

Round 1 – Quizmaster’s Choice – ‘Settings’

As the title suggests, this round gives me the chance to put some unusual questions to you. This month I’ve chosen as the theme ‘settings’ so let’s see how many of these you can remember?

Enjoy the challenge.....

- 1 Where would you arrive by going second to the right and straight on till morning?
NEVER NEVER LAND
- 2 Whereabouts were two guns situated in a famous film about WWII?
NAVARONE
- 3 On which river did George Elliot's Dorlcote Mill stand?
THE FLOSS
- 4 Which area of Paris featured most prominently in the work of the French Impressionist painters?
MONTMARTE
- 5 What is the name of the mill in John Constable's famous painting?
FLATFORD
- 6 Which English county provided the setting for most of L S Lowry's work?
LANCASHIRE
- 7 Around which missionary station does the action in the film *Zulu* take place?
RORKE'S DRIFT
- 8 Which park was the venue for the last ever Beatles concert?
CANDLESTICK PARK

Round 2 – Letter Link

This round consists of 8 general knowledge questions where the last letter of the answer to question 1 will be the same as the first letter of the answer to question 2, and the final letter of the answer to question 2 will be the same as the first letter of the answer to question 3 and so on so forth down the 8 questions. When you get to question 8, the final letter of that answer will be the same as the first letter to the answer to question 1, thus completing the link.

- 1 Who wrote the TV sitcom *Bread*? (first name & surname required)
CARLA LANE
- 2 How many incisor teeth should a healthy adult human have?
EIGHT
- 3 Which castle in Cornwall is thought by some to have been the site of King Arthur's Camelot?
TINTAGEL
- 4 Fill in the missing line from this song, which is also the song's title:
That's me in the corner, that's me in the spotlight.....
LOSING MY RELIGION
- 5 Which word means favouritism in business shown to relatives and friends?
NEPOTISM
- 6 Which city is served by Barajas Airport?
MADRID
- 7 Who played the female lead in the film *Indecent Proposal*? (first name & surname required)
DEMI MOORE
- 8 Which two word French expression has been brought into use in English to mean "as a whole" or "altogether"?
EN BLOC

Round 3 – Sum total

In this round all the answers are numbers and the 'sum total' of your 8 answers should be 8,254

1 How many of Henry VIII's six wives outlived him?

Two - Anne of Cleves (4th wife, divorced) and Catherine Parr (6th wife)

2 How many U.S States begin with the letter 'M'?

8 (they are Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri and Montana)

3 In the Eagles song *Hotel California*, the captain's response to a request for wine was *We haven't had that spirit here since* (which year)?

1969

4 What is the next number in the sequence; 2, 7, 17, 37, 77, ...?

157 (multiply each number by two and then add three to get the next in the sequence)

5 In which year was the Magna Carta signed?

1215

6 How many players are there in a rugby league team?

13

7 In what year did Vincent Van Gogh take his own life, was it 1830, 1860 or 1890?

1890

8 What is the minimum height in feet that a Scottish mountain must be to be called a Munro?

3,000 feet

Round 4 – Connection

This round consists of 7 general knowledge questions where the answers all have a common connection. For question 8 you simply have to work out what the connection is between the previous 7 answers. All your answers should obviously fit the connection; if you find yourself looking at an answer that doesn't obviously fit the connection then it's either very obscure or, more likely, you've got the wrong answer and you'll need a bit of a re-think!

- 1 In which century was the registration of births, marriages and deaths centralised in England and Wales?
NINETEENTH (1837)
- 2 When the TV series *'Till Death Us Do Part* transferred to America it was re-titled *All in The Family* and the character of Alf Garnett became Archie whom?
BUNKER
- 3 *The Rime of the Ancient Mariner* by Samuel Taylor Coleridge describes the curse which falls on a mariner and his ship after he shoots what?
ALBATROSS
- 4 Philippine & harpy are types of which creature?
EAGLE
- 5 Which Colonel do you most closely associate with the 1957 multi award winning film *The Bridge on the River Kwai*?
(COLONEL) BOGEY, which was the theme tune for the film
- 6 Which word is often used before the word "excellence" to mean the best of a kind or without equal?
PAR
- 7 In nautical terminology, what is the opposite of aft?
FORE
- 8 What is the connection between the previous seven answers: **ALL GOLFING TERMS**