

MK Quiz League - Winter 2021

Quiz Questions for: Monday 29th November 2021 Written by Ed Ficek

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Names in Brackets are not required and if full names are required this will be stipulated in the question or round

ROUND ONE (Team Questions)

BLOCKBUSTERS ROUND: The Letters are

1. MTM 2. MAGA 3. AFV 4. SMU 5. BTBD 6. OY 7. TL 8. SARS

1 Q: In a jazz song from 1931, Cab Calloway has the audience repeating scat phrases (for example, "Hi De Hi De	2 Q: Merchandise, particularly baseball caps, bearing the initials M.A.G.A., started to appear during
Hi De Ho"), until they are too fast and complicated for the	Donald Trump's presidential campaign. What do the
audience to repeat. What is the title of this song, which was arguably the first jazz record to sell a million copies?	initials stand for?
A: Minnie the Moocher	A: Make America Great Again
3 Q: What was the sequel to the 1991 movie "The Addams	4 Q: Which 1981 Rolling Stones song was used by
Family"?	Microsoft to launch Widows 95?
A: Addams Family Values"	A: Start Me Up
5 Q: According to the lyrics of a Max Bygraves song,	6 Q: What was the name given to the operation
where did the pink toothbrush and the blue toothbrush	described by the Government as the worst–case
meet?	scenario planning should the UK end up with a
	no-deal exit from the European Union?
A: By the bathroom door	A: Operation Yellowhammer
7 Q: How does the French phrase "C'est la vie" translate in	8 Q: In medicine what do the letters SARS signify?
English?	
A: That's Life	A: Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome.
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ROUND TWO (Team Questions)

GIVE THE SUBJECT AWAY. The subjects are:-

1. Colours 2. The Bible 3. India 4. Fish

5. James Bond 6. Airports 7. Poets 8. Islands

1 Q: Chrysophobia is the abnormal fear of which colour?	2 Q: In the bible which is the only miracle to appear
	in all 4 gospels?
A: Orange	A: Feeding of the 5000
3 Q: Which Indian town, noted for tea industry is known as	4 Q: Which freshwater fish in the carp family is also
the "Queen of the Hills"?	known as the "doctor fish"?
A: Darjeeling	A: Tench
5 Q: In which James Bond film is an atomic device	6 Q: Which is the worlds busiest single runway
disarmed with 007 seconds remaining on the clock?	airport?
A: Goldfinger	A: Gatwick
7 Q: The 1845 poem "The Raven" is by which writer?	8 Q: In Sept 2021 the Cumbre Vieja Volcano erupted on which of the Canary islands?
A: Edgar Allen Poe	A: Las Palma

ROUND THREE (Individual Questions) (Jokers to be used, each team to nominate one player.) Team A to Answer First

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 The Simpsons 3 & 4 Scrabble

5 & 6 Chemistry 7 & 8 Politicians

1 Q: What is the surname of Barney, the seemingly resident	2 Q: What is the first name of hapless Springfield
boozer of Moe's Tavern in The Simpsons?	policeman Chief Wiggum in The Simpsons?
A: Gumble	A: Clancy
3 Q: In Scrabble excluding any double or triple word/letter	4 Q: In Scrabble excluding any double or triple
scores, how many points would be scored for the word	word/letter scores, how many points would be scored
"Mobile"?	for the word "Prints"?
A: 10 points (3,1,3,1,1,1)	A: 8 points (3,1,1,1,1,1)
5 Q: What has the chemical symbol "B" in the periodic	6 Q: What has the chemical symbol "P" in the periodic
table?	table?
A: Bismuth	A: Phosphorus
7 Q: Which late politician dubbed "Chat show Charlie" was	8 Q: Which politician was leader of the Liberal
leader of the Liberal Democrats from 1999 to 2006?	Democrats from 2006 to 2007? He is sometimes
	known by a first name shared with a Merciless
	character from Flash Gordon
A: (Charles) Kennedy	A: (Menzies) Campbell (accept Ming Campbell)

ROUND FOUR (Team Questions) THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

SNOW

1 Q: "Eyes Open" was a top selling 2008 album for which	2 Q: Snow Hill Station can be found in which English
Northern Irish Band?	City?
A: Snow Patrol	A: Birmingham
3 Q: The name of which US State means "Snow covered"	4 Q: Name the CIA employee who famously became a
	whistle-blower in 2013, revealing details of US/UK mass public surveillance?
A: Nevada	A: Edward Snowden
5 Q: Which actor played the character "Jon Snow" in the Game of Thrones TV Series?	6 Q: Which brand gets its name from the Latin word, meaning "Snow White" in English?
A: (Christopher Catesby) "Kit" Harington	A: Nivea
7 Q: What type of clouds produce rain or snow?	8 Q: Snow Beer is the best selling beer in the world, despite it being sold almost exclusively in which country?
A: Nimbus	A: China

ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)

POT LUCK. TEAM A to answer first.

1 Q: Which European won his first major tournament	2 Q: Which American won his first major
"The OPEN Championship" in 2018?	tournament "The US Masters" in 2018?
A: Francesco Molinari	A: Patrick Reed
3 Q: In heraldry, sable is the tincture which represents	4 Q: In heraldry, gules is the tincture which
which colour?	represents which colour?
A: Black	A: Red
5 Q: The brambling, the crossbill, the linnet, and the	6 Q: The fieldfare, the redwing, the ring ouzel, and
siskin are all types of which bird, native to Britain and	the blackbird are all types of which bird, native to
Ireland?	Britain and Ireland?
A: Finches	A: Thrushes
7 Q: The small, inner ear bone scientifically known as the	8 Q: The small, inner ear bone scientifically known
incus can go by what alternative name, the English	as the malleus can go by what alternative name,
translation of incus and the shape which the bone	the English translation of malleus and the shape
resembles?	which the bone resembles?
A: Anvil	A: Hammer

HALF TIME!

ROUND SIX (TEAM QUESTIONS) PICTURE PUZZLE - FULL NAME UNLESS STATED PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: Which snooker player is shown here?	2 Q: Which Radio DJ is shown here?
A: Shaun Murphy	A: Jordan North
3 Q: Which film director is shown here?	4 Q: Which politician is shown here?
A: Peter Jackson	A: Nicola Sturgeon
5 Q: Which small Indian state is shown here, clue	6 Q: Which European football club badge is shown
formerly a Portuguese colony?	here?
A: Goa	A: Red Star Belgrade
7 Q: This character is from which Lewis Carroll novel?	8 Q: Which person is dressed as Santa?
A: Alice in Wonderland	A: Jamie Oliver

ROUND SEVEN (Team Questions)

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

7. H 8. T 4. P 2. B 3. L 5. T 6. C

PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: The Greek hero Herakles [herra-cleez], also known to the Romans as Hercules, was famously given twelve labours to complete. For his first labour he was tasked with slaying a lion from	2 Q: What is the name of "Death's" horse in the Terry Pratchett novels?
A: Nemea or Nemean	A: Binky
3 Q: On which river does the city of Belfast stand?	4 Q: The Russo-Japanese War was formally ended by the signing of the Treaty of where in 1905?
A: Lagan	A: Portsmouth
5 Q: Often known as "The Mouseman of Kilburn", which furniture maker signed his work with a small mouse symbol?	6 Q: Who wrote the "What Katy Did" series of children's books?
A: Robert Thompson	A: Susan Coolidge
7 Q: In architecture what word beginning with letter is "H" could be used to describe "A roof supported by pillars"?	8 Q: Epaminondas was a general of which ancient Greek city state?
A: Hypostyle	A: Thebes

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

Team A to Answer First

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 Flags

3 & 4 Computer Keyboard

5 & 6 Words

7 & 8 Famous Russians

1 Q: Name two of the three colours make up those on the flag on Iran?	2 Q: Name two of the three colours make up those on the flag on Iraq?
A: Green, White and Red	A: Red White and Black
3 Q: On a Windows computer, pressing Control + X performs what function?	4 Q: On a Windows computer, pressing Control + F performs what function?
A: CUT	A: FIND
5 Q: Which word links chart, code and billiards	6 Q: Which word links cartridge, cheque and verse?
A: BAR	A: BLANK
7 Q: Josef Stalin was born in which imperial Russian colony and	8 Q: Leon Trotsky was born in which former Soviet
now is a country on the Black sea?	country in Eastern Europe, gaining independence in
	1991?
A: Georgia	A: Ukraine

Team A

ROUND NINE (Team Questions)

Brothers in Music

Team B

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

1 Q: The brothers Gary and Martin Kemp were in which	2 Q: Brothers Colin and Johnny Greenwood formed
1980s group?	which band?
A: Spandau Ballet	A: Radiohead
3 Q: Which band was formed by brothers Barry, Robin	4 Q: Vinnie Paul and "Dimebag" Darrell Abbott are
and Maurice - need we say anymore?	brothers who formed two bands, name one of them?
A: The BeeGees	A: Pantera or Damageplan
5 Q: The Finn Brothers were the driving force behind	6 Q: Angus and Malcom Young were brothers in
which successful Antipodean band?	which rock band?
A: Crowded House	A: AC/DC
7 Q: Zac, Isaac and Taylor made up the members of	8 Q: Caleb, Nathan and Jared Followill are brothers in
which group?	which band?
A: Hanson	A: Kings of Leon

ROUND TEN (Team Questions)

GIVE THE SUBJECT AWAY. The subjects are:-

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1. Motorbikes 2. Capitals	3. Words 4. Mice
5. Ships 6. Cricket	7. Food 8. Tennis
1 Q: In 2002, which Italian motorcycle manufacturer released the limited edition Monster S4 A: Ducati	2 Q: Nouakchott is the capital of which Islamic North African republic? A: Mauretania
3 Q: To an Australian, what are "Strides"? A: Trousers	4 Q: What is the name of the mouse in the 1999 film "The Green Mile"? A: Mr Jingles
5 Q: Aboard which ship did the Japanese sign the	6 Q: The oldest county cricket side won their first
surrender that ended WW2?	ever championship in 2003, which county?
A: Uss Missouri	A: Sussex
7 Q: Gado gado, Garden, Poke, Panzanella, Nicoise,	8 Q: Which woman won at least one Grand Slam
Brunswick and Chef are all examples of what?	singles title in tennis every year between 1974 and 1986?
A: Salad	A: Chris Evert (Evert-Lloyd / Lloyd)

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: San Miguel is the largest in which group of	2 Q: In which US State was "Joe Exotic" Tiger
Portuguese island group?	king zoo based?
A: Azores	A: Oklahoma
3 Q: Panama disease affects which food crop?	4 Q: which Scottish football is nicknamed the
	Hoops?
A: Bananas	A: Celtics
5 Q: Which London shop founded in 1849 had the slogan	6 Q: In the British Army how many stripes
"Everything for everyone, everywhere?	would a Sergeant have on their arm?
A: Harrods	A: 3
7 Q: The first passenger fair paying railway service was	8 Q: In May 2000 the artist formerly known as
established in which European country in 1807?	Prince called a press conference announcing he
	had changed his name to what?
A: Wales	A: Prince
9 Q: Which part of a ship used to be called "Larboard"?	10 Q: What is a Queen of Puddings topped with?
Δ· Port (Archaic term)	Δ· Meringue
A: Port (Archaic term)	A: Meringue