



MK Quiz League - Winter 2020

- Quiz Questions for Monday 18th January 2021 - Written by Ed Ficek

Team A

Team B

ROUND ONE

**BLOCKBUSTERS ROUND: The Letters will be given in the question**

1 Q: With letters "AOH", What name is given to the dish consisting of oysters in bacon?  <b><u>A: ANGELS ON HORSEBACK</u></b>	2 Q: With letters "GO" - What term used in Darts advises all players that the match has now started?  <b><u>A: GAME ON</u></b>
3 Q: With letters "TAJ" - What is the name of this hot spiced rum and brandy cocktail made with eggs?  <b><u>A: TOM AND JERRY</u></b>	4 Q: With letters "DOTD" - Released in 2009 how was the third installment of the Ice Age animated films subtitled ?  <b><u>A: DAWN OF THE DINOSAURS</u></b>
5 Q: In medicine, what do the initials 'IVF' stand for?  <b><u>A: IN VITRO FERTILISATION</u></b>	6 Q: With letters "TROTN" - The entirety of which novel's action takes place in Egdon Heath, part of Wessex?  <b><u>A: THE RETURN OF THE NATIVE</u></b>
7 Q: With letters "TV", what is the the more common name for Jeremiah Clarkes "Prince of Denmark's March" which is popular at weddings?  <b><u>A: TRUMPET VOLUNTARY</u></b>	8 Q: In which children's TV programme, with letters "ITNG" - would you see characters Iggle-Piggle, Upsy-Daisy and Makka Pakka?  <b><u>A: IN THE NIGHT GARDEN</u></b>

ROUND TWO (Team Questions)

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND

1 Q: The biblical kingdom of Sheba is to be found in which modern day country?  <b><u>A: YEMEN</u></b>	2 Q: Ur was an important Sumerian city/state in ancient Mesopotamia, in which modern country would it have been located?  <b><u>A: IRAQ</u></b>
3 Q: What three letter word was used as an early pen name by Charles Dickens?  <b><u>A: BOZ</u></b>	4 Q: Which four letter pseudonym was used by Hablot Knight Browne who illustrated some of Dickens' work?  <b><u>A: PHIZ</u></b>
5 Q: Which star sign would you be if you were born on April 1st?  <b><u>A: ARIES</u></b>	6 Q: Which star sign are you born under if your birthday is 30th September?  <b><u>A: LIBRA</u></b>
7 Q: The Royal Mile is in which British city?  <b><u>A: EDINBURGH</u></b>	8 Q: The Golden Mile is in which British seaside resort?  <b><u>A: BLACKPOOL</u></b>



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**ROUND THREE**

**INDIVIDUALS CHOICE ROUND - QM - READ CATEGORIES OUT TO PLAYERS TO BE CHOSEN**

The Categories are:-

**1 & 2 2000s Music**

**3 & 4 Year in the Life**

**5 & 6 Roman Mythology**

**7 & 8 Football**

1 Q: Which group had a 2002 UK number one hit with "Sound of the Underground"?	2 Q: Which group had a 2003 UK number one hit with "Where is the Love"?
<b><u>A: GIRLS ALLOUD</u></b>	<b><u>A: THE BLACK EYED PEAS</u></b>
3 Q: Give a year in the life of author Robert Browning?	4 Q: Give a year in the life of author Lewis Carroll
<b><u>A: 1812 - 1889</u></b>	<b><u>A: 1832 - 1898</u></b>
5 Q: Who was the Roman goddess of the Moon, equivalent to the Greek Goddess Selene?	6 Q: Who was the Roman God of wine, equivalent to the Greek God Dionysus?
<b><u>A: LUNA</u></b>	<b><u>A: BACCHUS</u></b>
7 Q: Which now Championship football team beat Bradford city 5-0 in the Football League Cup final in 2013?	8 Q: Which now Championship football team beat Arsenal 2-1 in the Football League Cup final in 2011?
<b><u>A: SWANSEA CITY</u></b>	<b><u>A: BIRMINGHAM CITY</u></b>

**ROUND FOUR**

**THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is**

**1990s Music**

1 Q: Who had some "Block Rockin Beats" in 1997?	2 Q: Who were going "Deeper Underground" in 1998?
<b><u>A: CHEMICAL BROTHERS</u></b>	<b><u>A: JAMIROQUAI</u></b>
3 Q: "It Must have been Love" was used in the film "Pretty Woman", but which Swedish duo recorded the hit?	4 Q: Which group had hits with "Insomnia" and "God is a DJ"?
<b><u>A: ROXETTE</u></b>	<b><u>A: FAITHLESS</u></b>
5 Q: Florian Cloud de Bouneville O'Malley Armstrong had international success with her debut album "No Angel". How is she better known?	6 Q: "Nothing Else Matters" was a hit for which heavy metal group in 1991?
<b><u>A: DIDO</u></b>	<b><u>A: METALLICA</u></b>
7 Q: Which duo or "Family" got "High" with probably their biggest hit song, in 1997?	8 Q: Which American Rock band was "ALIVE" in 1991 with this single being released 51 days before their debut album "Ten" on which it features?
<b><u>A: LIGHTHOUSE FAMILY</u></b>	<b><u>A: PEARL JAM</u></b>



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**ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)**

**GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND**

1 Q: The NBA's Timberwolves play their home games in which state?  <b><u>A: MINNESOTA</u></b>	2 Q: The NBA's Jazz play their home games in which state?  <b><u>A: UTAH</u></b>
3 Q: What is the alternative name for a Hedge Sparrow?  <b><u>A: DUNNOCK</u></b>	4 Q: What is the alternative name for a Water Hen or Swamp Chicken?  <b><u>A: MOORHEN</u></b>
5 Q: Which mathematical symbol is used to denote change?  <b><u>A: DELTA</u></b>	6 Q: Which mathematical symbol is used to denote sum?  <b><u>A: SIGMA</u></b>
7 Q: Which period of conflict is the setting for Arthur Conan Doyle's historical novel "The White Company"?  <b><u>A: HUNDRED YEARS' WAR</u></b>	8 Q: Which period of conflict is the setting for Robert Louis Stevenson's historical novel "The Black Arrow"?  <b><u>A: WARS OF THE ROSES</u></b>

**HALF TIME!**

**ROUND SIX ( TEAM QUESTIONS )**

**GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND**

1 Q: Meaning 'fortress' or 'camp', which common city name ending is also the name of a city in the North West of England?  <b><u>A: CHESTER</u></b>	2 Q: Meaning 'stream' or 'spring', which common city name ending is also the name of a city in the South West of England?  <b><u>A: WELLS</u></b>
3 Q: Which colour hats or caps are traditionally worn by British Royal Military Police?  <b><u>A: RED</u></b>	4 Q: Which colour berets are usually worn by United Nations peacekeeping forces?  <b><u>A: BLUE</u></b>
5 Q: In France, what name is given to the strong, cold north-westerly wind that blows down the Rhône valley and into the Mediterranean, the answer is also a car produced by Maserati in the 1960s?  <b><u>A: MISTRAL</u></b>	6 Q: What name is given to the warm, southerly winds of the Mediterranean that originate from dry air over the Sahara desert, the answer is also a car produced by Volkswagen, albeit differently spelt?  <b><u>A: SIROCCO</u></b>
7 Q: Which country won the 2011 One day Cricket World Cup?  <b><u>A: INDIA</u></b>	8 Q: Which country won the 2007 One day Cricket World Cup?  <b><u>A: AUSTRALIA</u></b>



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**ROUND SEVEN**

**THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is**

**2020 Television**

1 Q: Who replaced Sandi Toksvig as a presenter on the Great British Bake Off?  <b>A: <u>MATT LUCAS</u></b>	2 Q: Who replaced Simon Cowell as a judge on this year's series of Britain's Got Talent?  <b>A: <u>ASHLEY BANJO</u></b>
3 Q: Which anniversary did Coronation Street celebrate this year?  <b>A: <u>60 YEARS</u></b>	4 Q: The Simpsons hit a major milestone in terms of episodes what was it?  <b>A: <u>700TH EPISODE</u></b>
5 Q: "The English Game" was a Netflix drama about the origins of which sport?  <b>A: <u>FOOTBALL</u></b>	6 Q: Netflix reality series "Selling Sunset" follows people working in which profession?  <b>A: <u>REAL ESTATE (ESTATE AGENTS)</u></b>
7 Q: Which TV quiz show returned in 2020 with Gino D'Acampo as presenter?  <b>A: <u>FAMILY FORTUNES</u></b>	8 Q: Tess Daly announced she was quitting which presenting job after 11 years?  <b>A: <u>CHILDREN IN NEED</u></b>

**ROUND EIGHT**

**INDIVIDUALS CHOICE ROUND - QM - READ CATEGORIES OUT TO PLAYERS TO BE CHOSEN**

**The Categories are:-**

**1 & 2 US States**

**3 & 4 Words**

**5 & 6 Flowers**

**7 & 8 Motor Racing**

1 Q: The capital of which American state is named after the country's third President?  <b>A: <u>MISSOURI [JEFFERSON CITY AFTER THOMAS JEFFERSON]</u></b>	2 Q: The capital of which American state is named after the country's sixteenth President?  <b>A: <u>NEBRASKA [LINCOLN AFTER ABRAHAM LINCOLN]</u></b>
3 Q: What word, pronounced the same but spelled differently, can mean: a portable, usually wooden platform; a range of colours; part of the mouth?  <b>A: <u>PALLET / PALETTE / PALATE [ONLY ONE WORD REQUIRED]</u></b>	4 Q: What word, pronounced the same but spelled differently, can mean: a container that produces fragrant smoke; a supervisor of the morality of others; a detecting device?  <b>A: <u>CENSER / CENSOR / SENSOR [ONLY ONE WORD REQUIRED]</u></b>
5 Q: What is the royal flower of Japan, appearing on the Imperial Seal and in the country's highest order of honour?  <b>A: <u>CHRYSANTHEMUM</u></b>	6 Q: What is the national flower of India, important for its symbolism in Hinduism, Buddhism and other religions?  <b>A: <u>(INDIAN OR SACRED) LOTUS</u></b>
7 Q: In motor racing what colour flag is used to denote 'Indicates danger ahead and overtaking is prohibited'  <b>A: <u>YELLOW</u></b>	8 Q: In motor racing what colour flag is used to denote 'return to pits immediately usually because he has broken the rules ' and is normally shown with a car number?  <b>A: <u>BLACK</u></b>



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**ROUND NINE**

**PICK A LETTER. Surnames only for individuals : The letter will be given in the question**

<p>1 Q: With Surname beginning with the letter "U" - Who wrote a series of novels featuring "Rabbit" Angstrom?</p> <p><b><u>A: JOHN UPDIKE</u></b></p>	<p>2 Q: What letter "F" is the name of the cat in the Disney film version of Pinocchio?</p> <p><b><u>A: FIGARO</u></b></p>
<p>3 Q: With Surname beginning with the letter "T" - Which British fashion model passed away at the age of 50 in December 2020?</p> <p><b><u>A: STELLA TENNANT</u></b></p>	<p>4 Q: What letter "S" is the name given to the part of the body where two nerves meet?</p> <p><b><u>A: SYNAPSE</u></b></p>
<p>5 Q: Which word starting with letter "A" - is derived from the Greek for builder?</p> <p><b><u>A: ARCHITECT (Greek (arkhi-, chief + tekton, builder)</u></b></p>	<p>6 Q: Terry Nation is credited with creating which famous TV villains beginning with letter "D"?</p> <p><b><u>A: DALEKS</u></b></p>
<p>7 Q: By what name beginning with letter "O" - was the currency of the former East Germany known by in West Germany?</p> <p><b><u>A: OSTMARK</u></b></p>	<p>8 Q: Which record company with letter "D", famously rejected The Beatles before signing The Rolling Stones?</p> <p><b><u>A: DECCA</u></b></p>

**ROUND TEN**

**GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND**

<p>1 Q: Fanny Price is the heroine of which Jane Austen novel?</p> <p><b><u>A: 'MANSFIELD PARK'</u></b></p>	<p>2 Q: Anne Elliott is the heroine of which Jane Austen novel?</p> <p><b><u>A: 'PERSUASION'</u></b></p>
<p>3 Q: What is the name of the process in which iron is coated with zinc to prevent rusting?</p> <p><b><u>A: GALVANISATION</u></b></p>	<p>4 Q: What is the name of the process in which rubber is heated with sulfur to increase hardness?</p> <p><b><u>A: VULCANISATION</u></b></p>
<p>5 Q: "House of the Rising Sun" and "Oh Pretty Woman" were number one songs in the UK in which year of the 1960s?</p> <p><b><u>A: 1964</u></b></p>	<p>6 Q: "Release me" and "San Francisco" were number one songs in the UK in which year of the 1960s?</p> <p><b><u>A: 1967</u></b></p>
<p>7 Q: With over 38% of the country's population, which is the most populous province in Canada?</p> <p><b><u>A: ONTARIO</u></b></p>	<p>8 Q: With 39.5m residential population, which is the most populous state in the USA?</p> <p><b><u>A: CALIFORNIA</u></b></p>



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Below are Reserve/Spare questions to be used as per rules.

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1 Q: Whose official residence is Lambeth Palace?  <b><u>A: ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY</u></b>	2 Q: In nature, which evergreen tree widely associated with immortality and life after death?  <b><u>A: YEW</u></b>
3 Q: In 1994 which became the first GM food to be granted a licence in the US for human consumption?  <b><u>A: TOMATO</u></b>	4 Q: Who wrote the classic science fiction novel "Helliconia Spring"?  <b><u>A: BRIAN ALDISS</u></b>
5 Q: What is the name of Dennis the Menace's pet pig?  <b><u>A: RASHER</u></b>	6 Q: What was the name of Lady Penelope's chauffeur in Thunderbirds series?  <b><u>A: PARKER</u></b>
7 Q: Which actress won a Best actress oscar for her role in "Sophie's choice"?  <b><u>A: MERYL STREEP</u></b>	8 Q: Which French sprinter and three times gold medalist was nicknamed "La Gazelle"?  <b><u>A: MARIE-JOSE PEREC</u></b>
9 Q: Who was the first woman inducted into in rock & roll hall of fame?  <b><u>A: ARETHA FRANKLIN</u></b>	10 Q: In which month would you go to watch trooping of the colour ?  <b><u>A: JUNE</u></b>