

LANCASTER CITY QUIZ LEAGUE: 7th November 2016
Quiz set by Royal Hotel (A) Bolton-le-Sands

Round 1
Valleys, Dales and Vales of the North of England

1a	In which valley, often said to be England's prettiest and greenest would you find Little Town and Swinside?	Newlands Valley
1b	In which valley, extending from the south shore of Derwentwater to Honister Pass, would you find Grange and Rosthwaite?	Borrowdale Valley
2a	What is the name given to the series of valleys containing Buttermere, Crummock Water and Loweswater and extending as far as Cockermouth from this vale?	Vale of Lorton
2b	Stretching from Gosforth to beyond the foot of Hardknott Pass, this dale also contains a narrow gauge railway?	Eskdale
3a	Which dale is famous for its cheese loved by Wallace and Grommit	Wenslydale
3b	During the 18 th and 19 th centuries, this dale containing the villages of Keld, Muker and Reeth was one of the largest lead mining areas in the country?	Swaledale
4a	In which dale would you find Cow Green Reservoir, Cauldron Snout and High Force?	Teesdale
4b	This valley, famous for 200 years of gypsum mining at Kirkby Thore also hosts an annual gypsy fair at Appleby?	Eden Valley
Spare	In which valley would you find the towns of Bacup, Rawtenstall and Bury?	Irwell
	Between Kirkby Stephen and Garsdale, this valley lies under the shadow of Wild Boar Fell and also contains the Ais Gill Viaduct. It was described by David Bellamy as England's last wilderness?	Mallerstang

Round 2
Cover Up

This round is all about cover versions which were more successful than the original. The original may not always have been released as a single.

1a	The cover version of 'Sailing' was a number 1 hit for Rod Stewart in 1975. Who originally recorded it in 1972?	Sutherland Brothers
1b	The song 'Handbags and Gladrags' was written by Mike D'Abo from Manfred Mann. It reached number 3 in 2001 by the Sterophonics. Who originally released it as a single in 1967?	Chris Farlowe

2a	Nazareth had a number 11 with the song 'This Flight Tonight' Who wrote the song and released it as a 'b' side in 1971	Joni Mitchell
2b	Which song, written by Phil Medley and Bert Berns in 1961 and originally recorded by the Top Notes then the Isley Brothers became the only cover song released by the Beatles and which reached number 2 in 1964?	Twist and Shout
3a	'Mad World' released in 1982 by Tears for Fears reached number 3. Who covered this in 2003 when it became a Christmas number 1 hit?	Gary Jules
3b	Harry Nilsson had a number 1 hit in 1971 with 'Without You'. It was written by Pete Ham and Tom Evans and released on the album 'No Dice' by their band. Name the band?	Badfinger
4a	Sinead O'Connor had a 1990 number 1 hit with 'Nothing Compares 2U' Who wrote and recorded it as an album track?	Prince
4b	James Taylor had a number 4 hit in 1971 with 'You've Got a Friend'. Who wrote and recorded it in 1971 as an album track?	Carole King
Spare	'I Shot the Sheriff' was a hit for Eric Clapton in 1974 reaching number 1 on the Billboard top 100. Who wrote and released it as a single in 1973?	Bob Marley
	The American singer Betty Hutton released 'It's Oh so Quiet' in 1951. Who had a big hit in 1995 with her version of the same song?	Bjork

Round 3
What's in a Name

Each question contains two clues to two people with the same surname. State the forename and surname for each person. Both full names needed for 3 points, one full name needed for 1 point. Both full names needed for a pass.

It may be useful if the person who's question it is originally does not answer at all if they only know one part of a name

1a	Female American singer/songwriter born in 1989, sang 'Shake it Off' Author of 'Gulliver's Travels'	Taylor Swift Jonathan Swift
1b	English artist born 1775, portrayed on film by Timothy Spall in 2004 American actress born 1954, starred in 'Romancing the Stone'	Joseph Turner (Accept JWM Turner) Kathleen Turner
2a	Lancashire comedian who died in 1993, famous for his dead pan style of comedy? Retired English rugby union player born in 1972 and captain of Question of Sport?	Les Dawson Matt Dawson

2b	Veteran male Welsh singer with a soulful voice born in 1940. English actor recently played Captain Mainwaring in the 2016 release of the film 'Dad's Army'	Tom Jones Toby Jones
3a	Cartoon character, eldest son of dysfunctional family from Springfield USA. 72 year old male BBC journalist and world affairs editor	Bart Simpson John Simpson
3b	'Pennies from Heaven' playwright. Fictional character, resident of Hogwarts	Dennis Potter Harry Potter
4a	Author of the novel 'Brick Lane' American heavyweight boxer, born in 1942 and died June this year.	Monica Ali Muhammed Ali
4b	Actress/comedian born in Bury in 1958 and famous for 'Acorn Antiques' and other sketch shows. Lead singer of the pop group Wizzard	Victoria Wood Roy Wood
Spare	Female joint leader of the Green Party American film director, with many films under his belt including the Indiana Jones series	Caroline Lucas George Lucas
	Scottish actress who played Mrs Hughes in Downton Abbey and Lady Jane Felsham in Lovejoy Former Welsh international gymnast now TV presenter	Phyllis Logan Gabby Logan

Round 4
What do you remember of 2015
All the following happened in 2015

1a	Which satirical magazine was attacked by Islamist gunmen in January 2015?	Charlie Hebdo
1b	What was the name of the ancient site in Syria captured and destroyed by ISIS and re-captured by pro-Assad forces in March?	Palmyra
2a	A petition was signed by over 100,000 fans in an attempt to prevent which singer from headlining Glastonbury?	Kanye West
2b	Who won the 'Tour de France' in July?	Chris Froome
3a	Where did a Hawker Hunter jet crash during an air show in August?	Shoreham
3b	Fiji decided to change its flag in 2015. In what way?	Removed the Union Jack
4a	Who was Jeremy Clarkson's replacement for the TV show 'Top Gear'?	Chris Evans
4b	What was the name of Adele's record-breaking album of 2015?	25
Spare	Peter Robinson announced that he was to step down as First Minister of which country?	Northern Ireland
	What did Nadiya, the winner of the Great British Bake off create for her showstopper?	Wedding cake

Round 5
A Drop of the Hard Stuff
This round is about various types of alcoholic drinks

1a	What is the name of a French red wine which goes on sale in November each year and is made from the same year's crop. The best examples are from the 10 Cru villages	Beaujolais
1b	What is the name of the most famous red wine from Tuscany, the best examples of which have a black cockerel on the label	Chianti
2a	Maipo is the heartland of which country's wine country?	Chile
2b	Tokay is one of the finest sweet wines in the world. From which country does it originate?	Hungary
3a	Beer which is normally made by small independently owned breweries and is made in a traditional way such as Brew Dog and Camden is known by what generic name?	Craft beer
3b	Which brewery based in Southwold, Suffolk, produces beers such as Ghost Ship, Lighthouse and Sole Star	Adnams
4a	Which French liqueur is made from a blend of cognac and distilled bitter oranges and carries the name Cordon Rouge?	Grand Marnier
4b	Which Italian liqueur contains vanilla and more than 30 herbs and is a key ingredient of a Harvey Wallbanger?	Galliano
Spare	Which is the principal grape used for wine production in Argentina?	Malbec
	Noilly Prat, Martina and Cinzano are all types of which fortified wine?	Vermouth

Round 6
This Day in History

Give or take a day, all of the following happened on the 6th, 7th, or 8th November

1a	In which year did the Bodleian Library at Oxford University open? Accept 3 years either way	1602 but accept 1599, 1600, 1601, 1603, 1604 1605
1b	In which year on the 7 th November was the first edition of the 'London Gazette' issued? Accept 3 years either way.	1665 but accept 1662, 1663, 1664, 1666, 1667, 1668
2b	Jeannette Rankin was the first woman to hold federal office in the US when she was elected to the House of Representatives on the 7 th November in which year. Accept three years either way	1916 but accept 1913, 1914, 1915, 1917, 1918, 1919

3a	Which country's three year civil war ended on the 6 th November 1949 with the defeat of the communist factions?	Greece
3b	Where did Great Britain perform an atmospheric nuclear test on the 8 th November 1957	Christmas Island
4a	Who was elected as the first female president of Ireland on 7 th November 1990	Mary Robinson
4b	Whom did JF Kennedy beat on the 8 th November 1960 to become the 35 th president of the United States?	Richard Nixon
Spare	The Sex Pistols made their first appearance on 6 th November 1975. What was the name of their bass guitarist who died of heroin overdose at the age of 21	Sid Vicious
	On 7 th November 2002, which country banned the advertising of all United States products	Iran

Round 7

It's the Company that Counts

All questions relate to companies which are or were in the FT100 British Company list

1a	Which company was founded in 1999 by the demerger of a the pharmaceutical division of ICI and a Swedish company?	Astra Zeneca
1b	Which British technology company based in Cambridge was recently bought out by Japan's Soft Bank for £24billion	ARM
2a	Which Newcastle upon Tyne based supplier of accounting software to small businesses has a concert venue named after it?	Sage
2b	This company, once a brewer, is now the operator of the biggest chain of hotels in the country. Name it.	Whitbread
3a	Which company briefly gave its name to St James's Park football ground between 2010 and 2012 when it reverted back to its original name?	Sports Direct
3b	What is the name of the company previously known as Hepworths?	Next
4a	This company is the largest contract catering company in the world and originally formed as a result of a management buy out from Grand Metropolitan Hotels in 1987. Name it.	Compass
4b	Name the support services company which now operates a number of public contracts such as TV licensing, Constructionline, Criminal Records Bureau etc.	Capita

Spare	What is the name of the large retail group with a very successful food retail outlet and where all the staff are shareholders?	John Lewis
	Which company listed in the FT100 is almost entirely involved in copper mining in northern Chile?	Antofagasta

Round 8
Classic Children's Literature
Name the author of the following children's books. Surname will suffice

1a	Robinson Crusoe	Daniel Defoe
1b	The Children of the New Forest	Frederick Marryat
2a	The Water Babies	Charles Kingsley
2b	The Railway Children	Edith Nesbit
3a	The Story of Doctor Dolittle	Hugh Lofting
3b	The Adventures of Tom Sawyer	Mark Twain
4a	The Count of Monte Cristo	Alexandre Dumas
4b	Gulliver's Travels	Jonathan Swift
Spare	The Gruffalo	Julia Donaldson
	Charlotte's Web	E B White