

Lancaster City Quiz League
Pool Week 6: 13th February 2023 - Set by Station Hotel B

All required answers are in bold and underlined. Surnames acceptable except Round 6.

Round 1: Japan.

- 1a:** What is the Japanese name for Japan? **Nihon** or **Nippon**
- 1b:** Name the Emperor of Japan. **Naruhito**
- 2a:** Which Japanese dish comprises raw fish or meat, thinly sliced and usually served without rice or other accompaniments? **Sashimi** – NOT Sushi
- 2b:** The painting “The Great Wave of Kanagawa” is famous worldwide. Who painted it? **Hokusai**
- 3a:** Who directed the 1954 film “Seven Samurai”? **Kurosawa**
- 3b:** Which Studio Ghibli film won best animated feature at the 2003 Oscars? **Spirited Away**
- 4a:** The kimono is usually fitted with a belt or sash. What is this called? **Obi**
- 4b:** What is the traditional national sport of Japan? **Sumo**
- Spare:** What time is it in Tokyo when it is 12 (Noon) GMT in London? **21.00. (9.pm)**

Round 2: A PH round.

*Give your answer based on the information provided. All answers contain “ph” somewhere within them.
Examples: phaeton; catastrophe, dauphin.*

- 1a:** The fraudulent practice of sending emails or other messages purporting to be from reputable companies in order to induce individuals to reveal personal information, such as passwords and credit card numbers. **Phishing** (do not accept Pharming)
- 1b:** Name the ancient religious sanctuary dedicated to the Greek god Apollo, now a UNESCO World Heritage site, lying between two towering rocks of Mt. Parnassus, in Central Greece. **Delphi**
- 2a:** This can be both an executive car model manufactured by Ford of Britain from 1950 until 1972 and a name given to a gentle breeze from the West. **Zephyr**
- 2b:** There are normally 56 of these bones in the human body with 14 in each hand and each foot. **Phalanges**
- 3a:** What is defined as “*an ancient vessel form used as a storage jar and one of the principal vessel shapes in Greek pottery, a two-handled pot with a neck narrower than the body*”. **Amphora**
- 3b:** What is defined as “*a commemorative monument dedicated to a person or group of people buried elsewhere; especially a public memorial built in honour of people who died in a war*”? **Cenotaph**
- 4a:** Born 1958, in Birmingham, give the surname of the writer, dub poet, playwright and anarchist, declined an OBE in 2003 in protest against colonialism. It’s also, a book of the Bible Old Testament. **Zephaniah**
- 4b:** A waxy, colourless solid with a strong aroma, it used to be distilled from the bark and wood of a type of large evergreen tree found in East Asia. Used in products like Vicks VapoRub & Tiger Balm. **Camphor**
- Spare:** Pink Floyd were filmed performing live in one of these in Pompeii, Italy over 4 days in 1971. It later became a 1972 concert documentary film directed by Adrian Maben. **Amphitheatre**

Round 3: British Sitcoms.

You will be given the name of an actor, a setting/location and a theme/plot point. From these clues, name the British sitcom.

- 1a:** Ricky Tomlinson; Manchester; Television. **The Royle Family**
- 1b:** Chris Barrie; Leisure Centre; Poor Management. **The Brittas Empire**
- 2a:** Nicholas Lyndhurst; Cheltenham; Bad Cooking. **Butterflies**
- 2b:** Christopher Ryan; London; Students. **The Young Ones**
- 3a:** Melvyn Hayes; India/Burma; Military Life. **It Ain't Half Hot Mum**
- 3b:** Hugh Laurie; Flanders; War. **Blackadder Goes Forth**
- 4a:** Brain Wilde; Cumberland; Doing Bird. **Porridge**
- 4b:** Wendy Richard; Grace Brothers; Double Entendres. **Are You Being Served?**
- Spare:** Noel Fielding; A Zoo; Surreal. **The Mighty Boosh**

Round 4. General.

- 1a:** Give one year in the life of Scottish knight and hero William Wallace. **1270 to 1305**
- 1b:** Which was the world's first jet airliner? De Havilland **Comet**
- 2a:** Jazz musician Buddy Rich is mainly associated with which instrument? **Drums**
- 2b:** The Uffizi Gallery is a prominent art museum located in the historic centre of which Italian city? **Florence**
- 3a:** Who won the 2022 BBC Sports Personality of the Year? Beth **Mead**
- 3b:** An NFT is a unique digital highly secure identifier that is used to certify authenticity and ownership. What does NFT stand for? **Non-fungible Token**
- 4a:** Dover is the capital of which U.S. state? **Delaware**
- 4b:** What is the world's largest fish? **Whaleshark**
- Spare:** Who wrote the 1859/1860 novel "The Woman in White"? Wilkie **Collins**

Round 5: Dungeons and Dragons

All answers/questions contain the word dragon(s) or a place of incarceration.

- 1a:** In George R. R. Martin's "A Song of Ice and Fire" series – Daenerys Targaryen, is the mother of three dragons. Viserion, and Rhaegal are two of them. Name the third. **Drogon**
- 1b:** Name the series of children's books written by British author Cressida Cowell. It is also the name of an American media franchise from DreamWorks Animation. **How to Train Your Dragon**
- 2a:** Name the eponymous hero of the novel by Alexander Dumas, who was imprisoned in the dreaded island fortress of Chateau d'If? **The Count of Monte Cristo** (accept **Edmund Dantes**)
- 2b:** Name the fictitious island fortress in the middle of the North Sea, where Sirius Black was imprisoned, and after twelve years became the only known person to escape the prison unassisted. **Azkaban**

- 3a:** Name this member of the monitor lizard family Varanidae, found on several of the Indonesian islands. Growing up to a length of 3m, it is the largest living species of lizard. **Komodo Dragon**
- 3b:** To which genus of plants do snapdragons, dragon flowers and dog flowers belong? **Antirrhinum**
- 4a:** The title of this 1996 serial novel by Stephen King, is the name given to the death row of the fictional Cold Mountain Penitentiary, nicknamed for the colour of the floor's linoleum. **The Green Mile**
- 4b:** What was the nickname of American criminal Robert Franklin Stroud, a convicted murderer who became an expert in his hobby during his 54 years in prison. **Birdman of Alcatraz**
- Spare: 1.** During World War 2, how was Oflag IV-C better known? **Colditz Castle**
- 2.** What is the name of the giant, dwarf-eating, hobbit-scaring, treasure-hoarding dragon in "The Hobbit" **Smaug**

Round 6: World Music

You will be given the name of song with "World" in the title and its release date. Name the artist/band who sang the song – First and Surnames required.

- 1a:** Around the World (1989) **Lisa Stansfield**
- 1b:** We are the World (1985) **USA for Africa**
- 2a:** Rule the World (2007) **Take That**
- 2b:** It's the End of the World as We Know It (and I feel fine) (1987) **R.E.M**
- 3a:** World in Motion (1990) **New Order** (also accept **England** National Football Team)
- 3b:** Heal the World (1991) **Michael Jackson**
- 4a:** The Man who Sold the World (1970) **David Bowie**
- 4b:** Rocking all over the World (1977) **Status Quo**
- Spare:** Man of the World (1969) **Fleetwood Mac**

Round 7: A N.E.W.S. round.

Not quite what you think - All answers are, or contain, points of the compass. e.g, Bridgnorth, Lowestoft

- 1a:** A novel of 1855, by Elizabeth Gaskell. **North and South**
- 1b:** The common name for Rapa Nui. **Easter Island**
- 2a:** Name given to a British financial crash of 1720. **South Sea Bubble**
- 2b:** The London borough from which Chaucer's Canterbury pilgrims set forth. **Southwark**
- 3a:** Nottinghamshire town, birthplace of D. H. Lawrence. **Eastwood**
- 3b:** Yorkshire novel by Winifred Holtby, later adapted for TV by Stan Barstow. **South Riding**
- 4a:** A novel of 1818 by Jane Austen. **Northanger Abbey**
- 4b:** Premiership Rugby Union team, nicknamed "The Saints". **Northampton**
- Spare:** USA State, capital Charleston. **West Virginia**

Round 8: General.

1a: Lincoln is the capital of which U.S. state? **Nebraska**

1b: What current 2-word slang term refers to the child of a professional, such as an actor, who follows in their footsteps and gets success primarily due to their parent's fame or reputation?

Nepo Baby (accept **Nepotism Baby**)

2a: In 1932, who was the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic? Amelia **Earhart**

2b: Which is the world's largest flying bird? **Albatross**

3a: The wreck of one of Ernest Shackleton's ships was finally found beneath the Weddell Sea in March 2022. What is its name? **Endurance**

3b: The Guggenheim Museum designed by Canadian-American architect Frank Gehry, is located in which Spanish city? **Bilbao**

4a: Give one year in the life of Scots poet Robert Burns. **1759 to 1796**

4b: Who was the first female Speaker of the House of Commons? Betty **Boothroyd**

Spare: Who composed the music for "West Side Story"? Leonard **Bernstein**