

Quiz Twelve

Food and Drink – Cakes and Chocolate

1. Who wrote the book Charlie and the Chocolate Factory?
2. Who wrote the novel Cakes and Ale?
3. What is the French word for a cake shop?
4. What is the UK's best-selling chocolate bar?
5. Who had a number 1 record in 1963 with Sweets for My Sweet?
6. Which TV soap features a short chocolate animation at the beginning of each episode?
7. Which sweet treat could be found at the Ambassador's parties?
8. Who had a big hit with 'Sweet Like Chocolate' in 1999?
9. What is the name of the two-coloured oblong cake covered in almond paste?
10. Who, according to the TV commercial, 'makes exceedingly good cakes'?

Cats and Dogs !

1. How many canine teeth does a human have?
2. What is another name for the mountain lion?
3. Who was the female star of the 1965 film Cat Ballou?
4. What is the smallest breed of dog?
5. Who made a voyage of discovery to the Galapagos islands aboard HMS Beagle?
6. Who directed the 1963 film The Leopard?
7. Who wrote the 1974 thriller 'The Dogs of War'?
8. Which cartoon cat was the first to make the crossing from screen to comic strip?
9. Which group of British campaigners were affected by the Cat and Mouse Act?
10. Who collaborated with Christopher Isherwood on the Verse drama The Dog Beneath The Skin?

Geography – Mountains of the World

1. What is the highest mountain in Africa?
2. Which mountains form the backbone of South America?
3. Where would you go to look at the Abominable Snowman?
4. Who wrote High Adventure, about a spectacular mountain climb?
5. On which mountain is it said Noah's Ark came to rest?
6. Which is Britain's highest mountain?
7. In which country is Tongariro National park with its 3 volcanoes, including Mt. Ruapahu?
8. What is the second highest mountain in the world?
9. Who was with Sir Edmund Hilary when he first climbed Everest?
10. The official country retreat of the President of the USA, Camp David is in which mountains?

History – the 1960's

1. What year was Prince Charles invested as Prince of Wales?
2. Which pop group's original name was Pete Novak and the Heartbeats?
3. By what name did Malaya, Sabah, Sarawak and Singapore become known in 1963?
4. Which model was voted the face of 1966?
5. Which country singer was killed in a plane crash in 1964?
6. Benjamin Britten's War Requiem was first performed at the consecration of which Cathedral in 1962?
7. Which lord led the inquiry into the 1963 Profumo affair?
8. On 23rd April 1964, who became the first commoner to appear on a Royal Mail presentation stamp pack?
9. What year did the unsuccessful Bay of Pigs invasion by US-backed troops take place?
10. Which brand of toothpaste was advertised on television as having a ring of confidence?
11. Who defeated Richard Nixon to become US president in 1960?

12. In what year did Marilyn Monroe die?
13. Who became leader of the Labour Party in 1963?
14. Which model was known as The Shrimp?
15. What type of animal was Goldie who made the headlines by escaping from London Zoo?
16. Ian Smith declared independence for which country in the sixties?
17. Who led 'The Family' in the Sharon Tate murder?
18. Which politician was involved in a famous road accident at Chappaquiddick?
19. Who became the first Woman Prime Minister of Israel?
20. In which country did soviet tanks crush the Dubcek reforms in the Sixties?

Sport – The Olympic Games

1. Which one of the following was never a modern Olympic discipline?
 - a. tumbling
 - b. running deer shooting
 - c. horseshoes (throwing)
 - d. club swinging
 - e. tug of war
 - f. under water swimming
 - g. 200m obstacle swimming
2. Gold, silver and bronze. What do participants who achieve 4th to 8th place receive?
3. Which was the only country to host the summer Olympics and not win a single gold medal?
4. In which discipline did the father of the modern Olympics, Pierre de Coubertin, win an Olympic gold medal?
5. Winners of which Olympic games never had to pay any tax again for the rest of their lives?
6. Plus or minus five, how many pigeons did Leon de Lunden manage to kill while winning gold in the living pigeon shooting event at the Paris games in 1900?
7. Edward Eagan is the only person in modern Olympic history to
 - a. win gold in both a summer and winter Olympiad
 - b. win a medal in five consecutive Olympic games or
 - c. be disqualified in two different Olympic games, once for doping, once for accepting a bribe

8. What is the only city in the world named after an Olympic gold medallist?
 - a. Mark Spitz Town
 - b. Cassius Clay Town
 - c. Edward Edwards Town
 - d. Jim Thorpe Town

9. After losing a wrestling bout against the German Jakob Brendel at the 1932 games in L.A., the Sicilian Marcello Nizzola went to the dressing room and
 - a. attacked his opponent with a dagger
 - b. committed suicide
 - c. continued the fight

10. Shepherd's Bush Stadium London. 1908 summer Olympics. Marathon runner Dorando Pietri enters the stadium exhausted to the roar of the crowd and proceeds to run in the wrong direction. After realising his error, he alters direction and heads towards the finish line. He is however on his last legs and his competitors are closing the gap. Just short of the longed-for end to this gruelling race he collapses and starts to crawl on his hands and knees. At this moment a famous British writer helps him to his feet and over the line, where he passes out, only to awake hours later and discover he has been disqualified. Who was the famous writer?

Art and Literature

1. What Italian artist painted The Birth of Venus
2. What city do Batman and Robin patrol?
3. Who wrote ?The Hitchhikers Guide to the Galaxy??
4. What Cornelius Ryan book chronicles the events of D-Day?
5. Which British author created Gunga Din?
6. What Irishman wrote ?The Quare Fellow??
7. What is Barbara McCorquodale's pen name?
8. What does the U stand for in the abbreviation I.O.U.?
9. What was Rob Roy's surname?
10. Who was the pilot hero of Captain W.E. Johns stories?
11. What play contains the line: ?Something is rotten in the state of Denmark??
12. What magazine is the cornerstone of Bob Guccione's publishing empire?
13. What are Henry Millers two tropical books?

14. What are the first 3 words in the bible?
15. Who betrayed Samson to the Philistines?
16. Whose shoulder did Captain Flint sit on?
17. What is Ray Bradbury's illustrated man illustrated with?
18. What does the title of Hitler's Mein Kampf mean?
19. What is the Spanish word for navy?
20. What Shakespeare play features the line 'A Plague on Both your houses'?

TV Game Shows

1. Alan Titchmarsh hosted Ask the Family in 1999, but who was the original host?
2. Which Snooker player assisted Jim Davidson on Big Break?
3. Name the three hosts of Blankety Blank?
4. Which Quiz had a catchphrase of 'I'll have A P Bob'?
5. Tony Green assisted Jim Bowen on which TV quiz show?
6. Robin Ray, Robert Robinson & Bob Holness have all hosted which panel game?
7. What was the first game show shown on Channel 4?
8. What are the names of the two men who have hosted The Crystal Maze?
9. William G. Stewart hosts which TV Quiz Show?
10. Friends like these was hosted by which former pop duo?
11. What were the names of the FOUR original hosts of Game for A Laugh?
12. Who was Larry Grayson's 'Glamorous Assistant' on The Generation Game?
13. Lionel Blair and Una Stubbs were the original team captains on which charades-based game show?
14. Who are the two team captains on Have I Got News for You?
15. Stuart Hall and Eddie Waring hosted which over the top 'sports' challenge game show?

16. John Hart, Roger Pritchard, Sir David Hunt & Fred Housego have all won which cerebral quiz show?

17. Who hosts the TV quiz It's Only TV But I Like It?

18. Who hosted the cerebral & action quiz The Krypton Factor?

19. Which two people have hosted the BBC's MasterChef?

20. What was the booby prize on 3-2-1?

Music

1. Who was known as the 'First Lady of Song'?

2. The following words are from songs with 'Hill' or 'Hills' in the title. Can you name the song? One point for each correct answer:

- a. He never shows his feelings,
- b. Oh there is thunder in our hearts,
- c. The wind in the willows played love's sweet melody,
- d. Like the wings of a bird that rise from the lake to the trees,
- e. To Flanders, Portugal and Spain,
- f. From father to son the blood runs thin

3. The following words are from songs with a musical instrument in the song title. Can you name the song? One point for each correct answer:

- a. You got a hubcap diamond star halo,
- b. I don't know how you were inverted,
- c. Paul is a real estate novelist,
- d. Histories of ages passed down through all eternity,
- e. I'm not sleepy and there is no place I'm going to,
- f. Give me pennies, I'll take anything, now listen while I play,
- g. Who draws the crowd, who plays so loud,
- h. But you chose to stay, stay and keep me warm through the darkest nights I've ever seen,
- i. I'm a rolling thunder, a pouring rain,
- j. Well the kids don't eat and the dog can't sleep, there's no escape from the music in the whole damn street

4. Which 1960s song was the only number one hit in the UK for each of the following? One point for each correct answer:

- a. The Moody Blues,
- b. The Byrds,
- c. Sonny and Cher,
- d. The Troggs,
- e. Thunderclap Newman,
- f. Zager and Evans

5. The following are the first words to songs with 'home' somewhere in the song title. Can you name the song? One point for each correct answer:
- So you think you're a Romeo,
 - The old home town,
 - You're my love you're my angel,
 - Somewhere deep inside somethings got a hold of you,
 - Big wheels,
 - I'm sittin' in a railway station,
 - Sun turnin' round with graceful motion,
 - Wednesday morning at five o'clock,
 - If you ever change your mind
6. Who released the following 'Man' songs? One point for each correct answer:
- Lucky Man (the version with the words "he had white horses"),
 - O Lucky Man,
 - Starman,
 - Plastic Man,
 - Charmless Man,
 - Backdoor Man,
 - Ape Man
7. Petula Clark had a surprise No 1 hit in the UK charts in February 1967 with 'This is my Song'. Which famous English Sir wrote the song?
8. The name for which musical ensemble translated means 'dancing place'?
9. Who released the following No 1 albums in the UK in 1980?
- Zenyatta Mondatta,
 - Telekon,
 - Flesh and Blood,
 - Never For Ever
10. Which mondegreen (the misinterpretation or mishearing of a phrase) became one of the earliest psychedelic hit songs in 1968?
11. What did Elvis never give at a concert?
12. What was a number one hit in nine countries for orange juice and champagne?
13. The following words are from songs with the word 'Sugar' in the song title. Can you name the song? One point for each correct answer:
- Gotta get my candy free,
 - Drums beating cold English blood runs hot,
 - A robin feathering his nest has very little time to rest,
 - Like the summer sunshine pour your sweetness over me,
 - It's so noisy at the fair but all your friends are there,
 - I got some troubles but they won't last, I'm gonna lay right down here in the grass