

LANCASTER CITY QUIZ LEAGUE: 28th Nov. 2016
Quiz set by Hest Bank 'C'.
Welcome to the Quiz. Required answers are in UPPER CASE.

Round 1
Let's hear it for the women.

1a	Who is the only woman to have served as Speaker of the United States House of Representatives?	Nancy PELOSI
1b	What age was Janis Joplin when she died?	27
2a	In what year did Valentina Tereshkova become the first woman in space? (one year either way)	1963 (1962 – 1964)
2b	Who was the first deaf and blind woman to obtain a Bachelor of Arts degree?	Helen KELLER
3a	Camogie is a popular women's sport in Ireland. Which men's sport is practically identical?	HURLING
3b	Which prison in North Yorkshire was opened in 1947 as Britain's first open prison for women?	ASKHAM GRANGE
4a	Who was the very popular pianist from Trinidad in the 1950's who to date is the only female instrumentalist to have a number 1 UK hit single?	Winifred ATWELL
4b	Who was preceded by Bernard Weatherill and succeeded by Michael Martin?	Betty BOOTHROYD
Spare	Glenda Jackson won an Oscar for her part in which Ken Russell film?	WOMEN IN LOVE

Round 2
Add a letter

The answer to the first part of the clue is a five letter word. By adding a letter anywhere in the word you will get a six letter answer to the second part. Both words required for the points.

Example. Where to save money after Xmas and where to check your weight = SALES and SCALES

1a	The sound of bells ringing and some precious objects.	PEALS/ PEARLS
1b	A US state and a soldier trained to fight on land or sea.	MAINE/ MARINE
2a	Make false notes and suffer a memory loss.	FORGE/ FORGET
2b	A castrated domestic fowl and a famous gangster.	CAPON/ CAPONE
3a	Frighten off and insufficient to meet demand.	SCARE/ SCARCE
3b	A Laxton Superb and spots of colour and shade.	APPLE/ DAPPLE
4a	Eat this for breakfast and a warning signal.	BACON/ BEACON
4b	Maliciousness and an elf-like creature	SPITE/SPRITE
Spare	A Mediterranean island and to use your skills to make something.	CRETE/ CREATE

Round 3
It happened in 2016.
Have you been keeping abreast of the news?
Where appropriate full names required.

1a	Who succeeded Nigel Farage as leader of UKIP and resigned shortly afterwards?	DIANE JAMES
1b	Which Labour MP was tragically murdered near her Constituency office?	JO COX
2a	A rep. from a legal firm in Panama was responsible for leaking a raft of shady tax goings-on. Which firm?	MOSSACK FONSECA
2b	Cluedo's Mrs. White will be replaced by whom?	DR. ORCHID
3a	A new animal is to be introduced in the new authorised version of Winnie the Pooh, originating from a photo of Christopher with a teddy bear and this creature. What is it?	PENGUIN
3b	The new Secretary General of the UN has been announced. What is his nationality?	PORTUGUESE (Antonio Guterres)
4a	Who were the runners up in the 2016 FA cup final?	CRYSTAL PALACE
4b	Who were the 2016 cricket county champions of division 2?	ESSEX
Spare	The Duchess of Cambridge made her first solo royal visit. To which country?	NETHERLANDS (Accept HOLLAND)

Round 4
Gardening

1a	Acanthus is commonly known as BEAR'S ...What?	BREECHES
1b	Agapanthus is commonly known as the AFRICAN...What?	LILY
2a	Lathyrus is commonly known as SWEET...What?	PEA
2b	Polygonum is commonly known as KNOT...What?	WEED
3a	The evening primrose is mostly what colour?	YELLOW
3b	Most delphiniums are what colour?	BLUE
4a	Alicante and Big Boy are types of what?	TOMATO
4b	Zucchini and Gold Rush are types of what?	COURGETTE
Spare	What would you be growing if you were a viticulturist?	GRAPES

Round 5
Shared film roles

Which role was shared by each group of three actors? The films may have been made for cinema or TV.

1a	Douglas Fairbanks, Michael York, Gene Kelly	D'ARTAGNAN
1b	Alec Guinness, George C Scott, Ron Moody	FAGIN
2a	Gary Oldman, Christopher Lee, Bela Lugosi.	DRACULA
2b	Charlton Heston, Mel Brooks, Burt Lancaster	MOSES
3a	Albert Finney, Tony Randall, Peter Ustinov	HERCULE POIROT
3b	Richard Burton, Charles Laughton. Sid James	HENRY VIII
4a	John Gielgud, Rex Harrison, Kenneth Williams	JULIUS CAESAR
4b	Sean Connery, Richard Harris, Anthony Hopkins	RICHARD I (LIONHEART)
Spare	Peter Cushing, Peter Cook, Basil Rathbone	SHERLOCK HOLMES

Round 6
Literary figures
All have a Cumbrian connection

1a	Name the author of Georgy Girl, born in Carlisle, who died earlier this year	Margaret FORSTER
1b	Which editor of the Westmorland Gazette was known as the "Opium Eater"?	Thomas DE QUINCEY
2a	What is the name of Ruskin's house on Coniston?	BRANTWOOD
2b	Name the 2016 remake of the 1930's classic of "Bracing outdoor fun". The author went to school in Windermere.	SWALLOWS AND AMAZONS
3a	Name <u>either</u> of the two Lakeland poets who lived at Greta Hall.	Robert SOUTHEY/ Samuel Taylor COLERIDGE
3b	What was Beatrix Potter's married name?	HEELIS
4a	John Cunliffe lived in Kendal for six years and wrote two hundred books for children, some of which were turned into two well-known TV series. Name <u>either</u> .	POSTMAN PAT/ ROSIE AND JIM
4b	Name the broadcaster and associate of Ken Russell who wrote the screen play for "The Music Lovers" in 1970.	Melvyn BRAGG
Spare	Who was the brother of famous sisters who was a tutor in Broughton in Furness for six months before being dismissed for drunkenness and immorality?	BRANWELL BRONTE

Round 7
Beginnings and Endings

All answers begin and end with the same letter. From the clue give the word.

1a	A colourless and odourless gaseous element that gives a red glow in a vacuum tube; one of the six inert gasses.	NEON
1b	A musical note known as a half note in the USA	MINIM
2a	Ancient Greek king who was condemned for his misdeeds to eternally roll a heavy stone up a hill	SISYPHUS
2b	The Devil or Satan	BEELEZEBOUL
3a	Which group had a number one hit single in 1997 with Barbie Girl?	AQUA
3b	A north American rodent also known as a woodchuck or a whistlepig	GROUNDHOG (accept GROUNDPIG)
4a	The Moor of Venice	OTHELLO
4b	The lead singer of the group Madness	SUGGS
Spare	A very large south American constricting snake	ANACONDA

Round 8
General

1a	What is the name of the lower House of the Russian Parliament?	(State) DUMA
1b	What is the name of the Israeli national Parliament?	KNESSET
2a	The columns of the Giant's Causeway are formed from which type of rock?	BASALT
2b	Which country joined the EU at the same time as the Republic of Ireland and the UK?	DENMARK
3a	Which Alpine ski resort hosted the first winter Olympics in 1924?	CHAMONIX
3b	Under which manager did David Beckham make his full international debut for England in 1996?	Glenn HODDLE
4a	Bismark is the capital of which US state?	NORTH DAKOTA
4b	What is the capital of the US state of Louisiana?	BATON ROUGE
Spare	Which word is formed by joining the chemical symbols for arsenic and potassium?	ASK