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Where would a Spanish lady wear her mantilla?

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The film 'The Rock' takes place in which famous prison?

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What are the real names of the Hairy Bikers?



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<p>Question 1</p> <p>Where, according to the song, should you pack up your troubles?</p>	<p>Question 2</p> <p>What is usually kept in a band-box?</p>
<p>Question 3</p> <p>The word 'Magic' and 'Bazaar' come from Farsi, the language of which present day country?</p>	<p>Question 4</p> <p>The Battle of the Coral Sea was fought in which war?</p>
<p>Question 5</p> <p>Film star Grace Kelly married which royal in 1956?</p>	<p>Question 6</p> <p>In Norse mythology, who was the god of mischief?</p>
<p>Question 7</p> <p>Riboflavin is the name for which vitamin?</p>	<p>Question 8</p> <p>Which island group was once known as the Spice Islands?</p>
<p>Question 9</p> <p>In terms of size, which planet is closest to that of Earth?</p>	<p>Question 10</p> <p>In which year were the Band Aid charity events first performed?</p>



Notes

<p>Question 1</p> <p>Which Spice Girl advertised Milky Bars as a child?</p>	<p>Question 2</p> <p>Who sang 'I Will Always Love You' from the film 'The Bodyguard'?</p>
<p>Question 3</p> <p>Who kissed Britney Spears and Christina Aguilera on stage at an MTV awards show?</p>	<p>Question 4</p> <p>Who put her famous Union Jack dress up for auction?</p>
<p>Question 5</p> <p>What is the first name of the Welsh singer from Catatonia?</p>	<p>Question 6</p> <p>In which year was Amy Winehouse born?</p>
<p>Question 7</p> <p>How many members does Little Mix have?</p>	<p>Question 8</p> <p>How did the Bangles walk?</p>
<p>Question 9</p> <p>Who is the lead singer for Blondie?</p>	<p>Question 10</p> <p>Alanis Morissette and Celine Dion are from which Country?</p>



Notes



1. Margarine is better for you than butter
2. Women have thicker skin than men
3. 25% of all your bones are in your feet
4. Robot brick layers can lay six times more bricks a day as humans
5. The new plastic bank notes are indestructible
6. Camels store water in their humps
7. Treadmills were used as torture devices for prisoners
8. Humans and Bananas share 50% of their DNA
9. You cannot taste food unless it is mixed with saliva
10. You can fit the entire population of the world on the Isle of Wight



Notes



1. Who directed the 2009 film 'Avatar'?
2. Which professional boxer makes an appearance as himself in 'The Hangover'?
3. In the 1994 film 'Speed' starring Keanu Reeves, what speed must the bus not fall below?
4. Who played Captain Jack Sparrow in the 'Pirates of the Caribbean' series of films?
5. Which famous steps did Rocky climb in Philadelphia?
6. Die Hard is set during which major holiday?
7. Russell Crowe plays what character in the film Gladiator?
8. The film 'The Rock' takes place in which famous prison?
9. Which 007 Actor starred in Dante's Peak?
10. Which film is set on Isla Nublar?



Notes



1. If an epidemic is a widespread infection over a large area, what is a worldwide infection?
2. What was the occupation of Sir Arthur Conan Doyle before he created Sherlock Holmes?
3. In early 2020 Donald Trump sued The New York Times, The Washington Post, and CNN for alleged defamation & false news. What does the acronym CNN stand for?
4. How many winks is a short sleep?
5. Who was the manager of The Beatles?
6. Who is the patron saint of children?
7. In which city did the Kray Twins operate?
8. Which western star first acted using the name Duke Morrison?
9. Which newspaper editor was arrested for assaulting her husband in November 2005?
10. Which 2010 film about the founding of Facebook has the tagline 'You don't get 500 million friends without making a few enemies'?



Notes



1. Which land mammal has the largest ears?
2. Which group of animals shares its name with an archbishop?
3. What type of creature is an Aylesbury?
4. What was the first animal to be domesticated?
5. A leveret is a young what?
6. Which farm animal chew the cud?
7. Which bird has the longest migration route?
8. Which is the world's longest insect?
9. Which part of its body does a snake use to detect noise?
10. What sort of creature is a cisticola?



Notes



1. Which 90s band were named after an area of London?
2. Who was 'Older' in the 90s after a long-running battle with Sony?
3. Whose death propelled 'Bohemian Rhapsody' back to the charts?
4. Which toy provided Aqua with a No. 1?
5. 'My Heart Will Go On' came from which hit film?
6. Which football anthem was co-written by Skinner and Baddiel?
7. What is the surname of Oasis brothers Noel and Liam?
8. Which Zoo sang 'Spaceman' in 1996?
9. In which drama series did chart toppers Robson & Jerome find fame?
10. Which country singer died flying his plane in 1997?



Notes



1. Whom was tennis star Martina Hingis named after?
2. Athlete Kelly Holmes was formerly a member of which armed service?
3. Which snooker champ Ray was nicknamed Dracula?
4. Whom did Andy Murray beat to win his first Olympic Gold Medal?
5. Which racing driver was first to clock up more than 75 F1 wins?
6. Which Greg rejected a maple leaf for a Union Jack in the 1990's?
7. Which Princess won the 1971 European Three Day Event?
8. What nationality is footballer Zlatan Ibrahimović?
9. Which Boxer's catchphrase was 'Know what I mean 'Arry'?
10. What was cricket umpire Harold Bird's nickname?



Notes



1. Bulls are attracted to the colour red
2. Waking a sleepwalker can do irreparable harm
3. Bananas will be extinct in the next 10 years
4. Your heart stops when you sneeze
5. Toads can give you warts
6. Coca-Cola was originally green
7. The first word spoken on the moon was 'okay'
8. The record for the most children born to 1 woman is 69
9. Canada means 'big village'
10. Apart from humans, black lemurs are the only primates that have blue eyes



Notes



1. Who had their one and only hit with the 1970's No. 1 'Barbados'?
2. In The Muppet Show, what colour was Kermit?
3. The Character Mrs Mangel appeared in which TV soap?
4. Which part of the body has a crown and a root?
5. What is the term for good behaviour on the net?
6. What name is given to the coloured sugar strands used in cake decorating?
7. Sydney Carton appears in which Charles Dickens novel?
8. Nylon took its name from which two cities?
9. What was Lord Louis Mountbatten doing when he was murdered by the IRA?
10. In which city did the cartoon family The Jetsons live?



Notes



1. What is the currency of Russia?
2. What was the name of Labour's 1997 election campaign bulldog?
3. Who was the most famous voice of Bugs Bunny?
4. Which actress played opposite Leonardo DiCaprio in Romeo + Juliet?
5. What does a kleptomaniac do?
6. The doomed ship Titanic was registered in which English city?
7. On which instrument could a roll be played?
8. What was the name of the medic who was Medicine Woman in the TV Series?
9. Which music App do you associate with a round green circle and three curved lines?
10. What colour are the hotels in the board game Monopoly?



Notes



1. What was Indiana Jones trademark weapon?
2. Which fashionable coming-of-age comedy takes place at a Beverley Hills High School?
3. In Ace Ventura: Pet Detective, what kind of animal was Ace seeking?
4. Who won an Oscar for the best actress role in Mary Poppins (1965)?
5. Which plant was Uma Thurman named after in Batman & Robin (1997)?
6. In the 1994 film Tom Hanks plays a character who kept running and running. What was he called?
7. Silence of the Lambs was filmed in what year?
8. In the Harry Potter films, what is Hermione's Patronus?
9. In 'Toy Story' Woody is jealous of his owners new toy. Which toy?
10. John Rambo is a veteran of what war?



Notes



1. What 1970 novel by Roald Dahl tells the story of a creature who must outwit three farmers?
2. AA Milne created which bear?
3. Which 1950 fantasy novel features siblings Peter, Susan, Edmund and Lucy Pevensie?
4. The Wind in the Willows was written by which author?
5. What is the title of EB White's novel about a pig called Wilbur and his arachnid friend?
6. Which author wrote The Tale of Peter Rabbit?
7. What is Charlie's surname in the story of Charlie And The Chocolate Factory?
8. The World's Worst Children series is written by which comedian and author?
9. The Curious Incident of the Dog in the Night-Time by Mark Haddon takes its title from a quote by which fictional detective?
10. John Boyne's The Boy in the Striped Pajamas is set during which conflict?



Notes



<p>Question 1</p> <p>Which actress starred alongside Leslie Nielsen in the Naked Gun Films?</p>	<p>Question 2</p> <p>What is the subject matter of the 1996 film 'Tin Cup', starring Kevin Costner and Rene Russo?</p>
<p>Question 3</p> <p>Gene Kelly in 1948; Michael York in 1973; Chris O'Donnell in 1993; Logan Lerman in 2011. Which Character?</p>	<p>Question 4</p> <p>How did Catherine Tramell uncrossing her legs cause a stir in 1992?</p>
<p>Question 5</p> <p>Apart from relationships, what is the main subject matter of the surprise 2004 hit drama Sideways?</p>	<p>Question 6</p> <p>Who provides the voice for Princess Fiona in the Shrek films?</p>
<p>Question 7</p> <p>What part was played by chameleon Actor Michael Sheen in the 2006 biopic, The Queen, starring Helen Mirren?</p>	<p>Question 8</p> <p>Who stars as a gay private eye alongside Robert Downey Jr in the 2005 black comedy Kiss Kiss Bang Bang?</p>
<p>Question 9</p> <p>Which big Hollywood star made his debut in the 1958 B-movie The Blob?</p>	<p>Question 10</p> <p>Who are the Turnbull AC's, the Orphans, the Baseball Furies, the Lizzies and the Punks?</p>



Notes

1. Who was the first Twitter user to reach 20 million followers, her songs include 'The Edge Of Glory' and 'Judas'?
2. What PEGI rating does the World Wrestling Entertainment App have?
3. Where would a Spanish lady wear her mantilla?
4. Which culinary item describes thinly cut vegetables slowly cooked in butter?
5. In which Country was the first beauty contest held?
6. In which city did the first Marks & Spencer's open?
7. How many fights did Muhammad Ali have in his career?
8. What did the M stand for in the name of the band OMD?
9. Which instrument did Sherlock Holmes play?
10. In which pop song were 'them good old boys drinking whisky and rye'?



Notes



1. What fitness craze started in 1989 in the USA?
2. In what year did British £1 notes cease to be legal tender?
3. Which 1982 Spielberg classic was about a young boy and his pet alien?
4. In which year did the Berlin Wall come down?
5. Who wrote the 1987 novel 'Misery'?
6. Where in the Ukraine was there a nuclear explosion in 1986?
7. What hairstyle was synonymous with the 1980's?
8. Who was the 'Queen of Pop' in the 1980's?
9. What year did the satirical puppet series 'Spitting Image' start?
10. Changing its name in 1980 to the Rubiks Cube. What was it previously known as from its creation in the mid 1970's?



Notes



1. In 2012, Facebook acquired which Social Media App, with a price tag of \$1 billion?
2. Who was NO ANGEL according to the title of a hit album?
3. Oskar Schindler, whose story was told in a Spielberg movie, was from which Country?
4. What name is an African lake, a station and a former Queen?
5. Prosecutor Kenneth Starr handled impeachment proceedings against which US President?
6. Simon Weston became famous for his courage following horrific injuries in which war?
7. What colour is Shrek?
8. In the proverb, money is the _____?
9. How was Judas paid for betraying Jesus?
10. Sam Snead found fame in which sport?



Notes



1. What are the real names of the Hairy Bikers?
2. In 'Alice In Wonderland', does the 'Drink Me' potion make Alice grow or shrink?
3. In food science, what do the initials GM stand for?
4. Name the Benedictine monk who invented Champagne?
5. In 2017, professional speed eater Miki Sudo won an eating contest by eating how many hot dogs?
6. In relation to ale, what do the letters SG stand for?
7. Anya, Desiree and Charlotte are all types of what?
8. Which soft drink brand sponsors Wimbledon?
9. What is the name of the Rolling Stones seventh album?
10. What is the name of Beyonce's 2016 number one album?



Notes



1. What is the name of the hero in the Matrix movie series?
2. Which famous TV producer is associated with Thunderbirds, UFO and Joe 90?
3. George Lucas is famous for which series of Sci-fi films?
4. Joanna Lumley and David McCallum played which TV Sci-fi investigators?
5. What colour is the TARDIS in Doctor Who?
6. Which country originally produced the Godzilla movies?
7. What are Peter, Drax, Gamora, Rocket and Groot better known as?
8. What is the name of the giant robot in the 1951 film The Day The Earth Stood Still?
9. In Star Trek, what is the name of Mr Spocks home planet?
10. In the original Alien film, what is the name of the ship?



Notes



1. Winston Smith is the protagonist in which dystopian novel?
2. Ishmael is the narrator in which nineteenth century novel?
3. 'Call for the Dead' and 'The Spy Who Came In From the Cold' by John Le Carre, both feature which spymaster?
4. George Milton and Lennie Small are characters in which novel by John Steinbeck?
5. Humbert Humbert is the protagonist in which novel by Vladimir Nabokov?
6. In which novel does Edmond Dantes appear as a prisoner?
7. Gustav von Aschenbach is the tragic central character of which Thomas Mann Novel?
8. 'Slaughterhouse Five' by Kurt Vonnegut features which space-travelling protagonist?
9. The wizard, Rincewind, appears in which series of fantasy novels?
10. Tom and Ruth Pinch appear in which novel by Charles Dickens?



Notes



<p>Question 1</p> <p>Tsunami is another word for what type of wave?</p>	<p>Question 2</p> <p>Where would a melanoma appear?</p>
<p>Question 3</p> <p>Which disease in humans has been linked to the cattle disease BSE?</p>	<p>Question 4</p> <p>What sort of bird is a Merlin?</p>
<p>Question 5</p> <p>Which part of the body might suffer from labyrinthitis?</p>	<p>Question 6</p> <p>Which racing creatures live in lofts?</p>
<p>Question 7</p> <p>What condition is caused by a shortage of haemoglobin?</p>	<p>Question 8</p> <p>Where is a human's scapula?</p>
<p>Question 9</p> <p>What do most shark's live on?</p>	<p>Question 10</p> <p>A BCG is a vaccination against which disease?</p>



Notes



1. In which American City could you watch The Dolphins football team and The Merlins baseball team?
2. Which Island group includes Majorca, Minorca and Ibiza?
3. In which Country could you sail in the Bay of Plenty?
4. In which Country is the Sinhala Language spoken?
5. If you visited the 2015 Rugby World Cup Final, which City did you travel to?
6. In which Country would you find The Angel Falls, the highest waterfall in the World?
7. In which City could you take photos of The Little Mermaid statue?
8. Which Country has a name that means 'Lowlands'?
9. Which Country is home to the airline Lufthansa?
10. Which Italian City was destroyed when Mount Vesuvius erupted in AD79?



Notes



1. Which famous musician is supposed to have said 'We're more popular than Jesus now'?
2. Jon Snow is a character from which hit TV series?
3. Charlie Chaplin insured which body part?
4. Which actor starred as James Bond in the film 'The Spy Who Loved Me'?
5. What two toppings would you associate with Margarita Pizza?
6. What does NASA stand for?
7. What two spirits would you associate with Margarita Cocktails?
8. In nature, what is a Red Admiral?
9. Which Latin phrase is used to describe one's old school or college?
10. Which three-time Grand National winner died in 1995?



Notes



1. Which 1997 film featured the song 'You Can Leave Your Hat On'?
2. In which decade of the 20th century was Sophia Loren born?
3. In which Carry On film did Sid James first feature?
4. Dolly Parton and Julia Roberts starred in which 1989 film?
5. Who played Meryl Streep's long-suffering assistant in the 2006 film, The Devil Wears Prada?
6. Clint Eastwood directed himself as a character called Dave Garland in which 1971 film?
7. Which Comedy Team first appeared in One Night in the Tropics (1940)?
8. Which actress starred as Meg Altman in the 2002 film Panic Room?
9. Who directed the Blues Brothers?
10. The 1996 sci-fi comedy Mars Attacks! featured which legendary male singer?



Notes



Quiz 1 – Pot Luck

1. Your Old Kit Bag
2. Hats
3. Iran
4. World War II
5. Prince Rainier III of Monaco
6. Loki
7. B2
8. The Moluccas
9. Venus
10. 1984

Quiz 3 – True or False

1. False
2. False
3. True
4. True
5. False
6. False
7. True
8. True
9. True
10. False

Quiz 5 – Pot Luck

1. A pandemic
2. Medical Practitioner
3. Cable News Network
4. Forty
5. Brian Epstein
6. Nicholas
7. London
8. John Wayne
9. Rebekah Wade
10. The Social Network

Quiz 7 – 1990's Music

1. East 17
2. George Michael
3. Freddie Mercury
4. Barbie
5. Titanic
6. Three Lions
7. Gallagher
8. Babylon Zoo
9. Soldier Soldier
10. John Denver

Quiz 2 – Music: Pop Divas

1. Emma (Baby Spice)
2. Whitney Houston
3. Madonna
4. Geri Halliwell
5. Cerys
6. 1983
7. Four
8. Like an Egyptian
9. Debbie Harry
10. Canada

Quiz 4 – Film Night

1. James Cameron
2. Mike Tyson
3. 50mph
4. Johnny Depp
5. The Museum of Art's entrance
6. Christmas
7. Maximus
8. Alcatraz
9. Pierce Brosnan
10. Jurassic Park

Quiz 6 – Animals

1. (African) Elephant
2. Primate
3. Duck
4. Goat
5. Hare
6. Cows
7. Arctic Tern
8. Chinese Stick Insect
9. Jaw
10. Bird

Quiz 8 – Sport

1. Martina Navratilova
2. Army
3. Reardon
4. Roger Federer
5. Michael Schumacher
6. Rusedski
7. Anne
8. Swedish
9. Frank Bruno
10. Dickie Bird

Answers



Quiz 9 – True or False

1. False
2. False
3. False
4. True
5. False
6. False
7. True
8. True
9. True
10. True

Quiz 10 – Pot Luck

1. Typically Tropical
2. Green
3. Neighbours
4. Tooth
5. Netiquette
6. Hundreds and Thousands
7. A Tale Of Two Cities
8. New York and London
9. Fishing
10. Orbit City

Quiz 11 – Pot Luck

1. Rouble
2. Fitz
3. Mel Blanc
4. Claire Danes
5. Steal
6. Liverpool
7. Drum
8. Dr Quinn
9. Spotify
10. Red

Quiz 12 – Film Night

1. Bullwhip
2. Clueless
3. Dolphin
4. Julie Andrews
5. Ivy
6. Forest Gump
7. 1991
8. Otter
9. Buzz Lightyear
10. Vietnam War

Quiz 13 – Children's Literature

1. Fantastic Mr Fox
2. Winnie-the-Pooh
3. The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe
4. Kenneth Grahame
5. Charlotte's Web
6. Beatrix Potter
7. Bucket
8. David Walliams
9. Sherlock Holmes
10. WWII

Quiz 14 – Movies: Pot Luck

1. Priscilla Presley
2. Golf
3. D'Artagnan
4. Not wearing any underwear (Sharon Stones Character in Basic Instinct)
5. Wine
6. Cameron Diaz
7. Tony Blair
8. Val Kilmer
9. Steve McQueen
10. Gangs in The Warriors

Quiz 15 – Pot Luck

1. Lada Gaga
2. 12
3. Head/Shoulders
4. Julianne
5. Belgium
6. Manchester
7. 61
8. Manoeuvres
9. Violin
10. American Pie

Quiz 16 – 1980's

1. Step Aerobics
2. 1988
3. E.T.
4. 1989
5. Stephen King
6. Chernobyl
7. Mullet
8. Madonna
9. 1984
10. Magic Cube

Answers



Quiz 17 – Pot Luck

1. Instagram
2. Dido
3. Germany
4. Victoria
5. Bill Clinton
6. Falklands War
7. Green
8. Root of all evil
9. Silver
10. Golf

Quiz 19 – Sci Fi

1. Neo
2. Gerry Anderson
3. Star Wars
4. Sapphire and Steel
5. Blue
6. Japan
7. The Guardians of the Galaxy
8. Gort
9. Vulcan
10. Nostromo

Quiz 21 – Living World

1. Tidal Wave
2. On the skin
3. CJD
4. Falcon
5. Ear
6. Pigeons
7. Anaemia
8. Shoulder Blade
9. Fish
10. Tuberculosis (TB)

Quiz 23 – Pot-Luck

1. John Lennon
2. Game of Thrones
3. His Feet
4. Roger Moore
5. Cheese and Tomato
6. National Aeronautics & Space Administration
7. Tequila and Cointreau
8. Butterfly
9. Alma Mater
10. Red Rum

Quiz 18 – Food & Drink

1. Simon King & David Myers (Si and Dave)
2. Shrink
3. Genetically Modified
4. Dom Pérignon
5. 41
6. Specific Gravity
7. Potato
8. Robinsons
9. Beggars Banquet
10. Lemonade

Quiz 20 – Book Characters

1. Nineteen Eighty-Four
2. Moby Dick
3. George Smiley
4. Of Mice and Men
5. Lolita
6. The Count of Monte Cristo
7. Death in Venice
8. Billy Pilgrim
9. Terry Pratchett's 'Discworld' novels
10. Martin Chuzzlewit

Quiz 22 – Around the World

1. Miami
2. Balearic Islands
3. New Zealand
4. Sri Lanka
5. London
6. Venezuela
7. Copenhagen
8. Netherlands
9. Germany
10. Pompeii

Quiz 24 – Film Night

1. The Full Monty
2. 1930's
3. Carry On Constable
4. Steel Magnolias
5. Emily Blunt
6. Play Misty For Me
7. Abbott and Costello
8. Jodie Foster
9. John Landis
10. Tom Jones

Answers



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