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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

1a	Nominated for Best Musical at the 2022 Tony Awards, which jukebox musical uses the songs of its initialled title character - taking you behind the scenes as he prepares for his 1992 World Tour?	<u>MJ The Musical</u> (accept <u>MICHAEL JACKSON</u> , prompt on Jackson)
1b	Which pop superstar performed at the Super Bowl XLIX (49) Half Time show? She performed hits like 'Roar', 'Teenage Dream' and 'Firework'.	Katy <u>PERRY</u> (accept Katheryn Elizabeth HUDSON)
2a	NEOM is a planned smart city in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia as part of the country's 2030 vision. Which NEOM planned region will be the first major outdoor skiing destination in the Arabian Peninsula? Although it is in the desert, the site's climate is considerably cooler than the rest of Neom's territory.	<u>TROJENA</u>
2b	Running from 1998 to 2008, the South African TV programme 'A Word Or 2' was based on which British game show?	<u>COUNTDOWN</u>
3a	Born in Kiel, Germany, in 1858, which scientist won the Nobel Prize in Physics in 1918 for his discovery of energy quanta?	Max <u>PLANCK</u>
3b	Which Czech theologian and reformer was burnt at the stake for heresy against the doctrines of the Catholic church in 1415?	Jan <u>HUS</u> (Accept John HUSS)
4a	Recently reported to be the second biggest fitness trend in the UK, which trademarked fitness regimen involves constantly varied functional movements, such as squatting, pulling and pushing, performed at high intensity? It is split into three disciplines: metabolic conditioning, strength and gymnastics.	<u>CROSSFIT</u>

4b	"Whoever said it's not whether you win or lose that counts, probably lost," is a quote attributed to which former female tennis star? This Czech athlete won her last singles Grand Slam title at Wimbledon in 1990.	Martina <u>NAVRATILOVA</u>
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Round 2

1a	According to the Royal Society of Chemistry, which element has a name that is derived from the Latin for 'sky blue'?	<u>CAESIUM</u>
1b	In 1773, which British explorer became the first recorded navigator to cross the Antarctic Circle? In 1779 this man was killed by natives on the Hawaiian islands.	Captain James <u>COOK</u>
2a	Branded 'Scotland's Biggest Festival of Light', what festival takes place annually in Aberdeen? First held in 2014, over 115,000 people visited the various exhibitions during the 4 day festival in February 2023.	<u>SPECTRA</u>
2b	In the board game chess, how many possible moves does each player have available with their first turn?	<u>TWENTY</u>
3a	<i>Wuthering Heights</i> is an 1847 novel written by which English novelist?	Emily <u>BRONTE</u> (Accept Bronte alone but do not accept or prompt on Anne Bronte or Charlotte Bronte)
3b	Which jazz composer, born in New Jersey, had played piano with two important early swing bands before forming his own Kansas-based outfit in 1935. Various iterations of his band included future jazz legends like Lester Young & guitarist Freddie Green, and this artist is also well known for his 'One O'Clock Jump' 1937 jazz standard.	William James "Count" <u>BASIE</u>

4a	The Ushiku Daibutsu is a statue depicting the Buddha Amitabha. It was the tallest statue in the world between 1993 and 2008 and is located in which East Asian country?	<u>JAPAN</u>
4b	In the original series of Star Trek, a uniform of which primary colour is worn to indicate that the wearer is in science or medical?	<u>BLUE</u>

Round 3

1a	Lima is the capital of which South American country?	<u>PERU</u>
1b	Which Italian football team from Lombardy ultimately takes its name from that of a heroine in Greek mythology?	<u>ATALANTA</u> Bergamasca
2a	Which 1942 painting by Edward Hopper depicts four characters inside a diner with an expansive wraparound window? The redheaded woman in the painting is the artist's wife, Jo, who frequently modeled for him.	<u>NIGHTHAWKS</u>
2b	Which Conservative prime minister of the United Kingdom took charge in November 1990, and held the position until May 1997?	John <u>MAJOR</u>
3a	One of the biggest business acquisitions in 2022 saw which Indian food delivery platform acquire the quick-commerce company Blinkit for the equivalent of \$567 million? This company mainly operates in the food delivery and restaurant hosting industry.	<u>ZOMATO</u>
3b	Tom Hardy played the roles of both of the infamous Kray twins in which 2015 film?	<u>LEGEND</u>

4a	What is the seven-letter scientific name for the bone inside the ear that has the common name of the hammer?	<u>MALLEUS</u>
4b	Born in 1710, which Scottish composer, arranger, cellist, and music publisher, was appointed as Chamber Composer for King George III? He published his chamber works under the nom de plume 'Dottel Figlio'	James <u>OSWALD</u>

Round 4

1a	Which Puerto Rican rapper took part in a tag team match with Damian Priest against The Miz and John Morrison on Night 1 of Wrestlemania 37? This musician has been the most streamed artist on Spotify for each of the last 3 years, picking up 3 Grammy awards in the process.	<u>BAD BUNNY</u> (accept Benito Antonio Martínez OCASIO)
1b	Who won the 1968 Academy Award for Best Actor for his role of Charly Gordon in the 1968 film 'Charly'?	Cliff <u>ROBERTSON</u>
2a	Of the four main human blood groups, which is the most common? The NHS estimates 48% of people to have this blood type.	<u>O</u>
2b	Which "colourful" rock band were formerly known as 'Sweet Children' from 1987-1989? This band, fronted by Billie Joe Armstrong, have made 5 appearances at Reading & Leeds festival, most recently headlining in 2013.	<u>GREEN DAY</u>
3a	The tradition of 'joulusauna' or 'christmas sauna' is one that dates back centuries in which European country? Families gather in Saunas on Christmas Eve to calm their minds before the onset of the	<u>FINLAND</u>

	festivities. They even leave Christmas treats for the saunatonnttu, or sauna elf.	
3b	Born in 1971, what nationality is the 1997 Formula One world champion Jacques Villeneuve?	<u>CANADIAN</u>
4a	Formerly part of a single book alongside book 16, what is the 15th book in the Old Testament? This book is named for its author, who led a group of Jews returning to Jerusalem and rebuilding the temple after their Babylonian exile.	<u>EZRA</u>
4b	With a pre-independence name of British Honduras, which Central American country declared independence from the UK in 1981? Currently, it is the only Central American Commonwealth member.	<u>BELIZE</u>

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Round 5

1a	The Spring Temple Buddha is a statue depicting the Buddha Vairocana. It was the tallest statue in the world between 2008 and 2018 and is located in which East Asian country?	<u>CHINA</u>
1b	Which Labour prime minister of the United Kingdom took charge in May 1997, and held the position until June 2007?	Tony <u>BLAIR</u>
2a	One of the biggest business acquisitions of 2022 saw which conglomerate, India's largest, acquire the nationalised airline Air India from the Indian Government? The salt-to-steel conglomerate actually founded the airline in 1932 before it was taken over by the government in 1953.	<u>TATA</u> Group

2b	Leonardo Di Caprio played the roles of both prisoner Philippe Bourbon and King Louis XIV in which 1998 film?	<u>THE MAN IN THE IRON MASK</u>
3a	What is the five-letter scientific name for the bone inside the ear that has the common name of the anvil?	<u>INCUS</u>
3b	In the board game draughts/checkers, how many possible moves does each player have available with their first turn?	<u>SEVEN</u>
4a	First published in 1942, <i>'The Famous Five'</i> is a series of books by which English novelist?	Enid <u>BLYTON</u>
4b	Best known as the leader of his own long-running Orchestra, which jazz composer is the most recorded in history, with tunes like <i>'Satin Doll'</i> , <i>'Don't Get Around Much Anymore'</i> , <i>'Mood Indigo'</i> , and hundreds of other jazz standards to his name.	Edward Kennedy "Duke" <u>ELLINGTON</u>

Round 6

1a	Of the four main human blood groups, which is the least common? The NHS estimates 3% of people to have this blood type.	<u>AB</u>
1b	Running from 2012 to 2014, the Swiss TV programme <i>'Weniger Ist Mehr'</i> (Less Is More) was based on which British game show?	<u>POINTLESS</u>
2a	Nominated for Best Musical at the 2022 Tony Awards, which musical premiered in 2017 using the lyrics of Bob Dylan? This is the second Broadway show to use Dylan's lyrics following <i>'The Times They Are a-Changin'</i> in 2006, and is named after a 1963 hit for the star.	<u>GIRL FROM THE NORTH COUNTRY</u>
2b	Which fellow Czech follower of Jan Hus was also burned at the stake for heresy a year after Hus? A depiction of his execution appears in John Foxe's Book of Martyrs, published over 200 years later	<u>JEROME</u> of Prague

3a	Which NEOM planned region is to be a floating 8 sided industrial complex? Prime Minister Mohammed bin Salman expects this complex to become "a new focal point for global trade flows" and service shipping routes through the Red Sea.	OXAGON
3b	Which "colourful" rock band originally performed in 1983 under the name 'Tony Flow and the Miraculously Majestic Masters of Mayhem'? This band, fronted by Anthony Keidis, would go on to make 4 headline appearances at Reading & Leeds festival - most recently in 2016.	<u>RED HOT CHILI PEPPERS</u> (Accept RHCP)
4a	Which stunt performer took part in a singles match with Sami Zayn on Night 2 of Wrestlemania 38? This performer is best known as co-creator and star of the MTV Reality show Jackass, as well as its associated movies such as ' <i>Bad Grandpa</i> '.	Johnny <u>KNOXVILLE</u> (accept Philip John CLAPP)
4b	Born in 1968, what nationality is the 1998 and 1999 Formula One world champion Mika Häkkinen?	<u>FINNISH</u>

Round 7

1a	The 15th & 16th books in the Old Testament are considered a single book in Jewish canon, what is the 16th book in the Old Testament? This book chronicles the return of the titular cupbearer of the Persian king, and the rebuilding of the walls at Jerusalem.	<u>NEHEMIAH</u>
1b	"A champion is afraid of losing, everyone else is afraid of winning," is a quote attributed to which American former female tennis star? She earned her last Grand Slam title with Navratilova in 1981, 6 years after her last singles Grand Slam win at Wimbledon.	Billie Jean <u>KING</u>
2a	Born in Copenhagen in 1885, which scientist won the Nobel Prize in Physics in 1922 for his	Niels <u>BOHR</u>

	contributions to quantum theory?	
2b	Which pop superstar performed at the Super Bowl LI (51) Half Time show? This artist performed hits such as ' <i>Poker Face</i> ', ' <i>Born This Way</i> ' and ' <i>Bad Romance</i> '	<u>LADY GAGA</u> (accept Stefani Joanne Angelina GERMANOTTA)
3a	Which Fitness trend is a type of mind-body exercise developed in the early 20th century by the German physical trainer that gives the exercise its name? A recent UK survey by Health and Fitness Education (HFE), found that 70% of people would now choose this exercise over yoga.	<u>PILATES</u>
3b	With a pre-independence name of Southern Rhodesia among others, which African country gained recognised independence from the UK in 1980?	<u>ZIMBABWE</u>
4a	Leaving out a bowl of porridge for the family Nisse, who protects them from Trolls, is a Christmas Eve tradition in which European country? A lesser known tradition of this country is hiding broomsticks in closets on Christmas Eve to stop witches from stealing them.	<u>NORWAY</u>
4b	Who won the 1967 Academy Award for Best Actor for his role of Sir Thomas More in the 1966 film ' <i>A Man for All Seasons</i> '?	Paul <u>SCOFIELD</u>

Round 8

1a	Branded 'Scotland's Favourite Festival of Light and Sound', what 3 word name is given to the annual festival that takes place in Faskally Wood, Pitlochry? More than 650,000 visitors have taken in the festival over 2 decades.	The <u>ENCHANTED FOREST</u>
1b	Born in 1732, which Scottish composer's surviving compositions have led to him being re-evaluated as one of the most important British composers of the 18th century, as well as a leading exponent of Scotland's music? His best known work is the Overture to Isaac Bickerstaff's comic opera, The Maid	Thomas <u>ERSKINE</u> , 6th Earl of Kellie

	of the Mill.	
2a	Bogota is the capital of which South American country?	<u>COLOMBIA</u>
2b	Which Italian football team from Veneto ultimately takes its name from the Greek word for Greece?	<u>HELLAS VERONA</u> (Accept either word but do not accept or prompt on Chievo Verona)
3a	Which 1642 painting by Rembrandt depicts Frans Banninck Cocq & Willem van Ruytenburch among a larger group of people holding guns and spears? It is known for its use of motion, distinguishing it from other contemporary portraits of this type.	<u>THE NIGHT WATCH</u> (also accept Militia Company of District II or The Shooting Company)
3b	In the original series of Star Trek, a uniform of which primary colour is worn to indicate that the wearer is in security or operations?	<u>RED</u>
4a	According to the Royal Society of Chemistry, which element has a name that is derived from the Latin for 'deep red'?	<u>RUBIDIUM</u>
4b	In 1911, which Norwegian explorer became the first recorded navigator to reach the South Pole?	Roald <u>AMUNDSEN</u>

We hope you have enjoyed this friendly set. Please remember that the friendlies are written by volunteers who are all members of OQL so please consider that when making comments regarding the friendly set.

Spares

1	What is the name of the snowman in the Disney film, <i>Frozen</i> ?	<u>OLAF</u>
2	Edward Oxford in 1840, John Francis in 1842, John William Bean in 1842, William Hamilton in 1849, Robert Pate 1850, Arthur O'Connor in 1872 and Roderick McLean in 1882, all made assassination attempts on which person?	<u>QUEEN VICTORIA</u>
3	The award given to the man of the match in rugby league's annual Challenge Cup final, is named after which New Zealand born player and administrator who was killed in a road accident during WW2?	Lance <u>TODD</u>
4	Cavendish, Saba and Plantain are all varieties of which fruit?	<u>BANANA</u>