

Quizmaster Quiz Night

Wooden Spoon Quizzes

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| What type of vessel is the Ark Royal? | Aircraft Carrier |
| In the old rhyme, what would two magpies signify? | Joy |
| 'Jumpin' Jack Flash' and 'The Railing Stains' are tribute acts to what band? | The Rolling Stones |
| Prize draws for Premium Bonds are held every, how often? | Every Month |
| On a one-way street sign, a white arrow is on what colour background? | Blue |
| In the tongue twister, what normally comes after 'red lorry'? | Yellow Lorry |
| The sovereign gold coin was worth how many pounds? | One |
| What's the UK's National Weather Service called? | The MET Office |
| Bettino Craxi was prime minister of which country in the mid 1980s? | Italy |
| What title for a Japanese military ruler was used until 1867? | Shogun |
| Which tiny parasitic crabs live within the shells of oysters and other bivalve molluscs? | Pea Crab |
| What is the longest side of a right-angled triangle called? | The hypotenuse |
| what is the main respiratory organ of most fish? | Gills |
| What grass-tunnelling creature is Britain's most abundant mammal? | Field Vole |
| Under normal conditions, how much does a gallon of water weigh in pounds? | 8.34 pounds (3.78 kilograms) |
| Which two gases comprise 99% of the Sun? | Hydrogen and Helium |
| The only Apes native to Europe can be found in which British Colony? | Gibraltar |
| What sort of creature is a marmoset? | Monkey |
| Which chemical compound is used in baking powder, fizzy drinks and medicinal antacids? | Sodium Bicarbonate |
| How is deuterium oxide better known? | Heavy Water |
| What do the initials IVF stand for? | In Vitro Fertilisation |
| What is Britain's national bird? | The Robin |
| The RCN is a UK Trade Union representing workers in which field? | Nursing |
| In Morse Code, which letter of the alphabet is signalled by means of a single dot? | E |
| Which computer is listed in the Guinness World Records as the highest-selling single computer model of all time? | Commodore 64 |
| A gambit is the opening move in which game? | Chess |
| Who said 'There are two seasons in Scotland, June and Winter'? | Billy Connolly |
| Ayatollah Khomeini was ruler of which country from 1979? | Iran |
| Which revolution was affected by the Bolsheviks? | The Russian Revolution |
| What type of instrument can be Grand or Upright? | Piano |

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| Which act of Parliament binds Government employees to secrecy? | The Official Secrets Act 1989 |
| In which country did Buddhism originate? | Ancient India |
| Andrew Lloyd Webber's musical Cats is based on a book by which poet? | T. S. Eliot |
| Which five-word phrase begins the monologue about the seven ages of man, spoken by Jacques in William Shakespeare's play 'As You Like It'? | All the world's a stage |
| Which African mountain range lies between the Sahara and the Mediterranean Sea? | The Atlas Mountains |
| Which English city has districts known as Clifton, Eastville and Knowle? | Bristol |
| How many States in the US have four letters or less? | Three (Iowa, Ohio and Utah) |
| In which country is the Negev desert? | Israel |
| Which 'A' road takes you from Exeter to Penzance? | A30 |
| Which Northern Irish city means 'Fort of the Gamblers'? | Lisburn |
| The Caucasus is a region at the border of which two continents? | Europe and Asia |
| As what was Bratislava, capital of Slovakia, generally known until 1919? | Pressburg |
| Dartmouth can be found in which English county? | Devon |
| Of which country is Alberta a province? | Canada |
| Which Welsh City lies at the mouth of the River Taff? | Cardiff |
| Nur-Sultan, formerly known as Astana, is the capital city of which country? | Kazakhstan |
| Who starred with Eddie Izzard in 2001 film comedy 'All The Queen's Men'? | Matt LeBlanc |
| Which star of 'Game of Thrones' played the title role in the BBC political thriller series 'Bodyguard'? | Richard Madden |
| What was the name of the Princess in 'The Princess Bride'? | Buttercup |
| Which TV show featured Chad Michael Murray as a high school basketball player? | One Tree Hill |
| Which TV show is based on a woman's memoir of her time in prison? | Orange is the New Black |
| Which 2011 festive films ensemble cast included Halle Berry playing a nurse? | New Year's Eve |
| Which character did Liam Neeson play in Star Wars? | Qui-Gon Jinn |
| Which BBC One drama stars Suranne Jones as DCI Amy Silva? | Vigil |
| Which American comedian starred in the 1939 film 'The Cat And The Canary'? | Bob Hope |
| Who appeared posthumously in the 2023 Doctor Who specials as Wilfred Mott? | Bernard Cribbins |
| Starring Ricky Whittle and Ian McShane, which fantasy drama series, first broadcast in 2017, was based on a novel of the same name by Neil Gaiman? | American Gods |
| Eric Wimp is the alter-ego of which superhero? | Bananaman |
| James Herriot made his debut on the BBC in which TV Show on 8 January 1978? | All Creatures Great and Small |

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| In an interview with Oprah Winfrey at his Neverland Ranch on 10 February 1993. Who did Michael Jackson accuse of abusing him when he was a child? | His father, Joe Jackson |
| Which Monarch narrowly escaped an assassination attempt by Roderick Maclean who fired the gun at her in Windsor on 2 March 1882? | Queen Victoria |
| What UNSINKABLE ocean liner sank in the North Atlantic Ocean on 15 April 1912? | RMS Titanic |
| This early feminist was burnt at the stake at Reims in France on 30 May 1431. Who was this 19-year-old fighting MAID OF ORLEANS? | Joan of Arc |
| What signal was transmitted in morse code for the first time on 10 June 1909 when the Cunard Liner SLAVONIA was wrecked? | SOS Signal |
| What social media platform was launched on 15 July 2006? | Twitter |
| What 3-day event kicked off on a dairy farm in Bethel, New York on 15 August 1969, attracting more than 400,000 guests? | Woodstock |
| What happened for the first time in Blackpool on 19 September 1879? | Blackpool Illuminations |
| On 18 October 1965, created and performed by Eric Thompson, ran for 12-years, which children's show first aired on BBC? | Magic Roundabout |
| Whose leather outfit from 'Grease' sold for \$405,700 (£330,000) on 3 November 2019? | Olivia Newton-John's |
| What became available on the NHS on 4 December 1961? | Birth Control Pill / Contraceptive Pill |
| In American restaurants, what drink is nicknamed MOO JUICE? | Milk |
| Bernard Matthews built up his food business in what English county? | Norfolk |
| Which Swiss dish consists of cheese melted into wine or cider, into which bread is dipped? | Fondue |
| Which popular pasta sauce is made with bacon, egg and cream? | Carbonara |
| Which type of restaurant comes from the French word for BREWERY? | Brasserie |
| Which drink often contains spirits, fruit juice, sugar, spice and hot water? | Hot Toddy |
| For WHICH variety of Pea with an edible pod is SUGAR PEA another name? | Snap Peas |
| What is food wrapped in when it's EN CROUTE? | Puff Pastry |
| WHICH alcoholic drink is thought to have originated in the Spanish city of Jerez de la Frontera? | Sherry |
| Which US city are the headquarters of Coca-Cola located? | Atlanta, Georgia |
| What name is given to the popular Japanese dish of lightly battered and fried seafood and vegetables? | Tempura |
| What is added to champagne to make a Bucks Fizz? | Orange Juice |
| Who played ROSE TYLER in DOCTOR WHO? | Billie Piper |

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| ONE TOUCH and ANGELS WITH DIRTY FACES are albums by what girl group? | Sugababes |
| Starring Thomasin McKenzie and Anya Taylor-Joy, the 2021 film LAST NIGHT IN SOHO was directed by which filmmaker, who is also known for his THREE FLAVOURS CORNETTO trilogy? | Edgar Wright |
| In HELLRAISER, Frank Cotton has no qualms about unleashing the horrors of the puzzle box onto his family. How is Frank related to the main character, Kirsty? | He is her Uncle |
| RICKY WILSON is the front man of which band? | Kaiser Chief |
| What was SANDIE SHAW'S last UK Number 1 Single? | Puppet On A String |
| Which 1987 film starred the late JOHN ACKLAND as Jock Delves Broughton? | White Mischief |
| Which American entertainer, who died in 1984, was portrayed by Jim Carrey in the 2000 biopic MAN ON THE MOON? | Andy Kaufman |
| What was the name of Rolf Harris' KOALA BEAR puppet? | Coojee Bear |
| Which 2012 film about the hunt for Osama Bin Laden stars JESSICA CHASTAIN? | Zero Dark Thirty |
| Which famous actor has actor brothers called ROSSIF and ANGUS? | Kiefer Sutherland |
| Released in 1978, which song was the only UK No. 1 single for the COMMODORES? | Three Times a Lady |
| What London football team plays at The Valley? | Charlton Athletic FC |
| In which sport do Europe and the United States compete for the WEBER CUP? | Ten-Pin Bowling |
| Which football club paid a record £7 million pounds for ANDY COLE in 1995? | Manchester United |
| Which character does Olympian MONTELL DOUGLAS portray in BBC TV series GLADIATORS? | Fire |
| What is MMA fighter KHAMZAT CHIMAEV's nickname? | Borz |
| When was TONY MOWBRAY named Ipswich Town FC Caretaker Manager? | 2002 |
| Who won nine Wimbledon Championships between 1978 and 1990? | Martina Navratilova |
| Managed by Claudio Ranieri, which team were crowned champions of the Premier League in the 2015-16 season for the first time in the club's history? | Leicester City |
| What nationality is Speedway World Champion Bartosz Zmarzlik? | Polish |
| Which Scottish football club plays at EASTER ROAD? | Hibernian Football Club |
| In 1996, which band collaborated with comedians Baddiel and Skinner to record the football song THREE LIONS? | Lightning Seeds |
| WHICH American sprinter recovered from polio, double pneumonia and scarlet fever to win triple gold at the Rome Olympics? | Wilma Rudolph |