

Lancaster City Quiz League - Cup QFs - 9th May 2022

This quiz has been set by Jack Bennett. Usual rules apply unless otherwise stated.

Required answers in **bold**.

ROUND 1 - It Happened in May

1a	Which state declared independence from Nigeria in May 1967, sparking a three-year civil war?	Biafra
1b	The Turkish man Mehmet Ali Ağca shot and wounded which famous figure in May 1981?	Pope John Paul II
2a	Rafael Trujillo was assassinated in May 1961 - prior to that, he had been the military dictator of which Caribbean country?	Dominican Republic
2b	The serving president of which Asian country was assassinated in May 1993 by the terrorist organisation known as the Tamil Tigers?	Sri Lanka
3a	Which Confederate general and West Point graduate was fatally wounded at the Battle of Chancellorsville during the American Civil War?	Stonewall Jackson
3b	Joan of Arc was captured by the Burgundians in 1430 while leading an army to relieve which northern French town?	Compiègne
4a	Which parish church of the Tower of London was the burial place in 1536 of Anne Boleyn, with Catherine Howard and Lady Jane Grey also buried there?	St Peter ad Vincula
4b	In 1568, Mary, Queen of Scots, escaped - with the help of her gaoler's family - from which now-ruined castle in the Perth and Kinross area of Scotland?	Lochleven Castle
S1	Napoleon Bonaparte died in 1821 on which island in the South Atlantic?	Saint Helena
S2	Fought in Gloucestershire, which of the decisive	Battle of Tewkesbury

	battles of the Wars of the Roses was followed by the murder of the Lancastrian Henry VI?	
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ROUND 2 - Buildings

1a	The Danish architect Jørn Utzon designed which Australian building, the best-known landmark in its city?	Sydney Opera House
1b	Which architect designed the Pompidou Centre in Paris and The Shard in London?	Renzo Piano
2a	In architecture, what eight-letter term describes a roughly triangular space, usually found in pairs, between the top of an arch and a rectangular frame?	Spandrel
2b	In architecture, what six-letter term describes the central part of an entablature?	Frieze
3a	Consisting of nine stainless steel spheres, the Atomium was constructed for the 1958 World's Fair in which European city?	Brussels
3b	Originally named Fred and Ginger, after the Hollywood dancers, the so-called Dancing House was designed by the Canadian-American architect Frank Gehry, and can be seen in which European city?	Prague
4a	Which English city's cathedral was the world's tallest building for over two centuries, until its spire collapsed in 1548?	Lincoln
4b	Which English city's cathedral has three distinctive spires, known as the "Ladies of the Vale"?	Lichfield
S1	The Taj Mahal in the Indian city of Agra lies on the right bank of which river?	Yamuna
S2	Construction of the Colosseum in Rome began in	Vespasian

	72 CE under the rule of which emperor?	
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ROUND 3 - L is for Literature A round on literary works, the titles of which all begin with L

1a	Which set of novels based on the author's upbringing in the American Midwest were later adapted into a TV series starring Michael Landon and Melissa Gilbert?	<i>Little House on the Prairie</i>
1b	What was the name of Walt Whitman's acclaimed 1855 poetry collection that included such poems as "I Sing the Body Electric"?	<i>Leaves of Grass</i>
2a	Which trilogy of semi-autobiographical novels by Flora Thompson was set in the Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire countryside, specifically the hamlet of Juniper Hill where the author grew up?	<i>Lark Rise to Candleford</i>
2b	Ralph, Piggy, and Jack are the central characters of which 1954 debut novel by William Golding?	<i>Lord of the Flies</i>
3a	Inspiring a John William Waterhouse painting, what is the name of the John Keats poem that begins "O what can ail thee, knight-at-arms"?	<i>La Belle Dame sans Merci</i>
3b	Meg, Jo, Beth, and Amy March are the title characters of which coming-of-age novel by Louisa May Alcott?	<i>Little Women</i>
4a	Oliver Mellors is the gamekeeper in which novel that was the subject of a notable obscenity trial?	<i>Lady Chatterley's Lover</i>
4b	Which Booker Prize-winning novel by Yann Martel tells of Piscine Molitor Patel, an Indian boy shipwrecked on a lifeboat with a Bengal tiger?	<i>Life of Pi</i>
S1	Which 1869 novel is subtitled <i>A Romance of Exmoor</i> ?	<i>Lorna Doone</i>
S2	Which Kate Atkinson novel has recently been	<i>Life After Life</i>

	adapted into a television serial starring Thomasin McKenzie and Sian Clifford?	
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ROUND 4 - Shared Surnames Give the surname shared by the two people mentioned in each question

1a	What surname is shared by the writer of the TV dramas <i>Last Tango in Halifax</i> and <i>Gentleman Jack</i> , and the singer-songwriter whose mother was Kate McGarrigle?	Wainwright (Sally and Rufus)
1b	What surname is shared by the man who co-created the characters Black Widow and Iron Man, and the singer who had a hit in 1958 with her version of the song "Fever"?	Lee (Stan and Peggy)
2a	What surname is shared by the tennis player who won a silver with Andy Murray in the mixed doubles at the 2012 London Olympics, and a panellist on <i>Loose Women</i> who played Tracey Stubbs in the sitcom <i>Birds of a Feather</i> ?	Robson (Laura and Linda)
2b	What surname is shared by the American soldier who played himself in the 1955 war film <i>To Hell and Back</i> , and the singer who was one-half of the pop duo Moloko?	Murphy (Audie and Róisín)
3a	What surname is shared by the main presenter of <i>Woman's Hour</i> on BBC Radio 4, and the TV and radio personality who became a household name in the 1950s as a regular panellist on <i>What's My Line</i> ??	Barnett (Emma and Isobel)
3b	What surname is shared by the creator of the 2006 television drama <i>Housewife, 49</i> , and a musician from the Midlands credited on number-one singles such as "Blackberry Way"?	Wood (Victoria and Roy)
4a	What surname is shared by a former Chancellor of the Exchequer and MP for Rushcliffe, and the	Clarke (Kenneth and Emilia)

	English actress who had her breakthrough role playing Daenerys Targaryen in <i>Game of Thrones</i> ?	
4b	What surname is shared by the singer who had a hit in 1982 with “Just What I Always Wanted”, and the man who won the 1912 US presidential election?	Wilson (Mari and Woodrow)
S1	What surname is shared by the actor who won his first Academy Award for the 1989 war drama <i>Glory</i> , and the singer (born Ruth Lee Jones) who called herself the “Queen of the Blues”?	Washington (Denzel and Dinah)
S2	What surname is shared by the Brat Pack star of films such as <i>Ghost</i> and <i>Indecent Proposal</i> , and the Castleford-born sculptor of works such as <i>Knife Edge Two Piece</i> ?	Moore (Demi and Henry)

ROUND 5 - The Fab Four Each answer shares its name with a Beatles song

1a	Which 1974 book by the attorney Vincent Bugliosi was subtitled <i>The True Story of The Manson Murders</i> ?	<i>Helter Skelter</i>
1b	The wine variety merlot takes its name from the French for which member of the thrush family, that has the scientific name <i>Turdus merula</i> ?	Blackbird
2a	Which TV channel, that launched in 2002 as UK History, features programming such as <i>Secrets of the London Underground</i> and <i>The Architecture the Railways Built</i> ?	Yesterday
2b	Which Japanese drama about a multilingual production of <i>Uncle Vanya</i> won Best International Feature Film at this year’s Academy Awards ceremony?	<i>Drive My Car</i>
3a	Which psychological thriller directed by Rob Reiner stars Kathy Bates as Annie Wilkes, an obsessive fan of an author whom she holds captive?	<i>Misery</i>

3b	A college student living in Tokyo is the central character of which 1987 novel by Japanese author Haruki Murakami?	<i>Norwegian Wood</i>
4a	Referencing their kit, what is the nickname of the Spanish club Villarreal, Liverpool's opponents in the Champions League semi-finals this season?	"Yellow Submarine"
4b	Although more recent versions feature different settings, the original version of which German-style board game is played on a board that depicts a railway map of the USA and southern Canada?	<i>Ticket to Ride</i>
S1	Terry Christian, Katie Puckrik, Dani Behr, and Jasmine Dotiwala were among the presenters on which controversial Channel 4 magazine show, broadcast in the early 1990s?	<i>The Word</i>
S2	What forename is shared by the actress who played fictional vice president Selina Meyer in the US TV series <i>Veep</i> and the chef credited with bringing French cuisine to the American public?	Julia

ROUND 6 - Food and Drink

1a	Originally a harvest celebration, which Scottish dessert is made from whipped cream, honey, whisky, raspberries, and toasted oatmeal soaked overnight?	Cranachan
1b	The Norfolk town of Cromer is particularly associated with what type of seafood?	Crab
2a	"Elsanta" and "Cambridge Vigour" are varieties of which popular soft fruit?	Strawberry
2b	Sharing its name but for one letter with an anise-flavoured spirit, which rice-shaped pasta variety takes its name from the Italian for "barley"?	Orzo

3a	Now widely available in UK supermarkets, which spice mix found in much of North Africa has a name from the Arabic for “head of the shop”, as it was traditionally a mixture of the best spices the merchant had to offer?	Ras el hanout
3b	Known for its Gamma Ray and Neck Oil pale ales, which London-based brewery was founded in 2011 by the son of Led Zeppelin frontman Robert Plant?	Beavertown
4a	Which popular French blue cheese is made by leaving it in the Combalou caves of Aveyron for several weeks until it is consumed by the caves' unique mould species?	Roquefort
4b	Which coffee-based dessert takes the form of a scoop of vanilla ice cream or gelato, topped with a shot of hot espresso?	Affogato
S1	The Sally Lunn cake is named after a legendary lady from which city?	Bath
S2	What term refers to the clarified butter widely used in Indian cookery?	Ghee

ROUND 7 - Geography and Science

1a	New Grimsby and Old Grimsby are main settlements of which island, the second-largest of the Isles of Scilly?	Tresco
1b	The town of Grasse on the French Riviera is considered the world’s capital of what?	Perfume
2a	Denoted by the symbol Cd, what is the SI unit of luminous intensity?	Candela
2b	In 1927, which German scientist and pioneer of quantum mechanics introduced his uncertainty principle?	Werner Heisenberg

3a	Which major European city, the most populous in its country, is home to international airports known as Fiumicino and Ciampino?	Rome
3b	A Hoosier is someone from which Midwestern US state that borders Lake Michigan to the north-west?	Indiana
4a	Atomic number 13, which metal is the third-most abundant element in the Earth's crust (after oxygen and silicon)?	Aluminium
4b	The giant eland is the largest species of which even-toed ruminants?	Antelopes
S1	What is the county town of Wiltshire?	Trowbridge
S2	Noctule, Kitti's hog-nosed, and pipistrelle are all varieties of which creature?	Bat

ROUND 8 - General

1a	Which high-street fashion retailer was founded in 1948 by Bernard Lewis and his brothers?	River Island
1b	The R in the name of the QR code stands for what word?	Response
2a	Which town in the north-west of England is home to the multi-purpose arts and theatre venue known as the Octagon?	Bolton
2b	Featuring singles such as "Paranoid Android", "Karma Police", and "No Surprises", which 1997 album by Radiohead won the Grammy for Best Alternative Music Album?	OK Computer
3a	Which future Labour Prime Minister of the United Kingdom served as Chancellor of the Exchequer under Harold Wilson between 1964 and '67?	James Callaghan

3b	What name was traditionally given to the middle day of the month (the fifteenth day of full months and the thirteenth day of hollow ones) in the Roman calendar?	Ides
4a	Which Dubliner won his only World Snooker Championship in 1997, defeating Stephen Hendry 18-12 in the final?	Ken Doherty
4b	Which British historian has presented series on TV such as <i>A History of Britain</i> (2000-2002), <i>Power of Art</i> (2006), and <i>The Story of the Jews</i> (2013)?	Simon Schama
S1	What material is produced in a ginnery?	Cotton
S2	Sharing its name with a book of the Bible, what is the name of the luxury vehicle division of South Korean automobile manufacturer Hyundai?	Genesis

TB ROUND 1

1a	The novel <i>The Old Man and the Sea</i> contributed to which author being awarded the Nobel Prize in Literature in 1954?	Ernest Hemingway
1b	Which village in Oxfordshire is known for its annual festival of folk and rock music, headed by Fairport Convention?	Cropredy
2a	The Boston law firm Cage and Fish featured in which US TV drama that was named for its title character, played by Calista Flockhart?	<i>Ally McBeal</i>
2b	Which 1971 David Hockney painting depicts designers Ossie Clark and Celia Birtwell and their cat?	<i>Mr and Mrs Clark and Percy</i>
3a	Which English playwright wrote the 1893 problem play <i>The Second Mrs Tanqueray</i> ?	Arthur Wing Pinero
3b	Her only Wimbledon ladies' singles title, which	Lindsay Davenport

	American player beat Steffi Graf 6-4, 7-5 in the 1999 final?	
4a	In the <i>Star Trek</i> franchise, which actor - known for his LGBT activism - became known for playing Hikaru Sulu?	George Takei
4b	Which woodwind musical instrument is sometimes called ottavino in Italy, a name that means “little octave”?	Piccolo
S1	To date, who is the only jockey to have been named BBC Sports Personality of the Year?	Tony McCoy
S2	Jarndyce v Jarndyce is the long-running court case at the centre of which of Charles Dickens’s novels?	<i>Bleak House</i>

TB ROUND 2

1a	Which anthropomorphic character, who first appeared in a children’s fantasy novel in 1950, has a name derived from the Turkish word for “lion”?	Aslan
1b	According to the New Testament, which man was chosen by the apostles to replace Judas Iscariot following the latter’s betrayal of Jesus and his subsequent death, as documented by the Acts of the Apostles?	Matthias
2a	Which wife of Tyndareus of Sparta was seduced in Greek mythology by Zeus while he was disguised as a swan, later giving birth to the twins Castor and Pollux?	Leda
2b	Founded, according to legend, by Dido, the ancient city of Carthage can be found in which modern-day country?	Tunisia
3a	Which instant social messaging app has a mascot known as Ghostface Chillah?	Snapchat

3b	Usually 2.5% of an individual's income, which of the Five Pillars of Islam consists of the giving of alms or charity to the needy?	Zakat
4a	Which 1981 thriller that starred Keith Carradine and Powers Booth, and centred upon members of the National Guard who encounter trouble with the local Cajuns on a weekend outing, shares its two-word name with a liqueur invented by Martin Wilkes Heron?	<i>Southern Comfort</i>
4b	What name is given to the plastic covers found on the ends of shoelaces?	Aglets
S1	Which act of stagecraft has a name from the Latin for speaking from the stomach?	Ventriloquism
S2	Which English league football club plays its home matches at Brunton Park?	Carlisle United