This quiz is set by the Merchants A, we do hope that it's enjoyable, balanced and not too specific. Required answers are in **BOLD CAPITALS.**

Round 1 The Music and collaborations of Gary Barnacle

Gary Barnacle is a saxophonist, flautist, brass instrument arranger and composer who has performed on many records since 1978 i.e. since most quiz league players were born. Each clue is to an album, track, soundtrack or artist with which he has collaborated.

1a. The 1982 Album, Acting Very Strange, was by Mike Rutherford, but which famous band did he form with friends from Charterhouse?

GENESIS

1b. Mark King played bass on the eponymous debut album by which band in 1981?

LEVEL 42

2a. The 1980 album *Sandinista!* was by which group that has had members including Keith Levene, Topper Headon and Joe Strummer?

THE CLASH

2b. This is not a love Song, was by which band that has had members including Keith Levene, Jah Wobble, and John Lydon?

PIL or PUBLIC IMAGE LIMITED

3a. Private Dancer was the 1983 album by which artist?

TINA TURNER

3b. Gary played on the soundtrack for which 1983 Film written by Willie Russell and based upon his 1980 stage play?

EDUCATING RITA

4a. The 1981 eponymous album from a female singer whose father was a successful rock and roll singer in the 1950s?

KIM WILDE

4b. The 1986 single, Absolute Beginners was by which Artist?

DAVID BOWIE

SPARE

The 1986 single, Suburbia, was by which electronic duo?

PET SHOP BOYS

T'PAU

The 1988 single, This Girl, was by which band named after a Vulcan Star Trek character

Round 2 Eponymous cities

In this round all answers are cities named after real historical figures

1a. This Mediterranean city was founded in 332 BC and was home to one of seven wonders of the ancient world. It was the first city in the world to have numbered street addresses.

ALFXANDRIA

1b. This American city was named after a famous English sailor and adventurer. It is the second largest in Carolina and is home to the Carolina Hurricanes ice hockey team.

RALEIGH

2a. This city, the fourth largest in modern Russia, was founded in 1723 and named after the wife of Peter the Great.

YEKATERINBURG/EKATERINBERG

2b. This city is the capital of the Congo Republic. Between 1940 and 1942 it served additionally as the capital of Free France. It was founded in September 1880 by an Italian-born explorer after whom it takes its name.

BRAZZAVILLE

3a. This Mediterranean port hosted the summer Olympics in the 1990s and is named after a famous warlord who passed through around 218 BC.

BARCELONA

3b. This city is the capital of South Australia. It was founded in 1836 and named after the then-Queen consort to William IV.

ADELAIDE

4a. This large South African city was founded as a trading port in 1820 and was named after the wife of its founder, Sir Rufane Shaw Donkin. The city is infamous as the location for Steven Biko's capture and torture by South African security forces.

PORT ELIZABETH

4b. This city is the capital of an island state and was named after the Frenchman who served there as Grandmaster of the Order of the Knights of St John from 1557 to 1568.

VALLETTA

Spares

This Bangladeshi port city (also known as Panowa) was founded in the late 1700s and named after the officer of the British East India Company who established a market and trading centre there.

COX'S BAZAR

This city is the capital of Botswana and is named after the man who was chief of the Tiokwa tribe from 1880 to 1931.

GABORONE

Round 3 Season of mists and mellow fruitfulness

1a. "To Autumn", which opens with the line "Season of mists and mellow fruitfulness", was written by John Keats. In which European city is Keats buried?

ROME

1b. After the autumn equinox, the nights get longer, and the days get shorter. What is the literal two-word meaning of the term "equinox"?

EQUAL NIGHT

2a. "It Might as well Rain until September" was a 1962 hit for which singer-songwriter?

CAROLE KING

2b. Which German-born composer wrote the music for "September Song", an American popular classic released in 1938, and later covered by a wide range of vocalists including Frank Sinatra, Sarah Vaughan and Willie Nelson?

KURT WEILL

3a. The 1856 painting "Autumn Leaves" was described by John Ruskin as "the first instance of a perfectly painted twilight". Who was the artist?

John Everett MILLAIS

3b. In autumn, the transformation of leaves on deciduous trees from green to brown and gold, is a result of the decline of which chemical?

CHLOROPHYLL

4a. Name the singer of the 1978 hit "Forever Autumn", from Jeff Wayne's concept album The War of the Worlds?

JUSTIN HAYWARD

4b. If you are born between September 23rd- October 22nd, what is your star signs?

LIBRA

SPARES

The September Massacres took place in which decade?

The **1790s** (during the French Revolution)

The 2017 Man Booker Prize short-listed "Autumn", widely regarded as the first "post-Brexit" novel dealing with the result of the 2016 referendum, is the first in a proposed quartet of seasonal "state of the nation" novels by which Scottish writer?

ALI SMITH

Round 4 Musical instruments

Identify the instruments in the following pictures:

1a. Picture E THEREMIN1b. Picture B SOUSAPHONE

2a. Picture G VUVUZELA (also accept LEPATATA)

2b. Picture D HURDY-GURDY

3a. Picture I LUTE

3b Picture C SITAR

4a. Picture A LYRE

4b. Picture H KAZOO

Spare:

Picture F: **BUGLE**

Round 5 Children's books

Given the quote from the famous children's books, name the book. The first 4 are picture books, the next 4 are classic children's books. Title characters are referred to as X.

1a. A mouse took a stroll through the deep dark wood.

A fox saw the mouse, and the mouse looked good.

THE GRUFFALO

1b. What a beautiful day! We're not scared.

We're GOING ON A BEAR HUNT

2a. ...and he drank all the milk, and all the orange juice, and all Daddy's beer, and all the water in the tap.

THE TIGER WHO CAME TO TEA

2b. That night he had a stomach-ache!

THE VERY HUNGRY CATERPILLAR

3a. "But I don't want to go among mad people," X remarked.

"Oh, you can't help that," said the Cat: "we're all mad here. I'm mad. You're mad."

ALICE'S ADVENTURES IN WONDERLAND (ACCEPT ALICE IN WONDERLAND)

3b. The Queen let another drop fall from her bottle on to the snow, and instantly there appeared a round box, tied with green silk ribbon, which, when opened, turned out to contain several pounds of the best Turkish Delight.

THE LION, THE WITCH AND THE WARDROBE

4a. "I didn't beg, borrow, or steal it. I earned it, and I don't think you'll blame me, for I only sold what was my own."

As she spoke, Jo took off her bonnet, and a general outcry arose, for all her abundant hair was cut short.

LITTLE WOMEN

4b. Suddenly, at the very highest point of the sweep, there was a sharp noise of cracking. The swing gave a violent twist, spun half round, and tossed X into the air.

WHAT KATY DID

Spares

...boys happened along every little while; they came to jeer, but remained to whitewash.

THE ADVENTURES OF TOM SAWYER

"And now," cried Max, "let the wild rumpus start!"

WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE

Round 6 Sconnie Botland

A round about Scotland. Each pair of answers has a Trivial Pursuit-themed theme.

Geography

1a. Which geographical feature runs from Fort William to Inverness, bisecting the Highlands?

THE GREAT GLEN (accept GLEN ALBYN or GLEN MORE)

1b. On what island can the Cuillin Mountains be found?

SKYE

Arts and Literature

2a. Dundee's new waterfront museum is an offshoot of which London institution?

THE V&A

2b. 'He can't paint, he just colours in" -- these words were spoken by a prominent critic about which contemporary Scottish painter?'

JACK VETTRIANO

Sport

3a. Which Scottish middle-distance runner broke Kelly Holmes's British 1500m record and is regarded as a medal hopeful for the Tokyo Olympics?

LAURA MUIR

3b. Which Scottish Championship football team plays in Dumfries?

QUEEN OF THE SOUTH

History

4a. The 'Auld Alliance' is a historical friendship between Scotland and which other country?

FRANCE

4b. Whom did Flora McDonald help to evade capture after he suffered a military defeat in 1746?

BONNIE PRINCE CHARLIE

Spares

Entertainment

Which Scottish filmmaker made Ratcatcher and Morvern Callar?

LYNNE RAMSAY

Which sketch show features the small Scottish town of Stoneybridge?

ABSOLUTELY

Round 7 Finders Keepers

- 1a. In the Harry Potter novels, who is the "Keeper of the Keys" at Hogwarts School? Rubeus **HAGRID**
- 1b. Which English novelist's faithful bull-mastiff cross-breed, Keeper, was at her side when she died in 1848?

EMILY BRONTE

2a. Which football journalist, who wrote for the Sunday Times for over thirty years, penned the 1971 children's novel "Goalkeepers are Different"?

BRIAN GLANVILLE

2b) The gamekeeper Oliver Mellors is the object of a noblewoman's desire in which notorious novel

LADY CHATTERLEY'S LOVER

- 3a) Which ex-England goalkeeper is appearing in the current series of Strictly Come Dancing?
 DAVID JAMES
- 3b) "The Goalkeeper's Fear of the Penalty" is a 1972 film by which German director whose other films include "Wings of Desire"

WIM WENDERS

4a) Which religious leader played in goal for his university side in Kracow?

KAROL WOJTYLA / POPE JOHN PAUL II

4b) Which Nobel prizewinning novelist played in goal for Racing Universitaire Algerios?

ALBERT CAMUS

SPARES

From which lighthouse in the Outer Hebrides did three lighthouse keepers mysteriously vanish in 1900? The incident was immortalised in a much-anthologised poem of 1912 by Wilfrid Wilson Gibson.

THE FLANNAN ISLES LIGHTHOUSE (ACCEPT FLANNAN ISLE)

Which charismatic Colombian goalkeeper performed a dazzling scorpion kick save against England in a friendly in 1995?

RENE HIGUITA

Round 8 Super general knowledge

Every answer is a word or expression that begins with *Super*. For example, "What is Britain's second largest health and beauty retailer?" Ans: Superdrug

1a. The "Scunner Campbell" was the arch-enemy of which character who appeared on UK television from 1985 to 1987?

SUPER GRAN

1b. Which all-round sports competition, roughly resembling a decathlon, ran on UK television from 1973 to 1985, and has been revived periodically since then?

SUPERSTARS

2a. What is the scientific term for a material in which electrical resistance vanishes at a certain temperature?

SUPERCONDUCTOR

2b. What term is used to refer to a luminous stellar explosion in which a star collapses into a neutron star or black hole, or is completely destroyed?

SUPERNOVA

3a. What is a court order whose existence and details may not be legally reported?

SUPER-INJUNCTION

3b. Which term was used by Sigmund Freud to refer to a person's conscience or "inner critic"?

SUPER-EGO

4a. In Italy, *pentito* is a slang term for a former career criminal who agrees to co-operate with the authorities. What is the English equivalent for this term?

SUPERGRASS

4b. Which 1972 film, in which Ron O'Neal plays an African-American pimp and cocaine dealer, is well-known for its classic soul and funk soundtrack by Curtis Mayfield?

SUPER FLY

Spare:

By what nickname is Dr Noel Fitzpatrick commonly known on TV?

SUPERVET







































































