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Online Quiz League

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

## Round 1

| $\mathbf{1 a}$ | "She's got a smile that it seems to me / Reminds me of childhood memories" are the first lines of which Guns N' <br> Roses song, which in 2019 became the first song released in the 1980 s to pass one billion views on YouTube? | "SWEET CHILD O' MINE" |
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| $\mathbf{1 b}$ | A median of a triangle is a line from one vertex to the midpoint of the opposite side. What name is given to the point <br> at which the three medians of a triangle meet? | CENTROID |
| $\mathbf{2 a}$ | Born Noah Brusso but adopting a more British-sounding fighting name, which Canadian heavyweight boxer was <br> the world title holder from 1906 to 1908, until he lost his title to the first African American champion, Jack Johnson? | Tommy BURNS |
| $\mathbf{2 b}$ | What is the name of the meme which features a Shiba Inu called Kabosu surrounded by colourful messages in <br> broken English, voted Know Your Meme's meme of the 2010 ? | DOGE |
| $\mathbf{3 a}$ | An early TV role for Anthea Turner saw her serve as one of the presenters on which very long-running children's <br> TV show between 1992 and $1994 ? ~ F e l l o w ~ p r e s e n t e r s ~ a t ~ t h a t ~ t i m e ~ i n c l u d e d ~ J o h n ~ L e s l i e ~ a n d ~ T i m ~ V i n c e n t . ~$ | BLUE PETER |
| $\mathbf{3 b}$ | Jane Eyre was the first novel by which of the Bronte sisters? You need the forename, obviously. |  |

## Round 2

| $\mathbf{1 a}$ | Which ruined Cistercian abbey lies in a wooded dale beside the River Rye in the North York Moors National Park? <br> Harold Wilson adopted its name as his noble title in 1983. | $\underline{\text { RIEVAULX Abbey }}$ |
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| $\mathbf{1 b}$ | Sometimes compared to the French Fauvists, Emil Nolde and Max Pechstein were associated with which German <br> expressionist art movement, the name of which was intended to suggest the link they would form with the art of <br> the future? | Die BRÜCKE / The <br> BRIDGE |
| $\mathbf{2 a}$ | Which actor, who has appeared in Cloud Atlas, Mary Poppins Returns, and plays a recurring character in the James <br> Bond films, voices the title character in Paddington and Paddington 2? | Ben WHISHAW |
| $\mathbf{2 b}$ | Regarded as the first of Japan's three 'Great Unifiers', which daimyo and head of the Oda clan overthrew the <br> Ashikaga Shogunate in 1573, conquering most of Honshu before dying in 1582 when one of his retainers ambushed <br> him and forced him to commit seppuku? | Oda NOBUNAGA |
| $\mathbf{3 a}$ | One of three cities in the original game which launched the franchise, which city in the Grand Theft Auto games is <br> loosely based on Miami? | $\underline{\text { VICE City }}$ |
| $\mathbf{3 b}$ | What name beginning with M is given in chemistry to an electrically neutral group of two or more atoms held <br> together by chemical bonds? | $\underline{\text { MOLECULE }}$ |
| $\mathbf{4 a}$ | "Stayin' Alive" and "Jive Talkin'" are hits by the Bee Gees which appear on the soundtrack of which musical film of <br> the late $\mathbf{1 9 7 0 s}$ ? | SATURDAY NIGHT <br> 4b <br> In the name of the UK share index the FTSE 100, the FT represents which UK broadsheet focusing on business and <br> economic news, and printed on pink paper?FINANCLAL TIMES |

## Round 3

| $\mathbf{1 a}$ | Which Scottish DJ replaced Terry Wogan as host of the BBC Radio Two breakfast show after the end of Wogan's <br> first stint in that role in 1984? His mid-morning show features the music quiz Popmaster. | Ken BRUCE |
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| $\mathbf{1 b}$ | Which figure, who commanded the British Expeditionary Force in World War I from late 1915 to the end of the <br> war, is sometimes nicknamed "Butcher" because of the deaths of two million British soldiers under his command? | Douglas HAIG, Earl Haig |
| $\mathbf{2 a}$ | In economics, what word beginning with I means a general rise in the price level in an economy over a period of <br> time? | $\underline{\text { INFLATION }}$ |
| $\mathbf{2 b}$ | What name is given in biology to any close and long-term interaction between two different biological organisms of <br> different species? Lichens result from the mutualistic form of this process. | SYMBIOSIS |
| $\mathbf{3 a}$ | The duo who had a UK top-ten hit in 1969 with "Harlem Shuffle" was Bob and who? | EARL |
| $\mathbf{3 b}$ | What was the surname of Caesar, the Italian-born chef who gave his forename to the salad involving lettuce and <br> croutons (among other ingredients) that he devised while working at a Mexico restaurant in 1924? | CARDINI |
| 4a | In the 2021 Super Bowl, Tom Brady won his seventh Super Bowl in total, but his first for which team, whom he had <br> joined in 2020? | Tampa Bay BUCCANEERS |
| 4b | Also the capital city of an ancient empire, what name beginning with B names a symbolic place of evil in the Book of <br> Revelation and is also used by Rastafarians to refer to a society with an oppressive economic or political power <br> structure? | $\underline{\text { BABYLON }}$ |

## Round 4

| $\mathbf{1 a}$ | Which largest airline in the UAE names the home ground of Premier League side Arsenal? | EMIRATES |
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| $\mathbf{1 b}$ | Which US magicians and entertainers work in a duo where one member of the duo serves as the orator and <br> raconteur while the other member never speaks but may occasionally mime? The pair host the magic competition TV <br> programme Fool Us. | $\underline{\text { PENN AND TELLER }}$ |
| $\mathbf{2 a}$ | Which planet is the Bringer of War according to the title of a suite from Gustav Holst's The Planets? | MARS |
| $\mathbf{2 b}$ | Which Yugoslav poet and novelist, a Nobel laureate whose works include The Bridge on the Drina, served as his <br> nation's ambassador to Germany from 1939 to 1941? | Ivo ANDRIĆ |
| $\mathbf{3 a}$ | South Africa has ten official languages. The name of which of those languages comprises the final six letters of a <br> neighbouring nation with its capital at Gaborone? We need the name of the language not the country. | TSWANA (accept <br> SETSWANA even though it <br> does not fit clue) |
| $\mathbf{3 b}$ | Which banker, the daughter of a former Lord Chief Justice, has earned plaudits for her role as Chair of the <br> Government's Vaccine Task Force, ensuring early and large supplies of a wide range of COVID-19 vaccines for use <br> within the UK? | Kate BINGHAM |
| 4a | One of just thirteen films from the 1990s which made it onto Sight and Sound's 2012 list of the 250 greatest films ever, <br> who directed the 1996 drama Breaking the Waves, about a young woman whose husband becomes immobilised in an <br> industrial accident? | Lars von TRIER |
| 4b | The world's smallest bird is Mellisuga helenae, a species in which family of birds native to the Americas, so-called <br> because of the noise made by their tiny beating wings? | $\underline{\text { HUMMINGBIRD }}$ |

## Round 5

| 1 a | Which actor, who has appeared in Vera Drake, Pride, and played a recurring character in the Harry Potter films, voices Paddington's Aunt Lucy in Paddington and Paddington 2? | Imelda STAUNTON |
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| 1b | Regarded as the second of Japan's three 'Great Unifiers', which retainer of Oda Nobunaga succeeded Nobunaga as de facto ruler of Japan after the latter's 1582 death? This leader of the Toyotomi clan did not leave to see the founding of a new shogunate by Tokugawa Ieyasu in 1600. | Toyotomi HIDEYOSHI |
| 2 a | "Summer Nights" and "You're The One That I Want" are hits by John Travolta and Olivia Newton-John which appear on the soundtrack of which musical film of the late 1970s? | GREASE |
| 2b | Inspired by Cubism and Rayonism as well as Fauvism, Franz Marc and August Macke were associated with which German expressionist art movement which took its name from a painting of a horse by arguably its most famous member? | Der BLAUE REITER / The BLUE RIDER |
| 3a | One of three cities in the original game which launched the franchise, which city in the Grand Theft Auto games is loosely based on New York City? | LIBERTY City |
| 3b | What name beginning with I is given in chemistry to a particle, atom or molecule with a net electrical charge? | ION |
| 4 a | Which ruined Cistercian abbey lies beside the river Wye close to the border between England and Wales in Monmouthshire? William Wordsworth wrote a poem which features it in its title in 1794. | TINTERN Abbey |
| 4 b | The US share index, the Dow Jones Industrial Average, is named after Dow Jones \& Company, which owns the US newspaper known as the WSJ. If J stands for Journal what does the WS stand for in the name of that newspaper? | WALL STREET |

## Round 6

| $\mathbf{1 a}$ | The Phillips curve demonstrates an inverse relationship between the rate of inflation and what other economic <br> measurement beginning with U? | UNEMPLOYMENT |
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| $\mathbf{1 b}$ | What name beginning with Z is used as a synonym for Jerusalem, and by extension for the land of Israel as a whole, in <br> the Hebrew Bible, and is also used by Rastafarians to refer to a utopian place of unity, peace, and freedom? | ZION |
| $\mathbf{2 a}$ | Which English TV presenter and DJ replaced Terry Wogan as host of the BBC Radio Two breakfast show after <br> the end of Wogan's second stint in that role in 2010? He held the role until 2018 whereupon he took the show to <br> Virgin Radio. | Chris EVANS |
| $\mathbf{2 b}$ | Douglas Haig was one of the Allied commanders in which World War I battle fought from July to November 1916 <br> along the small Picardy river after which it is named? 20,000 British soldiers died on the first day of this battle alone, <br> with more than one million soldiers of all nationalities dying by the battle's end. | Battle of the SOMME |
| $\mathbf{3 a}$ | The duo who had a UK top ten hit in 1970 with "Young, Gifted and Black" was Bob and who? |  |
| $\mathbf{3 b}$ | What was the surname of Ignacio, the Mexican chef who gave the shortened form of his forename, Nacho, to the <br> dish involving heated tortilla chips and mixed toppings that he devised in 1940? | $\underline{\text { ANAYA }}$ |
| $\mathbf{4 a}$ | Tom Brady's Tampa Bay Buccaneers overcame which defending champions in the 2021 Super Bowl? Quarterback <br> Patrick Mahomes had been hoping to make inroads on Brady's Super Bowl tally, but to no avail. | Kansas City CHIEFS |
| $\mathbf{4 b}$ | What adjective describes symbiosis where one organism lives on or inside another organism, causing the second <br> organism some harm? Mistletoe growing on trees is an example of this. | PARASITIC (or PARASITE |
| or PARASITISM) |  |  |

## Round 7

| $\mathbf{1 a}$ | Which planet is the Bringer of Jollity according to the title of a suite from Gustav Holst's The Planets? | JUPITER |
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| $\mathbf{1 b}$ | The world's largest bird is Struthio camelus, a species in which family of birds native to Africa which cannot fly but <br> can run at over seventy kilometres per hour? | OSTRICH |
| $\mathbf{2 a}$ | Which second-largest airline in the UAE names the home ground of Premier League side Manchester City? | ETIHAD |
| $\mathbf{2 b}$ | Which duo, magicians and entertainers both born in Germany, were renowned for their performances with white <br> lions and tigers? Both members of this duo have died in the past eighteen months. | $\underline{\text { SIEGFRIED AND ROY }}$ |
| $\mathbf{3 a}$ | South Africa has ten official languages. The name of which of those languages comprises the final five letters of a <br> neighbouring nation with its capital at Maseru? We need the name of the language not the country. | $\underline{\text { SOTHO (accept SESOTHO }}$ even though it does not fit |
| clue) |  |  |

## Round 8

| $\mathbf{1 a}$ | After beating Tommy Burns, Jack Johnson successfully retained his world heavyweight boxing title until 1915, when <br> he lost it to which famously tall Kansas fighter, nicknamed the Pottawatomie Giant? | Jess WILLARD |
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| $\mathbf{1 b}$ | In Know Your Meme's meme of the 2010s contest, Doge finished just ahead of a meme featuring which badly drawn <br> cartoon frog, which has earned controversy for its linkages to right-wing forums on the internet? | PEPE |
| $\mathbf{2 a}$ | Tampere and Turku are the second- and third-largest cities in which Nordic country? | FINLAND |
| $\mathbf{2 b}$ | An altitude of a triangle is a line from one vertex which is perpendicular with the opposite side. What name is given <br> to the point at which the three altitudes of a triangle meet? | ORTHOCENTER |
| $\mathbf{3 a}$ | An early TV role for Anthea Turner saw her serve as one of the presenters on which very long-running music TV <br> show between 1988 and 1991? She was unusual in that she was the only non-Radio 1 DJ to do this role for most of <br> that period. | TOP OF THE POPS |
| $\mathbf{3 b}$ | Wuthering Heights was the only novel by which of the Bronte sisters? Again, forename is needed. |  |
| $\mathbf{4 a}$ | "When I look into your eyes / I can see a love restrained" are the first lines of which Guns N' Roses song, which in |  |
| 2018 became the first song released prior to the launch of YouTube to pass one billion views on the platform? Axl |  |  |
| Rose describes the titular substance as "cold" in this song's chorus. | "NOVEMBER RAIN" |  |
| $\mathbf{4 b}$ | Under James I and VI, England and Scotland remained separate kingdoms albeit with the same ruler. Who served as <br> the first monarch of Great Britain from the 1707 Act of Union until her 1714 death? | ANNE |

## Spares

| $\mathbf{1}$ | A mobile app originally developed by Josh Clark encourages users to go from the couch to running what distance <br> over a period of nine weeks? This is also the length of Parkruns. | $\underline{\mathbf{5 K I L O M E T R E S} \text { (accept 5K) }}$ |
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| $\mathbf{2}$ | Which German gives his name to the combustion process where fuel is ignited by heat generated by the compression <br> of air in the combustion chamber, in contrast to the Otto cycle which ignites by a spark plug? | Rudolf DIESEL |
| $\mathbf{3}$ | What term, which can be one word or two, describes a dish of deep-fried cornmeal-battered balls from the US and a <br> brand of brushed-suede shoes with a crepe sole, which enjoyed a resurgence in fashion in the 1990s? | $\underline{\text { HUSH PUPPIES }}$ |
| $\mathbf{4}$ | What name is given in horse racing to a flat race run under the rules of jump racing? | $\underline{\text { BUMPER race }}$ |

