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Online Quiz League

Questions set by: OQL Committee For use in: Week 10 matches played 14/07/2021 Correct as of: 14/07/21

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

1a	In ten-pin bowling, what avian name is given to the feat of scoring three consecutive strikes?	TURKEY
1b	Each of the twenty faces of a regular icosahedron is of what two-dimensional shape ?	TRIANGLE
2a	Which actor won the Best Actress Oscar for her role in the 1934 film <i>It Happened One Night</i> ? The same letter begins both the first name and the surname by which she was professionally known.	Claudette <u>COLBERT [kol-</u> BEHR] (accept Émilie Claudette <u>CHAUCHOIN</u>)
2b	Which sea , an arm of the Mediterranean, is bounded by southern Italy, southern Albania, and western Greece, including parts of the Peloponnese?	<u>IONIAN</u> Sea
3a	Though it was originally intended to be sung by Sandie Shaw, the song 'It's Not Unusual' was instead recorded in 1964 by which British singer , becoming his first Number One single the following year?	Tom <u>JONES</u>
3b	Simon and Peter were the eponymous founders of which British pub chain , whose name previously included the words 'Wine Lodge'?	<u>YATES</u>
4a	In September 1649, which Irish town was besieged by English Parliamentarian forces under Oliver Cromwell, leading to a massacre of several thousand Irish soldiers and civilians?	DROGHEDA [DRAW-huh- duh]
4b	Which word, that translates as 'world' or 'flowing on', is used in Hinduism and other Indian religions to refer to the cycle of death and rebirth?	<u>SAMSARA</u>

1a	Which bay in south-eastern Cuba gives its name to a US naval base on the island? The base is probably best-known for being home to a detention camp, established there by George W. Bush's administration in 2002, where torture and other human rights violations are believed to have taken place.	<u>GUANTÁNAMO</u> Bay
1b	Knotty Ash is a residential district of which English city ?	LIVERPOOL
2a	The 1936 String Quartet by which American composer is famous primarily for its slow and emotional second movement, which is commonly performed by string orchestras in an arrangement entitled 'Adagio for Strings'?	Samuel <u>BARBER</u>
2b	In medical statistics, what 11-letter word is conventionally used to describe the ability of a diagnostic test to correctly identify patients with a particular disease? It can also be referred to as the 'true positive rate'.	<u>SENSITIVITY</u> (do NOT accept 'specificity')
3a	Sid is a villainous child who is made to see the error of his ways in which Pixar film ?	<u>TOYSTOR Y</u> (do not accept any numbered sequel of Toy Story - Sid appears in Toy Story 3 but is neither villainous nor a child)
3b	Which 1874 novel by Thomas Hardy takes its title from a line in Thomas Gray's <i>Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard</i> ?	<u>FAR FROM THE</u> <u>MADDING CROWD</u>
4a	Selling 10,000 horses a year, which Newmarket-based organisation is the main auctioneer of race horses in the UK and Ireland?	<u>TATTERSALLS</u>
4b	Currently 24th in line to the throne of the United Kingdom, which son of Princess Margaret is the first person in the line of succession who is not a direct descendant of the Queen?	David <u>ARMSTRONG-JONES</u> (accept 2nd Earl of <u>SNOWDON</u> or David <u>LINLEY</u>)

1a	Which Belgian electronic band, fronted by brothers David and Stephen Dewaele <i>[deh-WAH-leh]</i> , is credited with spearheading a craze for 'mash-up' tracks in the early 2000s? The band's name fills in the blank in the title of the album <i>As Heard on Radio [BLANK] Pt. 2</i> , released under the name '2manydjs' and named by the New York Times as the best pop album of 2002.	<u>SOULWAX</u>
1b	Often known in English as 'hunter's stew', what popular Polish dish consists of chopped meat stewed with sauerkraut and fresh cabbage? It is widely considered to be a national dish of Poland.	BIGOS [BEE-goss]
2a	The American sex educator and activist Margaret Sanger founded an organisation called the ABCL in 1921. If the 'A' stands for American and the 'L' for League, then for what do the letters 'BC' stand in the name of this organisation?	BIRTH CONTROL
2b	Which deity in Greek mythology, one of the Olympian gods, is the equivalent of Mercury, the Roman messenger of the gods?	<u>HERMES</u>
3a	David Beckham was sent off against Argentina at the 1998 FIFA World Cup after kicking out at which Argentine midfielder , then playing for Internazionale?	Diego <u>SIMEONE</u>
3b	What 1985 book , by the late British neurologist Oliver Sacks, is titled for one of the case studies contained within it, which concerns a patient with visual agnosia [ag-KNOW-zee-ah] who is unable to recognise objects? The book formed the basis for a 1986 one-act opera of the same name, with music by Michael Nyman.	<i>THE <u>MAN WHO</u> <u>MISTOOK HIS WIFE FOR</u> <u>A HAT</u></i>
4a	Which character in the 'Looney Tunes' cartoon series is usually the intended victim of Wile E. Coyote?	ROAD RUNNER
4b	What word , beginning with S, refers to an ecoregion consisting of vast, treeless plains, typically characterised by a semi-arid or continental climate? This word is most commonly used to refer to areas in Eurasia, though the prairies of North America can also be considered as examples.	<u>STEPPE</u>

1a	Which BBC Radio 4 series, broadcast since 1998 and presented by Melvyn Bragg, explores a different historical topic each episode?	<u>IN OUR TIME</u>
1b	Which artist, a member of the Camden Town Group and a founder member of the London Group, painted the 1907 work 'Jack The Ripper's Bedroom'? From the 1970s onwards, Ripperologists have frequently suggested that this artist was in fact the notorious killer himself.	Walter <u>SICKERT</u>
2a	Which feline predator provides the nickname of the Premiership rugby union team from Leicester?	<u>TIGER</u>
2b	Between 2014 and 2020, Harvey Keitel starred as the character Winston Wolfe in a series of TV adverts for which British insurance company ?	DIRECT LINE
3a	Which ruler of the 7th century BCE is widely considered the last great king of Assyria? This man is known for his construction of a namesake library at Nineveh, much of which is now housed at the British Museum.	<u>ASHURBANIPAL</u> (or <u>ASSURBANIPAL</u>)
3b	Which astronaut, a member of the second cohort of astronauts selected by NASA, became the third person to walk on the Moon during the Apollo 12 mission in 1969?	Pete <u>CONRAD</u> (accept Charles <u>CONRAD</u>)
4a	Which 2010 song by Katy Perry, widely regarded as a gay anthem, opens with the lines "Do you ever feel like a plastic bag / Drifting through the wind?" ?	" <u>FIREWORK</u> "
4b	In chemistry, a carbonyl functional group consists of a carbon atom double-bonded to an atom of what other element , with atomic number 8?	<u>OXYGEN</u>

HALF-TIME - PLEASE CHANGE ORDER

Round S	5
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1a	The Abu Ghraib prison, closed in 2014, was located in which country ? The prison was the site of torture and other human rights violations, believed to have been authorised by then-Secretary of Defence Donald Rumsfeld during US military control of the facility.	IRAQ
1b	Selly Oak is a residential district of which English city ?	<u>BIRMINGHAM</u>
2a	Which Australian electronic band , currently consisting of Robbie Chater and Tony Di Blasi, is noted for its elaborate mash-ups of audio samples from various sources? Their singles 'Frontier Psychiatrist' and 'Since I Left You' were hits in the UK in the early 2000s.	The <u>AVALANCHES</u>
2b	Jean-Dominique Bauby <i>[BOE-bee]</i> , a former editor of <i>Elle</i> magazine, detailed his experience with the severe paralytic condition of 'locked-in syndrome' in what 1997 book , which he dictated by blinking his left eyelid? A 2007 film adaptation earned Julian Schnabel the award for 'Best Director' at the Cannes Film Festival.	The <u>DIVING BELL AND</u> <u>THE BUTTERFLY</u>
3a	Due to her carelessness with pets, the dentist's niece Darla is a threat to the title character and his friends in which Pixar film ?	<u>FINDING NEMO</u> (do not accept ' <i>Finding Dory</i> ')
3b	How is the character Michael Henchard described in the title of an 1886 novel by Thomas Hardy?	The <u>MAYOR OF</u> <u>CASTERBRIDGE</u>
4a	Zinedine Zidane was sent off against Italy in the final of the 2006 FIFA World Cup after headbutting which Italian defender , then playing for Internazionale?	Marco <u>MATERAZZI</u>
4b	What word , the Polish for 'sausage', is used generally to refer to sausages made in Poland? It constitutes a staple of Polish cuisine, with varieties such as 'wiejska' [vee-AY-ska] and 'kabanos' having become popular throughout the world.	<u>KIELBASA</u> [keel-BA-sa]

1a	The General Stud Book is a breed registry for horses in the UK and Ireland and is published every four years by which company ?	<u>WEATHERBYS</u>
1b	In medical diagnostic tests, the abbreviation PPV refers to the probability that subjects who have been identified as having a particular disease actually do have it. The abbreviation PPV stands for what three words ?	<u>POSITIVE PREDICTIVE</u> <u>VALUE</u>
2a	Which character in the 'Looney Tunes' cartoon series is usually the intended victim of Sylvester The Cat?	<u>TWEETY</u> (accept <u>TWEETY</u> <u>BIRD</u> or <u>TWEETY PIE</u>)
2b	What word beginning with T refers to a type of biome where tree growth is hindered by low temperatures and short growing seasons? The word is derived, via Russian, from a word meaning 'treeless mountain tract'.	<u>TUNDRA</u>
3a	The 1893 String Quartet in F major, nicknamed the 'American Quartet', was written by which composer ? It was composed during his visit to the United States, which also inspired his famous 9th symphony.	Antonín <u>DVOŘÁK [</u> d- VOR-zhak - be lenient with pronunciation]
3b	Currently 27th in line to the throne of the United Kingdom, who is the only daughter of Princess Margaret and the only niece of Queen Elizabeth II? She is also the youngest grandchild of King George VI.	Lady Sarah <u>CHATTO</u>
4a	Which women's rights campaigner, and author of the book <i>Married Love</i> , opened Britain's first birth control clinic in 1921?	Marie <u>STOPES</u>
4b	Which deity in Greek mythology, commonly regarded as one of the Olympian gods, is the equivalent of Bacchus, the Roman god of wine?	<u>DIONYSUS</u>

1a	Which 2011 song by Lady Gaga, overtly intended as a gay anthem, features the lines "Don't hide yourself in regret / Just love yourself and you're set / I'm on the right track, baby"?	" <u>BORN THIS WAY</u> "
1b	Since 2012, Kevin Bacon has acted as a brand ambassador for which British telecommunications company , and has appeared in many of their TV adverts?	<u>E.E.</u> (accept <u>EVERYTHING</u> <u>EVERYWHERE</u>)
2a	A historic declaration of April 1320, commonly described as Scotland's declaration of independence, is named for which Scottish town in which the declaration was made?	<u>ARBROATH</u>
2b	Similar to the Buddhist concept of nirvana, what word is used in Hinduism to refer to freedom from the cycle of samsara? Along with dharma, artha and kama, it is regarded as one of the four aims of human life.	<u>MOKSHA</u> (accept <u>VIMOKSHA</u> or <u>MUKTI</u> or <u>VIMUKTI</u>)
3a	Which aquatic predator provides the nickname of the Premiership rugby union team from Sale?	<u>SHARK</u>
3b	In chemistry, a cyano functional group consists of a carbon atom triple-bonded to an atom of what other element , with atomic number 7?	<u>NITROGEN</u>
4a	Which actor won the Best Actress Oscar for her role in the 1942 film <i>Mrs Miniver</i> ? The same letter begins both the first name and the surname by which she was professionally known.	Greer <u>GARSON</u> (accept Eileen Evelyn Greer <u>GARSON</u>)
4b	Which sea , an arm of the Mediterranean, has Corsica and Sardinia to the west, Sicily to the south, and the Italian mainland to the east?	<u>TYRRHENIAN</u> Sea

1a	Which BBC Radio 4 series, broadcast since 2009 and presented by Brian Cox and Robin Ince, is described as a "witty and irreverent look at the world according to science"?	The <u>INFINITE MONKEY</u> <u>CAGE</u>
1b	Completed in 1914, the tomb of Oscar Wilde at Père Lachaise Cemetery in Paris was sculpted by which American- born sculptor , a founder member of the London Group of artists?	Jacob <u>EPSTEIN</u>
2a	In ten-pin bowling, a player is awarded a strike for clearing all ten pins with the first roll of a frame. What is awarded if the player requires both rolls to clear all ten pins?	<u>SPARE</u>
2b	What word follows 'Hungry' in the name of a chain of 284 pub restaurants in England, Wales and Scotland, owned and operated by the Greene King Brewery? The chain was criticised in 2014 for introducing a 'Double Donut' burger with a calorific value of 1,996 calories.	<u>HORSE</u> (accept <u>HUNGRY</u> <u>HORSE</u>)
3a	Coming to the throne in 705 BCE, which Assyrian king appears in a Biblical narrative in which his army is destroyed by an angel outside of Jerusalem? This man is also named in the title of a noted 1815 poem.	<u>SENNACHERIB</u>
3b	Which astronaut, a member of the second cohort of astronauts selected by NASA, became the first American to perform a spacewalk during the Gemini 4 mission in 1965? Along with Gus Grissom and Roger Chaffee, he was killed in a fire during a launch test for Apollo 1.	Ed <u>WHITE</u>
4a	Though it was originally intended to be sung by Rod Stewart, the song 'Physical' was instead recorded in 1981 by which British-born Australian singer , becoming her biggest hit?	Olivia <u>NEWTON-JOHN</u>
4b	Each of the twelve faces of a regular dodecahedron is of what two-dimensional shape ?	<u>PENTAGON</u>

For games being played in the Rookie Division Mini Tournaments: if the game is tied after Round 8, ask both captains the following 'Nearest the Bull' question - they should DM their answer to the QM. Whichever team is closest to the correct answer wins the match. If this tie-breaker is required, please alert Jon Stitcher, Aidan Linge or Will Jones to the result of the tie-breaker.

Nearest the Bull:

As of October 1st 2020, how many prisoners are currently on "Death Row" in the USA? These are people have been sentenced to death following criminal convictions, including some who are incarcerated in states which have abolished the death penalty.

A: 2,557

Spares		
1	It was announced last week that which comic actor and prolific TV presenter has been chosen to succeed Sue Barker as host of the BBC quiz show <i>A Question of Sport</i> ?	Paddy <u>McGUINNESS</u>
2	The first instalment of <i>Now That's What I Call Music!</i> , the long-running series of compilation albums, was released in what year ? It included the Number One singles 'Karma Chameleon', 'Red Red Wine' and 'Total Eclipse of the Heart', which had all been released that year.	<u>1983</u>
3	A common strategy for losing body weight is to induce what metabolic state , named for a class of chemical compounds which are present at elevated levels in the body during it? It occurs as a response to low glucose availability, upon which the liver shifts towards metabolising fatty acids as a source of energy.	<u>KETOSIS</u>
4	The Pulitzer Prize-winning 2010 book, <i>The Emperor of All Maladies</i> , was an account of the history of cancer research and treatment written by which American physician and oncologist ?	Siddhartha <u>MUKHERJEE</u>