

Quiz Questions for Monday 02/12/2019 - Written by Maggs Stewart (Cygnetures)

Team A

Team B

ROUND ONE (Team Questions): General knowledge

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: What is a Puffin chick called? A: Puffling	2 Q: What date (Month and year acceptable) was the bomb dropped on Hiroshima? A: 6th August 1945 (accept month and year)
3 Q: Which black mineral, especially popular with Victorians, was used to make jewellery? A: Jet	4 Q: What are the four types of teeth which humans have? A: Molars, pre-molars, incisors and canines
5 Q: From what is rum distilled from? A: Sugar Cane	6 Q: The word 'bible' comes from the Greek 'biblion' - what does biblion mean? A: Book
7 Q: Who was the very first female member of Parliament in Britain? A: Nancy Astor	8 Q: How many squares are there on a chess board? A: 64

ROUND TWO (Team Questions): Famous Quotes

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: "We are what we repeatedly do; excellence, then, is not an act but a habit" A: Aristotle	2 Q: "Always forgive your enemies; nothing annoys them so much" A: Oscar Wilde
3 Q: "I don't mind what Congress does, as long as they don't do it in the streets and frighten the horses" A: Victor Hugo	4 Q: "I took a speed reading course and read 'War and Peace' in twenty minutes. It involves Russia" A: Woody Allen
5 Q: "The person who reads too much and uses his brain too little will fall into lazy habits of thinking" A: Albert Einstein	6 Q: "Never be afraid to laugh at yourself, after all, you could be missing out on the joke of the century" A: Dame Edna Everage
7 Q: "The trouble with the rat race is that even if you win, you're still a rat" A: Lily Tomlin	8 Q: "It is not the strongest of the species that survive, not the most intelligent, but the one most responsive to change" A: Charles Darwin

ROUND THREE (Individual Questions)

(Jokers to be used, each team to nominate one player. team A to answer first.)

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 Song Lyrics

3 & 4 Knitting

5 & 6 Binary Code

7 & 8 Capital Cities

<p>1 Q: What was the title of the song and the artist who sang: "Guys talk girl talk, it happens everywhere Eyes watch girls walk with tender lovin' care"</p> <p>A: Andy Williams - Music to watch girls by (both needed)</p>	<p>2 Q: What was the title of the song and the artist who sang: "There she stood in the street Smiling from her head to her feet"</p> <p>A: Free - Alright now (both needed)</p>
<p>3 Q: What does 'YON' mean in knitting?</p> <p>A: Yarn over needle</p>	<p>4 Q: What does 'PSSO' mean in knitting?</p> <p>A: Pass slipped stitch over</p>
<p>5 Q: What is 399 in binary code?</p> <p>A: 1 1 0 0 0 1 1 1 1</p>	<p>6 Q: What is 245 in binary code?</p> <p>A: 1 1 1 1 0 1 0 1</p>
<p>7 Q: What is the capital city of Oman?</p> <p>A: Muscat</p>	<p>8 Q: What is the capital city of Laos?</p> <p>A: Vientiane</p>

ROUND FOUR (Team Questions) - Literature

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8

<p>1 Q: Who wrote the "Shoppaholic" series of books? (Surname acceptable)</p> <p>A: (Sophie) Kinsella</p>	<p>2 Q: After reaching the position of Major, how old was Jack Reacher (a Lee Child character) when he left the US Army?</p> <p>A: 36</p>
<p>3 Q: Who uses the pseudonym JD Robb, as in the 'in Death' series of books? (Surname acceptable)</p> <p>A: (Nora) Roberts</p>	<p>4 Q: Who wrote Bridget Jones's Diary and its sequels? (Surname acceptable)</p> <p>A: (Helen) Fielding</p>
<p>5 Q: How many books are in 'The Chronicles of Narnia' series?</p> <p>A: 7 (1.The Last Battle; 2.The Silver Chair; 3.The Voyage of the Dawn Treader; 4.Prince Caspian; 5.The Horse and His Boy; 6.The Lion, The Witch & The Wardrobe; 7.The Magician's Nephew)</p>	<p>6 Q: Who wrote the crime fiction novels The Cuckoo's Calling (2013), and Lethal White (2018) under the pseudonym or pen name of Robert Galbraith</p> <p>A: Joanne Rowling (accept JK Rowling)</p>
<p>7 Q: Which Italian novel for children has been adapted in over 240 languages?</p> <p>A: The Adventures of Pinocchio</p>	<p>8 Q: Whose book, "The Minpins", was published in 1991, a few months after the author's death in 1990?</p> <p>A: Roald Dahl</p>

ROUND FIVE (Team Questions) – Animal Facts whereby the definition of “ANIMAL” includes all mammals, birds, reptiles, insects

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8

<p>1 Q: What is the fastest animal on the planet and can reach speeds of up to 200mph?</p> <p>A: Peregrine Falcon</p>	<p>2 Q: What is the only living animal that specializes in feeding on bone marrow?</p> <p>A: Bearded Vulture (need more than just Vulture)</p>
<p>3 Q: After humans, which primate has the longest childhood?</p> <p>A: Orangutan</p>	<p>4 Q: At up to 4m long, what is the world’s largest venomous snake?</p> <p>A: King Cobra (Ophiophagus hannah)</p>
<p>5 Q: There are only two known species of bat that have the ability to walk on the ground, name one of them?</p> <p>A: The lesser short-tailed bat (also known as the burrowing bat) or the American common vampire bat (QM be sensible with answers given!)</p>	<p>6 Q: What, in terms of its size, is the strongest animal in the world compared to body weight?</p> <p>A: Dung Beetle</p>
<p>7 Q: Due to its specific frequency, a wolf's howl doesn't do what?</p> <p>A: Echo (It's a natural adaptation, which plays a crucial role in their communication and hunting)</p>	<p>8 Q: Which insect can live for as long as 9 weeks after it is decapitated, only to eventually die of starvation?</p> <p>A: Cockroach (Its brain is not located in its head)</p>

HALF TIME!

ROUND SIX – PICTURE ROUND (TEAM QUESTIONS) – Subject: British Wildlife

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8

<p>1 Q: What is this</p> <p>A: Adonis Blue Butterfly</p>	<p>2 Q: What is this</p> <p>A: (Devil's) Coach Horse Beetle</p>
<p>3 Q: What is this</p> <p>A: Stonechat</p>	<p>4 Q: What is this</p> <p>A: Green Shield Bug (accept Shield Bug)</p>
<p>5 Q: What is this</p> <p>A: Fieldfare</p>	<p>6 Q: What is this</p> <p>A: Orange-tip Butterfly</p>
<p>7 Q: What is this?</p> <p>A: Chough (pron: Chuff)</p>	<p>8 Q: What is this</p> <p>A: Polecat</p>

ROUND SEVEN (Team Questions) – Around Milton Keynes

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8

<p>1 Q: Which canal lock on the Grand Union canal in Milton Keynes has the smallest rise of just 12 inches?</p> <p>A: Fenny Lock</p>	<p>2 Q: Which road in Central Milton Keynes got it's name because the sun rises at its east end on the Summer Solstice?</p> <p>A: Midsummer Boulevard</p>
<p>2 Q: When was the MK Dons football stadium officially opened</p> <p>A: 2007 (29th November 2007 by The Queen)</p>	<p>4 Q: The first MK Marathon was run in April 2012 and was known as what name</p> <p>A: Green Marathon</p>
<p>5 Q: The Point was the first multiplex cinema in Britain and opened in what year</p> <p>A: 1985</p>	<p>6 Q: What is unique, for its size, about centre:mk</p> <p>A: It is lit by natural light</p>
<p>7 Q: Snozone in Xscape boasts two real snow slopes, topped up each day with fresh snow. How high are they in feet? (10 feet either way!)</p> <p>A: 220ft (within 10ft either way (210-230))</p>	<p>8 Q: The Olney Pancake Race has been run, on and off, since which century? It is still run today but only by women</p> <p>A: 15th century (Since 1445)</p>

ROUND EIGHT (Individual Questions)

Jokers to be used, each team to nominate one player; team A to answer first.

The Categories are:

1 & 2 Literature

3 & 4 Food

5 & 6 Spelling

7 & 8 Music

<p>1 Q: Which book featured the eloi and the morlocks?</p> <p>A: The Time Machine</p>	<p>3 Q: In which book are children “created” in special hatcheries?</p> <p>A: Brave New World</p>
<p>3 Q: Name the French blue cheese made from ewe's milk</p> <p>A: Roquefort</p>	<p>4 Q: If you were eating du Barry, what would you be eating?</p> <p>A: Cauliflower soup</p>
<p>5 Q: How do you spell Mississippi, as in the river</p> <p>A: MISSISSIPPI</p>	<p>6 Q: How do you spell Connoisseur, as in someone with a great deal of knowledge in a certain area</p> <p>A: CONNOISSEUR</p>
<p>7 Q: Name the English singer, songwriter and musician who has been the only constant member of the art rock band 10cc</p> <p>A: (Graham) Gouldman</p>	<p>8 Q: Frank Sinatra had 4 children, the most famous of which is Nancy. Can you name one of the other three</p> <p>A: Tina Sinatra, Frank Sinatra Jr, Ronan Farrow</p>

ROUND NINE (Team Questions) - Recent history

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8

1 Q: On what date was the Duke & Duchess of Cambridge's son Prince George born? A: 22 July 2013 (exact date needed)	2 Q: On 9 January 2001, who began his job as manager of the England football team, six months ahead of schedule? A: Sven-Göran Eriksson
3 Q: On 13 January 2004, who was found dead in his cell one day prior to his fifty-eighth birthday? A: Dr Harold Shipman	4 Q: On 24 October 2003, supersonic aircraft Concorde makes its final commercial flights after how many years? A: 27 years
5 Q: What date did George Michael die? A: 25 December 2016 (exact date needed)	6 Q: On 28 February 2018, which retailer went into administration with a £15,000,000 VAT bill A: Toys "R" Us
7 Q: In what year did the M6 toll motorway open? A: 2003 (9th December)	8 Q: On 30 March 2002, who died aged 101? A: Queen Elizabeth The Queen Mother

ROUND TEN (Team Questions) - Famous parents or siblings

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8

1 Q: Richard Osman's brother is the bassist in the rock band Suede, what is his name? A: Mathew David 'Mat' Osman	2 Q: Dakota Johnson is the daughter of Don Johnson but who is her mother? A: Melanie Griffith
3 Q: Kate Hudson's step father is Kurt Russell, who is her mother? A: Goldie Hawn	4 Q: Rumer Willis is the daughter of Bruce Willis and who? A: Demi Moore
5 Q: Who is Danielle Riley Keough's mother? A: Lisa Marie Presley	6 Q: Who is Emilio Estevez's brother A: Charlie Sheen
7 Q: Who is Warren Beatty's sister? A: Shirley MacLaine	8 Q: Chris & Liam Hemsworth have an older brother who is also an actor, name him? A: Luke Hemsworth



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Below are Reserve/Spare questions to be used as per rules.
Please feel free to use at the end of the quiz while eating food.

They must not be included in the score of the main quiz competition

1 Q: Name the dog in the traditional Punch and Judy Show A: Toby	2 Q: What is the Scottish drink made from whisky and heather honey called? A: Drambuie
3 Q: What life-saving device did Sir Humphry Davy invent? A: Miner's safety lamp, the Davy Lamp	4 Q: How many points does a compass have? A: 32
5 Q: Name the type of footwear invented in 1815, which enables the wearer to move very quickly over smooth, flat ground A: Roller skates	6 Q: Which illness wiped out thousands of people across Europe during the 14th Century? A: Bubonic Plague
7 Q: Name the Chinese game played with small tiles A: Mah-jong	8 Q: Carly Simon sang Nobody Does It Better for which James Bond film A: The Spy Who Loved Me
9 Q: "Alexander's Ragtime Band" is a song by who A: Irving Berlin	10 Q: In the USA, what is celebrated on February 2 and is also a film A: Groundhog Day