

# MK Quiz League - Winter 2021

# Quiz Questions for: Monday 17th January 2022 Written by Ed Ficek

Correct as at: 13th January 2022 Names in Brackets are not required and if full names are required this will be stipulated in the question or round Team A

Team B

**ROUND ONE (Team Questions)** 

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

1. B 2. R 3. C 4. G 5. C (ii) 6. D 7. G (ii) 8. T

1 Q: Beginning with the letter B, what is the system in	2 Q: who is the author of the 2021 fairy-tale The
which a record of transactions made in bitcoin or another	Christmas Pig?
cryptocurrency is maintained across several computers	
that are linked in a peer-to-peer network?	
A: BLOCKCHAIN	A: JK ROWLING
3 Q: Which English word for an old friend or a partner	4 Q: Which gothic fantasy novel series by Mervyn
comes from an Old French word meaning "one who breaks	Peake features the characters Steerpike and Titus
bread with another"?	Groan?
A: COMPANION	A: GORMENGHAST
5 Q: What Italian word is used to describe meat or fish	6 Q: Which Scottish girl singer took January February
served finely sliced and raw?	into the charts in 1980?
A: CARPACCIO	A: (BARBARA) DICKSON
7 Q: Who was the voice of Rocky in the 2000 film Chicken	8 Q: Which Kate was the first presenter of the X
Run?	Factor on Tv from 2004 to 2006?
A: (MEL) GIBSON	A: (KATE) THORNTON

## ROUND TWO (Team Questions)

GIVE THE SUBJECT AWAY. The subjects are:-

1. Words2. Cities5. Countries6. Proverbs	3. Superheros4. Chemical Elements7. Fruit8. Creatures
1 Q: How do we know the items which are called "plakkies" in South Africa, "jandals" in New Zealand, "vietnamki" in Russia and "thongs" in Australia?	2 Q: The "Innere Stadt" is the oldest district of which European capital?
A: FLIP FLOPS	A: VIENNA
3 Q: Played by Tom Hardy in the Marvel superhero films,	4 Q: Which chemical element is always present with
Eddie Brock is the human host of which alien symbiote?	carbon in cyanide compounds?
A: VENOM	A: NITROGEN
5 Q: The historical region of Courland is located in which	6 Q: According to the proverb, time and what else
now independent Eastern European country, but prior to	wait for no man?
independence in 1991 was a former part of the Soviet <u>A: LATVIA</u>	A: TIDE
7 Q: Which South Asian fruit is known for having a sweet	8 Q: Which reptile is known as 'chicken of the trees'
taste and rotten smell?	in South America?
A: DURIAN FRUIT	A: IGUANA

#### Team A

Team B

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

The Categories are:-

1 & 2 UK Music Bands	3 & 4 2021 Films
5 & 6 Flags	7 & 8 Car Manufacturer
1 Q: "Time is Running Out", "Supermassive Blackhole" and "Uprising" are all UK hits for which Devon-based rock band?	2 Q: "Club Foot", "Shoot the Runner" and "Fire" are all UK hits for which Leicester-based rock band?
_A: MUSE	A: KASABIAN
3 Q: The 1939 excavation of Sutton Hoo was depicted in a 2021 film starring Carey Mulligan, Ralph Fiennes and Lily James. What was the name of the film?	4 Q: Which 2021 film starring Will Smith details how tennis superstars Venus and Serena Williams became who they are after the coaching from their father?
_A: THE DIG	A: KING RICHARD
5 Q: What colour is the middle stripe of both the flags of Mali and Bolivia?	6 Q: What colour is the middle stripe of both the flags of Niger and Paraguay?
A: YELLOW	A: WHITE
7 Q: Which car manufacturer makes the Galaxy model?	8 Q: Which car manufacturer makes the Insignia model?
_A: FORD	A: VAUXHALL

# ROUND FOUR (Team Questions)

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is	FOOD
PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.	
1 Q: The name of which Chinese dish translates as 'bits and	2 Q: The laxative "Gregory's Powder" was made from
pieces'?	which leafy plant, whose edible stalks are good in a
A: CHOP SUEY	crumble? A: RHUBARB
3 Q: "Mattar" is the Indian term for which type of green	4 Q: What is the name of a dark red fruit produced by
coloured foodstuff?	crossing a blackberry with a raspberry?
_A: PEAS	A: TAYBERRY
5 Q: In Italian cuisine what name is given to a turnover of	6 Q: What name is given to the Japanese dish in which
pizza dough or folded Pizza, filled with vegetables meat or	fish or vegetables are deep fried in butter?
A: CALZONE	A: TEMPURA
7 Q: Nasi Goreng is an Asian fried rice dish usually served	8 Q: Cabbage, Kale & Brussel sprouts are all member
with pieces of meat and vegetable, originating in which	of which family?
country?	
A: INDONESIA	A: BRASSICA

## **ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)**

## POT LUCK. TEAM A to answer first.

1 Q: What name is given to a valve on the hull, permitting	2 Q: What name is given to the lowest
water to flow into a boat, such as for cooling an engine?	compartment on a ship where the two sides meet
	at the keel?
A: SEACOCK	A: BILGE
3 Q: What word means a deliberate exaggeration in order	4 Q: What word means the use of two terms
to stress the importance of a subject, e.g. "these books	together that normally contradict each other, e.g.
weigh a ton"?	"deafening silence" or "organised chaos"?
	5 5
A: HYPERBOLE	A: OXYMORON
5 Q: What comes between 'Measure for Measure' and	6 Q: What comes between 'Antony and Cleopatra'
'Othello' in an alphabetical list of Shakespeare plays?	and 'Coriolanus' in an alphabetical list of
,	Shakespeare plays?
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A: 'MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING'	A: 'AS YOU LIKE IT'
7 Q: Novi Sad is the second largest city in which one of	8 Q: Banja Luca is the second largest city in which
the countries that used to make of the former	one of the countries that used to make of the
Yugoslavia?	former Yugoslavia?
A: SERBIA	A: BOSNIA (ACCEPT BOSNIA & HERZEGOVINA)

HALF TIME!

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

1 Q: Which gymnast?	2 Q: What is the name of the depicted new German Chancellor?
A: SIMONE BILES	A: OLAF SCHOLZ
3 Q: Which British comedian and television presenter?	4 Q: Which former leader of Zambia who served as the first president of Zambia from 1964 to 1991 (Died 2021)?
A: JOE LYCETT	A: KENNETH KAUNDA
5 Q: Which English musician, journalist, radio presenter	6 Q: Which Algerian and Manchester City
and Church of England parish priest is shown here?	footballer?
A: RICHARD COLES	A: RIYAD MAHREZ
7 Q: Which Darts player?	8 Q: Regularly seen on TV in 2021 who is this -
	Surname sufficient?
A: GARY ANDERSON	A: (JONATHAN) VAN TAM

### ROUND SEVEN (Team Questions) Half and Half Round: Q1 - Q4 - Languages PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.

### Q5 - Q8 - Track & Field (Athletics)

1 Q: What is the official language of Moldova?	2 Q: What is the official language of Mauritius?
A: ROMANIAN	A: ENGLISH
3 Q: What is the official language of Qatar?	4 Q: What language did the ancient Britons speak?
A: ARABIC	A: CELTIC
5 Q: In February 2020, Swede, Armand Duplantis set the World	6 Q: At the London 2012 Olympic Games, David Rudisha
Record in which Mens Field event?	set the World record for which track event?
A: POLE VAULT	A: 800 METRES
7 Q: Which woman currently holds both the Womens 100m and	8 Q: Which Ethiopian born Dutch woman won two gold
200m World records?	medals at the 2019 World Championships, in the 1500
	metres and 10,000 metres events, becoming the only
	athlete (male or female) in history to win both events at
	a single World Championships or Olympic Games?
A: (FLORENCE) GRIFFITHS JOYNER (ACCEPT FLO JO)	A: (SIFAN) HASSAN

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

Team A to Answer First	
The Categories are:-	
1 & 2 Ski Resorts	3 & 4 Estuaries
5 & 6 Greek Alphabet	7 & 8 Radio
1 Q: In which European country is the ski resort of "Cloisters"?	2 Q: In which European country is the ski resort of "St Anton"?
A: SWITZERLAND	A: AUSTRIA
3 Q: Which large estuary which sits between Norfolk and Lincolnshire is formed by the rivers Witham, Welland, Nene, and	4 Q: Which large estuary on the East Coast of England is formed by the rivers Ouse and Trent?
A: THE WASH	A: HUMBER
5 Q: Which letter of the Greek alphabet, when written as a capital, looks like a triangle?	6 Q: Which Greek capital letter looks like a letter X?
A: DELTA	<u>A: CHI</u>
7 Q: Name one of the two presenters of Heart Radio's Breakfast show?	8 Q: Name one of the two presenters of Heart Radio's "Get Home slot" between 4pm- 7pm?
A: JAMIE THEAKSTON AND AMANDA HOLDEN	A: JK (JUSTIN KING) AND KELLY BROOK

Team A	Team B
ROUND NINE (Team Questions)	
PICK A LETTER. Surnames only for individuals : The lett	ersare
-	5. R 7. J 8. S
1 Q: The second largest brewer in the UK under family	2 Q: What is the name of the small market town in
ownership,Theakston's is brewed in which North	the Scottish Borders region where the rivers Tweed
Yorkshire market town?	and Teviot meet?
A: MASHAM	A: KELSO
3 Q: Which 1904 novel by Joseph Conrad is set in the	4 Q: Which English poet (1552-1599) is best known
fictional South American republic of Costaguana?	for his epic poem The Faerie Queene celebrating the
	Tudor dynasty and Elizabeth I?
A: NOSTROMO	A: (EDMUND) SPENSER
5 Q: Who wrote "Things Fall Apart", one of the most	6 Q: What name is given to a puzzle device that
widely translated African novels?	combines the use of pictures with letters to depict
	words or phrases?
A: (CHINUA) ACHEBE	A: REBUS
7 Q: Who is the only Scottish international footballer to	8 Q: Which TV program starring David Tennant and
score in three World Cup Final tournaments? His goals	Michael Sheen used the medium of Zoom to produce
were scored at the West Germany (1974), Argentina	a comedy examining the anxieties, frustrations and
(1978) and Spain (1982) finals.	opportunities for one-upmanship presented by
	Zoom?
A: JOE JORDAN	A: STAGED

## **ROUND TEN (Team Questions)**

GIVE THE SUBJECT AWAY. The subjects are:-	
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5. TV 6. Airports	7. Countries 8. Alcohol
1 Q: "The Bund" or "Waitan" is a historical waterfront area of which Asian city? <u>A: SHANGHAI</u>	2 Q: What was the name of the glove puppet used by Shari Lewis in her ventriloquist act? <u>A: LAMBCHOP</u>
3 Q: "On a Night Like this" and "In your Eyes" were hits for which singer in the 2000s?	4 Q: Which legendary character was the subject of Rossini's final opera in 1829?
A: KYLIE MINOGUE (FULL NAME REQUIRED)	A: WILLIAM TELL
5 Q: Which 2019 TV comedy is set in a crumbling spooky country property called "Button House"?	6 Q: The £26 million Brinks Mat heist of 1983 occurred in a warehouse at which airport?
A: GHOSTS	A: HEATHROW
7 Q: Which country is divided into 47 prefectures?	8 Q: "Don Julio" is a leading brand of which spirit?
A: JAPAN	A: TEQUILA

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: Hollie Bradshaw won Team GB's only field event	2 Q: Which famous race begins with the
medal at Tokyo 2020 Olympics, a bronze, at which	command "Gentlemen start your engines"?
event?	
A: POLE VAULT	A: THE INDY 500
3 Q: Based more on skill than blood lust, a form of	4 Q: Americans call it saran wrap – what do we
Japanese martial art that uses bamboo swords and lots	call it?
of protective armour.	
A: KENDO	A: CLING FILM
5 Q: Mayonnaise is allegedly named after Port Mahon	6 Q: Grey Goose vodka is distilled in which
on which Spanish holiday island?	country?
A: MINORCA	A: FRANCE
7 Q: In 2013, Margaret Thatcher died in which London	8 Q: What is the name of the substance that
building?	gives skin and hair its pigment?
A: RITZ HOTEL	A: MELANIN
9 Q: Which rock band, fronted by singer Ray Dorset, had	10 Q: In Spain how many grapes must you eat
a UK hit single in 1971 with Baby Jump?	on New Year's Eve for good luck?
A: (MUNGO) JERRY	A: 12