

LANCASTER CITY QUIZ LEAGUE – October 25 2021
Quiz set by Brown Cow B. Surnames only required, unless otherwise stated.

Round 1 BERLIN

1a	In Berlin, what is the name of the great avenue which starts at the Brandenburg Gate?	UNTER DEN LINDEN
1b	Name either of Berlin's two leading professional football clubs.	HERTHA/UNION
2a	One of these 18 th century brothers founded an eponymous Berlin university. The other was a scientist and geographer who has given his name to a Pacific Ocean current. What surname do they share?	HUMBOLDT
2b	In a Cold War Berlin context, what same word precedes Alpha, Bravo and one other?	CHECKPOINT
3a	Who won four gold medals at the 1936 Olympics, to the intense displeasure of Adolf Hitler?	(Jesse) OWENS
3b	What is the name of Frederick the Great's rococo palace built near Berlin, at Potsdam, in the mid-18 th century?	SANS SOUCI
4a	Berlin-born Walther Gropius founded which artistic movement?	BAUHAUS
4b	In the musical <i>Cabaret</i> , what was the name of the nightclub Sally Bowles sang in?	KIT KAT (Club)
Sp.	KaDeWe (KDW) is an iconic Berlin institution. What is it?	DEPARTMENT STORE

Round 2 WORLD FOOD

1a	In French cuisine, what is the name for a mixture of finely chopped mushrooms and shallots, with herbs and sometimes cream, sautéed down to paste?	DUXELLES
1b	Name the Italian dish which the English call a Spanish omelette.	FRITTATA
2a	What is the name of the sauce, made from mayonnaise, dill and capers which is used to garnish fish dishes?	TARTARE
2b	Name the Indian spice mix, which contains cumin, coriander, black pepper, fennel and mace, along with various other herbs and spices.	GARAM MASALA
3a	In France, what is added to Croque Monsieur to make a Croque Madame?	EGG
3b	What is the name of the large cylindrical oven, traditionally made of clay, used extensively in Indian cookery?	TANDOOR
4a	Merguez is a North African type of which foodstuff?	SAUSAGE
4b	Americans call this vegetable rutabaga. What is it called in Britain?	SWEDE (accept TURNIP)
Sp.	Name the Korean dish of fermented vegetables, usually cabbage.	KIMCHI

Round 3 BAND BOOKS

All answers are bands which have taken their names, sometimes slightly adapted, from works of literature.

1a	Which band, formed in Los Angeles in 1965 and whose lead singer died at the age of 27, took its name from part of the title of an Aldous Huxley non-fiction work about his experiments with psychedelic drugs?	(The) DOORS
1b	Which English band, whose first album was released in 1990, was named after a character in <i>To Kill A Mockingbird</i> ?	BOO RADLEYS
2a	Which band, formed in Dublin in 1975 and whose leader later achieved an international profile beyond music, took its name from a gang of children in Woody Guthrie's autobiography <i>Bound for Glory</i> ?	BOOMTOWN RATS
2b	Which band, formed in Sheffield in 1980, took its name from a fictional band in <i>A Clockwork Orange</i> ?	HEAVEN 17
3a	Which Canadian/American rock band took its name from a German novel of 1927, whose author won the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1946?	STEPPENWOLF
3b	Which US band, founded in 1972, took its name from a sex aid mentioned in William Burroughs' novel <i>The Naked Lunch</i> ?	STEELY DAN
4a	Which English band, formed in 1969, took its name from the 'autobiography' of the Welsh poet and writer W. H. Davies?	SUPERTRAMP
4b	Which heavy metal band, formed in London in 1969, took its name from a character in the Dickens novel <i>David Copperfield</i> ?	URIAH HEEP
Sp.	Formed in 1977, this trio took its name from characters in Hergé's <i>Adventures of Tin Tin</i> .	THOMPSON TWINS

Round 4 THE 'THE'

All answers are films. Each answer is of two words, the first of which is 'The'. For example, *The Revenant*.

1a	Which film, directed by Martin Scorsese, received ten Oscar nominations at the 2020 ceremony, but won none?	(The) IRISHMAN
1b	In which 2004 multi-Oscar nominated biopic, starring Leonard DiCaprio and directed by Martin Scorsese, did Cate Blanchett win Best Actress Oscar for playing Katharine Hepburn?	(The) AVIATOR
2a	Which 2000 film, starring Leonardo DiCaprio and directed by Danny Boyle, is set on a Thai island?	(The) BEACH
2b	Which legal drama, a 1982 critically acclaimed box-office hit, starred Paul Newman, as an alcoholic lawyer? It was directed by Sidney Lumet and written by David Mamet. All three were Oscar-nominated, as was the film itself.	(The) VERDICT
3a	Which 2002 film, whose story-line is built around Virginia Woolf's <i>Mrs Dalloway</i> , starred Meryl Streep, Julianne Moore and Nicole Kidman as its three protagonists? The film itself was Best Film Oscar nominated, while Kidman won the Best Actress Oscar for her performance.	(The) HOURS
3b	Which 2014 film, starring Denzil Washington, was loosely based on a 1980s US TV series of the same name, which starred a British actor?	(The) EQUALIZER
4a	Which 1963 film, directed by Alfred Hitchcock, is loosely based on a 1952 short story of the same name by Daphne du Maurier? Set in Bodega Bay, California it starred Tippi Hedren and Rod Taylor.	(The) BIRDS
4b	Which Billy Wilder-directed romantic comedy-drama won five Oscars, including Best Picture for 1960?	(The) APARTMENT
Sp.	Which Yiorgos Lanthimos-directed period black-comedy, showered with many awards and much praise, saw Olivia Colman win Best Actress Oscar at the 2018 award ceremony?	(The) FAVOURITE

Round 5 CAPITAL CHANGES

This round is about countries which have changed their capitals or added others over the years.

1a	What was the capital of China before it was moved to Peking/Beijing in 1949?	NANJING (accept NANKING)
1b	La Paz is the executive and legislative capital of Bolivia. Which city is the constitutional and judicial capital?	SUCRE
2a	What is the official capital of Tanzania, achieving this status in 1996, even though Dar-es-Salaam remains the de facto capital?	DODOMA
2b	During 1919-1939, before being superseded by Vilnius, what was the capital of Lithuania?	KAUNAS
3a	What is the name of the city which succeeded Almaty as capital of Kazakhstan 1997?	NUR-SULTAN (accept ASTANA)
3b	Islamabad became the capital of Pakistan in the 1960s. What was the original capital, so designated in 1948?	KARACHI
4a	In succession to Belize City, what has been the capital of Belize since 1970?	BELMOPAN
4b	Pretoria and Cape Town are the executive and legislative capitals of South Africa respectively. What is the judicial capital?	BLOEMFONTEIN
Sp.	Cetinje is a former capital of Montenegro. What is the present one?	PODGORICA

Round 6 SCIENCE

1a	In humans and other animals, which compounds act as catalysts?	ENZYMES
1b	How many vertebrae are there usually in the adult human spine?	24
2a	Deficiency of which chemical element causes thyroid problems?	IODINE
2b	What everyday substance has the chemical formula NaCl?	SALT
3a	How many pairs of chromosomes are there in the human body?	23
3b	The use of which chemical element in their work caused hatters to go 'mad'?	MERCURY
4a	Apart from calcium, which non-gaseous chemical element is a major constituent of human bone?	PHOSPHORUS
4b	Which chemical element is used to produce the red colour in fireworks?	STRONTIUM
Sp.	What is the scientific name for milk of magnesia?	MAGNESIUM HYDROXIDE

Round 7 WET WET WET

There are sixty-nine cities in the UK. Statistically, the wettest is Glasgow, the driest Cambridge (Lancaster is second wettest!). In the questions below you are given the number of a city on this list along with some clues. Identify the city. Remember that No. 1 is wet, No. 69 is dry(er).

1a	No. 7. This is the only city in its English county and, like Lichfield, possessed of a cathedral with three spires.	TRURO
1b	No. 28. This West Country city, the larger of the two in its county, traces its origin at least to the Romans. This spa city became a World Heritage site in 1987.	BATH
2a	No. 11. This city's famous shipyard has two gantry cranes which dominate the city skyline. This city of nearly 350,000 people was the setting for the three series of BBC's thriller <i>The Fall</i> .	BELFAST
2b	No. 63=. Habitually one of the first places to declare results in national elections, this city shares its name with a WW2 flying-boat. Its 'sleeping giant' football team, now languishing in League 1, boasts a 49,000-seater stadium.	SUNDERLAND
3a	No. 40=. The journalist Caitlin Moran and the pop group Slade are associated with this city, which used to boast two mainline railway stations – Low Level and High Level. It only achieved city status in the year 2000.	WOLVERHAMPTON
3b	No. 8=. This city of fewer than 20,000 people, which shares its name with a town in Northern Ireland, boasts both a cathedral and a university.	BANGOR
4a	No. 49. This city, the site of Kett's rebellion in 1549, has a name which provides a somewhat salacious acronym in the English language. Stephen Fry and Delia Smith are celebrity supporters of the local football team.	NORWICH
4b	No. 53. Standing on the river Ure, this city is home to a grammar school which has a claim to being the oldest in England. There is a racecourse here too.	RIPON
Sp.	No. 37=. Known to the Romans as <i>Isca Dumnoniorum</i> , this city boasts a highly regarded university, a top rugby union side, a fine late-14 th century cathedral and two separate main railway lines to two different London termini.	EXETER

Round 8 GENERAL

1a	Pickett's Charge was a pivotal action in which momentous battle of 1863?	GETTYSBURG
1b	The Thin Red Line was first used to describe which battle of 1854?	BALACLAVA
2a	Robin Gunningham, born in Bristol in 1973, is probably better known by what name?	BANKSY
2b	One of Bristol's less controversial statues is a life-size bronze by sculptor Graham Ibbotson representing a famous son of the city. This man, who was born in 1904, achieved great fame and popularity in the world of entertainment.	(Cary) GRANT
3a	The Ambassador Bridge, the busiest international border crossing in North America in terms of trade, connects Windsor, Ontario with which US city?	DETROIT
3b	The Bridge of the Americas is a series of inter-connected road bridges which cross the Rio Grande and connect the city of Juarez in Mexico to which US city?	EL PASO
4a	<i>The Man in the White Boots</i> was a 2018 biography of which footballer who played 72 times for England between 1965 and 1975, and who died in 2007?	(Alan) BALL
4b	Which footballer, who played 43 times for England – 15 as captain – between 1959 and 1966, wrote the 2004 autobiography <i>Right Back to the Beginning</i> ? He was also a highly respected football commentator and pundit on BBC Radio.	(Jimmy) ARMFIELD
Sp.	What is the name of Fireman Sam's fire engine?	JUPITER