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Team A

Team B

ROUND ONE (Team Questions)

PICTURE PUZZLE - FULL NAME UNLESS STATED

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: What does this logo represent? A: Bitcoin	2 Q: Who is this quarterback? A: Tom Brady
3 Q: Who is this political activist? A: Emmeline Pankhurst	4 Q: Who is this actor? A: Hugh Jackman
5 Q: Who is this politician? A: Jacob Rees-Mogg	6 Q: The flag of which country? A: Lithuania
7 Q: Who is this entrepreneur? A: Elon Musk	8 Q: Which kind of bird? A: (European) Goldfinch (Carduelis carduelis)

ROUND TWO (Team Questions)

PICK A SUBJECT. The subjects are:-

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| 1. Silent Movies | 2. Which Decade? | 3. Popes | 4. Comics |
| 5. US States | 6. Banking | 7. Sailing | 8. Chess |

1 Q: Which actress starred in the 1929 silent feature films Pandora's Box, and Diary Of A Lost Girl? She later inspired the 1991 top ten single by OMD, also entitled Pandora's Box. A: (Louise) Brooks	2 Q: In which decade did the following take place: New Zealand became the first country to grant women the vote; the Lumiere Brothers held their first public screening of a motion picture; and Bram Stoker's "Dracula" was first published? A: The 1890s
3 Q: Which papal name has been adopted by more Popes than any other, the most recent Pope to use this name ruling from 1958 to 1963? A: John	4 Q: In which Scottish city, home to the company DC Thomson who published The Dandy and The Beano, can statues of Desperate Dan and Minnie The Minx be found? A: Dundee
5 Q: The city of Roswell, famous for a 1947 military balloon crash which was reputed to be a cover story for an alien spacecraft crash-landing, is located in which US state? A: New Mexico	6 Q: Between August 2016 and November 2017, the official bank rate, also known as the Bank of England Base Rate, stood at its lowest ever value. What percentage was this record low interest rate? A: 0.25% (Or One Quarter Of A Per Cent)
7 Q: Name either of the classes of sailing dinghy in which Ben Ainslie won an Olympic gold medal. A: Laser (2000) Or Finn (2004, 2008, 2012)	8 Q: In a standard game of chess, how many different first moves are possible? A: Twenty



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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 Authors

3 & 4 Dogs

5 & 6 Toys

7 & 8 Non-League Football Grounds

<p>1 Q: Which author's works include the three novels Filth, Glue, and Porno, all containing graphic descriptions of drug use?</p> <p>A: (Irvine) Welsh</p>	<p>2 Q: Which author's works include the The No. 1 Ladies' Detective Agency series, as well as a number of academic texts on law?</p> <p>A: (Alexander) McCall-Smith.</p>
<p>3 Q: What is the Kennel Club's name for the breed Group of dogs, including the English Cocker Spaniel, Weimaraner, and other dogs used for hunting?</p> <p>A: Gundog</p>	<p>4 Q: What is the Kennel Club's name for the breed Group of dogs, including the Border Collie, German Shepherd, and other dogs bred to work livestock?</p> <p>A: Pastoral</p>
<p>5 Q: TV show Blue Peter famously showed how to build a home-made version of the Toy of the Year 1993, a model of a tv and film location. What was it?</p> <p>A: Tracy Island (from Thunderbirds)</p>	<p>6 Q: Variants of this toy were voted Toy Of The Year 1974, 1975, 1979, and 2001. This toy has also spawned movies, and a popular UK theme park. What is it?</p> <p>A: Lego</p>
<p>7 Q: After York City's relegation from the Football League in 2005, their home stadium was re-named after which two- or four-fingered wafer bar, as part of a sponsorship deal with Nestlé?</p> <p>A: Kit Kat (Kitkat Crescent)</p>	<p>8 Q: From 1988 until the winding up of the club in 2007, Scarborough F.C.'s home stadium was sponsored by which frozen food company, earning it the nickname The Theatre Of Chips?</p> <p>A: McCain Foods Limited (The McCain Stadium)</p>

ROUND FOUR (Team Questions)

POT LUCK

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

<p>1 Q: Which fruit is the principal ingredient of the Indian spice amchoor?</p> <p>A: Mango (Dried Unripe Green Mangoes)</p>	<p>2 Q: In 2014 he became the youngest reigning monarch in Europe. Who is the current King of Spain? He is the sixth Spanish king of this name.</p> <p>A: Felipe (Vi) Also accept Philip</p>
<p>3 Q: At the 2017 General Election, of the ten constituencies with the largest electorates, two were located in the same English town. Known for its rapid growth, which is this town?</p> <p>A: Milton Keynes (Mk South & Mk North)</p>	<p>4 Q: Which is the only country to have hosted the Winter Olympic Games on four separate occasions?</p> <p>A: USA (1932, 1960, 1980, 2002)</p>
<p>5 Q: Cameraman John Turnbull, hotel manager Marcus Kempen, reality tv star Lance Gerrard-Wright, and businessman Brian Monet, are the fathers of the four children of which tv personality?</p> <p>A: (Ulrika) Jonsson</p>	<p>6 Q: Drawing its water from the Breckland aquifer, in which English county is St George's Distillery, home to the English Whisky Company?</p> <p>A: Norfolk (Breckland Lies Mostly In Norfolk)</p>
<p>7 Q: Named after the region in Sweden where IKEA originated, what kind of facility inside an IKEA store is named Småland? (Pronounced: "smore - land")</p> <p>A: Creche / children's play area</p>	<p>8 Q: Which pop song has been a number 4 hit on the UK singles chart for three different acts: Dusty Springfield, the Bay City Rollers, and the Tourists?</p> <p>A: I Only Want To Be With You</p>



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ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is MK

All the answers in this round are two words which start with the initials M and K, e.g. Milton Keynes.
For people, full name (first name plus surname) required. PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: Which American brand, perhaps best known for handbags, watches, and other accessories, is represented by a logo comprising adjoining letters M and K, usually inside a circle? A: Michael Kors	2 Q: Sharing his name with both a professional darts player, and a professional bowls player, which economist served as Governor of the Bank of England from 2003 to 2013? A: Mervyn King
3 Q: Representing East Germany in 1985, which athlete set the women's world record for the 400 metres, a record which still stands despite suspicions of doping? A: Marita Koch	4 Q: According to an advertising slogan, which brand makes "exceedingly good cakes"? A: Mr Kipling
5 Q: Which American tennis player played in her first Grand Slam singles final when she lost to Sloane Stephens at the 2017 US Open? A: Madison Keys	6 Q: Which film critic, who has worked for BBC Radio since 1993, has also been the chief film critic for The Observer since 2013? A: Mark Kermode
7 Q: Which series of fighting games, subject to bans in several countries for its graphic depiction of bloody violence, first appeared in arcades in 1992? A: Mortal Kombat	8 Q: Located roughly 150 kilometres (90 miles) from Nairobi, what is the second highest mountain in Africa, after Kilimanjaro? A: Mount Kenya

HALF TIME!

ROUND SIX (TEAM QUESTIONS)

BLOCKBUSTERS ROUND: The Letters are

Q1. M.M. Q2. S.L. Q3. W.C.O.M. Q4. A.G.A. Q5. J.T. Q6. P.I.B. Q7. I.B.C. Q8. B.A.S.

1 Q: Which actress starred as the paralegal Rachel Zane in American legal drama Suits, before announcing her retirement from acting in 2017? A: Meghan Markle	2 Q: Between 2002 and 2005, which make and model of car was raced around the Top Gear Test Track in the show's feature Star In A Reasonably Priced Car? A: Suzuki Liana
3 Q: Which Livery Company, formed in 1394 as a trade association for general merchants, is the premier Livery Company of the City of London? A: Worshipful Company Of Mercers	4 Q: Approximately meaning "art for art's sake", what is the Latin motto of the film studio MGM? It is written around the roaring head of a lion in MGM's motion picture logo. A: Ars Gratia Artis
5 Q: Elected in 2015, who is the current Prime Minister of Canada? A: Justin Trudeau	6 Q: Traditionally served with a roast turkey Christmas dinner, which term describes an accompaniment of small sausages wrapped in bacon? A: Pigs In Blankets
7 Q: Which online campaign, which went viral on social media during 2014, has been credited with raising over 100 million dollars for motor neurone disease charities? A: Ice Bucket Challenge	8 Q: Which government organisation, will operate the R.R.S. Sir David Attenborough, the polar research ship which the public had voted to name Boaty McBoatface? A: (The) British Antarctic Survey



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ROUND SEVEN (Team Questions)

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

Q1. C Q2. D Q3. E Q4. F Q5. G Q6. H Q7. I Q8. J.

Answers may be more than one word long.

1 Q: The song Englishman In New York was written by Sting about which Englishman, known as both a writer and an actor? A: (Quentin) Crisp (Born Denis Charles Pratt)	2 Q: Mentioned in the lyrics of Billy Joel's We Didn't Start The Fire, which Vietnamese city was the site of the 1954 battle in the First Indochina War, during which the French were comprehensively defeated? A: Dien Bien Phu (Formerly Called Thaeng)
3 Q: In the Star Wars universe, the forested moon Endor, the location of a key battle in Return Of The Jedi, is the home world to which small furry creatures? A: Ewoks	4 Q: Located in County Meath, at which racecourse is the Irish Grand National held? A: Fairyhouse
5 Q: In surfing and other board sports, which term is used to describe a stance with the left foot at the back of the board? A: Goofy (Or Goofy Foot)	6 Q: First published in 1969, which stock market index monitors the value of 50 of the largest companies of the Hong Kong stock market? A: The Hang Seng Index (Or Hsi)
7 Q: In Homer's epic poem The Odyssey, Odysseus was a legendary king of which Greek island? A: Ithaca	8 Q: Having previously trained as a gymnast and a dancer, Diane Youdale played which character on a prime time ITV entertainment show from 1992 to 1996? A: Jet (From Gladiators)

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

Team A to Answer First

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 Heraldry

5 & 6 Composers

3 & 4 Islands

7 & 8 Television Show Winners

1 Q: On a coat of arms, a single lion depicted standing erect on one or both hind legs, with forepaws raised, is described using which adjective? A: Rampant	2 Q: On a coat of arms, a single lion depicted in a walking or striding position, with the right forepaw raised but all others on the ground, is described using which adjective? A: Passant (Do Not Accept "Trippant")
3 Q: Easter Island, located in the Pacific Ocean, is a territory of which country? A: Chile	4 Q: The island territory of Christmas Island, located in the Indian Ocean, is a territory of which country? A: Australia
5 Q: Inspired by a visit to the island of Staffa, who composed the 1830 concert overture The Hebrides, sometimes also known by the title Fingal's Cave? A: (Felix) Mendelssohn	6 Q: Who composed the 1896 tone poem Also sprach Zarathustra? Its initial fanfare became well-known after use in the film 2001: A Space Odyssey. A: (Richard) Strauss (Do Not Accept Johan Strauss)
7 Q: In 2005, Tim Campbell became the first winner of which competitive BBC tv show, the most recent winners being Sarah Lynn and James White in 2017? A: The Apprentice	8 Q: In 2005, Thomasina Miers became the winner of which re-vamped competitive BBC tv show, the most recent winner being Saliha Mahmood-Ahmed in 2017? A: Masterchef (Known From 2005 To 2007 As "Masterchef Goes Large")



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ROUND NINE (Team Questions)

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

VANS AND VONS

All the answers in this round are surnames of people (or things named after people) beginning with "van" or "von", e.g. Van Halen, or Von Trapp. Only surnames are required. PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

<p>1 Q: In 1929, which American physicist invented a generator which produces high voltage direct current by accumulating electric charge on a hollow metal globe?</p> <p>A: (Robert J) Van De Graaff</p>	<p>2 Q: What was the surname of the Red Baron, the German Air Force fighter pilot who was shot down in April 1918?</p> <p>A: (Manfred Albrecht Freiherr) Von Richthofen</p>
<p>3 Q: Brothers Hubert and Jan, who created the large altarpiece in St Bavo's Cathedral in Ghent, Belgium, were members of which 15th century family of painters?</p> <p>A: Van Eyck (roughly Pronounced "Van Ike")</p>	<p>4 Q: Which burlesque dancer and model, born Heather Sweet in 1972, was briefly married to rock singer Marilyn Manson?</p> <p>A: (Dita) Von Teese</p>
<p>5 Q: Which footballer won the English Premier League Golden Boot in 2012 as an Arsenal player, and in 2013 as a Manchester Utd player?</p> <p>A: (Robin) Van Persie</p>	<p>6 Q: Named after the scientist who confirmed their existence in 1958, what name is given to the belts of energetic charged particles held in place by Earth's magnetic field?</p> <p>A: Van Allen (Radiation Belts)</p>
<p>7 Q: Which actor, known for his roles in Double Impact, Universal Soldier, and Hard Target, was nicknamed "The Muscles from Brussels"?</p> <p>A: (Jean-Claude) Van Damme (Also Accept Birth Surname Van Varenberg)</p>	<p>8 Q: Which American tattoo artist, born in 1982, rose to fame on reality tv shows Miami Ink and LA Ink, subsequently launching her own make-up line?</p> <p>A: (Kat) Von D (Also Accept Birth Name Von Drachenberg)</p>

ROUND TEN (Team Questions)

PICK A SUBJECT. The subjects are:-

1. Rollercoasters 2. Folklore
5. Brandy 6. Trees

3. Magazines 4. Brands
7. Boxing 8. Ragtime

<p>1 Q: Colossus, The Swarm, and Stealth, are rollercoasters at which British theme park?</p> <p>A: Thorpe Park</p>	<p>2 Q: The West African and Caribbean folklore character Anansi, most commonly appears in the form of which "creepy-crawly" creature?</p> <p>A: Spider</p>
<p>3 Q: Which weekly British celeb gossip magazine runs polls to find the nation's oddest celebrity crush, the EastEnders actor Jake Wood winning for each of the last four years?</p> <p>A: Heat</p>	<p>4 Q: Carabao, which this season became the sponsor of the English Football League Cup, is what kind of product?</p> <p>A: A Drink (it's an energy Drink)</p>
<p>5 Q: In the age grading system for brandy, what do the letters O and P stand for in the abbreviation V.S.O.P.? The V and S stand for "very superior".</p> <p>A: Old Pale</p>	<p>6 Q: With pendulous yellow flowers, and pods containing shiny black seeds, which poisonous, deciduous tree is sometimes called the "golden chain tree"?</p> <p>A: Laburnum</p>
<p>7 Q: Which boxer, who suffered a career-ending brain injury during a 1991 fight with Chris Eubank, finished the 2003 London Marathon by walking the course over six days?</p> <p>A: Michael Watson</p>	<p>8 Q: Black And White Rag, recorded in 1952 by pianist Winifred Atwell, was used as the theme for which long-running BBC colour tv show, first shown in 1969?</p> <p>A: Pot Black</p>



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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

<p>1 Q: At the 2002 Winter Olympics, Steven Bradbury of Australia came from behind to win gold after all four other finalists were involved in a pile-up. In which sport?</p> <p>A: Speed Skating (1000 metres Short-track)</p>	<p>2 Q: At the 2006 Winter Olympics, Tanja Frieden of Switzerland came from behind to win gold after the runaway leader fell whilst showing off to impress the crowd. In which sport?</p> <p>A: Snowboarding (Snowboard Cross)</p>
<p>3 Q: In which town in Cornwall did sculptor Barbara Hepworth live from 1949 onwards? Her home was opened as a museum after her death in 1975.</p> <p>A: St Ives</p>	<p>4 Q: Another Place by the sculptor Antony Gormley, an installation of 100 cast iron figures facing towards the sea, is located roughly 6 miles north of which northern English city?</p> <p>A: Liverpool</p>
<p>5 Q: Which American soap opera of the 1980s revolved around feuding factions of the wealthy Gioberti/Channing family in the Californian wine industry?</p> <p>A: Falcon Crest</p>	<p>6 Q: Which American soap opera of the 1980s revolved around the lives of the wealthy Capwell and Lockridge families, in the aftermath of the murder of Channing Capwell, Jr?</p> <p>A: Santa Barbara</p>
<p>7 Q: One of the five mother sauces of French cuisine, which sauce is an emulsion of egg yolk, liquid butter, water and lemon juice?</p> <p>A: Hollandaise (also accept "Dutch")</p>	<p>8 Q: One of the five mother sauces of French cuisine, which sauce, sometimes called a white sauce, is made from a roux of butter and flour, plus milk?</p> <p>A: Béchamel</p>
<p>9 Q: What name, Italian in origin, is given to a small clamp attached to the neck of a guitar to hold down the strings and raise their pitch?</p> <p>A: Capo (capodastro / capotasto)</p>	<p>10 Q: On a six-string guitar in standard tuning, the first and sixth strings are both tuned to which note, two octaves apart?</p> <p>A: E</p>