

**THEME – flowers and plants – Just give the flower or plant name**

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| 1) The first name of 23 year old fashion model Miss Lowe?                  | <i>Daisy</i>             |
| 2) She played Ena Sharples in Coronation Street for many years?            | <i>Violet (Carson)</i>   |
| 3) Leading character in Breakfast at Tiffany's?                            | <i>Holly Golightly</i>   |
| 4) Dr. Who's companion as played by Billie Piper?                          | <i>Rose Tyler</i>        |
| 5) Mrs Bucket's (Pro Bouquet) first name in sitcom Keeping Up Appearances? | <i>Hyacinth</i>          |
| 6) He played Private Pike in Dad's Army?                                   | <i>(Ian) Lavender</i>    |
| 7) First name of Harry Potter's aunt and guardian?                         | <i>Petunia (Dursley)</i> |
| 8) Cooking, major ingredient of a Tapenade?                                | <i>Olive</i>             |
| 9) The first name of Mrs Munster in the TV series The Munsters?            | <i>Lily</i>              |
| 10) Authoress who won the Booker prize with "The Sea, The Sea"?            | <i>Iris (Murdoch)</i>    |

**ROUND TWO – TEAM (PICK BY SUBJECT)****1.) CHOCOLATE CONFECTIONARY**

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| a) Which three Quaker families dominated early British manufacturing?                        | <i>Cadbury, Rowntree and Fry</i> |
| b) Toblerone's shape is supposedly modelled on what mountain?                                | <i>The Matterhorn</i>            |
| c) What name is given to the process of controlled crystallisation necessary for smoothness? | <i>Tempering</i>                 |

**2.) MUSICALS**

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| a) What was the top selling musical album of the 1960's? | <i>The Sound of Music</i>       |
| b) Name a year in which "Les Miserables" is set?         | <i>1815 to 1832 (inclusive)</i> |
| c) In the musical "The King and I", who is or was "I"?   | <i>Anna Leonowens</i>           |

**3.) SPORTING FAILURES**

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| a) Which major domestic trophy eluded Brian Clough as both player and manager?        | <i>FA Cup</i>              |
| b) Olympic Gold medals were awarded to a team <i>failing</i> to achieve what in 1922? | <i>Conquer Mt. Everest</i> |
| c) Which Welsh player was runner up in the 2000 and 2005 World Snooker championship?  | <i>Matthew Stevens</i>     |

**4.) GEOGRAPHY**

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| a) Which mountain range runs parallel to the Barbary coast? | <i>The Atlas Mountains</i> |
| b) Name the lake that is the source of the Blue Nile?       | <i>Lake Tana</i>           |
| c) What is the world's largest natural harbour?             | <i>Sydney Harbour</i>      |

**5.) CHILDREN'S LITERATURE**

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| a) What is the surname of the family in "The Lion The Witch and The Wardrobe"?           | <i>Pevensey</i>                     |
| b) What were the first names of The Railway Children?                                    | <i>Roberta, Phyllis &amp; Peter</i> |
| c) In Richmal Crompton's William there was a rival gang to William, who was it's leader? | <i>Hubert Lane</i>                  |

**6.) PLANTS**

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| a) Which crop is attacked by the Colorado Beetle?         | <i>Potato</i>         |
| b) What is the colloquial name for a Helleborus niger?    | <i>Christmas Rose</i> |
| c) Germans called it the Earth Berry, what do we call it? | <i>Strawberry</i>     |

**7.) IDENTIFY THE HIT SONG FROM THE LYRICS**

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| a) "I'm so grateful and proud, all I want is to sing it out loud"?                | <i>Thank you for the music</i> |
| b) "Went to school and I was very nervous, no one knew me, no one knew me"?       | <i>Mad World</i>               |
| c) "Mars ain't the kinda place to raise your kids, in fact it's as cold as hell"? | <i>Rocket Man</i>              |

**8.) HISTORY**

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| a) In which castle did Edward II receive his final and fatal treatment?  | <i>Berkley Castle</i>               |
| b) Hephæstion was the very close, personal friend & companion of which King?   | <i>Alexander the Great</i>          |
| c) When George I ascended the throne he brought along his two long term mistresses, one very thin and the other very obese, what were their court nicknames? | <i>The Maypole and The Elephant</i> |

### ROUND THREE – INDIVIDUAL – OLD CHESNUT POT LUCK

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| 1) What type of creature is cartoon character Foghorn Leghorn?                           | Rooster/Chicken          |
| 2) In what cartoon strip would you find the character Linus van Pelt?                    | <i>Peanuts</i>           |
| 3) What was the first programme broadcast on Channel 4 on November 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1982? | Countdown                |
| 4) In what part of the UK were the Bee Gees born?  | <i>Isle of Man</i>       |
| 5) Soccer, which club was the first to win the European Cup in 1955/56?                  | <i>Real Madrid</i>       |
| 6) The Bible, who was Jacob's youngest son?  | <i>Benjamin</i>          |
| 7) Texel and Romney (formerly Romney Marsh) are types of what?                           | <i>Sheep</i>             |
| 8) Newman Nogs appears in which Dickens novel?   | <i>Nicholas Nickleby</i> |
| 9) Who played prison officer Barraclough in Porridge?                                    | <i>Brian Wilde</i>       |
| 10) What is the Third Quarter day in England and Wales?                                  | <i>Michaelmas</i>        |

### ROUND FOUR – TEAM

#### 1.) HEROES

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| a) Who had a hit in 1985 with "We don't need another Hero (Thunderdome)"?           | <i>Tina Turner</i>     |
| b) The crew of which ship were rescued by Grace Darling and her father?             | <i>The Forfarshire</i> |
| c) Commended for his work in S.O.E. during WW II, he then took up dressmaking, who? | <i>Hardy Amiss</i>     |

#### 2.) FILMS

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| a) Name the bumbling character played by Jacques Tatti in a series of films?                | <i>Monsieur Hulot</i> |
| b) Who played the part of Smeagol in "The Lord of the Rings" film trilogy?                  | <i>Andy Serkis</i>    |
| c) Which hero has been portrayed on film by, Robert Donut, Kenneth Moore and Robert Powell? | <i>Richard Hannay</i> |

#### 3.) NATURE'S LARGEST

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| a) Specifically, name the largest of the big cats?     | <i>Siberian or Amur Tiger</i>     |
| b) What is the world's largest breed of cattle?        | <i>Chianina</i>                   |
| c) Name the largest species of butterfly in the world? | <i>Queen Alexandra's Birdwing</i> |

#### 4.) COWARDS

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| a) Give the surname of the captain of the Costa Concordia which ran aground in January 2012?          | <i>Schettino</i>   |
| b) In theatrical circles what was Noel Coward's nickname?   | <i>The Master</i>  |
| c) Name the White Star Line chairman who sneaked aboard a Titanic lifeboat before women and children? | <i>Bruce Ismay</i> |

#### 5.) 20<sup>th</sup> CENTURY NASTIES

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| a) Which ruler liked to be called "The Genius of the Carpathians"?                       | <i>Ceausescu</i> |
| b) Saloth Sar is better known by what name?  | <i>Pol Pot</i>   |
| c) In which country did Menghistu Haille Mariam's regime murdered over 1 million people? | <i>Ethiopia</i>  |

#### 6.) THE ARTS

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| a) Specifically, in which field did Vernon and Irene Castle find fame? | <i>Ballroom Dancing</i> |
| b) Who is known as "The Violinist" as well as "The Tiny Paganini"?     | <i>Vanessa Mae</i>      |
| c) Born in 1599, who was probably Rubens most famous pupil?            | <i>Anthony Van Dyke</i> |

#### 7.) 2012 TV QUIZ PROGRAMMES

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| a) Who is the only female chaser?                       | <i>Anne Heggotty</i>                               |
| b) Which of the Eggheads are past Mastermind Champions? | <i>Kevin Ashman, Pat Gibson &amp; Chris Hughes</i> |
| c) Who assists Alexander Armstrong on Pointless?        | <i>Richard Osman</i>                               |

#### 8.) DERBYSHIRE CRICKET

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| a) Who is the 2012 Derbyshire captain?  | <i>Wayne Madsen</i> |
| b) Who is Derbyshire's leading run scorer of all time?  | <i>Kim Barnett</i>  |
| c) What was unusual about Derbyshire's victory in the 1981 Nat West final?<br>(Derbyshire won – losing fewer wickets) | <i>Match Tied</i>   |

## **ROUND FIVE – INDIVIDUAL – BACKING GROUPS**

**Who most famously backed the following artists**

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| 1) Billy J Kramer?   | <i>The Dakotas</i>                               |
| 2) Bob Marley?       | <i>The Wailers</i>                               |
| 3) Buddy Holly?      | <i>The Crickets</i>                              |
| 4) Bruce Springsteen | <i>E-Street Band</i>                             |
| 5) Huey Lewis?       | <i>The News</i>                                  |
| 6) Elvis Presley?    | <i>The Jordinaires</i>                           |
| 7) Tom Petty?        | <i>The Heartbreakers</i>                         |
| 8) Elvis Costello    | <i>The Attractions</i>                           |
| 9) Prince?           | <i>The Revolution (acc New Power Generation)</i> |
| 10) Sam the Sham?    | <i>The Pharoahs</i>                              |

## **ROUND SIX – TEAM (PICK BY SUBJECT)**

### **1.) NATURE**

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| a) What is the only land mammal native to Iceland ?                        | <i>Arctic Fox</i> |
| b) Lemurs are indigenous to which Island?                                  | <i>Madagascar</i> |
| c) In which body of fresh water are Pink Dolphins most likely to be found? | <i>The Amazon</i> |

### **2.) THE HUMAN BODY**

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| a) Which skin disorder is caused by inflammation of the sebaceous glands? | <i>Acne</i>                     |
| b) Where precisely is the Pituitary gland situated?                       | <i>At the base of the brain</i> |
| c) Where is the Adrenal gland located?                                    | <i>Above the kidneys</i>        |

### **3.) THE OSCARS**

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| a) Who is the only person called Oscar to win an Oscar?                             | <i>Oscar Hammerstein</i> |
| b) Who is the only person to have won an Oscar portraying a real life Oscar winner? | <i>Cate Blanchett</i>    |
| c) Which actress won both Oscar and Raspberry acting awards in the same week?       | <i>Sandra Bullock</i>    |

### **4.) COINAGE**

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| a) For what amount was Jesus betrayed in the garden of Gethsemane?  | <i>30 Pieces of Silver</i>   |
| b) A Moidore was a coin issued by which country?  | <i>Portugal</i>  |
| c) Due to global trade in the 16 <sup>th</sup> & 17 <sup>th</sup> century, which coin is recognised as the first international currency ? | <i>Pieces of Eight (accept Spanish Dollar or the Eight Reales)</i> |

### **5) BIOGRAPHIES**

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| a) Which actor is the subject of “Dear Tom”?                      | <i>Tom Courtney</i>  |
| b) Whose autobiography was “My Wicked, Wicked Ways”?              | <i>Errol Flynn</i>   |
| c) Which former poet laureate wrote a biography of Philip Larkin? | <i>Andrew Motion</i> |

### **6) INITIALS**

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| a) The R.M.S. Titanic, what does R.M.S. stand for?                                     | <i>Royal Mail (Steam) Ship</i>           |
| b) In economic terms, to what countries does BRIC refer?                               | <i>Brazil, Russia, India &amp; China</i> |
| c) Using the first letter of the band member’s surnames, which famous group forms BBC? | <i>Cream</i>                             |

### **7.) ALBUMS**

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| a) In 1992 Madonna’s book “Sex” went on sale at the same time as her new album, name the album? <i>Erotica</i> |
| b) Which Bon Jovi album is perhaps best kept dry? <i>Slippery When Wet</i>                                     |
| c) “Exodus” was a major album for which artist released in 1977? <i>Bob Marley</i>                             |

### **8.) SPORT**

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| a) In which sport are the colours Red, Blue, White, Black, Orange, Black & White used in ascending order? | <i>Greyhound racing</i>  |
| b) Boxing, name the first person to defeat Sugar Ray Leonard professionally?                              | <i>Roberto Duran</i>   |
| c) How many former Formula One World Champions are competing in the 2012 season?                          | <i>6</i>   |
|   | <i>(Alonso, Button, Hamilton, Raikkonen, Schumaker &amp; Vettel)</i> |

## ROUND SEVEN – INDIVIDUAL – OLD CHESNUTS POT LUCK

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| 1) Who wrote the book “Where Eagles Dare”?                         | <i>Alistair Maclean</i> |
| 2) Which saint was born at Lourdes in 1844?                        | <i>Bernadette</i>       |
| 3) Which road is crossed by runners in the Aintree Grand National? | <i>The Melling Road</i> |
| 4) Papworth Hospital is in which county?                           | <i>Cambridgeshire</i>   |
| 5) On which island is Fingall’s cave?                              | <i>Staffa</i>           |
| 6) Which album was the first released on the Virgin label?         | <i>Tubular Bells</i>    |
| 7) Who played Scullion in the TV version of “Porterhouse Blue”?    | <i>David Jason</i>      |
| 8) Which country celebrated its bicentennial in 1988?              | <i>Australia</i>        |
| 9) What body part did Demi Moore remove to play “G.I. Jane”?       | <i>Her Hair</i>         |
| 10) Which divorcee was Princess Margret advised against marrying?  | <i>Peter Townsend</i>   |

## ROUND EIGHT – TEAM

### 1.) U.S. STATES

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| a) Delaware is called the first state, which state is called the second state? | <i>Pennsylvania</i> |
| b) The name of which state translates as “Red People”?                         | <i>Oklahoma</i>     |
| c) In which state is the Mammoth Cave system?                                  | <i>Kentucky</i>     |

### 2.) EGGS

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| a) Which two mammals lay eggs?                           | <i>Duck Billed Platypus and Spiny Anteater (or Enchida)</i> |
| b) What does a cloudy egg white indicate in a hen’s egg? | <i>Freshness</i>  |
| c) What common name is given to the egg case of a Skate? | <i>Mermaid’s Purse (or Devil’s Purse)</i>                   |

### 3.) SPORTING COLOURS

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| a) Rugby Union, what are the colours of Northampton’s first choice kit?                        | <i>Black, Green and Gold</i>    |
| b) What are the home colours for Roy of the Rovers?  | <i>Red and Yellow</i>           |
| c) Ignoring the gold braiding, name the three colours that make up the Queen’s racing colours? | <i>Purple, Pink &amp; Black</i> |

### 4.) REGGIE PERRIN – NEW & OLD

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| a) What is the middle name of the original Reggie?                        | <i>Iolanthe</i>     |
| b) What did the original Reggie see when his mother-in-law was mentioned? | <i>Hippopotamus</i> |
| c) In the new series who plays the part of Marion, Reggie’s mother?       | <i>Wendy Craig</i>  |

### 5.) U.S. TV DETECTIVE SERIES

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| a) What connects Horatio Crane, Gil Grissom and Mac Taylor?              | <i>They are / were the respective heads of CSI</i> |
| b) Which private eye was played by William Conrad?                       | <i>Frank Cannon</i>                                |
| c) Which series started with message from a telephone answering machine? | <i>Rockford Files</i>                              |

### 6.) HISTORICAL MATHEMATICS

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| a) Which civilisation was obsessed with the number 60?                               | <i>Babylonian</i> |
| b) In which country was zero first used as a number in calculations and equations?   | <i>India</i>      |
| c) Leibnitz and Newton are both credited with inventing which branch of mathematics? | <i>Calculus</i>   |

### 7.) ISLANDS

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| a) What type of animal appears on the flag of the Falkland Islands?               | <i>A Ram (accept Sheep)</i> |
| b) In which sea are the so called ABC islands, all with links to the Netherlands? | <i>Caribbean</i>            |
| c) The Lord Howe islands, a world heritage site, are governed by which country?   | <i>Australia</i>            |

### 8.) ALTER EGOS

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| a) John Reid is said to be the alter ego of which hero?          | <i>The Lone Ranger</i>  |
| b) What is the chart topping alter ego of Raymond Burns?         | <i>Captain Sensible</i> |
| c) The proprietor of Private Eye supposedly uses what alter ego? | <i>Lord Gnome</i>       |

## **BEER ROUND TEAM QUESTIONS**

### ***NAME THE YEAR WHEN THESE EVENTS OCCURRED - AGAIN***

- a) Torville and Dean get perfect scores when winning Olympic gold? **1984**  
b) Anthony Eden resigns as PM ? **1957**  
c) Piper Alpha disaster? **1988**
- a) Nadia Komenci gets perfect scores when winning Olympic gold? **1976**  
b) Alec Douglas Hume resigns as Tory leader? **1964**  
c) Bradford football fire disaster occurs? **1985**

### ***QUIZ COMPILED BY D. FOWLER***

#### **SPARE QUESTIONS**

#### **TEAM**

#### **POP SONGS**

- a) According to the song the group America went through the desert on what? ***A Horse With No Name***  
b) Who sang the lead on Python Lee Jackson's hit song "In a Broken Dream"? ***Rod Stewart***  
c) Which 3 artists have reached number 1 with the song "Spirit in the Sky"? ***Norman Greenbaum & Dr. and the Medics & Gareth Gates and the Kumars***

#### **OYSTERS**

- a) Which Kent coastal town east of The Swale is most associated with oysters? ***Whitstable***  
b) What word describes an oyster that has been opened and the shell removed? ***Shucked***  
c) Which bay is the biggest producer of oysters in the world? ***Chesapeake Bay***

#### **INDIVIDUAL**

- What is the colour of lobster's blood? ***Blue***  
Which was the first fully computer produced animated film? ***Toy Story***  
On which day was William the Conqueror crowned? ***Christmas Day***  
Who played Marlon Brando's brother in On the Water Front? ***Rod Steiger***  
In the Lion king what type of creature is Timon? ***Meerkat***  
The Bass Strait separates which 2 land masses? ***Australia and Tasman***

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