

LANCASTER CITY QUIZ LEAGUE

League – 5 October 2020

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Surnames only required unless otherwise stated (answers required in bold). Please indicate if a surname is all that is required when asking the question. If a surname is all that is required and an incorrect first name is provided that should be treated as an incorrect answer.

Round 1 - Sport during the pandemic

After a slow start major sporting events have been taking place since the Covid pandemic caused chaos. Name the winners of the following events that have taken place in recent months.

1a The World Snooker Championship final in Sheffield – 16 August.
A RONNIE **O'SULLIVAN**

1b UEFA Champions League Final – 23 August.
A **BAYERN MUNICH**

2a Mens' US Open Golf Championship – 20 September.
A BRYSON **DE CHAMBEAU**

2b Men's singles final of the US Open Tennis Championship – 13 September.
A DOMINIC **THIEM**

3a The Tour de France – 20 September.
A TADEJ **POGACAR**

3b In cricket the Bob Willis Trophy – 27 September.
A **ESSEX**

4a The Gold Cup at Royal Ascot – 18 June - the name of the horse please.
A **STRADIVARIUS**

4b The Austrian Formula 1 Grand Prix – 5 July.
A VALTTERI **BOTTAS**

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A The Professional Darts Corporation Home Tour finale – 5 June.
A NATHAN **ASPINALL**

Round 2 - Politics

Just what it says on the tin.

1a Who is Donald Trump's Vice President?
A MIKE **PENCE**

1b Who is the Green Party's only UK MP?
A CAROLINE **LUCAS**

2a Who was the only British Prime Minister to be assassinated?
A SPENCER **PERCEVAL**

- 2b Who did Angela Merkel replace as Chancellor of Germany?
A GERHARD **SCHRODER**
- 3a Which politician described Russia as “a riddle, wrapped in a mystery, inside and enigma”?
A WINSTON **CHURCHILL**
- 3b Who is the President of the European Commission?
A URSULA **VON DER LEYEN**
- 4a Who is the prime minister of Australia?
A SCOTT **MORRISON**
- 4b Who is the UK Shadow Chancellor of the Exchequer?
A ANNELIESE **DODDS**

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- A In US politics what do the initials GOP stand for?
GRAND OLD PARTY

Round 3 - Firsts and Lasts

- 1a Who was the last woman to be hanged in Great Britain?
A RUTH **ELLIS**
- 1b Who was the first American woman in space?
A SALLY **RIDE**
- 2a Who was the last King of Greece?
A **CONSTANTINE**
- 2b What was the name of the first satellite to relay live TV pictures across the Atlantic?
A **TELSTAR**
- 3a Who was the first actor to play Dr Who on television?
A WILLIAM **HARTNELL**
- 3b Who was the Hollywood actress Elizabeth Taylor’s first husband?
A NICHOLAS **HILTON**
- 4a Who was the first Tudor King of England?
A **HENRY VII**
- 4b Ethel Cain’s recorded voice was the first to be used as what?
A **SPEAKING CLOCK**

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- A Who’s last words were, “Wait until I have finished my problem”?
ARCHIMEDES

Round 4 - Books and Literature

- 1a Who wrote the Bridget Jones series of books?
A HELEN FIELDING
- 1b Who wrote "The Da Vinci Code"?
A DAN BROWN
- 2a Who wrote the 1972 novel, "The Godfather"?
A MARIO PUZO
- 2b Who is the heroine of Shakespeare's "As You Like It"?
A ROSALIND
- 3a What is the name of the second book of the Lord of the Rings trilogy?
A THE TWO TOWERS
- 3b Who is the author of the 2004 Man Booker Prize winning "The Line of Beauty"?
A ALAN HOLLINGHURST
- 4a In which Charles Dickens novel does Pecksniff appear?
A MARTIN CHUZZLEWIT
- 4b The 2019 Booker Prize was awarded jointly. One winner was Margaret Atwood. Who was the other?
A BERNADINE EVARISTO

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- After the death of Ian Fleming, under which pseudonym did Kingsley Amis write the 1968 James Bond novel, "Colonel Sun"?
A ROBERT MARKHAM

Round 5 - History

- 1a Who was Roman Emperor Nero's mother?
A AGRIPPINA
- 1b Who succeeded Henry VIII as King of England?
A EDWARD VI
- 2a In which year was the Challenger Space Shuttle disaster?
A 1986
- 2b In which year did the Soviet Union's Lunik III send back the first pictures of the dark side of the moon?
A 1959
- 3a With which country did Britain engage in a Cod War in 1958?
A ICELAND
- 3b Who was mayor of West Berlin from 1957-1966?
A WILLY BRANDT
- 4a In which year did US President Richard Nixon resign?
A 1974

4b Which international police organisation was established in Vienna in 1923?
A INTERPOL

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Who opened the “Bloody Assize” in Taunton in 1685?
A JUDGE JEFFREYS

Round 6 - TV Detectives

1a Parisian detective, authored by Georges Simenon and most recently played on ITV by Rowan Atkinson?
A JULES MAIGRET

1b Amsterdam detective played by Barry Foster in the 1970's and Mark Warren in the 2010's?
A PIET VAN DE VALK

2a Sicilian detective, authored by Andreas Camilleri, played by Luca Zingaretti?
A SALVO MONTLEBARNO

2b Italian detective, authored by Michael Dibdin, played by Rufus Sewell in BBC adaptations?
A AURELIO ZEN

3a Christopher Foyle, in Foyle's War is played by which actor?
A MICHAEL KITCHEN

3b Sara Lund, famous for her sweaters in The killing is played by which Danish actor?
A SOFIE GRÅBØL

4a Jersey detective Jim Bergerac, was played by which actor?
A JOHN NETTLES

4b Caribbean detective Richard Poole, in Death in Paradise, was played by which actor?
A BEN MILLER

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Who was DCS Charlie Barlow's sidekick in Softly Softly?
A JOHN WATT

Who played DI Jack Frost in “A Touch of Frost”?
A DAVID JASON

Round 7 - Generally Numbers

1a What was the first song played on Radio 1 on Saturday 30 September 1967?
A FLOWERS IN THE RAIN by the Move

1b What was the first video played on MTV Saturday 1 August 1981?
A VIDEO KILLED THE RADIO STAR by The Buggles

2a What is the title of the 2nd Wallace and Gromit film?
A THE WRONG TROUSERS

2b What is the title of the 2nd Harry Potter book?
A HARRY POTTER AND THE CHAMBER OF SECRETS

3a Who was the 3rd crew member of Apollo 11, who didn't set foot on the moon?
A MICHAEL COLLINS

3b What was Orson Welles's character in the Third Man?
A HARRY LIME

4a Who is queen Elizabeth II's 4th child?
A PRINCE EDWARD (accept DUKE OF WESSEX)

4b Which is the 4th planet from the sun?
A MARS

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Which is the 5th element in the Periodic Table?
A BORON

In the 1960's series The Prisoner, Number 6 was played by which actor?
A PATRICK MCGOOHAN

Round 8 - General

1a What constellation is featured on both the Australian and New Zealand flags?
A SOUTHERN CROSS

1b What is unusual about the state flag of Hawaii?
A IT FEATURES THE UNION FLAG

2a The Queensferry crossing is across which British river?
A FORTH (ACCEPT FIRTH OF FORTH)

2b The Prince of Wales bridge is across which British river?
A SEVERN

3a What is the name of the actor who plays Cormoran Strike in Strike?
A TOM BURKE

3b What is the name of the actor who plays Eve Polastri in Killing Eve?
A SANDRA OH

4a Who is credited with designing the Mini skirt?
A MARY QUANT

4b Who is credited with designing the Mini car?
A ALEC ISSIGONIS

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Who is credited with designing the Supermarine Spitfire?
A R J MITCHELL