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## **Online Quiz League**

Questions set by: OQL Committee For use in: Week 8 matches played 28/06/2023 Correct as of: 28/06/2023

Note to QMs (please read aloud to teams): Players are politely reminded to have their hands in view at all times

1a	What style of portrait, typically consisting of a solid black shape with the outline matching that of the subject, is named after an 18th-century French finance minister noted for his austere policies?	<u>SILHOUETTE</u> (accept Étienne de <u>SILHOUETTE</u> )
1b	<b>Which comedian and actor</b> played the role of Will McKenzie in the Channel 4 sitcom <i>The Inbetweeners</i> ? He later played Adam Goodman in <i>Friday Night Dinner</i> .	Simon <u>BIRD</u>
2a	Which hydrocarbon, with the chemical formula CH <sub>4</sub> [C-H-four], is the main constituent of natural gas?	<u>METHANE</u>
2b	The Serpentine recreational lake and Speaker's Corner can be found in which of London's parks?	<u>HYDE</u> Park
3a	Issued by what was then British Guiana in 1856, <b>what</b> is regarded among philatelists as one of the most famous rare stamps? In June 2021, the only known surviving copy of this stamp sold at auction for more than \$8 million.	British Guiana <u>ONE CENT</u> <u>MAGENTA</u>
3b	Which parlour game involves a group guessing a title, word or phrase from a person acting out its words or syllables?	<u>CHARADE</u> s
<b>4</b> a	<b>Who</b> has served as the leader of the Democratic Unionist Party since 2021, following the extremely brief incumbency of Edwin Poots? MP for Lagan Valley since 1997, he is also the Leader of the DUP in the House of Commons.	Jeffrey <u>DONALDSON</u>
4b	<b>Which musician</b> , who is known for the prominence of harp in her compositions, released the critically acclaimed indie folk album <i>The Milk-Eyed Mender</i> in 2004?	Joanna <u>NEWSOM</u>

1a	Winning the 1998 Ivor Novello award for Songwriter of the Year, Richard Ashcroft was the lead singer of <b>which rock band</b> who released 'Bittersweet Symphony' in 1997?	The <u>VERVE</u>
1b	Thomas Cranmer, Reginald Pole and William Laud are among the historical holders of <b>which religious office</b> , established in 597 CE?	ARCHBISHOP of CANTERBURY (prompt on partial answer; accept PRIMATE OF ALL ENGLAND; do not accept "Primate of England")
2a	What streaming service provided by Amazon is the second most popular of such services in the UK, after Netflix? It offers such shows as <i>Carnival Row and The Marvellous Mrs Maisel</i> .	Amazon <u>PRIME</u> Video
2b	The concept of <i>élan vital</i> [eh-lan vee-tahl], a supposed force that guides the evolution and development of organisms, was introduced by <b>which French philosopher</b> in his 1907 book <i>Creative Evolution</i> ?	Henri <u>BERGSON</u>
3a	Located in the Red Sea, Tiran Island is administered by <b>which country</b> ? It was ceded to this country from Egypt in 2017.	<u>SAUDI</u> Arabia
3b	Murray Gell-Mann [ghell-man], who received the 1969 Nobel Prize in Physics, is best remembered today for coining <b>which word</b> for a type of elementary particle? George Zweig also independently developed a scheme for classifying these particles, which he called "aces".	<u>QUARK</u> s
<b>4</b> a	Which Algerian athlete won the women's 1500 [fifteen hundred] metres gold medal at the 1992 Summer Olympics in Barcelona, also becoming world champion at this distance in 1991 and 1995?	Hassiba <u>BOULMERKA</u>
4b	Particularly associated with New England, <b>what American dish</b> is a thick soup made from roux, milk and clams? A Manhattan version of this dish includes tomatoes. Its name may derive from the French word for 'cauldron'.	Clam <u>CHOWDER</u>

1a	The optical illusion of a room that, when viewed from a certain angle, appears to be a rectangular cuboid in which people seem to change size depending on where they stand, is named after <b>which American scientist</b> ?	Adelbert <u>AMES</u> Jr. (or <u>AMES</u> room)
1b	What Javanese name is given to a mudflow of volcanic material that flows quickly down the slopes of a volcano?	LAHAR
2a	Following a match-fixing scandal revealed by Valenciennes [val-ahn-syen] player Jacques Glassmann, <b>which football club</b> was relegated from the French top tier after their UEFA Champions League win against AC Milan in 1993?	Olympique de <u>MARSEILLE</u> (or <u>OM</u> )
2b	What chain of department stores is known for producing elaborate Christmas advertisements? In 2022, the ad featured a slow, acoustic cover of Blink-182's 'All The Small Things'.	<u>JOHN LEWIS</u>
3a	What word precedes 'DJ' in a song by Robbie Williams and follows 'Crocodile' in a song by Elton John?	ROCK
3b	What name is commonly given to the war fought between Athens and Sparta in the fifth century BCE?	<u>PELOPONNESIAN</u> War
4a	<b>Which comedian</b> , a host of the Radio 4 programme <i>The Now Show</i> , is the long-time double act partner of fellow comedian Hugh Dennis?	Steve <u>PUNT</u>
4b	Which American author, a graduate of Bennington College in Vermont, used a thinly-veiled fictionalised version of the college as the setting for her 1992 novel <i>The Secret History</i> , one of her three novels along with <i>The Little Friend</i> and <i>The Goldfinch</i> ?	Donna <u>TARTT</u>

la	For what do the letters 'GI' stand in the acronym GIF, relating to the image format used on the internet?	GRAPHICS INTERCHANGE (accept GRAPHIC INTERCHANGE or GRAPHICAL INTERCHANGE)
1b	<b>What name</b> is given to the often S-shaped curves or turns on a motor-racing track that force a driver to slow down? One of these was added to the high-speed Tamburello corner at Imola after the death of Ayrton Senna.	<u>CHICANE</u>
2a	<b>What name</b> is commonly given to the ultranationalist, anti-communist political ideology developed by Ahn Ho-Sang and particularly associated with South Korea's first President, Syngman Rhee?	ILMINism (accept <u>ONE-</u> <u>PEOPLE</u> Principle, <u>ONE-</u> <u>PEOPLE</u> Doctrine, or <u>UNIDEMISM</u> )
2b	What nickname was given to Julian Adderley, who played alto saxophone on the iconic Miles Davis album, <i>Kind of Blue</i> ? He had a surprise Billboard 100 hit in 1967 with his jazz pop crossover single, 'Mercy, Mercy, Mercy'.	<u>CANNONBALL</u> Adderley
3a	In Chapter 19 of the Book of Genesis, which figure is urged by angels to flee with his family from the city of Sodom?	LOT
3b	Which Billy Wilder film that starred Ray Milland as an alcoholic writer won the 1945 Academy Award for Best Picture?	The <u>LOST WEEKEND</u>
<b>4a</b>	Also known as the Indian bear, <b>which species of bear</b> from the Indian subcontinent shares its name with a very slow-moving, tree-dwelling mammal from South and Central America?	<u>SLOTH</u> bear
4b	Although Beijing is its capital, <b>which seaport</b> is the most populous city in China?	<u>SHANGHAI</u>

## HALF-TIME - PLEASE CHANGE ORDER

1a	Located in the Red Sea, the three largest islands of the Hanish archipelago form part of <b>which country</b> ? In 1995, these islands were the site of a territorial conflict between this country and Eritrea.	<u>YEMEN</u>
1b	The term 'parton', which now refers to any constituent part of a hadron – such as quarks, antiquarks, and gluons – was coined by <b>which Nobel Prize-winning American physicist</b> ? This man's namesake diagrams are used to model interactions between elementary particles.	Richard <u>FEYNMAN</u>
2a	Which Algerian athlete won the men's 1500 metres gold medal at the 1996 Summer Olympics in Atlanta and also won 3 World Championship gold medals at this distance between 1991 and 1995?	Nouredine <u>MORCELI</u>
2b	Traditionally associated with the city of Marseille, <b>what French fish stew</b> is commonly made with rascasse, sea robin and the European conger? It takes its name from the Occitan words for "boiling" and "simmering"	BOUILLABAISSE [boo-ya-BESS]
3a	Winning the 1995 Ivor Novello award for Songwriter of the Year, Tony Mortimer was a member of <b>which 90s boy band</b> and wrote their only number one single, 'Stay Another Day'?	<u>EAST 17</u>
3b	Arguably the most famous Archbishop of Canterbury was <b>which 'turbulent priest'</b> murdered in Canterbury Cathedral in 1170, possibly on the orders of Henry II [the second]?	Thomas <u>BECKET</u> (accept Thomas à <u>BECKET</u> , <u>THOMAS</u> <u>OF LONDON</u> , Saint <u>THOMAS</u> <u>OF CANTERBURY</u> )
<b>4</b> a	What streaming service provided by Disney is the third most popular of such services in the UK? It offers such shows as <i>WandaVision and The Mandalorian</i> .	Disney <u>PLUS</u>
4b	When Henri Bergson's concept of <i>élan vital</i> fell out of favour, <b>which other French philosopher</b> tried to revive and elucidate it in his 1966 book <i>Le Bergsonisme</i> ? Along with Félix Guattari, this man wrote the two-volume work <i>Capitalism and Schizophrenia</i> .	Gilles <u>DELEUZE</u>

la	Produced in 1855, <b>what Swedish stamp</b> is another example of a rare stamp with only one known extant specimen? This stamp's rarity is due to it being produced in the wrong colour for its value.	TRESKILLING YELLOW (or <u>THREE</u> SCHILLING BANCO ERROR OF COLOUR, GUL TRE SKILLING BANCO, YELLOW THREE SKILLING BANCO)
1b	What charades-inspired game, in which a team guesses a word or phrase based on a person drawing it on paper, was first created by Robert Angel with a group of his friends in 1981?	<b><u>PICTIONARY</u></b>
2a	<b>Who</b> has served as the Vice President of Sinn Féin [shin fain] since 2018? The MLA for Mid Ulster since 2007, she is the presumptive First Minister of Northern Ireland, were the power-sharing agreement to renew.	Michelle <u>O'NEILL</u> (accept Michelle <u>DORIS</u> )
2b	Which musician, who usually features his own oboe and cor Anglais playing in his songs, released the critically acclaimed concept album <i>Illinois</i> in 2005?	<b>Sufjan <u>STEVENS</u> [</b> SOOF-yahn]
3a	In the 18th century, Mary Darly published England's first book of <b>what style of humorous portrait</b> , in which the subject's physical features are typically wildly exaggerated? This kind of portrait, with a name derived from an Italian word meaning 'load' or 'exaggerate', is typically drawn for the purposes of satire or novelty souvenirs.	<u>CARICATURE</u>
3b	Which comedian and actor played the role of Simon Cooper in the Channel 4 sitcom <i>The Inbetweeners</i> ? He later played Kingsley Owen in <i>Fresh Meat</i> and co-wrote <i>Chickens</i> with Simon Bird.	Joe <u>THOMAS</u>
<b>4</b> a	Which compound, a colourless pungent gas with the chemical formula NH3 [N-H-three], is produced via the Haber Process?	<u>AMMONIA</u>
4b	The Central London Mosque and London Zoo can be found in <b>which of the city's parks</b> ?	<u>REGENT</u> 's Park

1a	In Chapter 4 of the Book of Genesis, which figure is said to "go out from the Lord's presence and live in the land of Nod"?	CAIN
1b	Which Frank Capra film, that starred Edward Arnold as a rich banker who marries a woman from an eccentric family, won the 1938 Academy Award for Best Picture?	<u>YOU CAN'T TAKE IT</u> <u>WITH YOU</u>
2a	Also known as the South American bear because it is that continent's only native bear species, <b>what more common name</b> is given to <i>Tremarctos ornatus</i> because its facial markings make it look a little like it is wearing glasses?	<u>SPECTACLED</u> Bear
2b	Although Ankara is its capital, <b>which other city</b> is the most populous in Turkey?	<u>ISTANBUL</u> (accept <u>CONSTANTINOPLE</u> )
3a	In the acronym for the Adobe file format PDF, for <b>what do the letters "PD" stand</b> ?	<u>PORTABLE</u> DOCUMENT
3b	<b>What name</b> is given to a corner in a racing track that turns about180 degrees? One of these corners named after the Loews [lows] or Fairmont Hotel in Monaco is the slowest corner in Formula One.	<u>HAIRPIN</u>
<b>4</b> a	<b>What word</b> , often translated from Swahili as "fraternity", is commonly given to the socialist political ideology promoted by and particularly associated with Tanzania's first President, Julius Nyerere?	<u>UJAMAA</u>
4b	<b>Which jazz musician</b> played tenor saxophone on <i>Kind of Blue</i> by Miles Davis? Two weeks after recording <i>Kind of Blue</i> , Jimmy Cobb and Wynton Kelly then played on this musician's album <i>Giant Steps</i> .	John <u>COLTRANE</u>

1a	What word follows 'Cry Me A' in a song by Justin Timberlake and follows 'Moon' in a song by Henry Mancini?	<u>RIVER</u>
1b	What name is commonly given to the series of wars fought between Rome and Carthage in the second and third centuries BCE?	<u>PUNIC</u> Wars
2a	Steve Punt and Hugh Dennis combined with David Baddiel and <b>which other comedian</b> to form <i>The Mary Whitehouse Experience</i> ? This comedian formed a double act with Baddiel, before Baddiel's work with Frank Skinner.	Rob <u>NEWMAN</u>
2b	Which American author, a graduate of Bennington College in Vermont, used a thinly-veiled fictionalised version of the college as the setting for his 1987 novel <i>The Rules of Attraction</i> ? The same fictionalised college is mentioned in his subsequent novel, <i>American Psycho</i> .	Bret Easton <u>ELLIS</u>
3a	The optical illusion of a two-dimensional drawing of a cube that can be interpreted to have a different orientation depending on the perception of the viewer is named after <b>which 19th-century Swiss scientist</b> ?	Louis Albert <u>NECKER</u>
3b	What name of Greek origin is given to solid material, such as ash, that is ejected into the air during a volcanic eruption?	<u>TEPHRA</u>
<b>4</b> a	The Calciopoli [cal-CHOP-oll-lee] scandal resulted in the relegation of <b>which Italian football team</b> from Serie A after being stripped of its 2004–05 league title?	<u>JUVENTUS</u> FC
4b	Beginning in 1995, <b>which drinks brand's</b> Christmas ad campaigns feature a fleet of red lorries covered in fairy lights and use the song 'Holidays Are Coming'?	COCA-COLA (or COKE)

## Spares

1	Which barrister and classics tutor said that he would rather be remembered as the winner of the first prize for swedes than as the author of <i>Lorna Doone</i> ?	R. D. <u>BLACKMORE</u> (or Richard Doddridge <u>BLACKMORE</u> )
2	Which Swiss folk hero was the subject of a play by Friedrich Schiller that was later adapted into an opera by Gioacchino Rossini?	William <u>TELL</u> (or Wilhelm <u>TELL,</u> Guillaume <u>TELL</u> )
3	Which Polish tennis player will start as the number 1 seed in the women's singles draw in the upcoming Wimbledon Championships?	<b>Iga <u>ŚWIĄTEK</u> [</b> shfyon-teck]
4	<b>What is the stage name</b> of the Filipino-born English singer with the given name Bea Kristi Laus? She appeared on Powfu's single 'Death Bed (Coffee for Your Head)' in 2020 and released the album <i>Beatopia</i> in 2022.	BEABADOOBEE