotland) to the number of Noah's sons on the Ark (18 + 3) **21**

### Round 4 Publish and be Damned

All of the answers to the following questions are names of publishing houses.

- 1A** What is a bullfighter on horseback called? **Picador**
- 1B** This street forms the lower half of Edinburgh's Royal Mile and gives its name to a famous tollbooth and church. **Canongate**
- 2A** This house, designed in the Arts and Crafts style, overlooks Windermere **Blackwell**
- 2B** The definition of a car built between 1919 and 1930. **Vintage**
- 3A** Derived from the original name for Cambridge, two of the tributaries of the River Cam go by this name. **Granta**
- 3B** British Artist of the 18th Century, famed for his moralizing artworks including 'Beer Street' and 'Gin Lane' **Hogarth**
- 4A** Daughter of Zeus and Demeter, kidnapped by Hades and forced to spend half the year in the Underworld. **Persephone**
- 4B** Aside from some well-known issues with wax and feathers, this mythical craftsman also designed the Labyrinth on Crete. **Daedalus**

### Spares

- 1** Name the asylum where Batman imprisons all his famous enemies, only for most of them to escape again. **Arkham**



- 2 The name of a piece of software that enables anonymous communication through the internet and is synonymous with the Dark Web.

**Tor**

### **Round 5 Russian Around**

Based on the clue, name the actor pretending to hail from Mother Russia.

**Both names required.**

- 1A American actor and ex-carpenter, the worst offender in a submarine full of terrible Russian accents in the film 'K-19: The Widowmaker'. **Harrison Ford**
- 1B This top-ranked contract bridge player took the role of the medical student caught in the whirl of early-20th Century Russia. **Omar Sharif**
- 2A A Swedish lunk fortunately given very little to say as Sylvester Stallone's nemesis in 'Rocky IV'. **Dolph Lundgren**
- 2B Famously ignorant of any sort of accent, this actor played the defecting naval captain in the adaptation of a Tom Clancy thriller. **Sean Connery**
- 3A This classically trained Australian actress rocked an authentic accent as Colonel Dr. Irina Spalko, chasing a certain fictional archaeologist to her doom in this belated sequel. **Cate Blanchett**
- 3B This diminutive English actor decided it wasn't 'good to talk' in a Russian accent when playing Nikita Khrushchev in 'Enemy at the Gates' **Bob Hoskins**
- 4A Name the Belfast-born Shakespearean actor who faces off against the fourth cinematic Jack Ryan, in the inventively titled 'Jack Ryan'. **Kenneth Branagh**
- 4B Not satisfied with pummelling the American accent into submission, this star expanded his range playing a Moscow detective in 'Red Heat'. **Arnold Schwarzenegger**

## Spares

- 1 More used to ice in his drink than an ice-pick in his back, this Welsh actor with the sonorous voice slumped it in Mexico to play the assassinated Leon Trotsky. **Richard Burton**
- 2 Name half of New Zealand's fourth most popular folk group, Flight of the Conchords, who appeared in 'Muppets Most Wanted' as an inmate of a Gulag **Jemaine Clement**

## Round 6 First names

Given the initials and profession, what is the first name of the following persons?

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| <b>1A</b> | A L Kennedy, writer.              | <b>Alison</b>                  |
| <b>1B</b> | A P McCoy, jockey                 | <b>Anthony</b> (accept Tony)   |
| <b>2A</b> | A J Ayer, philosopher             | <b>Alfred</b> (accept Freddie) |
| <b>2B</b> | C P E Bach, composer              | <b>Carl</b>                    |
| <b>3A</b> | C B Fry, all-round sportsman      | <b>Charles</b>                 |
| <b>3B</b> | D W Griffith, film director       | <b>David</b>                   |
| <b>4A</b> | R D Laing, psychiatrist           | <b>Ronald</b> (accept Ronnie)  |
| <b>4B</b> | P J Harvey, musician, song writer | <b>Polly</b>                   |

## Spares:

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| 1. | F B Mendelssohn, composer | <b>Felix</b>   |
| 2. | P D James, writer         | <b>Phyllis</b> |

## Round 7 We do like to be beside the seaside

In which county of England are the following seaside towns and villages situated?

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| <b>1A</b> | Caister-on-Sea     | <b>Norfolk</b>      |
| <b>1B</b> | Peacehaven         | <b>East Sussex</b>  |
| <b>2A</b> | Chapel St Leonards | <b>Lincolnshire</b> |
| <b>2B</b> | Bigbury-on-Sea     | <b>Devon</b>        |

<b>3A</b>	Blue Anchor	<b>Somerset</b>
<b>3B</b>	Newton-by-the-Sea	<b>Northumberland</b>
<b>4A</b>	Emsworth	<b>Hampshire</b>
<b>4B</b>	Thorpeness	<b>Suffolk</b>

#### **Spares**

1	Dymchurch	<b>Kent</b>
2	Cadgwith	<b>Cornwall</b>

#### **Round 8      General**

<b>1A</b>	Which company, owned by Elon Musk, is at the forefront of the move towards electric and driverless cars?	<b>Tesla</b>
<b>1B</b>	Name the star around which seven earth-size planets were reported to be orbiting in February	<b>Trappist</b>
<b>2A</b>	Under which treaty did Spain cede Gibraltar to the British in 1713?	<b>Utrecht</b>
<b>2B</b>	Which Father of the House died in February?	<b>Sir Gerald Kaufman</b>
<b>3A</b>	Which singer occupied nine of the top ten places in the UK Singles chart in March?	<b>Ed Sheeran</b>
<b>3B</b>	Which film star accompanied Warren Beatty in presenting the Oscar for Best Picture to the wrong film recently?	<b>Faye Dunnaway</b>
<b>4A</b>	Name the resort, owned by Donald Trump, at which he is accused of spending too much time.	<b>Mar-A-Lago</b>
<b>4B</b>	Name the Shadow Brexit Secretary	<b>Sir Keir Starmer</b>

#### **Spares**

1	Name the last UKIP MP, so far.	<b>Douglas Carswell</b>
2	Who is to replace Mary Berry when Channel 4 takes over The Great British Bake-off	<b>Prue Leith</b>

**Spare Round 1****What Did The Romans Ever Do For Us?**

- 1A** Five miles north of Basingstoke in Hampshire is site of a Roman town famed for its well preserved walls and for the fact that it didn't survive as a settlement into modern times. Name it.  
**Silchester** (accept Calleva Atrebatum)
- 1B** Near to Sandwich in Kent is a Roman fort marking the initial landing point of the Claudian invasion of Britain. Name it.  
**Richborough** (accept Rutupiae)
- 2A** In which Lune valley village, known in Roman times as CALACVM, is the location of the nearest Roman fort to Lancaster's?  
**Burrow**
- 2B** Which Cumbrian coastal town, known in Roman times as GLANNOVENTA, is well known as the location of very substantial remains of a Roman bath house?  
**Ravenglass**
- 3A** Which Roman road links Exeter and Lincoln?  
**Fosse Way**
- 3B** Which Roman road links London and York?  
**Ermine Street**
- 4A** Name the Roman fort a mile south of Hadrian's Wall in Northumberland famed for preserved wooden tablets first discovered in 1973?  
**Vindolanda**
- 4B** What is the name of the Cumbrian village marking the western end of the Hadrian's Wall National Trail?  
**Bowness-on-Solway**

**Spares**

- 1.** In what year did Julius Caesar make his first landing on the British coast?  
**55 BC or BCE**
- 2.** In what year was the Claudian invasion of Britain?  
**AD or CE 43**

**Spare Round 2****General**

- 1A** Who voiced the 1960s series, "The Magic Roundabout"?  
**Eric Thompson**
- 1B** Which pope excommunicated Henry VIII?  
**Paul III**
- 2A** What is the term for the young of a porcupine?  
**Porcupette**
- 2B** What is the motto of the Salvation Army?  
**Blood and Fire**
- 3A** Which gas is the main component of the planet Venus?  
**Carbon Dioxide**
- 3B** Which stately home is the seat of the dukes of Devonshire?  
**Chatsworth House**



**4A** Who is the mortal enemy of Flash Gordon?

**Ming the Merciless**

**4B** Who was the only Hanoverian king not to be called George?

**William IV**

**Spares:**

1. What kind of animal is a Plymouth Rock?

**Hen** (accept chicken)

2. What is the term for fear of heights?

**Acrophobia**