

Todmorden Quiz League

Season 2011 - 2012

Quiz Questions

Week 11: 18.01.12

Note: From this season, the Pot Luck Round will be an Individual Round with format and scoring the same as Rounds 4 and 10.

Round 1: Team Questions		Subject: Recent News	Answer
A1	The National Motor Museum at Beaulieu is hosting a new exhibition featuring the largest ever display of which vehicles?		ONES FEATURED IN JAMES BOND FILMS
B1	Which familiar name on the High Street has announced that it's ditching its apostrophe?		WATERSTONE'S
A2	As a result of a violation of privacy, which former Royal faces up to 22 years in jail?		SARAH FERGUSON
B2	Reginald Hill, who died last week at the age of 75, is best remembered as the creator of which pair of detectives, although he refused to be associated with their TV scripts?		DALZIEL AND PASCOE
A3	Biologically and medically speaking, "fat" has now been added to which group of five?		TASTE RECEPTORS sweet, sour, bitter, salt, umami
B3	What was the name of the cruise liner that ran aground near the Italian island of Giglio with a loss of 11 lives?		COSTA CONCORDIA
A4	Many websites are offline for 24 hours today in protest against the US Government's SOPA legislation. What does SOPA stand for?		STOP ONLINE PIRACY ACT
B4	A new species of Yell Crab has been identified and named after which American actor and TV personality because it has a hairy chest?		David HASSELHOF

Round 2: Team Questions		Subject: Kings and Queens	Answer
A1	Before the title was conferred onto Prince Edward in 1999, who was the last Briton to be Earl of Wessex?		HAROLD GODWINSON (Accept King Harold II)
B1	Which King's birthday used to be commemorated by Oak Apple Day on 29 th May?		CHARLES II
A2	The last queen of Italy was formerly a princess of which other European country?		BELGIUM
B2	Who was the queen of George IV, whom he excluded from his coronation in 1821?		CAROLINE (of Brunswick)
A3	Which king was crowned in the same year as Queen Elizabeth II?		King HUSSEIN (of Jordan)
B3	Francois II was the first husband of which British Queen?		MARY, QUEEN OF SCOTS
A4	A statue of which 9 th century English king is situated in his birthplace of Wantage, Oxfordshire?		ALFRED THE GREAT
B4	Which king seized the sacred Stone of Destiny from Scone and took it to Westminster Abbey?		EDWARD I

Round 3: Team Questions		Subject: Film Musicals	Answer
A1	Who won the Academy Award for Best Actress in 1964 for her starring role in a Walt Disney film?		Julie ANDREWS
B1	Which 1967 film musical was based on a novel by H.G. Wells?		HALF A SIXPENCE
A2	<i>Matchmaker</i> and <i>Miracle of Miracles</i> are songs from which 1971 musical film?		FIDDLER ON THE ROOF
B2	What is the title of the 1949 film musical that follows the adventures of three sailors on 24-hour shore leave in New York?		ON THE TOWN
A3	Stormy Tempest and J.D.Clover are characters in which 1973 film musical that starred David Essex?		THAT'LL BE THE DAY
B3	<i>Just Leave Ev'rything to Me</i> and <i>Put on Your Sunday Clothes</i> are songs from which 1969 film musical featuring Michael Crawford in the male lead?		HELLO DOLLY
A4	Which film was released in Italy under the title <i>Brilliantina</i> ?		GREASE
B4	The Academy Award for Best Actor in 1956 went to an actor for his starring role in a film with music by Rogers and Hammerstein. Who was he?		Yul BRYNNER

Round 4: Individual Questions		Subject: The Bells! The Bells!!	Answer
A1	Bell Rock, a sandstone reef in the North Sea off Arbroath is also known by what other name?		INCHCAPE ROCK
B1	Novelist Mary Hayley Bell was the wife of which veteran actor, who died in April 2005?		Sir John MILLS
A2	What is the full name of the novelist that used the pseudonym Ellis Bell?		EMILY BRONTE
B2	The Tsar Bell, the world's largest bell, was never rung due to being damaged by fire in 1737. In which city can it be seen?		MOSCOW
A3	The Liberty Bell, first rung after the reading of the Declaration of Independence in 1776 can be found in which city?		PHILADELPHIA
B3	What is the name of the bell which is housed in the South Tower of Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris?		EMMANUEL
A4	What is the name of the bell which hangs in Oxford University's Christ Church College and was originally rung each evening to mark the students' curfew?		GREAT TOM
B4	Madeline Bell was the lead singer with which pop group, active in the late 60's / early 70's?		BLUE MINK

Round 5: The Link Round

There's a **specific** link between the answers to the 4 questions that follow. Teams write down their answers and the **specific** link before exchanging papers for marking. Teams have **1 MINUTE** after the final question is read to complete their sheets.

TO THE QUESTION MASTER AND TIME-KEEPER:

Read questions as normal, allowing time for teams to jot down some notes. When you've read the final question, time one minute. Afterwards, ask the teams to exchange papers for marking. **Do not give answers until papers are exchanged**

1	According to Celtic legend, which famous landmark was constructed by the hunter-warrior Finn MacCool?	GIANTS CAUSEWAY
2	A hagiographer writes about the lives of what sort of people?	SAINTS
3	Which missiles did US forces deploy to protect Israel from Scud attacks during the first Gulf War?	PATRIOT
4	Killer whales and pilot whales both belong to which family of animals?	DOLPHINS

The Link is:- American Football team nicknames (New York Giants, New Orleans Saints, New England Patriots, Miami Dolphins)

The subjects for the Individual Round (Round 10) are as follows:

A	FOOD AND DRINK	B	CHILDREN'S LITERATURE
C	GIRLS' POP SONGS	D	CRIME AND PUNISHMENT

TEAMS CHANGE SIDES AT THIS POINT

Round 6: Individual Questions		THE POT LUCK ROUND	Answer
<i>Three points for a correct answer, one for a pass with the same team and two for a bonus to any person in the opposing team. No conferring or writing of answers.</i>			
1	Jean-Pierre Blanchard was the first person to cross the English Channel by which means?		HOT AIR BALLOON
2	Name the main presenter of the BBC's current "Starwatch" live programme alongside Daragh O'Brien (O-Breen)?		Prof. Brian COX
3	Nicknamed the 'Farnham Flyer', who was Britain's first Formula One Motor racing champion?		Mike HAWTHORN
4	Written by Bob Dylan but not recorded by him until the 1970 Self Portrait album, which 1968 single was the last number one hit single for Manfred Mann?		THE MIGHTY QUINN
5	Which actor connects the films Little Big Man (1970), Marathon Man (1976) and Rain Man (1988)?		Dustin HOFFMAN
6	A symbol of vigilance, vengeance and wisdom, which creature had the head, wings and talons of an eagle and the body of a lion?		GRIFFIN
7	Give either of the given names of the author PG Wodehouse?		PELHAM GRENVILLE
8	Natives of which British Overseas Territory call themselves Llanitos?		GIBRALTAR
9	Frank Sinatra won one Oscar – for his role in which film in which he played Private Angelo Maggio?		FROM HERE TO ETERNITY

Round 7: Team Questions	Subject: Wales	Answer
B1	Which purpose built Victorian resort popularised the sandy northern coastline of Wales in the 19 th century?	LLANDUDNO
A1	The Eisteddfod is an annual international arts festival held in which North Welsh town?	LLANGOLLEN
B2	What is the name of the area of Wales to be the first part of Britain to be declared an 'Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty'?	THE GOWER PENINSULA
A2	Victorian travellers named which seaside town the 'Biarritz of Wales'?	ABERYSTYWYTH
B3	At 886 m (2907ft) which is the highest peak in South Wales?	PEN Y FAN
A3	With a superb view of Tremadog Bay, which castle has the Llyn Peninsula to the west and Snowdonia to the North?	HARLECH
B4	Which castle was inherited by Mabel Fitzhamon in 1107, whose husband became Lord of Glamorgan?	CARDIFF
A4	The Italianate village of Portmerion, designed by Clough Williams-Ellis, is situated at the head of which bay?	CARDIGAN

Round 8: Team Questions		Subject: Straits	Answer
B1	What is the name of the strait that separates the islands of Sardinia and Corsica?		STRAITS OF BONIFACIO
A1	What is the name of the strait that separates the countries of Sweden and Denmark?		KATTEGAT
B2	What is the name of the strait that separates the countries of Spain and Morocco?		STRAITS OF GIBRALTAR
A2	What is the name of the strait that separates Russia and Alaska?		BERING STRAIT
B3	What is the name of the strait that separates Sri Lanka and India?		PALK STRAIT
A3	What is the name of the strait that separates Nova Scotia and Newfoundland?		CABOT STRAIT
B4	What is the name of the strait that separates Norway and Denmark?		SKAGGERAK
A4	What is the name of the strait that separates the islands of Sumatra and Malaya?		MALACCA STRAIT

Round 9: Team Questions		Subject: Sport	Answer
B1	Which athlete in the space of 40 days in 1979 broke the world records for the 800 metres, 1500 metres and the mile?		Sebastian COE
A1	Which cyclist won the Green Jersey in the 2011 Tour de France?		Mark CAVENDISH
B2	In golf, what is the name of the close-cut area of grass that surrounds the green?		APRON
A2	Despite losing in the first round of the Australian Open, who is currently Britain's Number One woman tennis player?		Elena BALTACHA
B3	Which Formula One motor racing driver was nicknamed The Professor?		Alain PROST
A3	Which Formula One motor racing driver was nicknamed The Rat?		Niki LAUDA
B4	Where is the current England v Pakistan First test Match taking place?		DUBAI
A4	Nicknamed 'Lipstick', who won the 2012 BDO Darts World Championship on Sunday last?		Stefan KISS

Round 10: Individual Questions The Choose Your Subject Round		ANSWER
Subject A: FOOD AND DRINK		
B1	Which brewery produces beers called Sneck Lifter, Cumberland, Cocker Hoop and Saggy Bottom?	JENNINGS
A1	Which brewery produces beers called ESB, London's Pride and Discovery?	FULLERS
Subject B: CHILDREN'S LITERATURE		
B2	What is the name of the multi-coloured patchwork elephant in a series of books by David McKee?	ELMER
A2	On which island does Thomas the Tank Engine and his friends work?	SODOR
Subject C: GIRLS' POP SONGS		
B3	Which girl's name was a hit for The Police in both 1979 and 1997?	Roxanne
A3	Which girl's name was a hit for Steve Winwood in both 1982 and 1987?	Valerie
Subject D: CRIME AND PUNISHMENT		
B4	Michael Peterson, nicknamed by the tabloid press as 'the most violent prisoner in Britain', is also known by the same name as which actor?	Charles BRONSON
A4	Which notorious British criminal prefers to use the name Peter Coonan rather than his birth name?	Peter SUTCLIFFE

SPARE QUESTIONS: These must be used in order printed		ANSWER
1	After the state of Alaska, which US state has the longest coastline?	FLORIDA
2	Which crime fighter was in his alter-ego a reporter on the Daily Bugle?	SPIDERMAN (Peter Parker)
3	What is the standard AC frequency of electricity on the UK national grid?	50 HZ
4	Which king was the son of John of Gaunt and Blanche of Lancaster?	Henry IV

TEAM AND BEER ROUND	GENERAL KNOWLEDGE	Answer
1	Which baseball fielder patrols the area between second and third base?	SHORTSTOP
2	Who, in the Bible, is the mother of twin brothers Jacob and Esau?	REBEKAH
3	After which Russian city is Shostakovich's <i>Symphony No7 in C</i> named?	LENINGRAD
4	In 1981, Roy Jenkins was the first candidate from the newly-formed SDP to stand in a by-election. In which northern English town did he narrowly lose to the Labour candidate?	WARRINGTON
5	According to legend, who is said to have taken the Holy Grail to Glastonbury?	JOSEPH OF ARAMATHEA
6	Which 1950's film was set in the frontier town of Hadleyville?	HIGH NOON
7	The Britannia Bridge, a two-tier truss arch bridge carries road and rail traffic across the Menai strait to Anglesey. Which road, also known as the North Wales Expressway, goes over the bridge?	A55
8	Which is the only Shakespeare play with the name of an animal in the title?	THE TAMING OF THE SHREW