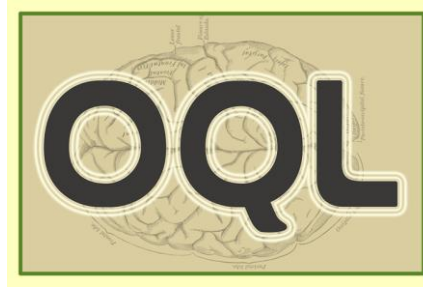


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## **Online Quiz League**

**Questions set by: OQL Committee**

**For use in: Cup Round 1 matches played 29/03/2023**

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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**

**Please remind the scorer that they must select 'CUP match' for the result to be recorded and the handicaps to be loaded into the scorer.**

**Teams are reminded that all players must have played a minimum of 3 league matches to be eligible for the cup. Please check that all of your players are eligible as any team deemed to have played an ineligible player will forfeit the match.**

## Round 1

1a	In Egyptian mythology, <b>which god of deserts and storms</b> killed his brother Osiris?	<u>SET</u> (or <u>SETH</u> , <u>SUTEKH</u> )
1b	“Konnichiwa” is a greeting in <b>which language</b> ?	<u>JAPANESE</u>
2a	<b>Who</b> became the first woman to be ordained as a bishop in the Church of England when she was consecrated as the Bishop of Stockport at York Minster in 2015? She is currently the Bishop of Derby.	Libby <u>LANE</u> (or Elizabeth <u>HOLDEN</u> )
2b	Breaking a 34-year-old record and cementing her status as the greatest alpine skier of the modern era, <b>which American skier</b> achieved her 87th World Cup victory after winning the slalom in the Alpine Ski World Cup in March 2023?	Mikaela <u>SHIFFRIN</u>
3a	Often to be found on the sofa watching TV, Sue Johnston played Manchester matriarch Barbara, alongside Ricky Tomlinson as her husband Jim, in <b>which BBC sitcom</b> that first aired in 1998?	<i>The</i> <u>ROYLE FAMILY</u>
3b	<b>What word</b> precedes “Song” or “March” in the popular name for the aria ‘Votre toast, je peux vous le rendre’ (or ‘I toast you’), which is sung by Escamillo and the chorus in <i>Carmen</i> ? This word refers to Escamillo’s profession.	<u>TOREADOR</u> (do not accept “bullfighter” or “matador”)
4a	Characterised by mini skirts, the rise of pop music and dances such as the Twist, <b>which decade of the twentieth century</b> is often culturally described as “Swinging”?	The <u>1960s</u>
4b	<b>What type of igneous rock</b> is notable for being extremely porous and for floating on water? It is commonly used in cosmetics and also can be used to remove dead skin.	<u>PUMICE</u> (or <u>PUMICITE</u> )

## Round 2

1a	The process of seed germination in plants is triggered by <b>what class of plant hormone</b> , which is also involved in the development of flowers?	<u>GIBBERELLINs</u> (or <u>GAs</u> )
1b	Similar to a British corner shop, by <b>what name</b> are small convenience stores found across New York City known? These shops are also found across Latin America and were first introduced into the United States by immigrants from the Caribbean. They take their name from the Spanish word for a wine storehouse.	<u>BODEGAs</u>
2a	Halifax is the capital and largest city of <b>which province of Canada</b> ?	<u>NOVA SCOTIA</u>
2b	<i>Tamburlaine</i> , <i>The Tragical History of Doctor Faustus</i> , and <i>Edward II</i> are among the best-known plays of <b>which Elizabethan dramatist</b> who died in a brawl in Deptford in 1593?	Christopher <u>MARLOWE</u> (or Kit <u>MARLOWE</u> )
3a	Denise Lewis, Jessica Ennis-Hill and Kelly Sotherton have all won Olympic medals in <b>which athletics event</b> ?	<u>HEPTATHLON</u>
3b	Currently embroiled in a controversy around having arranged an £800,000 loan for Boris Johnson, Richard Sharp was appointed as the chairman of <b>which organisation</b> in 2021?	<u>BBC</u> (or <u>BRITISH BROADCASTING CORPORATION</u> ; accept <u>BBC Board</u> )
4a	‘BZRP [BIZ-rap, but also spell out] Music Sessions #53’ is a diss track released in January 2023 by <b>which pop star</b> , whose other songs include ‘She-Wolf’ and ‘Whenever, Wherever’? The track takes aim at the singer’s ex-husband, Gerard Piqué [pee-kay].	<u>SHAKIRA</u> (or <u>Shakira MEBARAK Ripoll</u> )
4b	The first Asian actor to be nominated for an Oscar for the film <i>The Dark Angel</i> in 1935, <b>which actor</b> hid her Sri Lankan heritage during her lifetime, claiming that she was born in Tasmania?	Merle <u>OBERON</u> (accept Estelle <u>THOMPSON</u> )

### Round 3

<b>1a</b>	<b>Which African international netball team</b> , currently ranked fifth in the world, are nicknamed the Proteas?	<b><u>SOUTH AFRICA</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	<b>Which of the main kingdoms that made up the Anglo-Saxon Heptarchy</b> was located in the modern day counties of Norfolk and Suffolk?	<b><u>EAST ANGLIA</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	Bradley McIntosh, Hannah Spearritt and Rachel Stevens are among the members of <b>which pop group</b> , who recently announced a 25th anniversary reunion tour? Their hit singles include 'Bring it All Back' and 'Reach'.	<b><u>S CLUB 7</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	Nominated for an Academy Award for Best Supporting Actor for his role as Lieutenant Dan Taylor in the 1994 film <i>Forrest Gump</i> , <b>which actor</b> went on to play Lieutenant Mac Taylor in <i>CSI: New York</i> ?	<b>Gary <u>SINISE</u> [sin-EESS]</b>
<b>3a</b>	<b>What name</b> is given to the cushioning fluid found in many joints of the human body? Its main role is to reduce friction between the cartilage of the joints during movement.	<b><u>SYNOVIAL</u> fluid</b>
<b>3b</b>	<b>What is the name</b> of the salted and fermented herring traditional to Swedish cuisine? It is eaten after the third Thursday in August, usually outside due to the strong smell.	<b><u>SURSTRÖMMING</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	<b>Which mountain</b> , the highest point in Syria, is the world's highest permanently manned UN position? The mountain helps form a buffer zone between Israel and Syria.	<b>Mount <u>HERMON</u> (or Jabal al-<u>SHAYKH</u>, Jabal <u>HARAMUN</u>)</b>
<b>4b</b>	Known as the Festival of Light, Hanukkah is a major holiday in <b>which religion</b> ?	<b><u>JUDAISM</u> (accept <u>JEWish</u>)</b>

## Round 4

<b>1a</b>	<b>Which cartoon Great Dane dog</b> was the title character of a 2002 live action film also starring Sarah Michelle Gellar and Linda Cardellini as Daphne and Velma?	<b>SCOOPY-Doo</b> (accept <b>SCOOPY-DOO, Where Are You!</b> )
<b>1b</b>	The title of <b>what 1968 Miles Davis album</b> is the name of a famous historical queen? Besides the title track, the songs on this album include 'Fall' and 'Hand Jive'.	<b>NEFERITTI</b>
<b>2a</b>	Sharing its name with a Spanish word meaning 'celebration' or 'party', <b>which model of car made by Ford</b> first appeared in 1976 and is due to be discontinued later this year?	<b>FIESTA</b>
<b>2b</b>	<b>What word beginning with M</b> is the name given to agricultural fertiliser made primarily from animal faeces?	<b>MANURE</b>
<b>3a</b>	Occurring on New Year's Day, 1984, <i>Good Morning, Mr. Orwell</i> was an art installation that linked a New York TV station to the Centre Pompidou in Paris via satellite. It was a work by <b>which Korean-born American artist?</b>	<b>Nam June PAIK</b> (do not accept "Park")
<b>3b</b>	The Great Western Main Line runs from Bristol Temple Meads through Reading to <b>which railway station in London?</b>	<b>PADDINGTON</b>
<b>4a</b>	<b>Which man</b> , who served as the first President of the country from 1964 to 1985 is considered the 'Father of the Nation' in Tanzania?	<b>Julius NYERERE</b> [nyeh-RARE-ray]
<b>4b</b>	<b>What surname</b> is shared by brothers Thom and Max, both former Scottish international rugby players? Although Max earned more international caps, Thom has gained more notoriety off the pitch due to his romantic involvement with Kelly Brook and Nicole Scherzinger.	<b>EVANS</b>

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### Round 5

<b>1a</b>	Athletes Fatima Whitbread, Tessa Sanderson and Steve Backley have all won Olympic medals in <b>which field event</b> ?	<b><u>JAVELIN</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	Some commentators criticised the BBC for suspending Gary Lineker over his Tweets relating to the government's refugee policy while never censuring <b>which businessman and host of <i>The Apprentice</i></b> for his many political comments on social media?	<b>Alan <u>SUGAR</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	'Flowers' is a song released in January 2023 by <b>which pop star</b> whose other songs include 'Wrecking Ball' and 'We Can't Stop'? The track is purportedly a diss of the singer's ex-husband, Liam Hemsworth	<b>Miley <u>CYRUS</u> (or <u>Destiny CYRUS</u>)</b>
<b>2b</b>	Between 1939 and 1945, Merle Oberon was married to <b>which Hungarian-born British filmmaker</b> , known for directing <i>The Private Life of Henry VIII</i> and for producing films such as <i>The Third Man</i> and <i>The Thief of Baghdad</i> ? He was the first film director to be knighted and he gives his name to the BAFTA for Outstanding British Film.	<b>Alexander <u>KORDA</u> (or <u>Sándor KORDA</u> or <u>Sándor László KELLNER</u>)</b>
<b>3a</b>	<b>What plant hormone</b> is responsible for controlling a plant's growth by inhibiting seed germination, as well as causing leaves to fall off?	<b><u>ABSCISIC ACID</u> (or <u>ABA</u> or <u>ABSCISIN II</u>)</b>
<b>3b</b>	Although the name suggests they sell only a certain type of animal produce, by <b>what name</b> are small convenience stores, similar to corner shops, known in Australia? Their early development was encouraged by the Temperance Society as an alternative to pubs.	<b><u>MILK bar</u> (accept <u>DAIRY</u>)</b>
<b>4a</b>	Edmonton is the capital, though not the largest city, in <b>which Canadian province</b> ?	<b><u>ALBERTA</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	<i>Volpone</i> [vol-PO-nay], <i>The Alchemist</i> , and <i>Bartholomew Fair</i> are among the best-known plays of <b>which Elizabethan and Jacobean dramatist</b> who was imprisoned at Newgate for killing the actor Gabriel Spenser in a duel?	<b>Ben <u>JONSON</u></b>

## Round 6

<b>1a</b>	<b>Which actor</b> played Jim and Barbara's son Antony in the BBC sitcom <i>The Royle Family</i> ? He has also played Jonny in <i>Two Pints of Lager and a Packet of Crisps</i> and DI Neville Parker in the BBC drama series <i>Death in Paradise</i> .	<b>Ralf <u>LITTLE</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	'L'amour est un oiseau rebelle' (or 'Love is a rebellious bird'), the entrance aria of the title character from the opera <i>Carmen</i> , is popularly known by <b>what single-word name</b> ? Its title is the name of a dance originating in 19th-century Cuba.	<b><u>HABANERA</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	Characterised by flapper dresses, jazz music and dances such as the Charleston, <b>which decade of the twentieth century</b> is often culturally described as "Roaring"?	<b><u>1920s</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	<b>What type of volcanic rock</b> , with a black, glassy appearance, has historically been used to create knives or other weapons, due to it fracturing easily and creating extremely sharp edges?	<b><u>OBSIDIAN</u></b>
<b>3a</b>	In Norse mythology, <b>which blind god of night and darkness</b> killed his brother Baldr?	<b><u>HÖÐR</u></b> (or <b><u>HOD</u></b> , <b><u>HODUR</u></b> , <b><u>HODER</u></b> )
<b>3b</b>	Cognate with the Arabic word "Salaam", "Shalom" is a greeting in <b>which language</b> ?	<b><u>HEBREW</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	<b>Who</b> is the most senior female bishop in the Church of England, having served as the Bishop of London since 2018 and Dean of the Chapel Royal since 2019?	<b>Sarah <u>MULLALLY</u></b> (or Sarah <b><u>BOWSER</u></b> )
<b>4b</b>	<b>Whose</b> record of 86 world cup wins, set in 1989, did Mikaela Shiffrin break? He is regarded as the greatest slalom and giant slalom specialist of all time, winning both events at the 1980 Lake Placid Winter Olympic Games.	<b>Ingemar <u>STENMARK</u></b>



## Round 7

1a	One contributor to Nam June Paik's <i>Good Morning, Mr. Orwell</i> is <b>which German conceptual artist</b> whose works include the 1970 installation <i>Felt Suit</i> ? In one of his best-known performance works – <i>I Like America and America Likes Me</i> – this artist travelled to New York in order to spend three days wrapped in felt, living in a room with a live coyote.	<b>Joseph BEUYS</b> [boyce]
1b	The West Coast Main Line runs from Glasgow Central through Birmingham down to <b>which station in London</b> ?	<b>EUSTON</b>
2a	The country's first governor-general after independence in 1947, <b>who is considered the 'Father of the Nation' in Pakistan</b> ?	<b>Muhammad Ali JINNAH</b>
2b	<b>What surname</b> is shared by brothers Jonny and Richie, both Scottish international rugby players? Jonny currently plays for Exeter Chiefs and while former British Lion Richie now plays for Glasgow Warriors.	<b>GRAY</b>
3a	<b>Which spinach-eating cartoon sailor</b> was the title character of a live action film starring Robin Williams in 1980?	<b>POPEYE</b> (accept <b>POPEYE THE SAILOR</b> )
3b	The title of <b>what 1971 Miles Davis album</b> is the name of an African American sportsman active in the early 20th century? The album is the soundtrack to a documentary film about this sportsman.	<b>JACK JOHNSON</b> (or <i>A Tribute to JACK JOHNSON</i> ; prompt on "Johnson")
4a	Another model of Ford with a Spanish name, the Sierra, was replaced in 1993 by <b>which other saloon model</b> that has a name derived from words meaning "world" in several European languages?	<b>MONDEO</b>
4b	<b>What word beginning with C</b> is a type of organic fertiliser made from decomposing plants and food waste?	<b>COMPOST</b>

## Round 8

<b>1a</b>	<b>What name</b> is given to the crescent-shaped fibro-cartilaginous structure found in joints such as the knee, wrist and shoulder? A tear to this structure is one of the most common knee injuries, and this structure shares its name with a phenomenon that occurs on the surface of liquids.	<b><u>MENISCUS</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	<b>Which dish</b> , originating in Norway and also eaten in Sweden and Finland, consists of white fish that has been dried and cured in lye? It is rehydrated to create a gelatinous texture before eating, and forms part of traditional Christmas feasts.	<b><u>LUTEFISK</u></b> (or <b><u>LUTFISK</u></b> , <b><u>LIPEÄKALA</u></b> )
<b>2a</b>	<b>Which glacier</b> , the longest in the Karakoram range, is the world's highest battlefield? Pakistan and India have maintained a permanent military presence in the region since 1984.	<b><u>SIACHEN glacier</u></b> [see-AR-chen]
<b>2b</b>	Known as the Festival of Light, Diwali is a major holiday in <b>which religion</b> ?	<b><u>HINDUism</u></b>
<b>3a</b>	<b>Which Caribbean international netball team</b> currently ranked fourth in the world behind Australia, New Zealand and England, are nicknamed the Sunshine Girls?	<b><u>JAMAICA</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	<b>Which of the main kingdoms that made up the Anglo-Saxon Heptarchy</b> covered much of south and south west England, having its heartlands in Somerset, Wiltshire, Hampshire and Dorset?	<b><u>WESSEX</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	Siobhán Donaghy, Keisha Buchanan and Mutya Buena are the original and current members of <b>which pop group</b> , who toured together in late 2022? The group has had several other iterations with different members, and their hit singles include 'Push the Button' and 'About You Now'.	<b><u>SUGABABES</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	<b>Which actor</b> , an Academy Award winner for her role in the 2014 film <i>Boyhood</i> , played Dr Avery Ryan, a deputy director of the FBI, in the TV spin-off series <i>CSI: Cyber</i> ?	<b>Patricia <u>ARQUETTE</u></b>

**If the scores are level after Round 8, please play Round 9 – if scores are still level after that, the tie should be broken using the ‘Nearest the Bull’ question that follows. If the ‘Nearest the Bull’ is required, please inform Jon Stitcher or Aidan Linge of the result.**

<b>1a</b>	<b>Which Chinese-American particle physicist</b> demonstrated in her now-eponymous 1956 experiment that the beta decay of cobalt-60 was a clear violation of parity conservation? This proof of concept helped secure the Nobel Prize in Physics for the theoretical physicists Tsung-Dao Lee and Chen-Ning Yang in 1957.	<b>Chien-Shiung <u>WU</u></b>
<b>1b</b>	<b>What word</b> precedes “Punk” in the name of a genre of science fiction that uses retro-futuristic technology inspired by 19th-century industrial machinery and a Victorian aesthetic? Often set in alternative histories, this genre may feature technology such as airships or analogue computers.	<b><u>STEAM</u></b>
<b>2a</b>	In the upcoming <i>The Super Mario Bros. Movie</i> , Charlie Day provides the voice for <b>which character</b> , Mario’s twin brother?	<b><u>LUIGI</u></b>
<b>2b</b>	<b>What name is given to the red spicy mutton or beef sausage</b> that originated in North Africa and became popular in France in the twentieth century?	<b><u>MERGUEZ</u></b>
<b>3a</b>	<b>What word or prefix</b> precedes “punk” in a genre of science fiction that combines “low life and high tech”? Often set in dystopian futures, this genre may juxtapose futuristic technology such as AI and robotics with societal collapse and deprivation.	<b><u>CYBER</u></b>
<b>3b</b>	The first part of Chien-Shiung Wu’s PhD thesis in 1940 focused on a phenomenon in which charged particles slow down after passing through the electric and magnetic fields of a nucleus, resulting in the conversion of their kinetic energy to electromagnetic radiation. <b>What German term</b> , meaning “deceleration radiation” is given to this phenomenon?	<b><u>BREMSSTRAHLUNG</u></b>
<b>4a</b>	<b>Which red pork sausage from Calabria</b> , similar to the Balearic sobrasada, is soft and spreadable and often sold in jars in the UK?	<b><u>NDUJA</u></b>
<b>4b</b>	In the upcoming <i>The Super Mario Bros. Movie</i> , Seth Rogen provides the voice for <b>which character</b> , an anthropomorphic gorilla?	<b><u>DONKEY KONG</u></b> (do not accept “Cranky Kong”)

## Nearest the Bull

If this question is required, each team must nominate one player only to answer this question. The QM should read the question aloud and ask the two nominated players to send them a private message with their answer. Whichever team's answer is closer to the correct answer wins the match.

**Q:** Answer to two decimal places. **How many seconds** did it take Taylors Sky to win the 2011 English Greyhound Derby? It was a record for the event.

**A:** 28.17 seconds

## Spares

1	With a name similar to a British newspaper columnist, <b>which 13th-century Benedictine monk</b> wrote the <i>Chronica Majora</i> while at St Albans Abbey?	<b>Matthew <u>PARIS</u></b>
2	<b>Which Premier League football club</b> have reappointed the 75-year-old Roy Hodgson as their head coach?	<b><u>CRYSTAL PALACE FC</u></b>
3	Allowing functions such as Undo Tweet and a longer character limit, Twitter's subscription service named after <b>what colour</b> , also the colour of the Twitter logo and verification checkmark?	<b><u>BLUE</u></b>
4	<i>Unknown Pleasures</i> and <i>Closer</i> were the two studio albums released by <b>which post-punk band from Salford?</b>	<b><u>JOY DIVISION</u></b>