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ROUND ONE

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND

1 Q: Which branch of physics is concerned with the study of Heat & Temperatures? <u>A: Thermodynamics</u>	2 Q: Which branch of physics is concerned with the study of low temperatures? <u>A: Cryogenics</u>
3 Q: In Indian cooking, what vegetable is aloo? <u>A: Potato</u>	4 Q: In Indian cooking, what vegetable is gobi? <u>A: Cauliflower</u>
5 Q: Which flower is classified into 9 categories, which include; incurve, reflex, spiders, singles, sprays? <u>A: Chrysanthemum</u>	6 Q: Which flower has varieties which include, pompom, ball, decorative and cactus? <u>A: Dahlia</u>
7 Q: "Reg Presley" was the lead vocalist with which group formed in 1964? <u>A: The Troggs</u>	8 Q: "Peter Noone" was the lead vocalist with which group formed in 1963? <u>A: Herman's Hermits</u>

ROUND TWO (Team Questions)

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

S & M - Each Answer will start with either a letter S or M (Applies to Surnames)

1 Q: "Puffinus Puffinus" is not the Latin name for the Puffin but for which sea bird? <u>A: Shearwater</u>	2 Q: What is most associated with a Timbrologist? <u>A: Stamps</u>
3 Q: Which Aztec ruler was deposed by Cortez? <u>A: Montezuma</u>	4 Q: In 1926, Irish aristocrat Violet Gibson attempted but failed to assassinate which political leader? <u>A: Benito Mussolini</u>
5 Q: In Celtic folklore the "Selkie" can become human by shedding its skin whilst it is in the form of which animal? <u>A: Seal</u>	6 Q: Which protestant denomination was founded by John and Charles Wesley in the early 19th century? <u>A: Methodism</u>
7 Q: Name the German Pop act who first charted in 1997 with the "Encore Une Fois"? <u>A: Sash</u>	8 Q: In which Canadian city is the "Just For Laughs" comedy festival held every July? <u>A: Montreal</u>



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ROUND THREE

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

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 2000s Pop Music

3 & 4 MARVEL

5 & 6 American Football

7 & 8 Geography

1 Q: Which female artist got to number one in the UK in 2003 with "Slow"?	2 Q: Which male artist got to number one in the UK in 2002 with "Lose yourself"?
<u>A: Kylie Minogue</u>	<u>A: Eminem</u>
3 Q: "Janet Van Dyne" is an alter ego of which Marvel comic book character?	4 Q: "Hal Jordan" is an alter ego of which Marvel comic book character?
<u>A: The Wasp</u>	<u>A: Green Lantern</u>
5 Q: Which team were beaten by the Kansas City Chiefs in the AFC playoff game on 24th January 2021?	6 Q: Which team were beaten by the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in the NFC playoff game on 24th January 2021?
<u>A: Buffalo Bills</u>	<u>A: Green Bay Packers</u>
7 Q: What is name of the mountain range that stretches through Georgia, Armenia, Azerbaijan and Russia, and contains Europe's highest peak Mount Elbrus?	8 Q: What is name of the most extensive mountain range in Romania that also stretches into Poland, Slovakia and the Ukraine?
<u>A: The Caucasus</u>	<u>A: The Carpathians</u>

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

Scouts

1 Q: What is the highest rank in British scouting?	2 Q: "My Pal Scout" is a dog character that has been developed into merchandise such as soft toys and widely used on electronic devices, to help young children learn. Which brand is he manufactured by?
<u>A: Queen's Scout</u>	<u>A: Leapfrog</u>
3 Q: The Pop Group "Scouting for Girl" had a UK number one in 2010 with which song?	4 Q: "Kinder Scout" is the highest point of which UK National Park?
<u>A: This Ain't a Love Song</u>	<u>A: Peak District</u>
5 Q: Actress Scout Willis is known for her work on Bandits (2001), Moonrise Kingdom (2012) and The Scarlet Letter (1995), but who are her famous parents?	6 Q: The character "Scout" Finch features in which famous film & novel?
<u>A: Bruce Willis and Demi Moore</u>	<u>A: To Kill a Mockingbird</u>
7 Q: Which island in Poole Harbour is famously linked to the Boy Scout movement?	8 Q: Best known for her roles as Jodie "Scout" Allen in Waterloo Road(2011–2013) and Sinead Tinker in Coronation Street (2013–2020), what is her real name?
<u>A: Brownsea Island</u>	<u>A: Katie McGlynn</u>



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ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND

1 Q: Complete the proverb, "Many Hands make...."?	2 Q: Complete the proverb, "Fools rush in, where angels fear to ..."?
<u>A: Light Work</u>	<u>A: Tread</u>
3 Q: Which number is between 15 and 6 on a dart board?	4 Q: Which number is between 14 and 12 on a dart board?
<u>A: 10</u>	<u>A: 9</u>
5 Q: Launched in 1860 and still found in Portsmouth, what was the name of the Royal Navy's first iron hulled ocean going warship?	6 Q: What was the flagship of the task force sent to recover the Falkland Islands in 1982?
<u>A: HMS Warrior</u>	<u>A: HMS Hermes</u>
7 Q: What is the name given to the transparent block of glass, which dispenses a beam of white light into the colours of the spectrum?	8 Q: What is the name given to the passage of an astronomical body, through the shadow of another astronomical body?
<u>A: Prism</u>	<u>A: Eclipse</u>

HALF TIME!

ROUND SIX (TEAM QUESTIONS)

BLOCKBUSTERS ROUND: The Letters will be given in the question

1 Q: In DIY what does MDF stand for?	2 Q: In the lubricant and rust-prevention spray WD40, what does the WD stand for?
<u>A: Medium-density fibreboard</u>	<u>A: Water Displacement</u>
3 Q: In which novella with letters "HOD" by Joseph Conrad does Marlow take the steamer Nellie up the Congo river to find an ivory hunter called Kurtz?	4 Q: Which song with letters "SYL" won Song of the Year at the 2020 Brit Awards?
<u>A: 'Heart of Darkness'</u>	<u>A: Someone You Loved (Lewis Capaldi)</u>
5 Q: What Netflix TV show, with letters "LIB" in 2020 saw couples matching and getting engaged before seeing each other?	6 Q: Former married couple Tom Cruise and Nicole Kidman co-starred in 'Days of Thunder', 'Far and Away' and which other film with letters "EWS"?
<u>A: Love is Blind</u>	<u>A: 'Eyes Wide Shut' [in 1999]</u>
7 Q: With letters "WM", Sir Francis Galton who died in 1911 was famous for devising the first what seen most days alongside the news?	8 Q: The TV sitcom "Rock and Chips" was a prequel to which other successful sitcom with letters "OFAH"?
<u>A: Weather map</u>	<u>A: Only Fools and Horses.</u>



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ROUND SEVEN

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

DRINKS

1 Q: Which child actress gave her name to a non-alcoholic cocktail of ginger beer, grenadine syrup and orange juice? <u>A: Shirley Temple</u>	2 Q: What is the main ingredient of the non-alcoholic cocktail a Virgin Mary? <u>A: Tomato juice</u>
3 Q: Which Asian country is the world's leading producer of tea? <u>A: China</u>	4 Q: Which Asian country is the world's leading producer of milk? <u>A: India</u>
5 Q: Which drink based on grape, raspberry and blackcurrant juice, was invented by John Nichols in Manchester in 1908 and was originally registered as a medicine before being marketed as a soft drink? <u>A: Vimto</u>	6 Q: Which drink originated in Thailand and was developed into a worldwide brand by an executive of an Austrian toothpaste company who found it helped him recover from jetlag? <u>A: Red Bull</u>
7 Q: Which beverage's name comes from the Italian for "little hood"? <u>A: Cappuccino</u>	8 Q: Which iced beverage has been called the national coffee of Greece? <u>A: Frappé</u>

ROUND EIGHT

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

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 Foreign football

3 & 4 Year in the Life

5 & 6 Authors

7 & 8 RIVERS

1 Q: Which has been by far the most successful Belgian football club, winning 34 League titles? <u>A: Anderlecht</u>	2 Q: Which has been bar far the most successful Portuguese football club, winning 37 League titles? <u>A: Benfica</u>
3 Q: Give a year in the life of composer Frederic Chopin? <u>A: 1810 - 1849 (Inclusive)</u>	4 Q: Give a year in the life of composer Franz Schubert? <u>A: 1797 - 1828 (Inclusive)</u>
5 Q: Who wrote the best seller "The Associate"? <u>A: John Grisham</u>	6 Q: Who wrote the best seller "The Afghan"? <u>A: Frederick Forsyth</u>
7 Q: On which river do the French cities of Tours and Nantes both stand? <u>A: Loire</u>	8 Q: On which river does the French city of Metz stand and also the German city of Koblenz before the river joins with the Rhine? <u>A: Moselle</u>



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ROUND NINE

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1 Q: A dish of beef, foie gras and truffles is named after an Italian composer is a "Tournedos ..." <u>A: Rossini</u>	2 Q: Who was the first General Secretary Of the Transport and General Workers Union 1922 to 1940? <u>A: Ernest Bevin</u>
3 Q: Which mythological lumberjack from North American folklore has a pet blue ox called Babe? <u>A: Paul Bunyan</u>	4 Q: Which is the family name of the Dukes of Bedford? <u>A: Russell</u>
5 Q: Which was the name of the son in the Viz comic strip "The Bacons"? <u>A: Biffa</u>	6 Q: Common in Middle Eastern Countries what word can mean Gratuity, a tip or even a bribe? <u>A: Baksheesh</u>
7 Q: Which strip is laid on a road as a hazard warning? <u>A: Rumble</u>	8 Q: What is measured using a Pluviometer? <u>A: Rain</u>

ROUND TEN

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND

1 Q: The handle of a dagger or sword is known as what? <u>A: Hilt</u>	2 Q: what is the name of a sheath for the blade of a sword or dagger, typically made of leather or metal? <u>A: Scabbard</u>
3 Q: On which national radio station would you listen to Alexander Armstrong, Bill Turnbull and John Brunning? <u>A: Classic FM</u>	4 Q: On which national radio station would you listen to Laura Woods, Adrian Durham and Darren Gough? <u>A: TalkSport</u>
5 Q: What two letters make up the Internet Country code for Denmark? <u>A: Dk</u>	6 Q: What two letters make up the Internet Country code for Pakistan? <u>A: Pk</u>
7 Q: Who wrote the book The Woman in White? <u>A: Wilkie Collins</u>	8 Q: Who wrote the novel The Camomile Lawn? <u>A: Mary Wesley</u>



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

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

1 Q: If you were playing poker and were dealt 'fishhooks', what card would you have a pair of? <u>A: Jacks</u>	2 Q: The Eduskunta, is the Parliament of which Scandinavian country? <u>A: Finland</u>
3 Q: The name of which British river sounds like a verb meaning to tantalise or banter? <u>A: Tees (Tease)</u>	4 Q: Which King abdicated the English throne after Henry Bolingbroke returned from exile as Henry IV <u>A: Richard II</u>
5 Q: Slate and marble are examples of which of the three types of rock? <u>A: Metamorphic</u>	6 Q: 'The Lone Gunmen' was a short-lived spin-off of which popular TV science fiction series? <u>A: 'The X-Files'</u>
7 Q: Which son of King Priam was the leader of the Trojans in the Trojan war? <u>A: Hector</u>	8 Q: Close to the village of St Just, what is the name of the only cape in England? <u>A: Cape Cornwall</u>
9 Q: Americans call them scallions; What do we call them? <u>A: Spring Onions</u>	10 Q: Which Cole Porter musical includes the songs True Love and Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? <u>A: High Society</u>