



Questions for Wednesday, 11th April 2018

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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.	Which tea variety is dubbed 'The Champagne of Teas'?	Darjeeling
2.	In 1944 Helen Duncan was the last woman in Britain to be convicted of what?	Witchcraft
3.	Lodestone is another word for which article?	Magnet
4.	The Green Goblin is an enemy of which superhero?	Spiderman
5.	If an Australian told you he had to 'work back' what would he mean?	He'd Be Doing <u>Overtime</u>
6.	Which type of bird was named after engraver Sir Thomas Bewick?	Swan
7.	What was the horror drug thalidomide originally intended to alleviate?	Morning Sickness
8.	During World War II what did US troops serving in Britain call 'Piccadilly Commandos'?	Prostitutes
9.	The sousaphone is a marching band version of which instrument?	Tuba
10.	The young of which edible creature is called a spat?	Oyster

Team Round 2

1.	Transport	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What nickname was given to the early models of the Morris Cowley because of the shape of the radiator?	Bull Nose
b)	HMS Argus was the Royal Navy's firstwhat?	Aircraft Carrier
c)	John Foster Dulles Airport serves which US city?	Washington
2.	Slang Terms	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	In the West Country what is a 'grockle'?	A Tourist
b)	If someone told a chap he was 'flying low' what would he do?	Pull Up His Fly Zip
c)	What would an egg-chaser be doing on a Saturday afternoon?	Playing Rugby
3.	Pop Wins the Day	<i>Identify the song with DAY in the title from the line given:</i>
a)	'I'm blowing the day to take a walk in the sun'?	Daydream (Loving Spoonful)
b)	'The English army had just won the war'?	A Day in the Life (Beatles)
c)	'Feed the animals in the zoo. Then later a movie too'?	Perfect Day ((Lou Reed or Various Artists)
4.	Murder	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	After killing John Lennon, Mark Chapman remained at the crime scene reading which novel, which he said was his statement?	The Catcher in the Rye
b)	Who was arrested using the name John Philo Robinson?	Dr Crippen
c)	Who hanged himself in Wakefield Prison in January 2004, after being found guilty of 15 murders?	Harold Shipman

Team Round 2 (Continued)

5.	Mad	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Who is the fictitious cover-boy and mascot of the long-running 'Mad' magazine?	Alfred E Neuman
b)	Who was accused of 'murdering the time' and sentenced to death, but escaped. Time however having its revenge by always staying at tea-time?	The Mad Hatter
c)	Whose madness was blamed on an excess of pears?	King George III
6.	James Bond	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which character has been played in Bond films by Jeffrey Wright, David Hedison and Jack Lord?	Felix Leiter
b)	Simone Latrelle, a fortune teller and telepath is the real name of which Bond girl?	Solitaire
c)	In Daniel Craig's first portrayal Casino Royale which character was his chief adversary?	Le Chiffre
7.	British Monarchs	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which English king was also known as 'Beauclerc' denoting his good education?	Henry I
b)	Which king's principal advisors were known as 'The Cabal'?	Charles II
c)	Which monarch before ascending the throne was accused of abetting Wyatt's Rebellion?	Elizabeth I
8.	Food	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	The Jewish 'matzo' is a type of what?	Bread
b)	Caboc cheese originates from which country?	Scotland
c)	It's an aubergine in the UK but what do Americans call it?	Egg Plant

Individual Round 3 *Click here to enter text.*

1.	In London what kind of establishment is Crockfords?	Gambling Casino
2.	People suffering from which disease might have been kept in a lazar house?	Leprosy
3.	In the ancient Indian language Sanskrit which word meant king?	Rajah
4.	Which dockyard lifting device is named after a 17 th century Tyburn hangman?	Derrick
5.	An 'Impi' was an armed body of which people?	Zulus
6.	The word 'maudlin' derives from which Biblical person?	Mary Magdalen
7.	What does the expression "cap-a-pie" mean?	From Head To Foot
8.	In the song in which the unfortunate pioneer keeps losing his wagon wheels, which Indian tribe is pursuing him?	Cherokee
9.	Which tropical tree yields a fruit called 'monkey bread'?	Baobab
10.	Who was the spiv played by George Cole in the St Trinians films?	Flash Harry

Team Round 4

1.	Television Sitcom	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	By what film star's name did Alf Garnett refer to his son-in-law?	Shirley Temple
b)	Who had kids called Gash and Burney?	Rab C Nesbitt
c)	Which comedian does actress Sian Gibson do a lot of travelling with?	Peter Kay (Car Share)
2.	Spouses	<i>Which famous man married:</i>
a)	Maria Constanze Weber?	Mozart
b)	Jill Craigie?	Michael Foot
c)	Ann Isabella Milbanke?	Lord Byron
3.	Scotland	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which Scottish city is 'The Fair City'?	Perth
b)	Scotland has two National Parks – Loch Lomond and the Trossachs and which other?	The Cairngorms
c)	Which waterway follows a 60-mile route from Inverness to Corpach?	Caledonian Canal
4.	Classic Novels	<i>In which novel does:</i>
a)	A hypocritical chaplain fail to court Eleanor Bold?	Barchester Towers
b)	A wealthy squire return home to find an abandoned baby on his bed?	Tom Jones
c)	Charlotte Lucas surprisingly accept the proposal of Mr Collins?	Pride and Prejudice

Team Round 4 (Continued)

5.	Science Mix	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which hard brittle element of weak metallic character has the chemical symbol Sb?	Antimony
b)	A Kipps Apparatus is designed for the preparation of small volumes of what?	Gases
c)	Which device is a variable resistor used to control electric current which is able to vary the resistance in a circuit without interruption?	Rheostat (accept potentiometer)
6.	February News	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	The Foreign Office declared it was to sell its embassy in which capital for a record £420 million?	Bangkok
b)	Which US entrepreneur launched a rocket 'Falcon Heavy' from the Kennedy Space Centre?	Elon Musk
c)	Who petitioned parliament to make trolling abuse a criminal act, following the online abuse of her disabled son?	Katie Price/Jordan
7.	Film Star Quotes	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	About whom did Ava Gardner say 'I always new Frank (Sinatra) would end up in bed with a boy?	Mia Farrow
b)	About whom did Mamie Van Doren say 'He's in danger of waking up one morning in his own arms'?	Warren Beatty
c)	Who was Rosanna Arquette talking about when she said 'She's jumped right into the movie game – but I think you should learn to act first, you know what I mean'?	Madonna
8.	Sport	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Who was Britain's flag bearer at the 2018 Winter Olympics opening ceremony?	Lizzie Yarnold
b)	Which British boxer who retired in 2014 was known as 'The Cobra'?	Carl Froch
c)	Which county cricket team plays home matches at Wantage Road?	Northamptonshire

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

1.	In which country did the sauna originate?	Finland
2.	From 1903 to 1958 every Pope bar one took which name?	Pius
3.	Which reference source was created by Jimmy Wales?	Wikipedia
4.	Which country's name was proposed by Rahmat Ali in 1933?	Pakistan
5.	What is the dot above the letters i and j called?	A Tittle
6.	Which three letters replaced CDQ internationally?	SOS
7.	Which French phrase means someone who incites another?	Agent Provocateur
8.	Which famous European statue unveiled in 1913 was sculpted by Edvard Eriksen?	The Little Mermaid
9.	We call it a 'full stop', what do Americans call it?	A Period
10.	A natatorium is what kind of facility?	Swimming Pool

Team Round 6

1.	What Links	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	London – Paris – Wigan – Catalonia?	Orwell Books
b)	Finches and a frog – Capital of Northern Territory – Cambridge College?	Named after Charles Darwin
c)	Cyril the Swan – Pottermus – Cherry Bear – Hammerhead?	Football Mascots
2.	Geography	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	In which Strait are the Diomedede islands?	Bering Strait
b)	Wallachia is a historical and geographical region of what European country?	Romania
c)	Which capital city is built on the ruins of Tenochtitlan?	Mexico City
3.	World Religions	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which religion is based on the works of Lao-Tzu?	Taoism
b)	How many sacraments are there in Roman Catholic theology?	Seven
c)	In Hinduism who is the God of love, compassion and tenderness?	Krishna
4.	Classical Music	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Who composed the Symphony in C Minor 'The Resurrection'?	Mahler
b)	Which Mozart opera has a theme of Freemasonry?	The Magic Flute
c)	Of Which composer did Rossini say 'He has lovely moments but awful quarters of an hour'?	Wagner

Team Round 6 (Continued)

5.	The Ealing Comedies	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	In which film did certain Londoners find they were free from rationing?	Passport To Pimlico
b)	Which actor plays the murderer of the D'Ascoyne family in Kind Hearts and Coronets?	Dennis Price
c)	Alec Guinness, Stanley Holloway, Sid James and which other actor made up the Lavender Hill Mob?	Alfie Bass
6.	Ologies	<i>Of what are the following a study:</i>
a)	Limnology?	(Inland) Lakes
b)	Nephology?	Clouds
c)	Metrology?	Measurement
7.	World Leaders	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Who ousted President Milton Obote in 1971?	Idi Amin
b)	Which Australian PM was dismissed by Governor General Sir John Kerr in 1975?	Gough Whitlam
c)	Who was the world's first Prime Minister to give birth while in office?	Benazir Bhutto
8.	Television	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Who consigned David Cameron to Room 101 recently?	Jeremy Paxman
b)	Which stand-up comedian played Maxxie's dad Walter in the Channel 4 drama Skins?	Bill Bailey
c)	What is the field of expertise of TV's Christina Trevanion?	Antiques

Individual Round 7 *Click here to enter text.*

1.	Which English National Park's highest point is 38 metres?	Norfolk Broads
2.	Which parliamentary figure is currently the First Commoner of the Land?	John Bercow (Speaker)
3.	The Hellanodikai were judges at what ancient event?	Olympic Games
4.	Which TV series is based on the memoirs of Jennifer Worth?	Call The Midwife
5.	Who were the state-owned serfs of ancient Sparta?	Helots
6.	Which Waterloo veteran died in 1836 aged 28?	Copenhagen (Duke of Wellington's Horse)
7.	Which country's national flag features a Raggiana bird of paradise?	Papua New Guinea
8.	Which dog is named from a Russian word for 'fast'?	Borzoi
9.	Which computer language was named after the Countess of Lovelace?	Ada
10.	Which 2017 Brit Award winner's name was inspired by watching Steptoe and Son?	Rag'n'Bone Man

Team Round 8

1.	Lewis Carroll	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What bird finally stops Tweedledum and Tweedledee quarrelling?	A Crow
b)	In Wonderland what does the Duchesses baby turn into when Alice is holding it?	Pig
c)	In a Carroll poem what was the Bellman and his crew of nine hunting?	The Snark
2.	Space	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What is the English name for the constellation Monoceros?	The Unicorn
b)	What is the name of the gaseous supernova remnant in the constellation of Taurus?	Crab Nebula
c)	Pallas is the third largestwhat?	Asteroid
3.	The Devil	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which French intellectual and writer was known as 'The Devil's Missionary'?	Voltaire
b)	In which trade was an apprentice and general dogsbody called a 'devil'?	Printing
c)	Which king of England's father was Robert the Devil?	William I/Conqueror
4.	Pop Music	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Whose albums include Fearless and Speak Now?	Taylor Swift
b)	Which heavy metal festival was held at Castle Donington throughout the 80s and early 90s?	Monsters of Rock
c)	Which band featured Christine Aguilera on its recording of Moves Like Jagger?	Maroon 5

Team Round 8 (Continued)

5.	The Answer's a Number	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	How old was Queen Victoria at her coronation?	19
b)	How many dice are used altogether in the game of backgammon?	5
c)	How many standard bottles of wine does a Methuselah hold?	8
6.	Words	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What bodily act is sternutation?	Sneezing
b)	What is the word 'chugging' short for in a streetwise sense?	Charity Mugging
c)	What is rodomontade?	Bragging/Boasting (allow similar)
7.	Science	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	Which of the elements was originally called Kalium?	Potassium
b)	8 bits make a byte what do 4 bits make?	A Nibble
c)	A radioactive isotope of Americium can be found in which common home and workplace appliance?	Smoke Detector
8.	Religious Customs & Rituals	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	In the Christian church when is a Watch Night service held?	New Year's Eve
b)	Which ritual involved a crowd walking the borders of a parish and hitting this periphery with birch or willow boughs?	Beating the Bounds
c)	In the Jewish religion what creature is traditionally sent into the wilderness on the Day of Atonement?	A Scapegoat

Beer Round

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1.	Click here to enter title.	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What is meant by the Latin phrase 'Mens sana in corpora sano'?	A Healthy Mind in a Healthy Body
b)	Which top golfer is known as The Big Easy?	Ernie Els
c)	Tasseography or Tasseomancy is the practice of telling fortunes by reading ...what?	Tea Leaves
2.	Click here to enter title.	<i>Click here to enter rubric.</i>
a)	What is meant by the Latin phrase 'Fiat lux'?	Let There Be Light
b)	Which top golfer is known as El Niño	Sergio Garcia
c)	Oneiromancy is the practice of telling fortunes by interpreting ...what?	Dreams

Spare Questions

1.	Who hosts the BBC panel show Insert Name Here?	Sue Perkins
2.	Reg Smythe created which famous cartoon character?	Andy Capp
3.	Which pandemic killed 1% of the world's population in 1918?	Spanish Flu