

LANCASTER CITY QUIZ LEAGUE
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Answers required are in **bold** and **CAPITALS Surnames only are required unless stated**

Round 1 - CASTLES

This is a history/geography round. For questions 1a to 3b, the answers are the name of a castle.

1a	A castle in North Yorkshire owned for much of its existence (1310-1676) by the Clifford family.	SKIPTON
1b	A castle in South Cumbria still lived in by the descendants of the Strickland family.	SIZERGH
2a	A castle in Gloucestershire where King Edward II died an allegedly horrible death in 1327.	BERKELEY
2b	A castle in South (should be West) Yorkshire where King Richard II died, probably of starvation, in 1400.	PONTEFRACT
3a	A splendid example of a concentric castle built by Edward I on Anglesey to guard the entrance to the Menai Straits.	BEAUMARIS
3b	A Kent castle built on an island in a lake with a name that suggests it should be in West Yorkshire.	LEEDS
4a	What name is given to the type of early castle where a wooden or stone keep was built on top of a mound of earth? (3 words)	MOTTE AND BAILEY
4b	What name is given to the stone fortifications built at intervals along the south and east coasts of England as a defence against a Napoleonic invasion? (2 words)	MARTELLO TOWERS
Spare	In which East Midlands castle did King John die in 1216?	NEWARK

Round 2 - MUSIC, COMEDY AND THE SPOKEN WORD

1a	The carved graves on Heysham Barrows appear on the cover of a "Best of" album released in 2000 by which rock band?	BLACK SABBATH
1b	Battersea Power Station appears on the cover of a 1977 album by which rock band?	PINK FLOYD
2a	Born in Glasgow in 1972, which controversial Scottish comedian was a regular on the comedy show "Mock The Week" between 2005 and 2009? (both names needed)	FRANKIE BOYLE
2b	Born in Reading in 1961, which comedian and actor has hosted the Golden Globe Awards on several occasions? (both names needed)	RICKY GERVAIS
3a	Born in Birmingham of West Indian heritage in 1958, which performance poet was included in The Times 2008 list of the top 50 British post war writers? (both names needed)	BENJAMIN ZEPHANIAH
3b	Born in 1965, which Manchester based performance poet is also known by the nickname "Longfella"? (both names needed)	TONY WALSH

4a	Name the group which comprises the following: Melanie Blatt, Shaznay Lewis, Nicole and Natalie Appleton.	ALL SAINTS
4b	Name the group which comprises the following: Keith Duffy, Michael Graham, Shane Lynch and Ronan Keating.	BOYZONE
Spare	Which singer is godmother to both of Elton John's sons?	LADY GAGA

Round 3 - AUTHORS, PLACES AND DEATHS
Given the following information, name the author

1a	Born in India and very popular in the late 19 th and early 20 th Centuries, he lost his son in World war One, lived at Batemans in East Sussex and died in 1936.	Rudyard KIPLING
1b	Principally associated with Dorset, he died at his home Max Gate near Dorchester in 1928.	Thomas HARDY
2a	A philosopher and prolific novelist, she lived principally in Oxford. Kate Winslet portrayed her in a film about her dementia. She died in 1999.	Iris MURDOCH
2b	Many of this female author's books have been made into films. Associated with Cornwall, she died in 1989.	Daphne DU MAURIER
3a	His best-known work, published in 1959, is set in the Slad Valley, Gloucestershire, where he lived as a child. He died in 1997.	Laurie LEE
3b	His best-known novel, published in 1960, is set in the fictional West Yorkshire town of Cressley, which could be Dewsbury. Made into a film in 1962 starring Alan Bates, June Richie and Thora Hird, it was the first book of a trilogy. This author died in South Wales in 2011.	Stan BARSTOW
4a	Born in a Lincolnshire rectory, he succeeded Wordsworth as Poet Laureate and held the post till his death in 1892.	Alfred (Lord) TENNYSON
4b	Born in Eastwood, Nottinghamshire, this often controversial novelist died in New Mexico, USA, in 1930.	(D.H.) LAWRENCE
Spare	A classical scholar and poet, his most famous work is set in his native county of Shropshire. He died in 1936.	(A.E.) HOUSMAN

Round 4 - A GENERAL ROUND WITH A HINT OF FOOTBALL

The answers to all the questions contain the surname of a footballer who has scored over 100 goals in the Premier League. Where the answer is that of a person's name, **both names are required.**

1a	Who fronted the successful 1980's band The Commotions?	LLOYD COLE
1b	Glenn Jacobs is the real name of which American wrestling superstar? (single name only)	KANE
2a	Which six letter word is defined by Dictionary.com as "to stoop or bend low"?	CROUCH
2b	Which coastal town in Norfolk is in postcode district NR26 and has the telephone dialling code 01263?	SHERINGHAM
3a	Born in 1480, what was the Christian name of this Portuguese explorer who was killed in the Pacific in 1521?	FERDINAND

3b	Which poet, born in Oswestry, was killed in action shortly before the Armistice in 1918?	WILFRED OWEN
4a	Which British politician, whose constituencies were first Nottingham South and then Sutton Coldfield, held cabinet posts under both Margaret Thatcher and John Major? Until April this year, he was Lord Speaker in the House of Lords.	NORMAN FOWLER
4b	Which English writer, journalist and pamphleteer died in London in 1731?	DANIEL DEFOE
Spare	What is the Christian name of an actor who has played Superman and is also a brand of vacuum cleaner?	HENRY

Round 5 - AFRICA

1a	Which African river is the deepest in the world?	THE CONGO
1b	In which country is Mount Kilimanjaro?	TANZANIA
2a	What was the former name of the country now known as Eswatini?	SWAZILAND
2b	What was the former name of the country now known as Benin?	DAHOMEY
3a	Bamako is the capital of which country?	MALI
3b	Yaoundé is the capital of which country?	CAMEROON
4a	Who directed the 1966 film <i>Born Free</i> ?	James HILL
4b	Who directed the 1988 film <i>Out of Africa</i> ?	Sidney POLLACK
Spare	Which is the smallest country in area in MAINLAND Africa?	THE GAMBIA

Round 6 - FAMOUS LIVES BEFORE 1250 AD

Give any year during the lives of the following, specifying AD or BC/BCE

1a	Genghis Khan	1158-1227 AD
1b	Attila the Hun	c.406-453 AD
2a	Aristotle	384-322 BC/BCE
2b	Euripides	480-406 BC/BCE
3a	Alfred the Great	848-899 AD
3b	Canute (or Knut)	994-1035 AD
4a	Constantine (Roman Emperor)	272-337 AD
4b	Charlemagne	748-814 AD
Spare	Confucius	551-479 BC/BCE

Round 7 - 'M' PEOPLE

In this round, all answers are a single surname beginning with the letter M

1a	British Prime Minister whose first term of office began in 1924	MACDONALD
1b	German composer died 1847, wrote <i>The Hebrides</i> overture, often called <i>Fingal's Cave</i> .	MENDELSSOHN
2a	French author, died, 1673, whose works include <i>Tartuffe</i> and <i>Le Misanthrope</i>	MOLIÈRE
2b	American citizen, died 1872, artist and designer, claimed to be the sole inventor of the electromagnetic telegraph	MORSE
3a	Educationalist, died 1952, whose methods inspired the teaching of infants	MONTESSORI
3b	Florentine diplomat, died 1513, whose writing concerned the reality of politics	MACHIAVELLI
4a	Austrian botanist, died 1884, the founder of modern genetics	MENDEL
4b	American Secretary of State, died 1959, gave his name to the European Recovery Plan after the Second World War	MARSHALL
Spare	Poet and craftsman, died 1896, a key figure in the British Arts and Crafts movement, founded the Kelmscott Press	MORRIS

Round 8 - A MISCELLANY

1a	Name the actress who will play Queen Elizabeth 11 in the next series of <i>The Crown</i>	Imelda STAUNTON
1b	Paul Murton (NOT Paul Merton the comedian) has for the last few years presented programmes on BBC2 on what subject area?	SCOTTISH LANDSCAPES/SCENERY (accept LOCHS or ISLANDS)
2a	In which sport did Lauren Price win a gold medal at this year's Tokyo Olympics?	BOXING
2b	In which sport did Tom Dean win a gold medal at this year's Tokyo Olympics?	SWIMMING
3a	Name the finance company, now bankrupt, on whose behalf David Cameron lobbied Rishi Sunak and other ministers in March this year?	GREENSILL CAPITAL
3b	According to the information on a pillar in front of Lancaster bus station, which nearby steep and narrow street closed to all traffic has a name derived from the Norse for "cold spring"?	CALKELD LANE
4a	Which country has developed the Valneva vaccine against COVID which generates a stronger immune response than AstraZeneca but which the UK will not use?	FRANCE
4b	Which former US Secretary of State died on 18 th October from complications of COVID? (both names needed)	COLIN POWELL
Spare	In which country was Terry Waite, the special envoy of the Archbishop of Canterbury, held hostage between 1987 and 1991?	LEBANON