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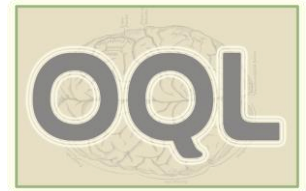
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**ONLINE QUIZ LEAGUE**  
Questions set by Quotidian  
For use in **OQL USA LEAGUE** matches during the week  
beginning December 7, 2020



Correct as of 12/3/20

**Round 1**

1a	Probably the best-known player to come out of the German team DJK Würzburg, what retired big man is the only athlete to have played 21 seasons for the same NBA team?	Dirk <u>NOWITZKI</u>
1b	With tracks including "My Lovin' (You're Never Gonna Get It)," "Funky Divas" is a top-ten 1992 album from what girl group?	<u>EN VOGUE</u>
2a	What prolific French Romantic composer wrote more than thirty operas, including Cendrillon, Manon, and Thaïs?	Jules <u>MASSENET</u>
2b	In 2010, the first bridge in the Amazon river system was built over the Rio Negro tributary, connecting the town of Iranduba with what other Brazilian city, the capital of the state of Amazonas?	<u>MANAUS</u>
3a	The Venezuelan telenovela "Juana la Virgen" was the loose inspiration for what CW sitcom starring Gina Rodriguez?	<u>JANE THE VIRGIN</u>
3b	Literally translating as "naked seed," what 10-letter term in botany means a plant whose seeds are not protected by an ovary or fruit, such as conifer trees?	<u>GYMNOSPERM</u>
4a	Among the shortest of papal reigns at 33 calendar days, what Italian born Albino Luciani was pope from August 26th, 1978 until his death on September 28th? Name and regnal number are required.	<u>JOHN PAUL I</u>
4b	Namesake of the Hot Brown sandwich, the Brown Hotel is a 1923 Georgian-revival building still providing hospitality to guests in what Ohio River city?	<u>LOUISVILLE</u> , Kentucky

**Round 2**

1a	Released simultaneously in theaters and on demand in April due to the COVID-19 pandemic, what Dreamworks animated film counts Ozzy Osbourne, Kelly Clarkson, and Gustavo Dudamel as voice actors?	<u>TROLLS: WORLD TOUR</u> (Prompt on TROLLS)
1b	Recommended for both children and adults by the CDC, the TDaP (t-dap) vaccine immunizes against three infectious diseases: tetanus, diphtheria, and what?	<u>PERTUSSIS</u> (accept " <u>WHOOPING COUGH</u> ")
2a	Encompassing schools such as DC's Howard University and Houston's Texas Southern University, the abbreviation HBCU stands for "BLANK BLANK" colleges and universities. What two words go in the blank?	<u>HISTORICALLY BLACK</u>
2b	First opened in 1969, what Disneyland attraction do visitors travel through in a vehicle called a Doom Buggy?	<u>HAUNTED MANSION</u> (these specific two words needed)

3a	Literally meaning "speed play," what seven-letter term in running means a workout in which an athlete alternates between sprinting and easy jogging as the mood strikes?	<b><u>FARTLEK</u></b>
3b	What country singer opened her hit 2004 song "Here for the Party" by declaring that she is "an eight-ball-shooting, double-fisted drinking, son of a gun"?	Gretchen <b><u>WILSON</u></b>
4a	Adapted into a 2013 film starring Geoffrey Rush, what Markus Zusak young-adult novel tells the story of a young girl who steals books that the Nazi party is looking to destroy during World War II?	The <b><u>BOOK THIEF</u></b>
4b	What is the name of the large Berlin monument that was the site of speeches by JFK in 1963, Ronald Reagan in 1987, and Barack Obama in 2013?	<b><u>BRANDENBURG</u></b> Gate

### Round 3

1a	"The Gods Love Nubia" and "Another Pyramid" are songs from what Disney Broadway musical based on a Giuseppe Verdi opera?	<b><u>AIDA</u></b>
1b	Published on November 25, 2020, "The Losses We Share" is an opinion piece in which what former actress revealed the pain she and her husband felt when she suffered a miscarriage in July?	<b><u>MEGHAN</u></b> , Duchess of Sussex (accept Meghan <b><u>MARKLE</u></b> or "The <b><u>DUCHESS OF SUSSEX</u></b> ")
2a	Winning a bronze medal in the floor exercise in Atlanta in 1996, what athlete is the first African-American to win an individual medal in gymnastics at the Olympic Games?	Dominique <b><u>DAWES</u></b>
2b	"How I need a drink, alcoholic, of course," is the start of a mnemonic to remember what irrational number?	<b><u>PI</u></b>
3a	Sending a message to governor Kristi Noem in the 2020 elections, what U.S. state became the first to legalize both medical and recreational marijuana on the same day?	<b><u>SOUTH DAKOTA</u></b>
3b	On July 17th, 1996, the city of Madras in Tamil Nadu, India, was officially renamed what, as part of a nationwide movement to de-Anglicize place names?	<b><u>CHENNAI</u></b>
4a	Originally written as a silent picture, "The Dueling Cavalier" is a fictional film-within-a-film in what classic 1952 movie musical?	<b><u>SINGIN' IN THE RAIN</u></b>
4b	The instrumental portion of what 1967 Procol Harum song is taken from J.S. Bach's "Air on the G String"?	A <b><u>WHITER SHADE OF PALE</u></b>

### Round 4

1a	Frederic Chopin, Oscar Wilde, and Jim Morrison of the Doors are among the luminaries buried in what Paris location, the most-visited cemetery in the world?	<b><u>PERE-LACHAISE</u></b>
1b	What word for an island or rocky reef too small for human habitation comes from the Scottish for "an isolated rock in the sea"?	<b><u>SKERRY</u></b>

2a	The popular reality show "The Great British Bake Off" is called "The Great British Baking Show" in the U.S., because the phrase "bake-off" is a U.S. trademark of what General Mills-owned brand?	<b><u>PILLSBURY</u></b>
2b	What East Coast city's name is the title of both a 2002 song by the Counting Crows and a 1997 song by Will Smith?	<b><u>MIAMI</u></b>
3a	In Slavic folklore, what is the name of the old woman with supernatural powers who lived in a hut standing on a foundation of chicken legs?	<b><u>BABA YAGA</u></b>
3b	TV chef Rachael Ray is known for using the abbreviation "EVOO" for what viscous liquid? Your answer should have four words.	<b><u>EXTRA VIRGIN OLIVE OIL</u></b>
4a	A jazzed-up version of the ancient game of baseball, "blernsball" is a popular 31st-century-pastime on what Matt Groening series?	<b><u>FUTURAMA</u></b>
4b	With atomic number 104, what synthetic group-4 element has the longest name in English of any element in the periodic table at 13 letters?	<b><u>RUTHERFORDIUM</u></b>

**HALF TIME – Switch Order (Scoring App will instruct)**

### Round 5

1a	Adapted into a 2006 film starring John Malkovich, what Christopher Paolini young-adult novel is the first in the series known as the Inheritance Cycle?	<b><u>ERAGON</u></b>
1b	Commissioned by Napoleon in 1806, what is the name of the monumental stone gate that stands at the western end of the Champs-Élysées in Paris?	<b><u>ARC DE TRIOMPHE</u></b>
2a	Also the 2018 achiever of the official marathon world record, what Kenyan runner became the first human to run a marathon in less than 2 hours in 2019?	Eliud <b><u>KIPCHOGE</u></b>
2b	First opened in 1927, what specific Coney Island attraction is the namesake of a minor league baseball team?	<b><u>CYCLONE</u></b> (prompt on “roller coaster” or similar)
3a	Released on a single streaming service in September 2020 due to the COVID-19 pandemic, what live-action remake omits songs such as "Reflection" that were part of the 1998 animated original?	<b><u>MULAN</u></b>
3b	"I handed him my bottle and he drank down my last swallow," says Kenny Rogers of the title character of what 1978 song?	The <b><u>GAMBLER</u></b>
4a	Billionaire Robert F. Smith announced he would pay off the student loan debt of all the grads he was addressing in a 2019 speech at Morehouse College, a historically Black institution in what city?	<b><u>ATLANTA</u></b> , Georgia

4b	Between the ages of 12 and 15 months, the CDC recommends that a child receive their first dose of vaccination against what virus that causes chicken pox?	<b><u>VARICELLA</u></b> zoster
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#### Round 6

1a	The Colombian telenovela "Yo soy Betty, la fea" was the inspiration for what ABC dramedy starring America Ferrera?	<b><u>UGLY BETTY</u></b>
1b	Sheathed in Colorado red granite and Arizona sandstone, the Brown Palace is an iconic hotel that has been serving guests since 1892 in what Western city?	<b><u>DENVER</u></b> , Colorado
2a	What pope is known for his controversial 1968 encyclical, "Humanae Vitae," which condemned artificial contraception methods? Name and regnal number are required.	<b><u>PAUL VI</u></b>
2b	Named for local hero Benjamin Franklin, the first bridge to cross the Delaware River connects Philadelphia with what New Jersey town of about 75,000 residents?	<b><u>CAMDEN</u></b>
3a	What influential 20th-century French composer composed his 1941 "Quartet for the End of Time" while he was a prisoner of war in Silesia?	Olivier <b><u>MESSIAEN</u></b>
3b	In botany, what six-letter term means the vascular tissue that conducts sugars and other metabolic products from the leaves to the non-photosynthetic parts of a plant?	<b><u>PHLOEM</u></b>
4a	What position was played by both Lou Groza of the Cleveland Browns and Jason Hanson of the Detroit Lions, the only two NFL players to have played 21 seasons for the same team?	<b><u>KICKER</u></b>
4b	With tracks including "Why" and "Walking on Broken Glass," "Diva" was the 1992 solo debut album by what Scottish singer-songwriter?	Annie <b><u>LENNOX</u></b>

#### Round 7

1a	At the 2012 London Olympics, what athlete became the first African-American to win a gold medal in the women's all-around gymnastics competition?	Gabby <b><u>DOUGLAS</u></b>
1b	Also famously recorded by Celine Dion, what 1976 Eric Carmen song borrows its main melody from Rachmaninoff's second piano concerto?	<b><u>ALL BY MYSELF</u></b>
2a	A 17-year-old Vietnamese bar entertainer is the protagonist of what Broadway musical based on the Puccini opera <i>Madama Butterfly</i> ?	<b><u>MISS SAIGON</u></b>
2b	Remembering that Andrew Jackson was elected twice, was the seventh President, and was first elected in 1828, is a complicated mnemonic for the first six digits of what irrational number?	<b><u>e</u></b> (accept "Euler's number")
3a	Electing Yvette Herrell, Deb Haaland, and Teresa Leger Fernandez to	<b><u>NEW MEXICO</u></b>

	the House of Representatives in 2020, what U.S. state will be the first with a House delegation entirely made up of women of color?	
3b	Although called "Canton" by Westerners well into the late 20th century, the port city of 14 million on China's southern coast is officially named what?	<b><u>GUANGZHOU</u></b>
4a	"Bluntman and Chronic" is a fictional film-within-a-film -- an adaptation of a stoner comic inspired by the title characters of what 2001 comedy?	<b><u>JAY AND SILENT BOB STRIKE BACK</u></b>
4b	On September 30, 2020, what "Lip Sync Battle" commentator Instagrammed emotional photos of herself in tears in the hospital following a miscarriage, revealing that she and her husband had planned to name the baby Jack?	Chrissy <b><u>TEIGEN</u></b>

### Round 8

1a	Pennies are often left on the grave in Baltimore's Greenmount Cemetery that contains the remains of what infamous Marylander?	John Wilkes <b><u>BOOTH</u></b>
1b	With atomic number 59, what shiny rare-earth element has a name second only to rutherfordium's in length, at 12 letters?	<b><u>PRASEODYMIUM</u></b>
2a	Buddy Valastro and his Hoboken, New Jersey bakery, Carlo's Bake Shop, are the focus of what popular TLC reality series?	<b><u>CAKE BOSS</u></b>
2b	In MFSB's hit 1974 song "TSOP," the titular acronym stands for "the sound of" what American city?	<b><u>PHILADELPHIA</u></b>
3a	A mashup of two major-league pro sports, what fictional sport is the namesake and subject of a 1998 comedy starring Trey Parker and Matt Stone?	<b><u>BASEKETBALL</u></b>
3b	With a street value of more than \$13 million, approximately 540,000 gallons of what viscous liquid commonly consumed at breakfast were discovered stolen in 2016 from a cartel located in Laurierville, Quebec?	Maple <b><u>SYRUP</u></b>
4a	The namesake of an item in <i>Super Mario Bros. 3</i> , what is the Japanese name for a raccoon dog, who in folklore was a shape-shifting trickster god?	<b><u>TANUKI</u></b>
4b	What three-letter word is used specifically to refer to a small river island, especially one in the river Thames and its tributaries?	<b><u>AIT</u></b>

### Spare Questions

1	Who is most famed for his 1817 work <i>An Essay on the Shaking Palsy</i> , in which he was the first to describe paralysis agitans? This condition was later renamed after him.	<b>Dr James <u>PARKINSON</u></b>
2	Proverbially what is the thief of time?	<b><u>PROCRASTINATION</u></b>
3	The herb Cilantro is known by what name in the UK?	<b><u>CORIANDER</u></b>
4	In 1968, Judy Clay and William Bell sang about what kind of 'number'? In 1999 - the song was covered by English boyband	<b><u>PRIVATE</u> Number</b>

