

# LANCASTER CITY QUIZ LEAGUE

## Tony Clare Cup Final

May 15 2023

Surnames only required unless otherwise stated.

All answers are correct as at May 14 2023.

### Round 1 NORTHERN ENGLISH PERFORMERS

1a	This Bolton-born actress has starred in films such as <i>The Theory of Everything</i> and <i>Peterloo</i> and TV series such as <i>Silk</i> and <i>The Village</i> .	(Maxine) <b>PEAKE</b>
1b	Which Mirfield-born knighted actor has appeared in both <i>I, Claudius</i> and <i>Star Trek</i> , among many other films, TV shows and stage productions?	(Sir Patrick) <b>STEWART</b>
2a	This Mexborough-born actor has appeared in both <i>I, Claudius</i> and <i>Z Cars</i> , among many other films, TV shows and stage productions.	(Brian) <b>BLESSED</b>
2b	Which Oldham-born, much decorated actress has appeared in <i>Coronation Street</i> , <i>Last Tango in Halifax</i> and recently a series where she plays the American TV chef Julia Child?	(Sarah) <b>LANCASHIRE</b>
3a	This Lancaster-born comedian has appeared on <i>Never Mind the Buzzcocks</i> and <i>8 Out of Ten Cats</i> . More recently, he has also starred with his comedienne wife in a mockumentary sit com on the Dave TV channel.	(Jon) <b>RICHARDSON</b>
3b	Which Lytham-raised comedienne and actress won the Perrier Award at the Edinburgh Fringe in 1995? She has appeared in TV's <i>Grumpy Old Women</i> and <i>Loose Women</i> among many other TV shows.	(Jenny) <b>ECLAIR</b>
4a	This Liverpool-born actress has recently won the 2023 Best Actress Olivier Award for her performance in the play <i>Prima Facie</i> . Her most famous TV role is that of a psychopathic assassin, whom she played in four series and which brought her world-wide recognition.	(Jodie) <b>COMER</b>
4b	Born in Sunderland in 1935, which actor's most famous TV roles have been Terry Collier, Jack Ford and, most recently in <i>New Tricks</i> , Jack Halford?	(James) <b>BOLAM</b>
Sp	Born in Birkenhead in 1936, this woman is both a double Oscar winner and a former Labour MP.	(Glenda) <b>JACKSON</b>
Sp	Which Scarborough-born actor won the Best Actor Oscar for his role as Henry VIII in the 1933 film <i>The Private Life of Henry VIII</i> ? He also directed the 1955 cult classic <i>The Night of the Hunter</i> .	(Charles) <b>LAUGHTON</b>

### Round 2 SOUTHERN ENGLISH SPORT

1a	Which county cricket club has won the County Championship outright on 20 occasions, making it the most successful county apart from Yorkshire?	<b>SURREY</b>
1b	Which horse won the 2023 Champion Hurdle at Cheltenham?	<b>CONSTITUTION HILL</b>
2a	Which League 1 football club has recently been promoted, as champions, to the EFL Championship?	<b>PLYMOUTH ARGYLE</b>
2b	Which Aviva Premiership rugby union club plays its home games at the Kingsholm Stadium?	<b>GLOUCESTER</b> (Rugby)
3a	Which now retired multi-world championship winning darts player is known as the 'Crafty Cockney'?	(Eric) <b>BRISTOW</b>
3b	Somerset-born David Bryant (1931-2020) is regarded by many as the greatest exponent of his chosen sport, winning many world titles and gold medals. What was his sport?	<b>BOWLS</b>
4a	Which sporting event has occurred at Olney in Buckinghamshire since the C15?	<b>PANCAKE RACE</b>
4b	Only three golf clubs in the south of England have hosted the Open golf championship. They are all in which English county?	<b>KENT</b>
Sp	What is the name of the Cornishman who became World Heavyweight boxing champion in the 1890s?	(Bob) <b>FITZSIMMONS</b>

### Round 3 EASTERN ENGLISH POLITICS & HISTORY

<b>1a</b>	Which Conservative MP for Southend West was murdered at his constituency surgery in 2021?	(David) <b>AMESS</b>
<b>1b</b>	Which Labour MP for Batley and Spen was murdered at her constituency surgery in 2016?	(Jo) <b>COX</b>
<b>2a</b>	King's Lynn, in Norfolk, was an English member of which mediaeval trade organisation?	<b>HANSEATIC LEAGUE</b> (accept <b>HANSE</b> )
<b>2b</b>	What is the term for the defensive system constructed along the eastern and south-eastern English coastline in the last century or so of the Roman Empire?	<b>SAXON SHORE</b> (Forts)
<b>3a</b>	Which, now prominent, Labour MP (she is currently Shadow Attorney-General) gained notoriety during the 2014 Rochester and Strood by-election for her 'White Van Man' tweet?	(Emily) <b>THORNBERRY</b>
<b>3b</b>	Which Conservative MP for West Suffolk resigned his Cabinet position when the <i>Sun</i> newspaper released embarrassing photographs showing him in breach of the Covid regulations, among other things?	(Matt) <b>HANCOCK</b>
<b>4a</b>	In which body of water did king John allegedly lose his Crown Jewels in 1216?	<b>THE WASH</b>
<b>4b</b>	Which battle of 1513 in Northumberland saw the death of the Scottish king, James IV?	<b>FLODDEN</b> (Field)
<b>Sp</b>	Where in Suffolk was an Anglo-Saxon burial ship excavated in the 1930s?	<b>SUTTON HOO</b>
<b>Sp</b>	Which C17 poet served as MP for Kingston-upon-Hull for around twenty years from 1659?	(Andrew) <b>MARVELL</b>

### Round 4 WESTERN ENGLISH GEOGRAPHY

<b>1a</b>	Which motorway connects the M4 with central Bristol?	<b>(M)32</b>
<b>1b</b>	Which ancient track (now a long-distance footpath) has Avebury in Wiltshire as its western terminus?	(The) <b>RIDGEWAY</b>
<b>2a</b>	Which World Heritage site stretches from Exmouth in Devon to Studland Bay in Dorset?	<b>JURASSIC COAST</b>
<b>2b</b>	Which motorway connects the M6 with Telford in Shropshire?	<b>(M)54</b>
<b>3a</b>	In which county will you find the NT properties of Little Moreton Hall, Quarry Bank and Dunham Massey?	<b>CHESHIRE</b>
<b>3b</b>	In which county will you find the EH properties of Restormel Castle, Chysauster Iron Age village and Castel-an-Dinas hillfort?	<b>CORNWALL</b>
<b>4a</b>	To which island does a ferry operate from the north Devon port of Bideford?	<b>LUNDY</b>
<b>4b</b>	Which often flooded Gloucestershire town lies at the confluence of the rivers Severn and Avon?	<b>TEWKESBURY</b>
<b>Sp</b>	What is the highest point in Cumbria which is not in the Lake District?	<b>CROSS FELL</b>

### Round 5 SCOTTISH SCIENCE, BUSINESS, INDUSTRY & DESIGN

<b>1a</b>	Which Scottish architect and engineer, dubbed the Colossus of Roads, designed the Menai Strait bridge in North Wales and the Caledonian canal in Scotland, among much else?	(Thomas) <b>TELFORD</b>
<b>1b</b>	Which Edinburgh University professor jointly won the Nobel Prize for Physics in 2013 for his work on sub-atomic particles?	(Peter) <b>HIGGS</b>
<b>2a</b>	With which Scottish academic institution is the designer and architect Charles Rennie Mackintosh most closely associated?	<b>GLASGOW SCHOOL</b> (of) <b>ART</b>
<b>2b</b>	Scottish architects Robert Adam and Alexander Thomson are associated with which artistic movement of the mid-eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries?	<b>NEO-CLASSICISM</b> (accept the <b>GREEK REVIVAL</b> )

<b>3a</b>	Long superseded by modern technology, what discovery did the Scottish mathematician and scientist John Napier make which was both the bane and the delight of generations of school children?	<b>LOGARITHMS</b> (accept <b>LOG TABLES</b> )
<b>3b</b>	The Scottish inventor John Boyd Dunlop is most famous for inventing the first practical example of what?	<b>PNEUMATIC TYRE</b>
<b>4a</b>	Which now defunct Clydebank shipbuilding company built the Lusitania, Queen Mary, Queen Elizabeth and QE2, among many other very famous vessels?	<b>JOHN BROWN</b> (and Sons)
<b>4b</b>	Brother and sister Ann Gloag and Sir Brian Souter founded which group of bus and rail operators in 1980?	<b>STAGECOACH</b>
<b>Sp</b>	Which is Scottish scientist Sir James Dewar's most famous invention?	<b>VACUUM FLASK</b>

### Round 6 WELSH MUSIC

<b>1a</b>	The hymn 'Guide Me, O Thou Great Redeemer' (aka 'Bread of Heaven') is usually sung to which tune?	<b>CWM RHONDDA</b>
<b>1b</b>	Of which rock band was Cerys Mathews the lead singer?	<b>CATATONIA</b>
<b>2a</b>	In which area of Cardiff was Shirley Bassey born?	<b>TIGER BAY</b>
<b>2b</b>	Which classic animated TV film of 1982 launched the career of a young Aled Jones when he sang its theme song?	(The) <b>SNOWMAN</b>
<b>3a</b>	Which late 60s pop group was led by Andy Fairweather-Low?	<b>AMEN CORNER</b>
<b>3b</b>	Which well-known Welsh folk song chronicles the problems faced by a Welsh housewife and her little cooking utensil?	<b>SOSBAN</b> (accept <b>SOSPAN</b> ) <b>FACH</b>
<b>4a</b>	Which bass-baritone opera singer, famous for his roles in the operas of Puccini and Wagner, was born in 1965? He received a knighthood in 2017.	(Sir Bryn) <b>TERFEL</b>
<b>4b</b>	In which town was Tom Jones born?	<b>PONTYPRIDD</b>
<b>Sp</b>	In which Welsh town or city is the International Music Eisteddfod held?	<b>LLANGOLLEN</b>

### Round 7 IRISH LITERATURE

<b>1a</b>	The events of June 16 1904 in a very famous novel are commemorated and celebrated each year in Dublin on that date. How is this date known?	<b>BLOOMSDAY</b>
<b>1b</b>	For which novel did Roddy Doyle win the Booker Prize in 1993?	<b>PADDY CLARKE HA HA HA</b>
<b>2a</b>	Which poet won the Nobel Prize for Literature in 1995?	(Seamus) <b>HEANEY</b>
<b>2b</b>	In which 1890 novel, by an Irish-born writer, does the artist Basil Hallward play a leading role?	<b>THE PICTURE OF DORIAN GRAY</b>
<b>3a</b>	In which 1775 play by Irish-born Richard Brinsley Sheridan does Mrs Malaprop appear?	<b>THE RIVALS</b>
<b>3b</b>	Which Irish poet, born in 1865, nursed a largely unrequited love for Maud Gonne?	<b>W(illiam) B(utler) YEATS</b>
<b>4a</b>	Which teenage criminal mastermind, who first appeared in a novel of 2001, is the most famous creation of children's writer Eoin Colfer?	<b>ARTEMIS FOWL</b>
<b>4b</b>	Which 1924 Sean O'Casey play is set in working-class Dublin against a background of the Irish Civil War?	<b>JUNO AND THE PAYCOCK</b>
<b>Sp</b>	Which play by Brian Friel was made into a 1998 film starring Meryl Streep?	<b>DANCING AT LUGHNASA</b>
<b>Sp</b>	What is the title of Joseph O'Connor's 2002 novel about a ship taking Irish emigrants to America?	<b>THE STAR OF THE SEA</b>

**Round 8 GENERALLY THE ISLE OF MAN**

<b>1a</b>	Which sea bird, Latin name <i>Puffinus puffinus</i> , is so named because of its resting place on the Isle of Man.	<b>MANX SHEARWATER</b>
<b>1b</b>	What is the Manx name for the Isle of Man?	<b>ELLAN VANNIN</b> (accept <b>ELLAN MANNIN</b> )
<b>2a</b>	Before Douglas, what was the capital of the island?	<b>CASTLETOWN</b>
<b>2b</b>	To which diocese of the Church of England do the island and its islets belong?	<b>SODOR AND MAN</b>
<b>3a</b>	What do the letters MHK after a Manxman's or Manxwoman's name stand for?	<b>MEMBER OF THE HOUSE OF KEYS</b>
<b>3b</b>	Apart from Peel, what is the name of the only other mediaeval stone castle on the island?	<b>RUSHEN</b>
<b>4a</b>	Which Isle of Man private school sets a fiendishly difficult general knowledge quiz which appears in the <i>Guardian</i> newspaper at Christmas?	<b>KING WILLIAM</b> (College)
<b>4b</b>	What is the name of the airport on the island?	<b>RONALDSWAY</b>
<b>Sp</b>	The bronze statue of which late comedian, former Manx resident and honorary citizen of Tirana adorns the Douglas sea front?	<b>NORMAN WISDOM</b>