

Lancaster City Quiz League – TONY CLAIR Trophy Final;

Quiz set by Jailers Barrel A

Round 1 –

Its the final - A round on the last of a series.

- 1a In which year did the last execution take place at Lancaster castle? - **1910**
- 1b Great Britain are the last gold medal winning cricket Olympic champions. In which year did they win the gold? - **1900**
- 2a In which city will the 2026 world cup final be played? - **EAST RUTHERFORD**
(New Jersey)
- 2b Who was the last pharaoh of Egypt? - **CLEOPATRA (vii)**
51bc – 30bc
- 3a Who was the last emperor of Rome (western empire) 31/10/475 – 4/9/476 AD - **Romulus AUGUSTULUS**
- 3b In which year was Britain's last judicial hanging? - **1964**
- 4a In what year was the last farthing coin issued? - **1956**
- 4b What was the final battle of WW1? - **BATTLE OF MONS**
11/11/1918
- Spare Who was the last UK winner of the Eurovision song contest? - **KATRINA AND THE WAVES, 1997**
- Spare Name either of the last 2 astronauts that walked on the moon, from Apollo 17. - Eugene **CERNAN**
Harrison **SCHMITT**

Round 2 – Give the collective noun for the following creatures.

- 1a BEARS - **SLOTH**
- 1b WILD BOAR - **SINGULAR**
- 2a DOMESTIC CATS - **CLOWDER**
- 2b FERRETS - **BUSINESS**
- 3a LEOPARDS - **LEAP**
- 3b TOADS - **KNOT**
- 4a MOLES - **LABOUR**
- 4b PINE MARTINS - **RICHNESS**
- Spare KITTENS - **KINDLE**

Round 3 – WHO MANUFACTURED THE FOLLOWING SECOND WORLD WAR AIRCRAFT?

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| 1a | HURRICANE | - HAWKER |
| 1b | SPITFIRE | - VICKERS / SUPERMARINE Accept either |
| 2a | TIGER MOTH | - DE HAVILAND |
| 2b | HALIFAX | - HANDLEY PAGE |
| 3a | SUNDERLAND | - SHORT |
| 3b | CATALINA. | - CONSOLIDATED |
| 4a | ANSON | - AVRO |
| 4b | DEFIANT | - BOULTON PAUL |
| Spare | GLADIATOR | - GLOUCESTER |

Round 4 – U.S. Politics – celebrating 250 years of the U.S.A.
(Where names are required, forename and surname must be given)

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| 1a | What was the name of the second U.S. President to be assassinated? | - JAMES GARFIELD |
| 1b | In which year was the West Wing of the White House constructed? (Answer can be 2 years either way) | - 1902 |
| 2a | Who is the only person (a French national) to be buried in Arlington National Cemetery who did not have any military rank? | - PIERRE L'ENFANT |
| 2b | Which U.S. statesman and polymath was reputed to have stayed at lodgings in Preston, now occupied by a Café Nero, and marked by a Blue Plaque at the same place? | - BENJAMIN FRANKLIN |
| 3a | In what year did the Statue of Liberty, as a diplomatic gift from France, arrive in New York? 2 years either way | - 1885 |
| 3b | In what year was The White House set on fire by the British? 2 years either way | - 1814 |
| 4a | What was the collective name for the group of American revolutionary leaders who united the Thirteen Colonies and established the United States of America? | - FOUNDING FATHERS |
| 4b | Who was the first President to hold the post as son of a previous President? | - JOHN QUINCY ADAMS |
| Spare | Who was the first President to sign a nuclear non-proliferation treaty? | - JOHN FITZGERALD KENNEDY |
| Spare | Which U.S. Hollywood star became the Republican Governor of California in 2003? | - ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER |

Round 5 – Winner takes all. A round on current champions.

- 1a Who won the 2026 Cheltenham gold cup? - **GAELIC WARRIOR**
- 1b Who won the 2026 T20 cricket world cup? - **INDIA**
- 2a Who is the current men's wimbledon champion? - **Jannik SINNER**
- 2b Who won the 2026 African cup of nations? - **Accept SENEGAL or MORROCO**
Senegal won the game but walked off the pitch before the end when Morroco were awarded a penalty in injury time and forfeited the game.
- 3a The next rugby world cup in Australia 2027, who are the current holders? - **SOUTH AFRICA**
- 3b Who is the current UK open golf champion? - **Scottie SCHEFFLER**
- 4a Who won the 2026 Australian women's tennis open? - **Elina RYBAKINA**
- 4b Who are the current holders of the women's football world cup? - **SPAIN**
- Spare Who is the current BBC sports personality of the year? - **RORY MCILLROY**
- Spare Who are the current holders of the nations world cup of darts? - **NORTHERN IRELAND**

Round 6 – The 1960s

- 1a What did 1960s T.V. Ads tell people to go to work on? - **An EGG**
- 1b How many nervous breakdowns are there in the Rolling Stones song title? - **19**
- 2a In which sport were Hailwood and Agostini rivals? - **MOTOR CYCLE RACING**
- 2b Which managerial team arrived at Derby County in 1967? - **BRIAN CLOUGH and PETER TAYLOR.**
- 3a Which army celebrated it's 100th birthday in 1965? - **THE SALVATION ARMY.**
- 3b What was last used at the 1966 Commonwealth Games? - **YARDS, FEET AND INCHES.**
- 4a In 1965 what was banned on British T,V, but still allowed in newspapers? - **CIGARETTE ADVERTISING**
- 4b In 1962 which "Forgotten disease reappeared in Bradford? - **SMALLPOX**
- Spare For which football team did Mick Channon and Terry Paine play for? - **SOUTHAMPTON**

Round 7 – HOOK, LINE AND SINKER. – A fishy round

- 1a Captain Birdseye advertises which product? - **FISH FINGERS.**
- 1b Captain Haddock appears in which comic book series? - **THE ADVENTURES OF TIN TIN.**
- 2a Name the W.W. 11 three seat, torpedo bomber bi-plane manufactured by Fairy. - **SWORDFISH.**
- 2b Which SPECIES of fish is usually used to prepare Cullen skink? - **HADDOCK. DO NOT accept finnan or smoked. They are not species.**
- 3a Who wrote the Trout Quintet? - **FRANZ SCHUBERT.**
- 3b Who, in 1135 reportedly died from a surfeit of lampreys? - **KING HENRY 1**
- 4a Who wrote Bleak House? - **CHARLES DICKENS.**
- 4b In the biblical parable, feeding the five thousand, how many fish were involved? - **2**
- Spare What do you get when you cold smoke a herring? - **A KIPPER.**

Round 8 – General

- 1a What is the official language of Moldova? - **ROMANIAN**
- 1b Who is the current Prime Minister of Australia? - **ANTHONY ALBANESE**
- 2a Who is the current MP for Gorton and Denton, elected following a recent by election and representing the Green party? - **HANNAH SPENCER**
- 2b Who sang the the title song for the Bond film “No Time To Die”? - **BILLY EILISH**
- 3a When was the London Underground opened? 2 years either way. - **1863**
- 3b How many elements are there in the periodic table? 1 either way - **118**
- 4a Which 2 cities are used in the phonetic alphabet? Both required - **LIMA and QUEBEC**
- 4b Which is the only sea on Earth without a coastline? - **SARGASSO SEA**
- Spare What company was originally known as “Blue Ribbon Sports”? - **NIKE**
- Spare In the USA, who is next in line after the Vice President? - **SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**