

LANCASTER CITY QUIZ LEAGUE: 1st April 2019
Quiz set by Golden Lion B

Answers required are in **Bold**

Round 1 - April Fool's – Notable Hoaxes and Forgeries

- 1A** Which historian's reputation was severely damaged after endorsing the veracity of the Hitler Diaries? **Hugh Trevor Roper** (acc Lord Dacre)
- 1B** Ali Dia, one of the worst footballers ever to grace the Premier League, pretended to be the cousin of which legendary African footballer? **George Weah**
- 2A** Which famous stage magician spent the latter part of his career exposing fraudulent spiritualists? **Harry Houdini**
- 2B** Which village in West Yorkshire gave its name to the series of faked photographs taken by Elsie Wright and Frances Griffiths in 1917? **Cottingley**
- 3A** What was the name of the Theatre Company that produced Orson Welles' panic-inducing War of the Worlds radio drama? **Mercury Theatre C^o**
- 3B** Name the Labour politician who tried to fake his death in 1974. **John Stonehouse**
- 4A** In which county is Piltdown, supposed site of the famous archaeological discovery. **East Sussex**
- 4B** What was the name of the drug Chris Morris invented for his TV news satire 'Brass Eye'? **Cake**

Spares

1. Michael Parkinson was the main presenter of the 1992 BBC programme 'Ghostwatch'. Name one of the other three. **Craig Charles, Sarah Greene, Mike Smith**
2. Which novelist, author of 'Any Human Heart' and 'Restless', wrote the supposed biography of American Artist Nat Tate, who was invented in collaboration with David Bowie. **William Boyd**

Round 2 - Scottish Football Clubs

You've heard of them on 'Final Score', but can you name the town or city in which each of these Scottish clubs are based? Note that some are named after suburbs or historic regions, but the required answer is the main town or city in which the ground is situated.

- 1A** Ross County **Dingwall**
- 1B** Clyde **Cumbernauld**
- 2A** Queen of the South **Dumfries**
- 2B** St Johnstone **Perth**
- 3A** Raith Rovers **Kirkcaldy**
- 3B** Queen's Park **Glasgow**
- 4A** Albion Rovers **Airdrie** (also accept **Coatbridge**, which is more precise)

4B East Stirling

Falkirk (also accept **Stenhousemuir**, which is more precise)

Spares

1. Partick Thistle
2. St Mirren
3. Hibernian

Glasgow
Paisley
Edinburgh

Round 3 - Name that band

Based on the forenames of their members and the decade they came to prominence, name these music groups.

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| 1A | Kenney, Ronnie, Steve, Ian – 1960s | The Small Faces |
| 1B | Thom, Jonny, Colin, Ed, Philip – 1990s | Radiohead |
| 2A | Claire, Lee, Lisa, Faye, Ian – 1990s | Steps |
| 2B | Hilton, Alan, Eric, Chas, John – 1960s | The Animals |
| 3A | David, Melvin, Paul, Otis, Eddie – 1960s | The Temptations |
| 3B | Andrea, Caroline, Sharon, Jim 1990s | The Corrs |
| 4A | Damon, Graham, Alex, Dave – 1990s | Blur |
| 4B | Ronnie, Estelle, Nedra – 1960s | The Ronettes |

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| 1. | Dave, Paul, Dave, Sean, Dave, Briana – 1980s | The Beautiful South |
| 2. | Natasha, Liz, Kerry – 1990s | Atomic Kitten |

Round 4 - General

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| 1A | What is the SI unit of illumination? | Lux |
| 1B | In which Canadian province is Uranium City? | Saskatchewan |
| 2A | What is the middle name of former US President James Carter? | Earl |
| 2B | With which football club did George Best end his career? | Bournemouth |
| 3A | What was a Dandyhorse? | Bicycle |
| 3B | Which explorer became an MP in 1895? | Henry Morton Stanley |
| 4A | Which football team did Alf Garnett support? | West Ham Unit |
| 4B | Which religious movement was founded by Mary Baker Eddy? | Christian Science |

Spares

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| 1. | A Mercer would have traded in what kind of goods? | Textiles / Cloths |
| 2. | Which painting by Manet caused a scandal in 1863 | |

Le Dejeuner sur l'herbe (Accept 'Luncheon on the Grass')

Round 5 – English Cathedrals

Simply name the cathedral

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| 1A Which cathedral has a moated Bishop's Palace alongside it? | Wells |
| 1B Which cathedral has the tallest spire? | Salisbury |
| 2A Which cathedral houses the shrine of St Cuthbert | Durham |
| 2B Which cathedral houses the tomb of King John | Worcester |
| 3A Which is England's smallest cathedral city | Southwell |
| 3B Which cathedral has 3 stone spires, known as the Ladies of the Vale? | Lichfield |
| 4A Which is England's largest cathedral? | Liverpool |
| 4B Which cathedral was constructed in the late 1950s next to the ruins of one destroyed by bombing in November 1940? | Coventry |

Spares

1. Oxford is England's smallest cathedral, but which Northern cathedral is the second smallest?
Carlisle
2. Which Southern cathedral is England's longest
Winchester
3. Which cathedral is often called 'the Ship of the Fens'
Ely

Round 6 - Contronyms

Also known as autoantonyms, contronyms are words which, depending on context, can have opposite or contradictory meanings. Given definitions, what is the word?

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| 1A To fasten or to flee (especially of horses) | Bolt |
| 1B Speedy or stuck | Fast |
| 2A To approve or to boycott | Sanction |
| 2B A statement of contrition or a defence of something | Apology |
| 3A To adhere to or to separate | Cleave |
| 3B To soften or to strengthen | Temper |
| 4A Heading for somewhere or restrained from movement | Bound |
| 4B To fasten or to collapse under strain | Buckle |

Spares

1. Most severe (in murder) or least severe (in burns)
First degree
2. To supervise or to fail to notice
Overlook
3. To sprinkle fine particles or to remove them
Dust

Round 7 – Acids

- 1A** Which acid is found in sorrel and rhubarb leaves? **Oxalic**
- 1B** Which is the predominant acid found in apples? **Malic**
- 2A** Hanged in 1940, what was the name of the ‘acid bath killer’? **John Haigh**
- 2B** Which acid is produced in the human stomach? **Hydrochloric**
- 3A** On the Ph scale, below what number are acids rated? **7**
- 3B** What is the alternative name for ‘aqua fortis’? **Nitric**
- 4A** Which acid is usually present in manufactured fizzy drinks? **Carbonic**
- 4B** Her children called her ‘Acid Raine’. Who was her mother? **Barbara Cartland**

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1. Which creatures produce formic acid? **Ants**
2. Which acid’s uses include antiseptics, insecticides and flame retardants? **Boric**
3. Which acid is present in vinegar? **Acetic**

Round 8 - General

- 1A** What national office is held by Ephraim Mervis? **Chief Rabbi**
- 1B** Which special named day is celebrated most famously at Gobblers Knob Pennsylvania, where it features Punxsatawney Phil? **Groundhog Day**
- 2A** Name the second largest of the Ionian Islands, ruled by the British from 1815 until 1864? **Corfu**
- 2B** If astronauts are American and cosmonauts are Russian, what is the Chinese name? **Taikonaut**
- 3A** From which London rail terminus will HS2 run? **Euston**
- 3B** Who became Queen of the Netherlands in 1980? **Beatrix**
- 4A** Who plays drums for the Electric Mayhem Band? **Animal (The Muppets)**
- 4B** Who is the fictional Sir Walter Scott character that gives his name to a real life breed of terrier? **Dandie Dinmont**

Spares

1. Name the Hairy Cornflake? **Dave Lee Travis**
2. In what area of expertise is the Fields Medal awarded? **Maths**