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- Quiz Questions for Monday 11th July 2016 - Written by Steve Bradbury

Team A

Team B

**ROUND ONE (Team Questions)**

**POT LUCK. TEAM A to answer first.**

1 Q: Abidjan was capital of which country/territory from 1933 to 1983?  A: Ivory Coast - (currently the economic capital but <u>not the actual one</u> )	2 Q: Quezon City was capital of which country/territory from 1948 to 1976?  A: Philippines
3 Q: What was the nickname of the now defunct Milton Keynes speedway team?  A: Knights	4 Q: What was the nickname of the now defunct Milton Keynes BBL basketball team?  A: Lions
5 Q: What film gave Katherine Hepburn her fourth and last Best Actress Oscar in 1981?  A: On Golden Pond	6 Q: What film gave Meryl Streep her first Oscar in 1980?  A: Kramer vs Kramer
7 Q: Who wrote the opera Gloriana first performed in 1953?  A: Benjamin Britten	8 Q: Who composed the opera The Girl of the Golden West?  A: (Giacamo) Puccini

**ROUND TWO (Team Questions)**

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

**1 -W, 2-B, 3-O, 4 - K, 5- M, 6-S, 7- P, 8- L**

1 Q: What is the name of British Columbia's most popular ski resort, which was home to the alpine skiing events in the 2010 Winter Olympics?  A: Whistler	2 Q: At which battle of 1471 was Richard Neville aka Warwick the Kingmaker killed?  A: Barnet
3 Q: What name is given to the Mafia code of silence?  A: Omerta	4 Q: What film was based on the 1968 novel 'A Kestrel for a Knave'?  A: Kes
5 Q: "Loves the jobs you hate" was an advertising slogan for which product?  A: Mr Muscle	6 Q: What name is given to the yellow fluid that surrounds and lubricates cartilages in joints?  A: Synovial fluid
7 Q: Which architect designed the 87-storey Shard Building in London?  A: Renzo Piano	8 Q: The Blue Danube airport serves which Austrian City?  A: Linz



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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 Musicals

3 & 4 Bass Players

5 & 6 Beer

7 & 8 Motorways

1 Q: The song 'On My Own' features in which musical?  A: Les Miserables	2 Q: The song 'Can you feel the live tonight' features in which musical?  A: The Lion King
3 Q: Mani Mounfield is most famous for being bass player with which 2 groups?  A: Stone Roses & Primal Scream	4 Q: Peter Hook is most famous for being bass player with which 2 groups?  A: Joy Division & New Order
5 Q: Which beer was marketed as 'The Cream of Manchester'?  A: Boddingtons	6 Q: Finish the slogan 'Beer at home means ...'  A: Davenports
7 Q: Gatwick Airport is accessed from junction 9A of which motorway?  A: M23	8 Q: Stansted Airport is accessed from junction 8 of which motorway?  A: M11

**ROUND FOUR (Team Questions)**

**THEME ROUND.** This weeks theme is

American Sport / Americans in Sport

**PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.**

1 Q: Name any one of the three USA based ice hockey teams that Wayne Gretzky played for?  A: New York Rangers, St Louis Blues or Los Angeles Kings	2 Q: American Mario Andretti won the F1 drivers championship in 1978 driving which make of car?  A: Lotus
3 Q: Ashton Eaton won the Olympic gold medal in London 2012 for which track 'field event'?  A: Decathlon	4 Q: Which American soccer franchise did Frank Lampard join in 2015?  A: New York City
5 Q: American Greg Hancock became the oldest world champion (aged 41) in 2014 in which sport?  A: Speedway	6 Q: Name the 1996 film about basketball starring Michael Jordan & Bugs Bunny?  A: Space Jam
7 Q: Which team has won the Superbowl more than any other?  A: Pittsburgh Steelers	8 Q: At what distance was the race in which Mary Decker and Zola Budd have their coming together in the 1984 Olympics?  A: 3000 metres



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**ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)**

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

- 1 - Northern Ireland    2 - Shakespeare    3 - Prime Ministers    4 - The Bible  
5 - Cars    6 - Horse Racing    7 - Car Number Plates    8 - World economy

1 Q: Name the only Northern Irish county that does not have a border with Lough Neigh?  A: Fermanagh	2 Q: Which Shakespeare play contains the line 'Neither a borrower or a lender be'?  A: Hamlet
3 Q: Which Prime Minister died in 10 Downing Street in 1908?  A: Henry Campbell Bannerman	4 Q: In the Bible, Daniel was thrown to the lions for refusing to worship which king?  A: Darius
5 Q: Which car manufacturer produced the 'Kitten'?  A: Reliant	6 Q: Name either of the horses to beat Red Rum in the Grand National?  A: L'Escargot or Rag Trade
7 Q: In the current series of car registration plates (2 letters, a 2 digit number then 3 letters), which was the first 2 digit number to be used?  A: 51	8 Q: Which country overtook the UK to become the world's 5th biggest economy following the devaluation of the pound after the recent European exit referendum result?  A: France

**HALF TIME!**

**ROUND SIX ( TEAM QUESTIONS )**

**PICTURE PUZZLE - FULL NAME UNLESS STATED**

**PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.**

1 Q: Name this classic car, make & model, made in England from 1966 to 1976?  A: Jensen Interceptor	2 Q: Name this brand?  A: Monster (energy drinks)
3 Q: Name this candidate for the leader of the Conservative party?  A: Stephen Crabb	4 Q: Name this singer/songwriter and former model who was recently more famous for a role outside of entertainment?  A: Carla Bruni
5 Q: Name the football team?  A: Mansfield Town	6 Q: Name the comedienne?  A: Catherine Ryan
7 Q: Who is this former footballer turned manager?  A: Jurgen Klopp	8 Q: Name the planet?  A: Uranus



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**ROUND SEVEN (Team Questions)**

**PICK A LETTER. Surnames only for individuals : The letters are**  
1 - D(i), 2 - H, 3 - S, 4 - Y, 5 - D(ii) 6 - G, 7 - M, 8 - T

1 Q: What is the name of the Indian dish made from stewed dried peas, onions and spices?  A: Dahl	2 Q: What nickname was given to Sir Henry Percy who was killed in the rebellion of 1403 against Henry IV?  A: Hotspur
3 Q: What do Americans call what we would call a buggy or pushchair?  A: Stroller	4 Q: What was the name of the operation that resulted from the Jimmy Saville Sex Scandal?  A: Yewtree
5 Q: What stretch of water was used as practice by the Dambusters in preparation for the attack on the Ruhr?  A: Derwent Water	6 Q: The Royal Navy Submarine Museum is in which port?  A: Gosport
7 Q: Who has presented the BBC Radio 2 programme Sounds of the Sixties for over 20 years?  A: Brian Matthew	8 Q: What was the world's first supersonic airliner to fly commercially?  A: Tupolev (TU 144)

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

Team A to Answer First

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 TV Sitcoms

3 & 4 Company Names

5 & 6 Shakespeare

7 & 8 Pasta

1 Q: Big Suze and Dobby were love interests in which television sitcom?  A: Peep Show	2 Q: Ray Von was the club disc Jockey in which television sitcom?  A: Phoenix Nights
3 Q: What do the initials EDF stand for as in the multi-national energy company?  A: Electricite de France	4 Q: What do the initials EDS stand for as in the multi-national services company?  A: Electronic Data Systems
5 Q: Neither a borrower nor a lender be' is a line from which of Shakespeare's plays?  A: Hamlet	6 Q: The course of true love never did run smooth is a line from which Shakespeare play?  A: A Midsummer Night's Dream
7 Q: What shape does the pasta Penne take?  A: Tubes	8 Q: What shape does the pasta Farfalle take?  A: Bow ties or butterflies



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ROUND NINE (Team Questions)

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

Science Fiction Novels

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: Who wrote the novel Fahrenheit 451?  A: Ray Bradbury	2 Q: In which series of books & TV episodes did humans battle the Cylons?  A: Battlestar Galactica
3 Q: What 3 words preceded 'Dr Jeckyl & Mr Hyde' in the name of the novel?  A: Strange case of	4 Q: Who wrote the novel 'A Clockwork Orange'?  A: Anthony Burgess
5 Q: In the novel Logan's Run at what age are people required to be killed?  A: 21	6 Q: Marvin the paranoid android featured in which sci fi series of books?  A: Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy
7 Q: What novel is set in Airstrip 1?  A: 1984	8 Q: Which 1969 novel featured and is thought to be influenced by the bombing of Dresden, the author having been interned there as a WW2 prisoner?  A: Slaughterhouse 5

ROUND TEN (Team Questions)

PICK A SUBJECT. The subjects are:-

1. Films      2. Cheshire      3. Cricket      4. Astronomy  
5. Holiday resorts      6. Human body      7. Which year      8. Syrup

1 Q: Which 2004 film was released with the advertising tag line 'A romantic comedy with zombies'?  A: Shaun of the Dead	2 Q: Which Cheshire town is thought to take its name from the fact it was considered a suitable location for crossing a river there by King Canute in 1017?  A: Knutsford
3 Q: England cricketer, James Taylor who had to retire in 2016 played for which county side?  A: Notts	4 Q: In astronomy which 2 planets are referred to as 'Ice Giants'?  A: Uranus & Neptune
5 Q: On which Mediterranean island is the resort of Faliraki located?  A: Rhodes	6 Q: What substance crystallises in the gall bladder to be the main component of gall stones?  A: Cholesterol
7 Q: Which year did the Queen describe as her "annus horribilis"?  A: 1992	8 Q: Grenadine is a syrup traditionally made from which fruit?  A: Pomegranate



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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: What are Other, West Holts and Park?  A: Stages at the Glastonbury festival	2 Q: The former ground of which football club is depicted in L. S. Lowry's 'Going to the Match'?  A: Bolton Wanderers
3 Q: Which is the most easterly town in England directly connected to the motorway network?  A: Folkestone (M20)	4 Q: Who, in 2009, became the first cartoon character to be Playboy Magazine's cover star?  A: Marge Simpson
5 Q: Who was the husband of Lady Jane Grey?  A: Lord Guildford Dudley	6 Q: 'Take My Breath Away' was the theme to which film?  A: Top Gun
7 Q: Gala, Jonagold and Pink Lady are all varieties of which fruit?  A: Apple	8 Q: What word is given to the limit of distance at which a sound can be heard?  A: Earshot
9 Q: What is the name of the tar-like substance produced from petroleum?  A: Bitumen	10 Q: What is the name of the estuary at the mouths of the rivers Ouse and Trent?  A: Humber