



MK Quiz League - Winter 2016

- Quiz Questions for Monday 23rd January 2017 - Written by Ed Ficek

Team A

Team B

ROUND ONE (Team Questions)

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

Grass

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: Which football team has won the Swiss national League 27 times and the Swiss Cup 19 times? A: Grasshopper Club Zurich (accept Grasshoppers)	2 Q: The town of Grasse in France is long established with which industry? A: Perfume
3 Q: The Grass Snake has two alternative names give either? A: Water Snake or Ringed Snake	4 Q: Which city is capital city of the Austrian province of Styria? A: Graz
5 Q: GRAS is an American Food and Drug administration. What does it stand for? A: Generally Recognised as Safe	6 Q: The town of Gras is located in which one of the countries created from the old Yugoslavia? A: Bosnia & Herzegovina
7 Q: Who had a hit with the Green Green Grass of Home? A: Tom Jones	8 Q: Which English Rock band signed to Parlophone records in 1994 and produced I Should Coco (1995), the biggest selling debut album for the label since the Beatles' Please Please Me? A: Supergrass

ROUND TWO (Team Questions)

PICK A SUBJECT. The subjects are:-

1. Musicals

2. Pop Groups

3. Shakespeare

4. Tennis

5. Politicians

6. Africa

7. Sportswomen

8. Law

1 Q: Which 1980's musical did Tim Rice write with ABBA members Benny Andersson and Bjorn Alvaesus? A: Chess	2 Q: What was the name of the group fronted by Lionel Richie before he went solo in 1981? A: The Commodores
3 Q: Who is the daughter of Prospero in The Tempest? A: Miranda	4 Q: Which British tennis player in 2016 became the first female to reach the semi finals of a Grand Slam since Virginia Wade in 1977? A: Johanna Konta
5 Q: In June 1993, which politician cancelled an appearance on Have I Got News For You and was replaced by 'The Right Honourable Tub of Lard MP'? A: Roy Hattersley	6 Q: In terms of area, what is the fifth-largest African country? Known as 'the dead heart of Africa', it shares land borders with Niger and Cameroon. A: Chad
7 Q: Born in Manchester in 1977, which sportswoman is, with a total of 14 gold medals, Britain's most successful female Paralympian? A: Sarah Storey	8 Q: In English Common Law, what is the minimum number of people that can constitute a riot? A: Three



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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 Vitamins

3 & 4 Composers

5 & 6 Last Films

7 & 8 Rivers

1 Q: Ascorbic acid is another name for which vitamin? A: Vitamin C	2 Q: Which vitamin is also known as retinol? A: Vitamin A
3 Q: Give a year in the life of Franz Joseph Haydn. A: 1732 - 1809	4 Q: Give a year in the life of George Frederick Handel? A: 1685 - 1759
5 Q: Born in 1922 which actress's last film in 1963 was "I could go in singing" ? A: Judy Garland	6 Q: Born in 1913 which actress's last film was in 1965 "Ship of Fools" ? A: Vivien Leigh
7 Q: What is the longest river entirely in France? A: Loire	8 Q: What is the longest river entirely in Italy? A: Po

ROUND FOUR (Team Questions)

BLOCKBUSTERS ROUND: The Letters are

1. SBM 2. MATM 3. TBA 4. TMC 5. GM 6. TSSB 7. ETA 8. GG

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: Which 1986 Rob Reiner film was based on the Stephen King story "The Body" ? A: Stand By Me	2 Q: Paul Carrick and Paul Young were lead singers with which band, founded and partly named after the bass guitarist of Genesis? A: Mike And The Mechanics
3 Q: Richard Shelton is the hero of which 1888 novel by Robert Louis Stevenson? A: The Black Arrow	4 Q: In 2015 Michelle Payne became the first female to win which prestigious horse race? A: The Melbourne Cup
5 Q: Which Spanish tennis player won the women's singles title at Roland Garros in 2016? A: Garbiñe Muguruza	6 Q: Set to the tune of To Anacreon in Heaven, the 1814 Francis Scott Key poem Defence of Fort McHenry provides the lyrics to which rousing song? A: The Star-Spangled Banner
7 Q: Canadian twin sisters Tegan and Sara Quinn recorded which Oscar-nominated song which featured on the soundtrack of 2014's The Lego Movie? A: Everything Is Awesome	8 Q: Which US television series, focusing on the lives of Lorelai and Rory in Stars Hollow, was revamped for a 4-part sequel by Netflix and released in November 2016? A: Gilmore Girls



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ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)

PICTURE PUZZLE - FULL NAME UNLESS STATED

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: Who is this? A: Nicole Kidman	2 Q: Which snooker player? A: Stuart Bingham
3 Q: Which seafarer? A: Captain James Cook	4 Q: Who is this? A: Lord Snowdon
5 Q: Which Formula One driver? A: Valtteri Bottas	6 Q: Which Actor? A: Jason Statham
7 Q: Which singer? A: Ellie Goulding	8 Q: Which country is this? A: Argentina

HALF TIME!

ROUND SIX (TEAM QUESTIONS)

PICTURE ROUND REVISITED

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: Which current film is Nicole Kidman starring in, which is based on a true story? A: Lion	2 Q: In which year did Stuart Bingham win the World Championship? A: 2015
3 Q: On which island is Captain James Cook buried? A: Hawaii	4 Q: To which member of the royal family was Lord Snowdon married? A: Princess Margaret
5 Q: Who will be Valtteri Bottas' team mate next season? A: Lewis Hamilton	6 Q: At which sport did Jason Statham represent England at the 1990 Commonwealth Games? A: Diving
7 Q: Which Ellie Goulding song is featured in the latest Bridget Jones film, Bridget Jones Baby? A: Still Falling for You	8 Q: What is the nickname of the Argentinian Rugby Union team? A: The Pumas



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ROUND SEVEN (Team Questions)

Current Affairs

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: After more than 2,000 years of state control, in 2017 China allowed commercial distribution of what? A: Salt	2 Q: The new £1 coin will be issued from the 28th March 2017, how many sides will it have? A: 12
3 Q: Which city has become the City of Culture for 2017? A: Hull	4 Q: A review into tidal lagoon energy is to be published in early 2017, which bay is being put forward as the first for this? A: Swansea Bay
5 Q: Which comedy/musical film broke the 'Golden Globe' records in January 2017, by winning 7 awards? A: La La Land	6 Q: Which football team nicknamed The Imps knocked Ipswich Town out of this years FA Cup competition? A: Lincoln City
7 Q: Arnold Schwarzenegger created a new catch phrase in his appearance in Celebrity Apprentice in Jan 2017, what was it? A: "You're Terminated"	8 Q: Who did Donald Trump describe as one of the most over-rated actresses in Hollywood in January 2017? A: Meryl Streep

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

Team A to Answer First

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 Songs, Opening Lines

3 & 4 Greek Mythology

5 & 6 European Football

7 & 8 TV Sitcoms

1 Q: "Well it's one for the money, two for the show, three to get ready, now go cat go", is the opening line of which Elvis Presley hit? A: Blue Suede Shoes	2 Q: " Wop bop a loo bop a lop bam boom!", is the opening line of which Little Richard hit? A: Tutti Frutti
3 Q: Who was the Greek equivalent of the Roman Goddess of the Moon, Luna? A: Selene	4 Q: Who was the Greek equivalent of the Roman God of the Sun, Sol? A: Helios
5 Q: Which northern English football club were runners-up in the 2006 UEFA Cup? A: Middlesbrough	6 Q: Which southern English football club were runners-up in the Europa Cup in 2010? A: Fulham
7 Q: The TV sitcom "Blackadder II" was set in the reign of which monarch? A: Elizabeth the First	8 Q: The TV sitcom "Blackadder III" was set in the reign of which monarch? A: George III



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ROUND NINE (Team Questions)

TRIVIA TRAIL. The Last letter of the previous answer is the First letter of the next answer.

The questions must be progressed only from 1 - 8.

1 Q: Which "G" was a 18th/19th century artist which produced the works known as The Naked Maja and The Clothed Maya? A: Goya	2 Q: Goat Fell, at 2860ft, is the highest point on which Scottish island? A: Arran
3 Q: What newspaper was Piers Morgan the editor of? A: News of the World	4 Q: Which breed of chicken is named after a Surrey market town? A: Dorking
5 Q: From what are millefiore objects made? A: Glass	6 Q: Which artist sang the soundtrack to the Bond film "Spectre"? A: Sam Smith
7 Q: What is the capital of the German state of Lower Saxony? A: Hannover	8 Q: Two Anglican cathedrals are located in Kent, one is in Canterbury. Where is the other? A: Rochester

ROUND TEN (Team Questions)

PICK A SUBJECT. The subjects are:-

1. Insects

2. Ships

3. Kings

4. Food

5. Bands

6. Rugby World Cup

7. Trees

8. Artists

1 Q: What part of an insect's body joins its head to its body? A: Thorax	2 Q: The three largest cruise ships in the world are own by which cruise line? A: Royal Caribbean (International)
3 Q: Who was the only English monarch to be crowned King of France as well? A: Henry VI	4 Q: Which cereal company produces Alpen muesli? A: Weetabix (Food Company)
5 Q: Which band hold the record for Grammy wins by a rock act, with 22? A: U2	6 Q: Which country will host the Rugby World Cup in 2019? A: Japan
7 Q: With berries and flowers that are useful to the winemaker, which British tree has the botanical name sorbus nigra? A: Elder	8 Q: "Lady with an Ermine" and the two versions of "Virgin on the Rocks" are paintings by which artist? A: Leonardo da Vinci



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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: Which medical process derives its name from the French word for 'to separate or to sort'?	2 Q: Shirley Temple served as US Ambassador to which African country from 1974 – 1976?
A: Triage	A: Ghana
3 Q: Which car company produces a convertible model called the Eos?	4 Q: Which everyday word is derived from the practice of paying Roman soldiers in salt?
A: Volkswagen	A: Salary
5 Q: Which motorway links Coventry to Leicester?	6 Q: Which organisation has its headquarters at One Brewer's Green, London?
A: M69	A: The Labour Party
7 Q: What is the maximum number of horses allowed to race in the Grand National?	8 Q: The BBC documentary "Out Of Their League" details 5 former Manchester United players first seasons as owners of which non-league club?
A: Forty	A: Salford City Fc
9 Q: Originally commissioned by IBM in 1955, which typeface quickly became a standard throughout the typewriter industry?	10 Q: In which country did the 'Orange' Revolution take place between 2004 and 2005?
A: Courier	A: Ukraine