

HAPPY NEW YEAR, EVERYONE! - QUIZ SET BY HEYSHAM CRICKET CLUB, REQUIRED STUFF IN BOLD

ROUND ONE: CUMBRIAN CONUNDRUMS, EH?

1a Which writer and broadcaster was born in 1939 and lived his early life in Wigton?

Ans: **MELVYN BRAGG**

1b Which member of one of the world's most successful pop bands, who died in 2022, was born in the village of Bouth and grew up in Greenodd?

Ans: **CHRISTINE MCVIE**

2a Which football club was replaced in the football league by Wimbledon FC in 1977?

Ans: AFC **WORKINGTON**

2b Which world championships take place Egremont each year?

Ans: World **GURNING** Championship

3a Castlerigg, Swinside and Long Meg are examples of what?

Ans: **STONE CIRCLES**

3b Where is the gypsy horse fair, held in early June of each year?

Ans: **APPLEBY**

4a Arthur Stanley Jefferson was born in which market town in 1890?

Ans: **ULVERSTON** (Stan Laurel)

4b What is the name of the gunman who went on the rampage in Cumbria in 2010?

Ans: (Derrick) **BIRD**

SPARES

1 Which mountain has a 'striding edge'?

Ans: **HELVELLYN**

2 What is the affectionate name given to the Ravenglass and Eskdale Railway?

Ans: **LA'AL RATTY**

ROUND TWO - THREESOMES

(Each questions has 3 answers. 1 point for 1 correct answer, 2 points for 2, 3 points for 3, all 3 required for a pass.)

1a) Name the 3 other teams in England's group in the 2022 Qatar World Cup:

Ans: **WALES, USA, IRAN**

1b) Name the 3 other teams in England's group in UEFA's Euro 2024 competition.

Ans: **SERBIA, DENMARK, SLOVENIA**

2a) Which 3 countries have a land border with Cambodia?

Ans: **LAOS, VIETNAM, THAILAND**

2b) Which 3 countries have a land border with Norway?

Ans: **SWEDEN, RUSSIA, FINLAND**

3a) Name the 3 James Bond films for which Shirley Bassey sang the theme tune.

Ans: **GOLDFINGER, DIAMONDS ARE FOREVER, MOONRAKER**

3b) The Three Tenors were an operatic singing group consisting of which 3 singers?

Ans: (PLACIDO) **DOMINGO**, (JOSE) **CARRERAS**, (LUCIANO) **PAVAROTTI**

4a) Name Donald Duck's 3 nephews.

Ans: **HUEY, LOUIE and DEWEY**

4b) Name the 3 streets displayed in orange on a Monopoly board.

Ans: **BOW, MARLBOROUGH, VINE**

Spare) Name the 3 musketeers in the novel by Alexandre Dumas.

Ans: **ATHOS. PORTOS, ARAMIS**

ROUND THREE "IF MUSIC BE THE FOOD OF LOVE, PREPARE FOR INDIGESTION."

A ROUND ON FOOD IN POPULAR MUSIC.

1a) In which 10cc song do they compare death to "a cold lasagne suspended in deep freeze"?

Ans: (Life is a) **MINESTRONE**

1b) In which US location does Tina Turner tell us that "salt pork and molasses is all you get in jail"?

Ans: **NUTBUSH** (City Limits)

2a) Which song written by Hank Williams (and a hit for the Carpenters) mentions Louisiana food specialities crawfish pie and file gumbo?

Ans: **JAMBALAYA**

2b) Which song by Harry Styles was a number 4 hit in the UK, a number 1 hit in the USA in 2020, and begins with the lyrics "Tastes like strawberries on a summer evening"?

Ans: **WATERMELON SUGAR**

3a) Which band had a hit in 1967 with a psychedelic re-working of the Supremes hit "You Keep Me Hanging On"?

Ans: **VANILLA FUDGE**

3b) Which singer had an international hit with "My Boy Lollipop" in 1964? Urban legend credits Rod Stewart with playing the harmonica solo, but he has denied this!

Ans: **MILLIE** Small

4a) Which band had a UK top ten hit with "I Want Candy" in 1982?

Ans: **BOW WOW WOW**

4b) Which US singer had a UK number 2 hit in 1968 (and again in 1975) with a song called "Honey"?

Ans: **BOBBY GOLDSBORO**

Spare) Not counting the track "Piggies", there are 4 songs on the Beatles double white album with food in their title. Name any one of them.

Ans: **Glass Onion, Honey Pie, Wild Honey Pie, Savoy Truffle**

ROUND FOUR - PHONE NUMBERS IN TV, FILM AND SONG.

1a. Which TV programme hosted variously by Rav Wilding, Sue Cook and Kirsty Young had the phone number 08000 468 999?

Ans: **CRIMEWATCH**

1b. Which Saturday morning children's programme had the phone number 01811 8055?

Answer: (Multicoloured) **SWAP SHOP**

2a. Which US detective series always opened with a phone showing the number 555-2368 and an answer message chasing the lead character for money?

Ans: The **ROCKFORD** Files

2b. In which Jim Carrey film was 776-2323 the pager number for God?

Ans: **BRUCE ALMIGHTY**

3a. The phone number 555-2368 was also used in a famous film. If you dialled it to reach the characters Peter Venkman, Ray Stantz, and Egon Spengler, who are you calling?

Ans: **GHOSTBUSTERS**

3b. In the film 'Die Hard With A Vengeance' the character of **which actor** solves the riddle 'As I Was Going to St Ives' leading to Bruce Willis's character dialling 555-0001 to save a bomb from exploding?

Ans: **SAMUEL L JACKSON**

4a. 36-24-36 is the phone number of the person who does 'Dirty Deeds Done Dirt Cheap' in the song of the same name by which band?

Ans: **AC/DC**

4b. 6323003, or six three, two three, double O three in the lyrics, is the number of the phone box, now a museum in Meols (pronounced. Mells) on the Wirral, in the song Red Box White Lights. The song was performed by, and the museum is dedicated to, which 1980s electronic band?

Ans: **ORCHESTRAL MANOEUVRES IN THE DARK**

Spare:

Better known for the song Mustang Sally who had a hit in 1965 with 634-5789 (Soulsville, USA)?

Ans: **WILSON PICKETT**

ROUND FIVE – GETTING THE TRAIN TO FOOTBALL

(Every train station has a 3-character code. Given the code, and the local football club, name the train station.

For example: Code BYM is the nearest train station to Burnley. Which station is BYM?

Answer – Burnley Manchester Road.)

1a. Code HHY is the nearest train station to Arsenal. Which station is HHY?

Ans: **HIGHBURY & ISLINGTON**

1b. Code WTT is the nearest train station to Aston Villa. Which station is WTT?

Ans: **WITTON**

2a. Code KKD is the nearest train station to Everton. Which station is KKD?

Ans: **KIRKDALE**

2b. Code WHL is the nearest train station to Tottenham Hotspur. Which station is WHL?

Ans: **WHITE HART LANE**

3a. Code PUT is the nearest train station to Fulham. Which station is PUT?

Ans: **PUTNEY**

3b. Code HYM is the nearest train station to Hearts. Which station is HYM?

Ans: **HAYMARKET**

4a. Code THW is the nearest train station to West Bromwich Albion. Which station is THW?

Ans: **THE HAWTHORNS**

4b. Code DIN is the nearest train station to Ross County. Which station is DIN?

Ans: **DINGWALL**

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Code FMR is the nearest station to Brighton. Which station is FMR?

Ans: **FALMER**

ROUND SIX – BEER

The first four questions are about German beer.

1a. Under the German purity laws of 1516 only 4 ingredients can be used in making beer. Name any three.

Ans: **WATER, YEAST, MALT (ACCEPT BARLEY) & HOPS**

1b. Kolsch beer is which city's speciality beer?

Ans: **COLOGNE**

2a. Altbier, a copper-coloured beer, is mainly brewed in which Rhineland city?

Ans: **DUSSELDORF**

2b. In which city is the Oktoberfest based?

Ans: **MUNICH**

(For the last four questions you are given the address of a local micropub, please name the pub.)

3a. The Old Stables, Bulk Street LA1 1PU

Ans: **ACCIDENTAL BREWERY**

3b. 364 Heysham Road LA3 2BJ

Ans: **BOOKMAKERS**

4a. 23 Princes Crescent LA4 6BY:

Ans: **LITTLE BARE**

4b. 49 Scotforth Road LA1 4SA

Ans: **WOBBLY COBBLER**

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312 Lancaster Road LA4 6LY

Ans: **TORRISHOLME TAPS**

ROUND SEVEN – SAME INITIALS

(All answers are people whose first and surnames have the same initial.)

1a. Darts prodigy who took the PDC World Championship by storm.

Ans: **LUKE LITTLER**

1b. Reggae singer/songwriter who fronted the band 'The Aces'.

Ans: **DESMOND DEKKER**

2a. Fictional schoolboy who caused mayhem at Greyfriars School.

Ans: **BILLY BUNTER**

2b. Comic cowboy whose favourite food was 'cow-pie'.

Ans: **DESPERATE DAN**

3a. Veteran Scouse comedian with a trademark bald head, with long hair down the sides, who appeared in the last ever full summer season at Morecambe Winter Gardens.

Ans: **MICK MILLER**

3b. German tennis star, recently embroiled in tax evasion trials.

Ans: **BORIS BECKER**

4a. One of the celebrity Hollywood owners of Wrexham FC.

Ans: **RYAN REYNOLDS**

4b. Actress and activist whose film credits include 'Thelma and Louise', 'Pretty Baby' and the 'Rocky Horror Picture Show'.

Ans: **SUSAN SARANDON**

Spare: Performing name of English musician, Stuart Goddard.

Ans: **ADAM ANT**

ROUND EIGHT – GENERAL 2023

(We'd advise not chatting between questions).

1a. Which jockey featured in the nominations for the 2023 Sports Personality of the Year?

Ans: **FRANKIE DETTORI**

1b. Which cricketer featured in the nominations for the 2023 Sports Personality of the Year?

Ans: **STUART BROAD**

2a. Which former Manchester City, Bolton and Derby footballer died in 2023, aged 79?

Ans: **FRANCIS LEE**

2b. Which actor, theatre producer and Everton FC chairman died in 2023, aged 78?

Ans: **BILL KENWRIGHT**

3a. Beginning with the letter 'D' which storm caused damage in parts of Ireland, Scotland and Northern England in November 2023.

Ans: **DEBI** (*don't worry about spelling*)

3b. Which country won the 2023 Eurovision Song Contest?

Ans: **SWEDEN**

4a. Who played Ken in the 2023 film 'Barbie'?

Ans: **RYAN GOSLING**

4b. Who played 'Oppenheimer' in the 2023 film of the same name?

Ans: **CILLIAN MURPHY**

SPARE: In which city did Tyson Fury fight cage-fighter Francis Ngannou in 2023?

Ans: **RIYADH** (Saudi Arabia)

