

LANCASTER CITY QUIZ LEAGUE**October 10 2022**

Quiz set by Gregson A

Required answers are in **BOLD CAPITALS**

Surnames only required unless otherwise indicated

Round 1 A SPRING & SUMMER OF SPORT

1a	Which rugby union team won the 2022 Aviva Premiership play-off final, defeating Saracens 15-12?	LEICESTER TIGERS
1b	Who won the women's singles titles at both the French and US Open tennis tournaments in 2022?	(Iga) SWIATEK
2a	Geraint Thomas came third in the 2022 Tour de France to help which British cycling team to win the team prize in the competition?	INEOS GRENADIERS
2b	At which famous and dangerous annual sporting event in the British Isles did five competitors lose their lives in 2022, only one fewer than the highest ever number of fatalities, in 1970?	(Isle of Man) TT (Tourist Trophy) RACES
3a	Which team did the England women's football XI defeat in the final of the European Championship in July?	GERMANY
3b	Who was the only UK gold medallist (in the men's 1500 metres) at the 2022 World Athletic Championships in Eugene, Oregon?	(Jake) WIGHTMAN
4a	Which Englishman won the 2022 US Open Golf Championship?	(Matt) FITZPATRICK
4b	In cricket's 'The Hundred' competition, which women's team won the title for the second year running?	OVAL INVINCIBLES
Sp	Who won the 2022 Formula 1 GB Grand Prix at Silverstone in his Ferrari?	(Carlos) SAINZ

Round 2 IRELAND

1a	On which river does Cork stand?	LEE
1b	What is the name (in English) of the Irish national anthem?	SOLDIER'S SONG
2a	Which Irish playwright wrote <i>Juno and the Paycock</i> ?	(Sean) O'CASEY
2b	Ireland's highest mountain, Carrauntoohil, is in which range?	McGILLICUDDY'S REEKS
3a	Which Irishman both sang two Eurovision Song Contest-winning songs and also composed another winner, all three for his native land?	(Johnny) LOGAN
3b	What is the name of the illustrated manuscript of the gospels which dates from around AD 800 and is kept in Trinity College, Dublin?	(The) BOOK (of) KELLS
4a	Which very unpopular C19 Irish land agent for absentee landlords gave his surname to a new word in the English language?	(Captain Charles) BOYCOTT
4b	In 1898, at Doorus House in County Galway, W B Yeats, Lady Gregory and others met to discuss the setting up of which famous Dublin institution?	(The) ABBAY THEATRE
Sp	The shrine at which town in County Mayo is an important place of Catholic pilgrimage?	KNOCK

Round 3 BOX SETS
A round on TV drama series

1a	Set in and around the fictitious village of Portwenn, <i>Doc Martin</i> is based on and filmed in which real Cornish fishing village?	PORT ISAAC
1b	Which Danish actor has won plaudits for his performances in <i>The Bridge</i> (as a police detective) and <i>Killing Eve</i> (as Villanelle's handler)?	(Kim) BODNIA
2a	The series <i>Line of Duty</i> follows the investigations by members of the police unit AC-12. What does 'AC' stand for?	ANTI-CORRUPTION
2b	What is the surname of the butler in <i>Downton Abbey</i> , played by Jim Carter?	CARSON
3a	What is the surname of the central character in <i>Breaking Bad</i> , played by Bryan Cranston?	(Walter) WHITE
3b	In which (real-life) northern English valley is the series <i>Happy Valley</i> set?	CALDER (Valley)
4a	In the 1990-1991 TV drama series <i>Twin Peaks</i> , what was the name of the murder victim who was the subject of the police investigation?	(Laura) PALMER
4b	In which TV series did Kiefer Sutherland play the character Jack Bauer?	24
Sp	Which TV programme, now in its sixth season, is the prequel to and spin off from <i>Breaking Bad</i> ?	BETTER CALL SAUL

Round 4 GENERAL (1)

1a	For which genre of theatre, still popular today, did Charles Perrault write many of the stories, at the end of the seventeenth century?	PANTOMIME
1b	Which modern conflict has been described as 'the equivalent of two bald men fighting over a comb'?	FALKLANDS WAR
2a	Mount Toubkal (13,665 feet) is in which country?	MOROCCO
2b	In astronomy what is an N.E.O.?	NEAR EARTH OBJECT
3a	Not much used in the modern world, of what were the mangonel, onager, ballista and trebuchet all types?	CATAPULTS (accept SIEGE WEAPONS or similar)
3b	What type of disaster links Cumberland in England (1957), Dauphin County, Pennsylvania (1979) and the north-east of Honshu island (2011)?	NUCLEAR (Power Plant) FAILURES/LEAKS (or similar)
4a	Which branch of mathematics is named after the Latin word for a pebble?	CALCULUS
4b	Pieter, Pieter the Younger and Jan were all members of which family of artists?	BRUEGEL
Sp	What is the word for an area of woodland in which the trees or shrubs are periodically cut back to ground level to stimulate growth?	COPPICE (accept COPSE)

Round 5 A LOCAL ROUND

1a	Whose horse's shoe is claimed to have been shed at Horseshoe Corner?	JOHN OF GAUNT
1b	When St. Anne's church in Lancaster was declared redundant in the late 1960s, it was repurposed. What do we now call this Lancaster institution, which opened its doors in 1971?	(The) DUKES (Theatre)
2a	Which Lancaster brewery was acquired by Thwaites in 1984? Its Old Brewery site was then sold to Mitchells which brewed there until 1999.	YATES & JACKSON
2b	In which year did Morecambe's West End Pier blow away in a storm? Allow two years either way.	1977 (1975-1979)
3a	With which spice are Morecambe potted shrimps traditionally flavoured?	MACE
3b	In which building are the Gillow Collection and the Museum of Childhood located?	(The) JUDGES' LODGINGS
4a	In which year did 16 people die in an explosion at Abbeystead waterworks' valve house? Allow one year either way.	1984 (1983-1985)
4b	What is the speciality (non-alcoholic) drink of Heysham village?	NETTLE BEER
Sp	Previously an orphanage and a teacher training college, what is the current name of this educational facility?	RIPLEY (St Thomas C of E) SCHOOL/ACADEMY

Round 6 FOUR LETTER WORDS

All answers are four letter words

1a	Which river, a 40 miles-long chalk stream, flows south from near Basingstoke into Southampton Water?	TEST
1b	What is the surname of the German who, then a teenager, landed an aircraft near Red Square in Moscow in 1987?	(Matthias) RUST
2a	What is the Spanish word for 'blue'?	AZUL
2b	In classical mythology, who pined away for her unrequited love of Narcissus?	ECHO
3a	Who directed such black and white film classics as <i>While the City Sleeps</i> , <i>The Big Heat</i> and <i>Metropolis</i> ?	(Fritz) LANG
3b	Of what country is N'Djamena the capital?	CHAD
4a	What is the term for the iron or gold neck ring, worn as a sign of power and authority in Iron Age culture?	TORC/TORQ (accept TORQUE)
4b	What is the name for a squirrel's nest?	DREY/DRAY
Sp	Which type of beer is named after the Czech town where it was first brewed?	PILS (accept PILSNER)

Round 7 PLACE NAMES IN WALES

All answers are place names in Wales (cities, towns, villages or other geographical features). While spellings may occasionally differ slightly, in all cases relevant words in clues and answers are phonetically the same. In all instances only the place name is required for a correct answer

1a	What is the name of the US town, famous for its folk festival where Bob Dylan first 'went electric' publicly on July 25 1965?	NEWPORT (Rhode Island)
1b	What form of mineral quartz was mined at Grime's Graves in Norfolk during the Neolithic period? This material was shaped into tools of various uses, a process known as knapping.	FLINT
2a	How is the rowan (a tree of the genus <i>Sorbus</i>) also known?	MOUNTAIN-ASH
2b	What Welsh place name is shared by colleges at Oxford & Cambridge?	PEMBROKE
3a	What is the name of the heritage railway which runs from Bridgnorth to Kidderminster?	(The) SEVERN (Valley Railway)
3b	What is the name of the Derbyshire-based pottery company which makes tableware and kitchenware products?	DENBY (i.e. Denbigh)
4a	What is the name of the city (a status conferred in 2022) in County Down, Northern Ireland which is about a dozen miles east of Belfast?	BANGOR
4b	What is the forename of the eponymous anti-hero of a picaresque novel by W M Thackeray (1844) and of a film by Stanley Kubrick (1975)? His adventures are set partly during the Seven Years War.	BARRY (Lyndon)
Sp	What is the name of American who in 2013 leaked highly classified information from the US National Security Agency?	(Edward) SNOWDEN

Round 8 GENERAL (2)

1a	If you were engaging in the 'Sir Roger de Coverley' or the 'Dashing White Sergeant', what would you be doing?	DANCING
1b	Of what are the following types: chewings, fescue, red fescue and paspalum?	GRASS(es)
2a	Why did Heracles have to perform his Twelve Labours?	(Because he had) KILLED HIS CHILDREN
2b	What is the highest bid in Contract Bridge?	SEVEN NO TRUMPS
3a	Found on a computer keyboard and widely used on social media the <i>octothorpe</i> is a symbol that goes by which more common name?	HASH (tag)
3b	What would a person be doing if he/she was giving a 'shrift' (as in 'short shrift')?	HEARING CONFESSION/GIVING ABSOLUTION
4a	Built in France in 1369 as a fortress, the Castle of Saint Antoine is now far better known by what name?	(The) BASTILLE
4b	Jacob and Wilhelm were German academics, philologists, cultural researchers and authors who collected and published folklore. What was their surname?	(The Brothers) GRIMM
Sp	What were Pangaea, Gondwana, Rodinia and Pannotia?	SUPERCONTINENTS (accept LARGE LANDMASSES or similar)

