



MK Quiz League - Winter 2020

- Quiz Questions for Monday 21st June 2021 - Compiled by Ed Ficek

Team A

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ROUND ONE

GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND

1 Q: Which female tennis star was handed a two year ban after testing positive for Benzoylcoaine, a cocaine metabolite at Wimbledon in 2007?  <b>A: <u>MARTINA HINGIS</u></b>	2 Q: Which female tennis star was handed a two year ban in 2016 when she failed a drugs test at the Australian Open, testing positive for a drug called Meldonium, later reduced to 15months?  <b>A: <u>MARIA SHARAPOVA</u></b>
3 Q: In the children's television series 'Tellytubbies' what is the Nu-Nu?  <b>A: <u>VACUUM CLEANER</u></b>	4 Q: In the children's television series 'In the Night Garden', What does the character "Makka Pakka" like to wash & polish?  <b>A: <u>STONES</u></b>
5 Q: Which French composer's works include the opera "Samson and Delilah"?  <b>A: <u>CAMILE SAINT-SAENS</u></b>	6 Q: Whose painting of "Samson and Delilah", completed in 1610, hangs in the National Gallery, he was of Flemish origin?  <b>A: <u>PETER PAUL RUBENS</u></b>
7 Q: Mashhad city, awarded 2017 'Capital of Islamic Culture', is in which Asian country?  <b>A: <u>IRAN</u></b>	8 Q: Nakhchivan, awarded 2018 'Capital of Islamic Culture', is in which Asian country?  <b>A: <u>AZERBAIJAN</u></b>

ROUND TWO (Team Questions)

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

1990s Music

1 Q: Name the Simply Red album which was the best-selling UK album of the year for both 1991 and 1992?  <b>A: <u>STARS</u></b>	2 Q: Slipknot released a self titled album in 1999 that included the track 'Wait and _____', possibly their biggest hit. What is the missing word?  <b>A: <u>BLEED (CORRECTED)</u></b>
3 Q: Which American rock band was formed in 1990, in Seattle, with Eddie Vedder on lead vocals?  <b>A: <u>PEARL JAM</u></b>	4 Q: Which Steps song, was the debut single from the album "Step One" and featured the lyrics "My rodeo Romeo, a cowboy god from head to toe"?  <b>A: <u>5,6,7,8</u></b>
5 Q: "Life in plastic, it's fantastic" is a line from the lyrics of which 1997 hit song?  <b>A: <u>BARBIE GIL</u></b>	6 Q: Which Australian band had a worldwide hit with "Truly Madly Deeply"?  <b>A: <u>SAVAGE GARDEN</u></b>
7 Q: Who had a hit in 1992 with the song: On A Ragga Tip?  <b>A: <u>SL2</u></b>	8 Q: The only debut song among 1995's top ten was the danceable "This Is How We Do It" by which artist - both names required?  <b>A: <u>MONTELL JORDAN</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 Which Year**

**3 & 4 Nursery Rhymes**

**5 & 6 Human Body**

**7 & 8 Jazz**

1 Q: Which year did these events occur: Netherlands becomes the first country in the world to make same-sex marriage legal, Wikipedia launched, Goran Ivanišević beats Pat Rafter at Wimbledon <b><u>A: 2001</u></b>	2 Q: Which year did these events occur: Charles and Diana divorced, Publication of the Scott report (Arms to Iraq), Massacres at Dunblane and Tasmania, New Severn bridge opened. <b><u>A: 1996</u></b>
3 Q: Which Nursery Rhyme is being described here "Spotted insect urged to return to its domicile as infants at risk"? <b><u>A: LADYBIRD LADYBIRD FLY AWAY HOME</u></b>	4 Q: Which Nursery Rhyme is being described here "Awkward young female is quizzed as to her floral arrangements"? <b><u>A: MARY MARY QUITE CONTRARY</u></b>
5 Q: In which part of the human body would you find the Brachial Artery? <b><u>A: ARM (UPPER ARM)</u></b>	6 Q: In which part of the human body would you find the Carotid Artery? <b><u>A: NECK</u></b>
7 Q: Although a great singer, Which instrument was played by jazzman Jack Teagarden (1905-64)? <b><u>A: TROMBONE</u></b>	8 Q: Which instrument was played by Jazz man "Coleman Hawkins" (1904-69)? <b><u>A: SAXOPHONE</u></b>

**ROUND FOUR**

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

1 Q: In computing, beginning with the letter "U" which free open-source operating system first released in 2004, was named after a Southern African philosophy of "humanity to others"? <b><u>A: UBUNTU</u></b>	2 Q: With surname beginning with "H" - Which American composer's works include the scores for two Star Trek films, as well as the best-selling orchestral film soundtrack of all time, James Cameron's Titanic? <b><u>A: JAMES HORNER</u></b>
3 Q: With letter "B" - What is the name of the tour guide, on the Channel 4 TV programme "Coach Trip"? <b><u>A: BRENDAN</u></b>	4 Q: The regional delicacy godcakes are most often linked to which English city beginning with letter "C"? <b><u>A: COVENTRY</u></b>
5 Q: With surname beginning with letter "W" - Who wrote the 1998 novel Filth? <b><u>A: IRVINE WELSH</u></b>	6 Q: What letter "R" is the name for a traditional Moroccan house with central atrium courtyard/garden? <b><u>A: RIAD</u></b>
7 Q: What letter "N" is the Japanese name for edible seaweed species of the red algae genus Pyropia? <b><u>A: NORI</u></b>	8 Q: Which cricketer with surname beginning with letter "M" scored the first century in the IPL in 2008? <b><u>A: BRENDAN MCCULLUM</u></b>



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ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

How Many - Sport

1 Q: How many players are eligible to shoot for goal on a netball team  <b><u>A: 2</u></b>	2 Q: How many times is the water jump jumped in the 3000 metres steeplechase?  <b><u>A: 7</u></b>
3 Q: How many innings do a baseball team usually play?  <b><u>A: 9</u></b>	4 Q: How many gears does a speedway bike have?  <b><u>A: 1</u></b>
5 Q: How many stages are there in this year's Tour de France?  <b><u>A: 21</u></b>	6 Q: How many teams are there altogether in the NFL in the USA?  <b><u>A: 32</u></b>
7 Q: How many points does a driver receive for finishing third in a current Formula One race?  <b><u>A: 15</u></b>	8 Q: After how many games are the balls changed for the first time in professional tennis matches?  <b><u>A: 7 (It is then after every 9)</u></b>

**HALF TIME!**

ROUND SIX ( TEAM QUESTIONS )

BLOCKBUSTERS ROUND: The Letters will be given in the question

1 Q: With letters "TB" - Which British chain of over 40 restaurants, serving Caribbean-themed food, opened its first site in 2010, at The Hub in Central Milton Keynes?  <b><u>A: TURTLE BAY</u></b>	2 Q: With letters "MAODL" - Telling the story of how Harold killed his father Albert at their home address, which 2005 stage play was a spin-off of the TV series Steptoe And Son?  <b><u>A: MURDER AT OIL DRUM LANE</u></b>
3 Q: With letters "TCOO" - Which 1764 novel by Horace Walpole is generally regarded as the first gothic novel?  <b><u>A: THE CASTLE OF OTRANTO</u></b>	4 Q: Jason Lee Scott, Trini Kwan, Zack Taylor, Kimberly Ann Hart, Billy Cranston and Tommy Oliver are the original characters in which colourful crime-fighting organisation - with letters "PR"?  <b><u>A: POWER RANGERS</u></b>
5 Q: With letters "TB" - In which 1981 film did John Cleese play the legendary figure Robin Hood?  <b><u>A: TIME BANDITS</u></b>	6 Q: With letters "GTO" - Who was the first historically recognized ruler of Denmark?  <b><u>A: GORM THE OLD</u></b>
7 Q: With letters "TBB" - Based on a Patrick Mc Cabe novel which award winning 1997 film follows the dark fantasies of 12 year old Francie Brady in an Irish border town until they reach a gruesome conclusion?  <b><u>A: THE BUTCHER BOY</u></b>	8 Q: In the 1994 movie, what book with letters "CG" did Forrest Gump always carry in his briefcase?  <b><u>A: CURIOUS GEORGE</u></b>



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**ROUND SEVEN**

**THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is**

**Around Europe**

1 Q: Which Swedish city is the headquarters of Volvo?  <b><u>A: GOTHENBURG</u></b>	2 Q: Reinhard Heydrich the high ranking German Nazi was assassinated in 1942 in which European capital city?  <b><u>A: PRAGUE</u></b>
3 Q: Which was the first former Soviet republic to declare independence from the Soviet Union?  <b><u>A: LITHUANIA</u></b>	4 Q: Which European Capital city in 1985 became the first European Capital of Culture?  <b><u>A: ATHENS</u></b>
5 Q: Which Central European country has been a leading water polo power winning medals at 9 Olympic Games from 1948-80?  <b><u>A: HUNGARY</u></b>	6 Q: In which country could you visit the 138 metre deep Macocha Gorge, the deepest of its kind in Central Europe?  <b><u>A: CZECH REPUBLIC</u></b>
7 Q: Apart from Wales, which other small European country is the only one to have a dragon on its flag?  <b><u>A: MALTA</u></b>	8 Q: In which small European country would you find the parishes Encamp, Canillo and Ordino, three of the seven parishes in total?  <b><u>A: ANDORRA</u></b>

**ROUND EIGHT**

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

**The Categories are:-**

**1 & 2 Rugby Union**

**3 & 4 Medicine**

**5 & 6 Composers**

**7 & 8 Capitals**

1 Q: Name the city where the Munster rugby union club play the majority of their home games.  <b><u>A: LIMERICK</u></b>	2 Q: Name the city where the Connacht rugby union club play the majority of their home games.  <b><u>A: GALWAY</u></b>
3 Q: What is the name of the alternative medicine involving applying pressure to the feet and hands?  <b><u>A: REFLEXOLOGY</u></b>	4 Q: What is the name of the alternative medicine that uses essential oils?  <b><u>A: AROMATHERAPY</u></b>
5 Q: What composer wrote a symphony in which the musicians stop playing one by one and leave the stage until only two are left?  <b><u>A: JOSEF HAYDN</u></b>	6 Q: Which composer's Sixth Symphony features the ringing of cowbells offstage?  <b><u>A: GUSTAV MAHLER</u></b>
7 Q: What is the capital of South Sudan?  <b><u>A: JUBA</u></b>	8 Q: What is the capital of Burundi?  <b><u>A: GITEGA (CHANGED FROM BUJUMBURA IN 2018)</u></b>



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**ROUND NINE**

**THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is**

**MEDALS**

<p>1 Q: The Fields medal is awarded for achievers in which discipline, for which there is no Nobel prize?</p> <p><b><u>A: MATHEMATICS</u></b></p>	<p>2 Q: What shape is the highest US military award, the Medal of Honor?</p> <p><b><u>A: STAR SHAPED</u></b></p>
<p>3 Q: His nations only Olympic medallist. Which Namibian sprinter won silver medals in the Men's 100 and 200 metres at both the 1992 and 1996 Summer Olympics?</p> <p><b><u>A: FRANKIE FREDERICKS</u></b></p>	<p>4 Q: Nicknamed "The Pitball" after his aggressive performances, Gary Medel plays football for which South American country?</p> <p><b><u>A: CHILE</u></b></p>
<p>5 Q: The Medal of Honor series of computer games was developed Dreamworks Interactive and published by which company?</p> <p><b><u>A: EA (OR ELECTRONIC ARTS)</u></b></p>	<p>6 Q: Which is the second highest award of the United Kingdom honours system?</p> <p><b><u>A: GEORGE CROSS</u></b></p>
<p>7 Q: Which writer (1934-) has won the Carnegie Medal (1967) and Guardian Medal (1968)? His notable works include The Weirstone of Brisingaman, The Moon of Gomrath, and The Owl Service.</p> <p><b><u>A: ALAN GARNER</u></b></p>	<p>8 Q: What is the official name of the award for bravery given by the charity PDSA and popularly known as the animals' Victoria Cross?</p> <p><b><u>A: THE DICKIN MEDAL</u></b></p>

**ROUND TEN**

**GENERAL KNOWLEDGE ROUND**

<p>1 Q: Which future pop/film star played Beth Brennan in Neighbours, later starring in the film Johnny English with Rowan Atkinson?</p> <p><b><u>A: NATALIE IMBRUGLIA</u></b></p>	<p>2 Q: Which future pop star played Felicity Scully in Neighbours and hit hits with "Kiss-Kiss" and "Naughty Girl"?</p> <p><b><u>A: HOLLY VALANCE</u></b></p>
<p>3 Q: Mark Calloway is the real name of which legendary WWE wrestler?</p> <p><b><u>A: THE UNDERTAKER</u></b></p>	<p>4 Q: James Hellwig is the real name of which legendary WWE wrestler?</p> <p><b><u>A: ULTIMATE WARRIOR - (PROMPT ON WARRIOR AS THIS WAS WCW NOT WWE)</u></b></p>
<p>5 Q: Hinnonmaki Red, Whinams Industry and Invicta are all varieties of which fruit?</p> <p><b><u>A: GOOSEBERRY</u></b></p>	<p>6 Q: Boyne, Killarney and Heritage are all varieties of which fruit?</p> <p><b><u>A: RASPBERRY</u></b></p>
<p>7 Q: Which poet laureate wrote the poem "The Thought Fox" and "Birthday Letters"?</p> <p><b><u>A: TED HUGHES</u></b></p>	<p>8 Q: Which poet laureate wrote the poem "The Everlasting Mercy" and "Sea Fever"?</p> <p><b><u>A: JOHN MASEFIELD</u></b></p>



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Below are Reserve/Spare questions to be used as per rules.  
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1 Q: What musical instrument is known to the Germans as "dudelsack"?  <b><u>A: BAGPIPES</u></b>	2 Q: In which sport have Englishmen, Alan Scotthorne, and Tom Pickering all been world champions?  <b><u>A: ANGLING (FRESHWATER)</u></b>
3 Q: According to Norse legend, which animals pull the Goddess Freya's chariot?  <b><u>A: CATS</u></b>	4 Q: Which female singer had a UK number 1 hit in 2000 with 'Rise'?  <b><u>A: GABRIELLE</u></b>
5 Q: Which vegetable is used in the recipe for Anglesey Eggs ?  <b><u>A: LEEKS</u></b>	6 Q: Viridian is a shade of which colour?  <b><u>A: GREEN</u></b>
7 Q: Which band included the bass player Paul McGuigan?  <b><u>A: OASIS</u></b>	8 Q: What type of creature is a dugite?  <b><u>A: SNAKE</u></b>
9 Q: How many stripes are there on the Thai Flag?  <b><u>A: FIVE</u></b>	10 Q: Which keyboard symbol is used in mathematics to denote a "factorial"?  <b><u>A: EXCLAMATION MARK</u></b>