



**- Quiz Questions for Monday 25th January 2016 - Written by Ed Ficek**

Team A

Team B

**ROUND ONE (Team Questions)**

**THEME ROUND.** This weeks theme is

**The Plant world**

**PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.**

1 Q: What is the ornamental shaping of trees and shrubs called?  A: Topiary	2 Q: What is another name for a Yam?  A: Sweet Potato (plant species in the genus Dioscorea it is an edible tuber)
3 Q: What is a frond on a plant?  A: Leaf	4 Q: Aspen is what type of tree?  A: Poplar (Populus)
5 Q: Which flowering plant is named after the sixteenth century German botanist Leonhart Fuchs?  A: Fuchsia	6 Q: Which type of pesticide is used to kill weeds?  A: Herbicide
7 Q: What colour are borage flowers?  A: Blue	8 Q: What type of plant is a prickly pear?  A: Cactus Or Succulent

**ROUND TWO (Team Questions)**

**PICK A SUBJECT.** The subjects are:-

1. Mountains

2. US States

3. Animals

4. 1950s Pop Music

5. Human Body

6. Which Sport

7. Playwrights

8. Measurement

1 Q: In which European country are the Pindus mountains?  A: Greece	2 Q: In which US State did the first Wal Mart store open?  A: Arkansas
3 Q: Which animals can be affected by a disease called vives?  A: Horses	4 Q: Which 1950s Pop Star had the first names "Charles Hardin"?  A: Buddy Holly
5 Q: Which small triangular bone is located at the base of the spinal column in man and some apes?  A: Coccyx	6 Q: Phil Read won several World Championships in which sport?  A: Motor Cycling
7 Q: Who wrote the play "The Homecoming"?  A: Harold Pinter	8 Q: What can be a unit of length or a small island in Scotland?  A: Inch



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**ROUND THREE (Individual Questions) (Jokers to be used, each team to nominate one player.)**

Team A to Answer First

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 Film Actors

3 & 4 Musicals

5 & 6 World War 2

7 & 8 Animals

1 Q: Who co-starred with Halle Berry in the hit movie "Monster's Ball"?	2 Q: Which movie veteran starred with Adam Sandler in "Anger Management"?
A: Billy Bob Thornton	A: Jack Nicholson
3 Q: In which Rodgers and Hammerstein musical does the character Nellie Forbush appear?	4 Q: Curly McLain is a character in which Rodgers and Hammerstein musical?
A: South Pacific	A: Oklahoma!
5 Q: In which European country did the Axis forces construct the defensive "Gustav Line" in the second world war?	6 Q: In World War 2, in which European country was the Mannerheim Line built?
A: Italy	A: Finland
7 Q: What is the home of a hare called?	8 Q: What is the home of a squirrel called?
A: Form	A: Drey

**ROUND FOUR (Team Questions)**

**PICK A LETTER. Surnames only for individuals : The letters are**

1. W    2. A    3. E    4. P    5. G    6. S    7. B    8. W

**PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.**

1 Q: Which pier featured in a George Orwell book title?	2 Q: What is the name of America's National Cemetery?
A: Wigan Pier	A: Arlington
3 Q: Which language's name means "one who hopes"?	4 Q: Who was the last King of Troy according to legend?
A: Esperanto	A: Priam
5 Q: In which city is the university of Surrey?	6 Q: Which is the slowest moving fish?
A: Guildford	A: Starfish - (Incorrect answer)
7 Q: What are you doing if you are mendicanting?	8 Q: Who joined John Torode as a judge on "Celebrity Masterchef"?
A: Begging	A: Greg Wallace

**RESERVE QUESTIONS**

1 Q: Who succeeded Mervyn King as Governor of the Bank of England in 2013?

2 Q: What is the name of the monster killed by Beowolf in the Anglo Saxon poem?

A: Mark Carney

A: Grendel



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**ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)**

**THEME ROUND.** This weeks theme is

**PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.**

1 Q: Which actor?  A: Matthew Perry	2 Q: Who is this?  A: Judd Trump
3 Q: Which actress?  A: Milla Jovovich	4 Q: What is the meaning of this Dingbat?  A: For Once in my Life
5 Q: Which Rugby player?  A: Dylan Hartley	6 Q: Who wears a uniform like this?  A: Swiss Guard
7 Q: Which Country?  A: Spain	8 Q: Who is this?  A: Fred Bassett

**ROUND SIX ( TEAM QUESTIONS )**

**THEME ROUND.** This weeks theme is

**WHICH SPORT - Pick a Number and Sport**

1. Golf      2. English Football      3. Mystery Sport      4. Cricket  
5. Scottish Football      6. US Football      7. Formula One      8. Horse Racing

1 Q: Who was the first golfer to lose play-offs in all four majors?  A: Greg Norman	2 Q: At which club did Gareth Southgate play most league games?  A: Aston Villa
3 Q: In which sport are there moves called Triffus, Rudolf and Miller?  A: Trampolining	4 Q: Which was the first African team to compete in the cricket World Cup?  A: East Africa (1975) - Questions states team not country!!
5 Q: Which team won the Scottish FA Cup three times from 1982 to 1984?  A: Aberdeen	6 Q: What is an American football pitch also called?  A: The Gridiron
7 Q: Aged 21 years and 71 days who is the youngest ever winner of a Formula 1 motor race?  A: Sebastien Vettel	8 Q: What is the name of Australia's premier thoroughbred horse race, run on the first Tuesday in November?  A: Melbourne Cup



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**ROUND SEVEN (Individual Questions) (Jokers to be used, each team to nominate one player.)**

Team A to Answer First

1 & 2 Pop Groups

3 & 4 Admin Centres

5 & 6 German

7 & 8 Zodiac Signs

1 Q: Who had hits with "I Can't Dance" and "Invisible Touch"?	2 Q: Who had hits with "Joanna" and "Celebration"?
A: Genesis	A: Kool & the Gang
3 Q: What town or city is the Admin Centre of Leicestershire?	4 Q: What town or city is the Admin Centre of Lincolnshire?
A: Leicester	A: Lincoln
5 Q: What building is a Flughafen in German?	6 Q: What building is a Bahnhof in German?
A: Airport	A: Train Station
7 Q: If you were born on St Valentine's Day, what would be your star sign?	8 Q: If you were born on American Independence Day, what would be your star sign?
A: Aquarius	A: Cancer

**ROUND 8 ( Team Questions )**

**PICK A SUBJECT. The subjects are:-**

1. Pottery

2. 0

3. TV

4. Drink

5. Words

6. First Ladies

7. Countries

8. 1980s Pop Groups

1 Q: Which Dutch town is particularly famous for its blue pottery?	2 Q: Who starred opposite Judy Garland in the film "Easter Parade"?
A: Delft	A: Fred Astaire
3 Q: Who played Eleanor Bramwell in the TV series of the same name?	4 Q: Oloroso is a type of which drink?
A: Jemma Redgrave	A: Sherry
5 Q: What is xerography?	6 Q: Which former first lady was nicknamed "The Smiling Mamba"?
A: Photocopying	A: Nancy Reagan
7 Q: In what country are the most active volcanoes?	8 Q: "Limahl" was the lead singer of which 1980's chart group?
A: Indonesia	A: Kajagoogoo

**RESERVE QUESTIONS**

3 Q: What is a dirndl?

4 Q: Which singer had a backing group called the Checkmates?

A: A Dress

A: Emile Ford



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**FUN QUIZ ROUND (Team Questions) - This is a non compulsory element of the quiz**

The following questions are for use in a "Beer Leg".  
They must not be included in the score of the main quiz competition

**CHOOSE ODDS OR EVENS**

1 Q: What was presenter Gabby Logan's surname before she married?  A: Yorath	2 Q: If something or someone is gravid what does it mean?  A: Pregnant
3 Q: Who had hits with "One Night in Heaven" and "Moving on Up"?  A: M People	4 Q: Which former tennis player sold Hull City in 1998?  A: David Lloyd
5 Q: How many times is Annie mentioned in the lyrics of "Annie's Song"?  A: None	6 Q: Lynn Ripley shone under which name as a pop singer?  A: Twinkle
7 Q: Of what country is Zagreb the capital?  A: Croatia	8 Q: What was the name of the 1990's sitcom featuring Joe McCann, Diana Weston and Honor Blackman?  A: The Upper Hand
9 Q: Kampuchea is a former name of which country?  A: Cambodia	10 Q: Juries in criminal cases in Scotland uniquely consist of how many members?  A: 15
11 Q: Which African mammal is also known as the ant bear?  A: Aardvark	12 Q: Any building built before which year is automatically 'listed' as historically or architecturally important?  A: 1700
13 Q: Who became the presenter of Countdown after Jeff Stelling left?  A: Nick Hewer	14 Q: Which goddess is the Greek equivalent of Venus?  A: Aphrodite
15 Q: Which politician did Violet Gibson shoot and wound in Rome in 1926?  A: Mussolini	16 Q: Which rank of the peerage is directly below a duke?  A: Marquis