

Kudos Pub Quizzes - Classic Categories Quiz

Quiz Ref: CF001



Round 1 - Entertainment	Answers
1 What was the name of the international version of TV game show "It's a Knockout"?	Jeux Sans Frontieres
2 Which actor is Quentin Tarantino's most prolific collaborator, having appeared in five of his films?	Samuel L. Jackson
3 What is the real first name of the American singer "Prince"?	Prince
4 Which actor went from Gareth in "The Office" to Ragetti in the "Pirates of the Caribbean" films?	Mackenzie Crook
5 Who regularly appeared as "Statto" in Frank Skinner and David Baddiel's 1990s TV series "Fantasy Football League"?	Angus Loughran
6 Which film won the Best Picture Award at the 2013 Oscars?	Argo
7 Which country did Celine Dion represent when she won the 1988 Eurovision Song Contest?	Switzerland
8 In EastEnders, what is the first name of the Queen Vic barmaid who also has a flower stall in Bridge Street Market?	Tracey
Round 2 - The World	Answers
1 What is Britain's smallest city, in both size and population?	St David's
2 During which war did the Battle of Goose Green take place?	The Falklands War
3 Which US President-to-be wrote the book "The Audacity of Hope"?	Barack Obama
4 What caused a national shortage of 100-yen coins in Japan in the late seventies, prompting an increase in production?	The release of the Space Invaders arcade game
5 What is the world's most densely populated sovereign nation?	Monaco
6 What surprise did President George W. Bush have for the Japanese Prime Minister at a state banquet in 1992, did he: sing to him in Japanese, do an impression of him or vomit on him?	Vomit on him
7 According to the 2012 Global Peace Index, which European island country is the world's most peaceful country?	Iceland
8 Which coin, as one tenth of a pound, was introduced in 1849 as a tentative step towards decimal currency?	The florin (a two-shilling piece)

Round 3 - Science and Nature	Answers
1 What is the average surface area of an adult human's skin, in square feet?	16 to 22 square feet (accept anything within that range)
2 Who set the altitude record for a manned balloon flight in October 2012?	Felix Baumgartner
3 Why was the death of Lonesome George on Pinta Island in June 2012 particularly significant?	He was the last Pinta Island tortoise, leaving the subspecies
4 By what process do plants convert sunlight into chemical energy, required for growth?	Photosynthesis
5 If I take a number multiply it by three, then subtract nine, then divide it by three and finish with four what number did I start with?	Seven
6 What is the largest known animal to have ever existed on Earth?	Blue whale
7 Is marble a sedimentary, igneous or metamorphic rock?	Metamorphic
8 An unloaded Boeing 747 aircraft weighs the same as approximately how many adult elephants? Is it 45, 95 or 145?	45

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Round 4 - Sport	Answers
1 Who is the only footballer to have scored a hat-trick in all four divisions of the English football league, the FA Cup, League Cup and for his country?	Robert Earnshaw
2 Who was appointed coach of the Equatorial Guinea national swimming squad in 2012 - was it Ian Thorpe, Adrian Moorhouse or Eric the Eel?	Eric the Eel
3 Who sank the putt that retained the Ryder Cup for Europe in 2012?	Martin Kaymer
4 In which year was the Football Association formed?	1863 (recently celebrated 150 years)
5 How many gold medals did Great Britain win at the 2012 Olympics?	29
6 How many times was Stirling Moss the Formula One World Champion?	None
7 Which electronic line judge system was used at Wimbledon until 2007, when it was replaced by Hawk-Eye?	Cyclops
8 Who came second to Bradley Wiggins in the 2012 Tour de France?	Chris Froome

Round 5 - Art and Literature		Answers
1	What is the title of JK Rowling's first adult book, released in September 2012?	The Casual Vacancy
2	Which Indian-born artist co-designed the ArcelorMittal Orbit sculpture?	Anish Kapoor
3	Which best-selling science book is subtitled "From the Big Bang to Black Holes"?	A Brief History of Time (by Stephen Hawking)
4	What was the name of the power station what was converted into London's Tate Modern art gallery?	Bankside Power Station
5	What is the name of H. G. Wells' 8,028th century troglodyte civilisation?	Morlocks
6	Which ancient artwork was discovered by a peasant on the Aegean island of Milos in 1820?	The Venus de Milo
7	Bumpy Dog, Tessie Bear and the naughty goblins Sly and Gobbo are characters in which series of books?	Noddy
8	Which English artist painted The Blue Boy?	Thomas Gainsborough

Round 6 - General Knowledge		Answers
1	Which product was advertised with the slogan "It's slightly rippled with a flat under-side"?	Boost (chocolate bar)
2	Give any year during the life of King Henry VIII.	1491 to 1547
3	According to the Beatles who "thought she was a woman, but she was another man."?	Sweet Loretta Martin
4	What connects Elizabeth Fry, Charles Darwin, Adam Smith and James Watt?	They all appear on Bank of England banknotes
5	Which new word meaning a situation that is bad or mismanaged in every way became the Oxford English Dictionary's word of the year for 2012?	Omnishambles
6	Where is the only place outside of the UK where a player is eligible to purchase a National Lottery ticket?	Isle of Man
7	What "K" is the music genre popularised world-wide by the hit single "Gangnam Style"?	K-pop
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