

Derbyshire Pub Quiz League



Questions for Wednesday, 14th December 2016

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Question Reader: All parts of the answer shown in **Bold Face** are required. Parts shown in ordinary type are not essential, but if given incorrectly will mean that the answer is wrong; for example, if the answer shown is "Tom **Watson**", "Watson" would be a correct answer, but "John Watson" would be incorrect. Parts shown in *italics* are purely explanatory and are not required. If the answer offered is incomplete (for example, "Roosevelt" for "**Theodore Roosevelt**"), you may, at your discretion, ask the person answering to expand the answer.

In the event of any problem, three spare questions can be found on the final sheet.

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Individual Round 1 [Click here to enter text.](#)

1.	What was revealed in an anonymous letter to Lord Monteaagle?	The Gunpowder Plot
2.	Which bird assists a Japanese 'ukai' fisherman?	Cormorant
3.	Which famous horror film was based on a novel by Robert Bloch?	Psycho
4.	What colour is named after a duck?	Teal
5.	Which is the UK's 'City of a Thousand Trades'?	Birmingham
6.	What type of aircraft was the Sunderland?	Flying Boat (for use as a Patrol Bomber or Recon Plane)
7.	What surname was used as a pen-name by all three Bronte sisters?	Bell
8.	Which organisation keeps the 'Black Museum'?	Metropolitan Police (accept Scotland Yard)
9.	In which kind of shop might you be measured with a 'Brannock Device'?	Shoe Shop
10.	The red deer and which other are native to Britain – all others being introduced?	Roe Deer

Team Round 2

1.	Transport	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	The Ghan is an iconic rail journey in which country?	Australia
b)	The unsuccessful Ford Motor's model the Edsel was named after whom?	Henry Ford's Son
c)	Which is the oldest airline in the world still operating under its original name?	KLM
2.	Famous People	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What was Archibald Ormsby-Gore to John Betjeman?	His Teddy Bear
b)	Who was nicknamed 'The Bullfrog of the Pontine Marshes'?	Mussolini
c)	Who recorded 'Drank Jocolatte, very good' in 1664?	Samuel Pepys
3.	Television Gold	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What was the title of the final episode of Morse in which he died?	The Remorseful Day
b)	What was Muttley always asking for in the 'Stop the Pigeon' cartoons?	Medals
c)	How did Major Charles Ingram hit the TV headlines?	Cheating on Who Wants To Be a Millionaire
4.	History Mix	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	According to some historians, If Hitler's invasion plans for England had succeeded, which city would have been the new capital?	Oxford
b)	During which battle did Nelson put the telescope to his blind eye?	Copenhagen
c)	Guy Fawkes enlisted in the army of which country in 1593?	Spain

Team Round 2 (Continued)

5.	Nicknames	<i>Who was otherwise called:</i>
a)	The Angelic Doctor?	Thomas Aquinas
b)	Thunderthighs (by an irreverent press)?	Christina Onassis
c)	Old Rowley?	Charles II
6.	Weaponry	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	A 'zamburak' is a gun mounted on which creature?	Camel
b)	What was the function of a Bofors Gun?	Anti-Aircraft Weapon
c)	What acronym was drawn from the disabling weapon 'Tom Swift's Electric Rifle'?	Taser
7.	Birds	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which part of a bird's anatomy is the 'furcula' or 'merrythought'?	Wishbone
b)	A lammergeyer is a variety of which bird?	Vulture
c)	The genus <i>Turdus</i> denotes which large family of garden birds?	Thrushes
8.	Space Exploration	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	The Russian Soyuz 11 in 1971 was the scene of the first knownwhat?	Human Fatalities in Space (Vladimir Komarov died on crash landing, in 1967)
b)	Which was the first permanently-occupied space station?	Mir
c)	Who was the first American woman in space?	Sally Ride

Individual Round 3 *Click here to enter text.*

1.	Who had 19 albums in the top 100 in January this year?	David Bowie
2.	The Communist Party of Peru, a far-left militant group, are commonly known by what two-word name?	Shining Path
3.	What is the common name for the headgear a 'sola topee'?	Pith Helmet (accept Safari Helmet)
4.	What French word is used for an artist's studio?	Atelier
5.	Where in Australia can a 'We Don't Climb' sign be seen?	Uluru or Ayer's Rock
6.	Which reference work has a thistle logo?	Encyclopaedia Britannica
7.	Which H G Wells novel features a leopard-man and a swine-woman?	The Island of Dr Moreau
8.	Which lizard is native to five of the Lesser Sunda Islands?	Komodo Dragon
9.	Which country dropped 'Western' from its name in 1997?	Samoa
10.	Which Scottish football team played in two FA Cup finals?	Queens Park

Team Round 4

1.	Pop Music	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which rock icon was known as 'the Lizard King'?	Jim Morrison
b)	In which song did 'Lenin read a book on Marx, while a quartet practiced in the park'?	American Pie
c)	Which Beatles number mentions the city of Tucson, Arizona?	Get Back
2.	Crafts	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What is the term for gold or silver applied to a surface in a fine pattern?	Filigree
b)	What is the art of cutting and polishing gemstones?	Lapidary
c)	Which wood carver decorated Windsor Castle and Hampton Court?	Grinling Gibbons
3.	Cinema	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	How is Jordan Belfort described in the title of a 2013 film?	The Wolf of Wall Street
b)	Emperor Zurg is the arch-enemy of which animated film character?	Buzz Lightyear
c)	Who played Jack Regan in the 2012 movie version of The Sweeney?	Ray Winstone
4.	Science	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What is the current geological era?	Cenozoic
b)	What is the derived SI unit of illuminance?	Lux
c)	Fluorine, bromine, astatine, iodine – which halogen is missing?	Chlorine

Team Round 4 (Continued)

5.	Sport	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	The Orange and the Purple Caps are awarded in which league?	Indian Premier League (T20 Cricket)
b)	In which ball sport does the 'libero' wear a different colour jersey from his or her team-mates?	Volleyball
c)	A 'palooka' is an inferior performer in which sport?	Boxing
6.	UK Geography	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which 220-mile long-distance footpath passes through Shaftesbury and Dorchester, and is named after a person born in 1840?	Hardy Way
b)	Northern Ireland's highest peak Slieve Donard is in which mountain range?	Mountains of Mourne
c)	What is Scotland's largest firth?	Moray Firth
7.	Shakespeare	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	In 'The Seven Ages of Man' in As You Like It what is the fourth age?	Soldier
b)	Which play features the jester Feste?	Twelfth Night
c)	Who says 'I am a man more sinned against than sinning'?	King Lear
8.	Wildlife	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	A markhor is a wild variety of which domesticated animal?	Goat
b)	Which predator has a 'clouded' variety?	Leopard
c)	In 2008, which was the first animal to be placed on the Endangered Species list because of climate change?	Polar Bear

(Second Half) Individual Round 5*[Click here to enter text.](#)*

1.	Which now obsolete term was once used for the Emperor of Japan?	Mikado
2.	Tim Canterbury was a main character in which TV sitcom?	The Office
3.	What is Fan-Tan?	Card Game (Gambling Game)
4.	Which European capital did the Romans call Lutetia?	Paris
5.	For which genre of fiction is the American author H P Lovecraft remembered?	Horror
6.	The Chorleywood Process is used to make what?	Bread
7.	Which national football team's last game was on September 12 th 1990?	East Germany
8.	What distinguishes a 'ratite' bird?	Cannot Fly
9.	Which institution was abolished as 'useless and dangerous' in 1649?	House of Lords
10.	Which comic paper dog is an Abyssinian wire-haired tripe hound?	Gnasher (in the Beano)

Team Round 6

1.	Music Mix	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What connects – Pearl Carr & Teddy Johnson, Matt Munro, Kathy Kirby, Cliff Richard and Michael Ball?	All finished 2nd for UK in the Eurovision Song Contest
b)	Whose first UK No.1 hit was 'Pray'?	Take That
c)	The song 'I Know Him So Well' is from which musical?	Chess
2.	Place Names	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which European country is 'The Land of the Eagle'?	Albania
b)	Which country is called 'Misr' in its native tongue?	Egypt
c)	The German city of Aachen is sometimes called what French name?	Aix-la Chapelle
3.	History	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What caused the USA to double in size in 1803?	The Louisiana Purchase
b)	Which ex-leader died at Doorn in the Netherlands in 1941?	Kaiser Wilhelm II
c)	Who was killed on February 14 th 1779 at Kealakekua Bay?	Captain Cook
4.	The Theatre	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	In a Christopher Marlowe play who was Barabas?	The Jew of Malta
b)	How is the Ayckbourn trilogy of 'Table Manners' 'Round and Round the Garden' and 'Living Together' collectively known?	The Norman Conquests
c)	In Sheridan's 'The Rivals' who says 'he is the very pine-apple of politeness'?	Mrs Malaprop

Team Round 6 (Continued)

5.	Politics	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	To date who is the only UK politician to hold all four great offices of state?	James Callaghan
b)	David Lidington currently holds what position?	Leader of the House of Commons
c)	Which official usually resides at 12 Downing Street?	Government Chief Whip
6.	Film set romance	<i>Who did they marry after meeting on set:</i>
a)	Lyle Lovett on the set of 'The Player' in 1992?	Julia Roberts
b)	Dennis Quaid on the set of 'Innerspace' in 1987?	Meg Ryan
c)	Director James Threapleton on the set of 'Hideous Kinky' in 1998?	Kate Winslet
7.	Executions	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	In 1701, which pirate was hanged at the second attempt as the rope broke the first time?	Captain Kidd
b)	Who was shot for failing to relieve Minorca in 1757?	Admiral Byng
c)	Erskine Childers said 'Come closer boys. It will be easier for you' to whom?	His Firing Squad
8.	Events of November 2016	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which word or term was declared 'Word of the Year' by the Oxford Dictionaries?	Post-Truth
b)	Whose cat was spotted at a window wearing a collar and tie?	Julian Assange's (at the Ecuadorian Embassy)
c)	On what popular item were the gaps widened much to the disgust of customers?	Toblerone Bar

Individual Round 7 *Click here to enter text.*

1.	What is the name of the banned Indian custom of burning a widow on her husband's funeral pyre?	Suttee (or Sati)
2.	What part of the body does myelitis affect?	Spine
3.	Which famous fictional character married Teresa Draco?	James Bond
4.	Of what material are millefiori ornaments made?	Glass
5.	The phrase 'fin de siecle' means relating to the end ofwhat?	A Century
6.	What dish is often described as 'Jewish Penicillin'?	Chicken Soup
7.	Project Blue Book was the US Air Force investigation into what?	UFOs
8.	What can be a musical instrument or a kitchen vegetable slicer?	Mandolin
9.	What was the harbour city of ancient Rome?	Ostia
10.	Which American poet was charged with treason in 1945?	Ezra Pound

Team Round 8

1.	Horror Literature	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which twice televised M R James ghost story takes its title from a poem and song by Robbie Burns?	Oh Whistle and I'll Come to You My Lad
b)	Which Edgar Allan Poe story tells of the revenge of a pet called Pluto?	The Black Cat
c)	Which British author wrote 'The Rats', 'The Fog' and 'The Dark'?	James Herbert
2.	Sport	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	In which European country is football's 'Derby of the Eternal Enemies' contested?	Greece (Olympiacos v Panathinaikos)
b)	In which sport would you start at the south stake?	Croquet
c)	Who delivered an unsporting underarm ball against New Zealand in 1981?	Trevor Chappell
3.	Classical Music	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Whose second symphony is titled 'Harold In Italy'?	Berlioz
b)	Which character sings the aria 'Nessun Dorma'?	Prince Calaf
c)	In which opera does Papageno appear?	The Magic Flute
4.	Cinema	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Henry Hill is the chief protagonist in which gangster movie?	Goodfellas
b)	In a series of films how is Admiral Sir Miles Messervy better known?	M (in the Bond films)
c)	Which film character was sent home from Vietnam because he'd been shot in the buttocks?	Forrest Gump

Team Round 8 (Continued)

5.	Old Occupations	<i>What trade was followed by a :</i>
a)	Colporteur?	Bookseller
b)	Baxter?	Baker
c)	Tipstaff?	Bailiff/Court Official (allow similar)
6.	The USA	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What was the location of the 1944 conference at which the IMF was formed?	Bretton Woods
b)	The purchase of what was originally called Seward's Folly?	Alaska
c)	Which native American surrendered to General Nelson Miles in 1886?	Geronimo
7.	Entertainment	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Walter Buserkeys was the original stage name of which late performer?	Liberace
b)	Which British sitcom was re-named 'Stand By Your Man' for the American version?	Birds of a Feather
c)	Which musical features Miss Olsson and Mr Zuko?	Grease
8.	Science	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What is measured by a Campbell-Stokes recorder?	Sunshine
b)	The plants called halophytes have adapted to growing in what conditions?	Salty
c)	In which piece of machinery does the 'Otto Cycle' take place?	Internal Combustion Engine

Beer Round

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1.	Click here to enter title.	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	On which part of the body would the piece of armour called a greave have been worn?	Shin (accept Leg)
b)	Which is America's 'Buckeye State'?	Ohio
c)	Which instrument was jazz legend Bix Beiderbecke most closely associated with?	Cornet
2.	Click here to enter title.	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	On which part of the body would the piece of armour called a pauldron have been worn?	Shoulder (also armpit)
b)	Which is America's 'Volunteer State'?	Tennessee
c)	Which instrument was jazz legend Lionel Hampton most closely associated with?	Vibraphone

Spare Questions

1.	What is the common name for the tragic condition medically known as SIDS?	Cot Death
2.	What was founded by Octavia Hill, Robert Hunter and Hardwicke Rawnsley?	National Trust
3.	At which English sporting venue did 'Cyclops' adjudicate?	Wimbledon