

LANCASTER CITY QUIZ LEAGUE: 12 MARCH 2018

Quiz set by DOG & PARTRIDGE

ANSWERS IN BOLD

In the case of the answer being a person, then unless otherwise indicated, the full name is required.

Round 1

The following questions all have the name of a river within the answer.

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| 1a | Name the presenter of BBC television's Gardener's World. | MONTY DON |
| 1b | This popular visitor attraction in Cornwall is a tropical garden housed in two biomes. | THE EDEN PROJECT |
| 2a | Name the British car manufacturer who produced the 'Super Snipe' and the 'Sceptre'. | HUMBER |
| 2b | This British political activist and former Roman Catholic priest was, in the 1980's, the general secretary and later chairman of CND. | BRUCE KENT |
| 3a | Former Royal Navy Training Establishment based in Shotley, Suffolk. | (HMS) GANGES |
| 3b | An American dessert largely consists of bourbon biscuits, dark chocolate, double cream and muscovado sugar. | MISSISSIPPI MUD PIE |
| 4a | A 1957 film starring Richard Todd. It tells the true story of the escape of the frigate HMS Amethyst from the Chinese in 1949, | THE YANGTZE INCIDENT |
| 4b | A singer, songwriter and record producer who was a founder member of the band Chic. | NILE ROGERS |
| Spare | A woven fabric originating from a Scottish Island that bears its name. | HARRIS TWEED |

Round 2

THE SAME TWO INITIALS

In this round a 2 word answer is required. The initial letter is the same in both words of the answer.

Eg, Question: Name the king of the cowboys - Answer: Roy Rogers

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| 1a | Who is the presenter of the television programme Pointless. | ALEXANDER ARMSTRONG |
| 1b | Who takes the role of Vera in the television series of the same name. | BRENDA BLETHYN |
| 2a | Who plays the part of Fox Mulder in the TV series the X-files. | DAVID DUCHOVNY |
| 2b | Name the 40 th President of the United States of America | RONALD REAGAN |
| 3a | This American professional golfer was born 1912 and died 2002. He won a record 82 PGA events. His nickname was 'Slamming Sammy'. | SAM SNEAD |
| 3b | This ex footballer was capped four times for England. He is now a co presenter on the daytime television programme Homes Under the Hammer. | DION DUBLIN |
| 4a | Name Queen Elizabeth II's eldest grandchild. | PETER PHILLIPS |
| 4b | Name the author of the novel War Horse. | MICHAEL MORPURGO |
| Spare | Who won the men's singles championship at Wimbledon in 1975. | ARTHUR ASHE |

Round 3

GENERAL

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| 1a | What was the first sporting event to be televised live in 1936. | BERLIN OLYMPICS |
| 1b | In 1989 the Velvet Revolution took place in which country. | CZECHOSLOVAKIA |
| 2a | What part of your body would be affected by Glossitis. | TONGUE |
| 2b | Nephritis affects which body organ. | KIDNEY |
| 3a | Clementine Hozier was married to which statesman. | WINSTON CHURCHILL |
| 3b | Who is the Chancellor of Lancaster University. | ALAN MILBURN |
| 4a | Which is the only sport in which players are NOT allowed to play left handed for safety reasons. | POLO |
| 4b | Who provides the voice of Sideshow Bob in The Simpsons. | KELSEY GRAMMER |
| Spare | Which is the only country NOT to win a Gold Medal when hosting the Summer Olympics. | CANADA |

Round 4

'BLING'

All questions contain a precious metal, jewel or gemstone.

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| 1a | What is the first name of Ian Fleming's fictional character Goldfinger? | AURIC |
| 1b | In which county is Silverstone racetrack? | NORTHAMPTONSHIRE |
| 2a | Whose debut studio album in 1984 was Diamond Life? | SADE |
| 2b | Which Indie Rock Band from Leeds had a Number 1 hit record 'Ruby' in 2007. | KAISER CHIEFS |
| 3a | A Pearl Wedding celebrates how many years of marriage. | THIRTY |
| 3b | Who played Sapphire in the 1970s/80s television drama Sapphire and Steel? | JOANNA LUMLEY |
| 4a | Who was the author of the novel The Moonstone? | WILKIE COLLINS |
| 4b | In 1998 Opal Fruits changed their name to what? | STARBURST |
| Spare | Who was the music hall comedy partner of Jimmy Jewel? | BEN WARRISS |

Round 5

An equestrian round

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| 1a | On which racecourse has the Scottish Grand National been held since 1966? | AYR |
| 1b | Who wrote the novel Black Beauty? | ANNA SEWELL |
| 2a | Which Jilly Cooper novel, published in 1985, focuses on the ups and downs of show jumping stars? | RIDERS |
| 2b | Which horse racing venue has 2 courses, the Rowley Mile Course and the July Course? | NEWMARKET |
| 3a | What is a numnah? | A SADDLE BLANKET OR SADDLE PAD (Accept either answer) |
| 3b | Which equestrian magazine is the oldest in the UK, being first published in 1884? | HORSE AND HOUND |
| 4a | What name is given to the highest part of the back of a horse, behind the neck and between the shoulders? | WITHERS |
| 4b | What is the common English term for a horse with a body colour of white with black patches? | PIEBALD |

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| Spare | Which show jumper became Britain's second oldest Olympic gold medallist by winning a gold medal in Rio in 2016? | NICK SKELTON |
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Round 6
FOOD AND DRINK

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| 1a | Name the square shaped sponge cake, coated in a layer of chocolate icing and desiccated coconut. It is often described as the 'National Cake of Australia'. | LAMINGTON |
| 1b | Which doughnut and coffee house company was founded in 1950 in Quincy, Massachusetts by Bill Rosenberg? | DUNKIN' DONUTS |
| 2a | Which country is the origin of the beef stew known as Daube? | FRANCE |
| 2b | In which country would you be if you were touring the wine regions Stellenbosch and Paarl? | SOUTH AFRICA |
| 3a | A Scandinavian meal served buffet style with multiple hot and cold dishes of various foods is known as a what? | SMORGASBORD |
| 3b | What is the more common name for a Scallion. | SPRING ONION or GREEN ONION (accept either of the above) |
| 4a | Crème de Cassis and Champagne are combined to make which cocktail? | KIR ROYALE |
| 4b | Stargazy Pie, where the pastry crust has the fish heads protruding through it, is traditionally from which English county? | CORNWALL |
| Spare | If you were having a cocktail of Guinness and Champagne what would it be called? | BLACK VELVET |

Round 7

ABBREVIATIONS commonly used in Personal Columns. Eg GSH = Good sense of humour

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| 1a | WLTM | WOULD LIKE TO MEET |
| 1b | SI | SIMILAR INTERESTS |
| 2a | NM | NEVER MARRIED or NOT MARRIED (accept either of the above) |
| 2b | LD | LIGHT DRINKER |
| 3a | ALA | ALL LETTERS ANSWERED |
| 3b | NSA | NO STRINGS ATTACHED |

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| 4a | FS | FINANCIALLY SOUND |
| 4b | LTR | LONG TERM RELATIONSHIP |
| Spare | PERSONAL AD – MBA | MUTUAL BUSINESS ARRANGEMENT |

Round 8
GENERAL

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| 1a | What is potamology? | The study of RIVERS |
| 1b | What is vexillology? | The study of FLAGS |
| 2a | Which English actor/comedian is enjoying success in America as the presenter of The Late Late Show. | JAMES CORDEN |
| 2b | Who is the current presenter of Desert Island Discs. | KIRSTY YOUNG |
| 3a | What is the usual colour of an aircraft's flight recorder referred to as the Black Box. | ORANGE |
| 3b | The POLLEX is the medical term for which part of your body. | THUMB |
| 4a | Actor John Voigt is the father of which female film star. | ANGELINA JOLIE |
| 4b | Which country was the first to introduce plastic/polymer banknotes. | AUSTRALIA |
| Spare | In which county is Milton Keynes. | BUCKINGHAMSHIRE |