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ONLINE QUIZ LEAGUE
Questions set by MiniWac
For use in **OQL USA LEAGUE** matches during the week
beginning January 11, 2021



Correct as of 1/5/2021

Round 1

1a	His Xhosa (HO-sa, approximation) clan name, by what term of affection was Nelson Mandela commonly known to his followers?	<u>MADIBA</u>
1b	A type of subunit made of rough and smooth components, which part of a biological cell is essentially the cell's transportation system, forming an interconnected network of membrane-enclosed sacs?	<u>ENDOPLASMIC RETICULUM</u> <u>(prompt on ER)</u>
2a	Which airline with a three-letter acronymic name is the national flag carrier of Portugal?	<u>TAP</u>
2b	The painter Jean Metzinger painted the work known as <i>Tea Time</i> or <i>Femme à la Cuillère</i> , which was sarcastically described by the critic Louis Vauxcelles as " <i>Mona Lisa</i> with..." what type of kitchen utensil widely used in tea preparation?	<u>SPOON</u>
3a	According to Google Trends - who was the most searched actor in 2020? He and his wife Rita contracted Coronavirus whilst in Australia in April.	Tom <u>HANKS</u>
3b	As featured on the EXCELLENT Guardians of the Galaxy Soundtrack - which colourful band released the track 'Hooked on A Feeling'?	<u>BLUE SWEDE</u>
4a	Olly the Kookaburra and Millie the Echidna were Olympic Mascots, used for the 2000 Summer Games in which city?	<u>SYDNEY</u>
4b	Scoring 0% on Rotten Tomatoes, it is ranked as one of the worst films of all time - 'The Revenge' is the fourth part in which film series?	<u>JAWS</u>

Round 2

1a	Which Brazilian model and actress holds the record for appearing in the most Victoria's Secret shows? She had 18 appearances between 1999 and 2018. She shares her surname with a capital city.	Adriana <u>LIMA</u>
1b	This is the dictionary.com definition of which 2-word music genre: "Aggressive and heavily amplified rock music, commonly performed by groups that wear spectacular or bizarre costumes - characteristically using violent or fantastic imagery" - Bands in this genre would include Black Sabbath and Iron Maiden.	<u>HEAVY METAL</u>
2a	Opened in 1996 - in which city would you find the Bell Center? Formerly known as the Molson Center, it has the largest capacity of any NHL venue in common use.	<u>MONTREAL</u>
2b	Both films earning him an Oscar nomination for Best Director - who directed the 1980s films 'The Killing Fields' and 'The Mission'?	Roland <u>JOFFE</u>
3a	The mangonel and the trebuchet were early medieval forms of which device that is used to launch projectiles great distances?	<u>CATAPULT</u>
3b	Although it is said to have been proposed as early as the third century BCE by Aristarchus of Samos, the heliocentric model of the Universe is traditionally attributed to which Polish Renaissance-era mathematician and astronomer?	Nicolaus <u>COPERNICUS</u>
4a	The national flag of which African country is known for featuring the depiction of an AK-47 rifle?	<u>MOZAMBIQUE</u>
4b	Written and illustrated by Masashi Kishimoto, which bestselling manga series tells the story of the titular ninja who seeks recognition from his peers and dreams of becoming the leader of his village?	<u>NARUTO</u>

Round 3

1a	What was the nickname given to former Utah Jazz Power Forward Karl Malone, as he 'always delivered'?	The <u>MAILMAN</u>
1b	First launched by MTV in 1992 - which TV show is credited with the launch of the reality TV genre? The show sees a group of young adults, picked to live in a house together in a new city?	The <u>REAL WORLD</u>
2a	Which dating app has a name which also means 'easily combustible material, used to start a fire'?	<u>TINDER</u>
2b	Santana has won the Grammy Award for 'Best Pop Collaboration with Vocals' on two occasions. His victory in 2000 was for the song 'Smooth' alongside which other singer?	Rob <u>THOMAS</u>
3a	Which of the eighty-eight modern constellations has Sirius, or the "Dog Star", as its brightest star?	<u>CANIS MAJOR</u>
3b	Which comedy by William Shakespeare centres on the twins Viola and Sebastian, who are separated in a shipwreck?	<u>TWELFTH NIGHT</u>
4a	Born to immigrant parents, what Secretary of the State of California has been named to fill Kamala Harris' vacancy in the Senate, and become the first Latino to represent his state there?	Alex <u>PADILLA</u>
4b	Which arboreal, black-furred ape native to the forests of Indonesia, Malaysia, and Thailand is the largest of the gibbons? Palm oil production and deforestation are major threats to the populations of this creature.	<u>SIAMANG</u>

Round 4

1a	Which European country has a total of nine land borders, including its longest - at 487 miles - with its neighbour Austria?	<u>GERMANY</u>
1b	A class of metonymy, which literary device sees the name of a part of something being used to refer to the whole, for example the term "suits" for businessmen or "boots on the ground" for soldiers?	<u>SYNECDOCHE</u>
2a	Prior to becoming President, James K. Polk had served, between 1839 and 1841, as Governor of which of the US states?	<u>TENNESSEE</u>
2b	Consisting of materials ingested during the baby's time in the womb, what is the name of the earliest stool of a newborn baby?	<u>MECONIUM</u>
3a	There are FIVE recognized major championships in Golf at the Men's senior level (i.e. Over 50s). The Senior PGA, The Senior British Open, The Senior US Open and the Senior Players Championship are four - what is the fifth?	The <u>TRADITION</u> (aka the Regions Tradition for sponsorship purposes)
3b	What was the name of the 'Man' who (between 2008 and 2012) hosted the first four seasons of 'Man vs Food'?	Adam <u>RICHMAN</u>
4a	As classified by the USDA - what cut of prime beef is found closest to the head of the cow? It's further forward than 'rib' and immediately above 'brisket'?	<u>CHUCK</u>
4b	What type of creature gave the jazz musician Charlie Parker his nickname?	<u>BIRD (accept Yardbird)</u>

HALF TIME – Switch Order (Scoring App will instruct)

Round 5

1a	The national flag of which Asian country is known for featuring a depiction of a dragon from its mythology?	<u>BHUTAN</u>
1b	Published jointly in an 1858 collection of papers alongside Alfred Russel Wallace, the theory of natural selection and survival of the fittest is traditionally attributed to which Victorian-era naturalist and biologist?	Charles <u>DARWIN</u>
2a	There are FIVE major championships for Women's golf as recognized by the LPGA - The US Open, The British Open, The Women's PGA Championship and the The ANA Inspiration are four - what is the fifth?	<u>EVIAN</u> Championship
2b	This is the Collins dictionary definition of what 2-word genre of music? "A style of rock music originating in the 1970s and characterized by large-scale compositions, often on epic themes, in which musicians display instrumental virtuosity" - Bands in this genre would include Yes, King Crimson and the Alan Parsons Project.	<u>PROG ROCK</u> (accept <u>PROGRESSIVE ROCK</u>)
3a	The arquebus and the blunderbuss were early forms of which device often described nowadays by terms such as caliber and gauge?	<u>GUN / FIREARM</u> (accept any reasonable equivalents)
3b	Which literary device sees understatement being used for humorous effect, incorporating a double-negative, for example using the words "not unwelcome" to mean "welcome" or "not unattractive" to mean "very attractive"?	<u>LITOTES</u>
4a	As classified by the USDA - what cut of prime beef is found at the rear of the cow? It's further back from 'sirloin' and immediately above the 'hind shank'?	<u>ROUND</u>
4b	In 2017, the TV show Man vs Food was relaunched - who has hosted the four latest seasons of the show?	Casey <u>WEBB</u>

Round 6

1a	Misha, a bear cub, was used as the Olympic Mascot for the Summer Games in 1980, held in which city?	<u>MOSCOW</u>
1b	Santana has won the Grammy Award for 'Best Pop Collaboration with Vocals' on two occasions. His victory in 2003 was for the song 'The Game Of Love' alongside which other singer?	Michelle <u>BRANCH</u>
2a	Which of the eighty-eight modern constellations has Polaris, or the "Pole Star", as its brightest star?	<u>URSA MINOR / LITTLE DIPPER / LITTLE BEAR</u>
2b	Sometimes called the bleeding-heart monkey, which Old World monkey species of the Ethiopian Highlands is not, despite a common name given to it, actually a baboon, but the only living member of the <i>Theropithecus</i> genus? Agricultural expansion and shooting as crop pests are major threats to the populations of this creature.	<u>GELADA</u>
3a	According to Google Trends - what was the most searched retail item of 2020? It was released by Sony in November 2020.	<u>PLAYSTATION 5 / PS5</u> (console name AND number required, prompt on just 'Playstation')
3b	Scoring 0% on Rotten Tomatoes, it is ranked as one of the worst films of all time - 'The Quickening' is the second part of which film series?	<u>HIGHLANDER</u>
4a	What first black US Representative from Missouri and newest member of "the Squad" introduced legislation in January 2021 to remove all members who backed the challenge to the election results?	Cori <u>BUSH</u>
4b	The painter Marcel Duchamp painted the work <i>L.H.O.O.Q.</i> (a pun on the French for "she has a hot ass"), which features the <i>Mona Lisa</i> with what distinguishing facial feature added?	<u>MOUSTACHE</u>

Round 7

1a	Gujarati for "father", by what term of affection was Mahatma Gandhi commonly known to his followers?	<u>BAPU</u>
1b	Which comedy by William Shakespeare centres on the two close friends Valentine and Proteus, who are in love with Silvia and Julia respectively?	<i>The <u>TWO GENTLEMEN OF VERONA</u></i>
2a	Which dating app has a name (albeit with a letter missing) which also means 'One who sharpens edges' or could also be an informal name for the molars?	<u>GRINDR</u>
2b	First broadcast by MTV in 2004 - which TV show, originally hosted by rapper Xzibit, saw young car owners getting their vehicles upgraded by 'West Coast Customs'?	<u>PIMP MY RIDE</u>
3a	Which airline with a three-letter acronymic name is the national flag carrier of Poland?	<u>LOT</u>
3b	Which organelle found in most eukaryotic cells packages proteins into membrane-bound vesicles inside the cell before these vesicles are sent to their destination? Many animal cells contain only one or several of this organelle, while plant cells can contain hundreds.	<u>GOLGI</u> apparatus/body
4a	What was the nickname given to 10-time All-Star Center David Robinson? It referenced his time attending the US Naval Academy.	The <u>ADMIRAL</u>
4b	As featured on the EXCELLENT Guardians of the Galaxy Soundtrack - which colourful band released the track 'Come And Get Your Love'?	<u>REDBONE</u>

Round 8

1a	Appearing in 17 Victoria's Secret shows between 2000 and 2017 - which Brazilian model was the first spokesperson for the company's 'PINK' line? Born in 1981, she has an alliterative name.	Alessandra <u>AMBROSIO</u>
1b	Both films earning him an Oscar nomination for Best Director - who directed the 1980s films 'Witness' and 'Dead Poets Society'?	Peter <u>WEIR</u>
2a	Prior to becoming President, Franklin Pierce had served, between 1837 and 1842, as Senator of which of the US states?	<u>NEW HAMPSHIRE</u>
2b	Written and illustrated by Osamu Tezuka, which bestselling manga series tells of the medical adventures of the titular doctor who does good deeds but rarely gets recognition from his peers for his acts of morality?	<u>BLACK JACK</u>
3a	Opened in 1962 - which stadium has the highest seating capacity of any team in Major League Baseball? It's the third oldest MLB stadium overall, behind Wrigley Field and Fenway Park.	<u>DODGER STADIUM</u> (Los Angeles)
3b	What type of large projectile gave the jazz musician Julian Adderley his nickname?	<u>CANNONBALL</u>
4a	Which South American country has a total of ten land borders, including its longest - at 761 miles - with its neighbour Argentina?	<u>BRAZIL</u>
4b	What is the name of the very thin, usually unpigmented downy hair sometimes found on the body of a newborn baby?	<u>LANUGO</u>

Spare Questions

1	What is the title of the novel referencing the civic position held by Michael Henchard? It has the subtitle "The Life and Death of a Man of Character".	The <u>MAYOR OF CASTERBRIDGE</u>
2	Often seen as symbolic of the former East Germany and the collapse of the Eastern Bloc in general, which car was made by the company VEB Sachsenring from 1957 until 1990?	<u>TREBANT</u>
3	Currently ranked number 49 in the men's world rankings – what is the first name of the tennis player Mr Sandgren?	<u>TENNYS</u>
4	Despite him living until a month after his 100th Birthday, which famous entertainer was surpassed by his wife Dolores, who lived until 102?	Bob <u>HOPE</u>