



## **MK Quiz League - Winter 2022**

**Quiz Questions for:**  
**Monday 17th October 2022**  
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**Correct as at: 10th October 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)****BLOCKBUSTERS ROUND: The Letters are**

1. EGOAT      2. ER      3. WAI      4. CN      5. RUC      6. AE      7. TTOE      8. ADS

**PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.**

<b>1 Q: An EGOT winner has what?</b>  <b>A: EMMY, GRAMMY, OSCAR AND TONY</b>	<b>2 Q: Which climate change activist group staged a fortnight long demonstration in London in April 2019?</b>  <b>A: EXTINCTION REBELLION</b>
<b>3 Q: What is the 3 word title of Billy Connolly's autobiography published in October 2021?</b>  <b>A: WINDSWEPT AND INTERESTING</b>	<b>4 Q: Nicknamed 'The Rose of Raby', who was the mother of the English kings Edward IV and Richard III?</b>  <b>A: CECILY NEVILLE</b>
<b>5 Q: What was the former title of the Police Service of Northern Ireland?</b>  <b>A: ROYAL ULSTER CONSTABULARY (RUC)</b>	<b>6 Q: Which 2013 film set in the future on a human colony called Nova Prime starred Will Smith &amp; his son Jaden?</b>  <b>A: AFTER EARTH</b>
<b>7 Q: Which 2014 film starring Eddie Redmayne was about the physicist Stephen Hawking?</b>  <b>A: THE THEORY OF EVERYTHING</b>	<b>8 Q: When Real Madrid won the 1960 European Cup final 7-3 against Eintracht Frankfurt, all of their goals were scored by two players. Ferenc Puskas scored four; who scored the other three?</b>  <b>A: ALFREDO DI STEFANO</b>

**ROUND TWO (Team Questions)****PICK A SUBJECT. The subjects are:-**

1. Madonna      2. Science      3. 2022      4. TV sitcoms  
 5. Which Year      6. Cars      7. Ballet      8. London Underground

<b>1 Q: The Madonna single "Hung Up" features a sample of which Abba song?</b>  <b>A: GIMME GIMME GIMME</b>	<b>2 Q: The atomic number of an element is derived from the number of which sub-atomic particle in the nucleus?</b>  <b>A: PROTON</b>
<b>3 Q: In June 2022 which US Pop star got married to Sam Azgari?</b>  <b>A: BRITNEY SPEARS</b>	<b>4 Q: Played by Zooey Deschanel, teacher Jess Day is the title character in which Fox TV sitcom that ran from 2011 to 2018?</b>  <b>A: NEW GIRL</b>
<b>5 Q: In which year did the soap opera Neighbours commence?</b>  <b>A: 1985</b>	<b>6 Q: Which company produces the Model X, Model S and Model 3 cars?</b>  <b>A: TESLA</b>
<b>7 Q: From the French word for 'throw', what name is given to a ballet leap in which the weight of the dancer is transferred from what foot to the other?</b>  <b>A: JETÉ</b>	<b>8 Q: Which London Underground line serves Heathrow Airport?</b>  <b>A: PICCADILLY</b>

**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 Countries****3 & 4 Oscar Winners****5 & 6 Football League****7 & 8 Proverbs****1 Q: Which country's national anthem has the title March of the Volunteers when translated into English? It was provisionally adopted in 1949 but didn't officially become the anthem until 1982.****A: CHINA****2 Q: Which country celebrates its most important public holiday, Unity Day, on October 3rd and has done so since 1990?****A: GERMANY****3 Q: Who won the 2020 Oscar for Best Actress for her role in the film 'Judy'?****A: (RENEE) ZELLWEGER****4 Q: Who won the 2020 Oscar for Best Supporting Actor for his role in the film 'Once upon a time in Hollywood'?****A: (BRAD) PITT****5 Q: Which football league Division One team plays its home games at the "New Lawn Stadium"?****A: FOREST GREEN (ROVERS)****6 Q: Which football league Division One team plays its home games at the "Wham Stadium"?****A: ACCRINGTON STANLEY****7 Q: According to the proverb, you need a long spoon to sup with whom?****A: THE DEVIL****8 Q: According to an old proverb, what was never won by a faint heart?****A: A FAIR LADY****ROUND FOUR (Team Questions)****POT LUCK. TEAM A to answer first.****1 Q: Which female artist released their debut single in 2008 "Love Story"?****A: (TAYLOR) SWIFT****2 Q: Which female artist released her debut album "Love, Angel, Music Baby" in 2004?****A: (GWEN) STEFANI****3 Q: With which team did Michael Jordan win 6 NBA basketball titles?****A: CHICAGO BULLS****4 Q: With which team did Earvin "Magic" Johnson win 5 NBA basketball titles?****A: LA LAKERS****5 Q: What does the knitting abbreviation YON stand for?****A: YARN OVER NEEDLE****6 Q: What does the knitting abbreviation WRN stand for?****A: WOOL ROUND NEEDLE****7 Q: In which Canadian province is the city of Calgary?****A: ALBERTA****8 Q: In which Canadian province is the city of Hamilton?****A: ONTARIO**

**Team A****Team B****ROUND FIVE (Team Questions)**

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

**1. S      2. W      3. D      4. A      5. C      6. A(II)      7. C(II)      8. K**

1 Q: The musical work The Bartered Bride was composed by whom?  <u>A: (BEDRICH) SMETANA</u>	2 Q: During the 2020 coronavirus TV briefings who, as Chief Medical Officer, often appeared to give specialist comment?  <u>A: (CHRIS) WHITTY</u>
3 Q: who is the Leader of the Liberal Democrats in the UK?  <u>A: (ED) DAVEY</u>	4 Q: Who was the first chancellor of post-war Germany?  <u>A: (KONRAD) ADENAUER</u>
5 Q: Which Australian comic won the top prize for his show at the Edinburgh Festival Fringe earlier this year?  <u>A: (SAM) CAMPBELL</u>	6 Q: Who am I? I was born in Lyme Regis in 1799. I was an English fossil collector, dealer, and palaeontologist. My discoveries included the first correctly identified ichthyosaur skeleton when I was twelve years old  <u>A: (MARY) ANNING</u>
7 Q: Born with the first names Destiny Hope, which US singer-songwriter rose to fame playing the title role in the Disney Channel series 'Hannah Montana'?  <u>A: (MILEY) CYRUS</u>	8 Q: Which Persian poet, astronomer, mathematician, and philosopher lived between 1048 and 1131?  <u>A: (OMAR) KHAYYAM</u>

**HALF TIME!**

**ROUND SIX ( TEAM QUESTIONS )**

**PICTURE PUZZLE - FULL NAME UNLESS STATED - THE LIST ROUND (4 minutes reading time Only)**

**PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.**

1 Q: Which European politician - Surname is acceptable?  <u>A: (GIORGIA) MELONI</u>	2 Q: Which actor?  <u>A: RUSSELL CROWE</u>
3 Q: Which footballer?  <u>A: BUKAYO SAKA</u>	4 Q: Which Dingbat is shown here?  <u>A: SEXY UNDERWEAR</u>
5 Q: Which American actor is shown here?  <u>A: MICKEY ROONEY</u>	6 Q: Which British Gymnast  <u>A: MAX WHITLOCK</u>
7 Q: The leaf of which tree is shown here?  <u>A: OAK</u>	8 Q: Who is this?  <u>A: JOHN CLEESE</u>

**Team A****Team B****ROUND SEVEN (Team Questions)**

**PICK A LETTER. Surnames only for individuals : The letters are ALL "Z"**

**PICK A NUMBER 1 to 8.**

1 Q: Which Mexican revolutionary gave his name to a type of moustache after a 50s film about him with Marlon Brando?  <u>A: (EMILIANO) ZAPATA</u>	2 Q: What is the highest mountain in Germany?  <u>A: ZUGSPITZE</u>
3 Q: Meaning 'small gourd' in its native language, what name is given to the skull cap worn by Roman Catholic clergymen?  <u>A: ZUCHETTO</u>	4 Q: During the 2020 coronavirus TV briefings who was appointed UK Vaccines Minister?  <u>A: (NADHIM) ZAHAWI</u>
5 Q: Which African Island, famous for its crops of Nutmeg and Cloves, is known as the Spice Island?  <u>A: ZANZIBAR</u>	6 Q: In Greek mythology who specifically was the God of the West wind?  <u>A: ZEPHYRUS</u>
7 Q: Lake Kariba an artificial lake was formed by the damming of which river?  <u>A: ZAMBEZI</u>	7 Q: Which company used the advertising slogan "The Appliance of Science"?  <u>A: ZANUSSI</u>

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

**Team A to Answer First**

**The Categories are:-**

**1 & 2 Musicals**

**5 & 6 Cars**

**3 & 4 Birthstones**

**7 & 8 French Wine Regions**

1 Q: Which musical includes the songs 'Mr. Cellophane' and 'All that Jazz'?  <u>A: CHICAGO</u>	2 Q: Which musical includes the songs 'The American Dream' and 'The Last Night of the World'?  <u>A: MISS SAIGON</u>
3 Q: Which is the traditional birthstone for the month of February?  <u>A: AMERTHYST</u>	4 Q: Which is the traditional birthstone for the month of November?  <u>A: TOPAZ</u>
5 Q: Which car manufacturer makes the Amarok and Arteon models?  <u>A: VOLKSWAGEN</u>	6 Q: Which car manufacturer makes the Juke and Navara models?  <u>A: NISSAN</u>
7 Q: The wines Chablis and Beaune are from which French wine region?  <u>A: BURGUNDY</u>	8 Q: The wines Muscadet and Sancerre are from which French wine region?  <u>A: LOIRE</u>

**Team A****Team B****ROUND NINE (Team Questions)**

THEME ROUND. This weeks theme is

**Animals****TEAM A to answer first. PROGRESS IN ORDER**

1 Q: Black, Arctic and Caspian are types of which Sea bird?  <u>A: TERN</u>	2 Q: Spix's, red and green, and hyacinth are types of parrot very colourful and long tailed?  <u>A: MACAW</u>
3 Q: Which amphibians belong to the order Anura?  <u>A: FROGS</u>	4 Q: Which sea animals belong to the order Pinnipedia?  <u>A: SEALS/ WALRUSES</u>
5 Q: Which African mammal have species such as Nubian, Angolan and Masai?  <u>A: GIRAFFE</u>	6 Q: Which African mammal has species such as Mountain, Dorcas and Speke's?  <u>A: GAZELLE</u>
7 Q: Which mammal, native to the Americas, has species including Screaming Hairy, Northern naked-tailed and Southern three-banded?  <u>A: ARMADILLO</u>	8 Q: Leisler's, Brandt's and Alcatraz are UK species of which mammal?  <u>A: BAT</u>

**ROUND TEN (Team Questions)****PICK A SUBJECT. The subjects are:-**

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|------------|-----------|----------------|------------------|
| 1. Authors | 2. Actors | 3. Mountains   | 4. English Towns |
| 5. Geology | 6. Gases  | 7. Formula One | 8. Vegetables    |

1 Q: What British author has penned 26 Jack Reacher novels?  <u>A: (LEE) CHILD</u>	2 Q: Which actor who passed away in July 2022, played Sunny Corelone in the film The Godfather?  <u>A: (JAMES) KANAN</u>
3 Q: The three peaks of Mount Triglav, the highest point in the former Yugoslavia, appear on the flag of which country?  <u>A: SLOVENIA</u>	4 Q: Located at the eastern end of the Mendip Hills which Somerset town with letter "F" is approximately 13 miles south of Bath, 43 miles east of Taunton and 107 miles west of London?  <u>A: FROME</u>
5 Q: Which geological period occurred between Triassic and Cretaceous?  <u>A: JURASSIC</u>	6 Q: Ammonia is a gas composed of hydrogen and which other element?  <u>A: NITROGEN</u>
7 Q: What is the maximum length of time of any Formula One motor race?  <u>A: TWO HOURS</u>	8 Q: Which vegetable accompanies potatoes in a Welsh Cawl Cenin soup?  <u>A: LEEK</u>

**Team A****Team B**

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: 1a What is the nickname of the English Gallagher Premiership Rugby Union club, Worcester?  <u>A: WARRIORS</u>	2 Q: Which navigator and privateer of the Elizabethan era was known to the Spanish as "the Dragon"?  <u>A: FRANCIS DRAKE</u>
3 Q: Which letter Z is a word given to a position in chess where any move a player makes would significantly worsen their position?  <u>A: ZUGZWANG</u>	4 Q: What is the scientific name for the voicebox?  <u>A: LARYNX</u>
5 Q: Which Mediterranean island is home to a sea cave known as The 'Blue Grotto'?  <u>A: CAPRI</u>	6 Q: Which US actress and presenter founded media company Harpo Productions?  <u>A: OPRAH (WINFREY)</u>
7 Q: In what sport are 'boarding' and 'butt-ending' both fouls?  <u>A: ICE HOCKEY</u>	8 Q: The ASCL, NASUWT and NEU are all UK unions related to which profession?  <u>A: TEACHING</u>
9 Q: Nena's '99 Red Balloons' is an English-language version of a song originally recorded in what language?  <u>A: GERMAN</u>	10 Q: What is the only Australian state capital that is not named after a person?  <u>A: PERTH</u>
11 Q: Which flower did Apollo cause to spring from the blood of a beautiful youth he accidentally killed with a discus?  <u>A: HYACINTH</u>	12 Q: Which Irish writer and poet published 'Dubliners', a collection of short stories, in 1914?  <u>A: JAMES JOYCE</u>
13 Q: In 2020 Antwerp was the second busiest container port in Europe behind Rotterdam. Which city was third in the list?  <u>A: HAMBURG</u>	14 Q: Persil' is the French word for which herb?  <u>A: PARSLEY</u>
15 Q: Name the sport from the teams: In what sport do Swindon Robins and Peterborough Panthers compete?  <u>A: SPEEDWAY</u>	16 Q: In the Thomas Hardy novel, what was the name of the Mayor of Casterbridge?  <u>A: (MICHAEL) HENCHARD</u>