

SAL's Christmas Quiz 2020

It's Christmas time... no mistletoe and wine... just mental agony... It's SAL's Christmas Quiz!

- 1 For which film did Sir Michael Caine receive an Oscar? Sadly, "You were only supposed to blow the bloody doors off" was not a quote from it!
- 2 Suggest a clue for the last in this series:
 - i. 1815;
 - ii. My mother;
 - iii. An F1 champion;
 - iv. EIRR waltzing;
 - v. Mutual recognition;
 - vi. *Scrabble*;
 - vii. Your bet; and
 - viii. What the first placed horse receives.
- 3 What did Mr & Mrs Bernstock own first?
- 4 What now common high-street feature started in Ohio in 1979?
- 5 Who has four craters on the moon, an asteroid and a chemical element named after him?
- 6 During lockdown Anfield displayed the banner YNWA, what did this signify?
- 7 What became of Piggy Lee?
- 8 In which film does James Bond proclaim he is an accountant?
- 9 What uniquely connects these ten:
 - i. Oisicks;
 - ii. Camille & Katronia were a big hit here;
 - iii. Where did your wife go on holiday?
 - iv. Not the usual top;
 - v. *South Park*;
 - vi. Rolling tobacco;
 - vii. The smoking neighbour;
 - viii. X, 45, Ostro-Scirrocco;
 - ix. Sweet home; and
 - x. "Ar we home yet, Toto"?
- 10 The Beatles performed which song on their only appearance on *Top of the Pops*?
- 11 What connects:
 - i. A favoured headwear of Graham Greene;
 - ii. The conflict between the Plantagenets and the Valois;
 - iii. A game played on a six-sided board;
 - iv. A Christmas treat; and
 - v. Charlie Brown's dog?
- 12 How are Adela Street and the Westway Flyover related?
- 13 What is missing from this list:
 - i. Flame-throwers;
 - ii. Scottish rills;
 - iii. Setters; and
 - iv. Ich Dien?
- 14 Why don't the residents of Bosovo, Kosovo, San Marino and Spain sing their National Anthems?
- 15 Pair the following in the manner CHURCH (HALL) MARK; the pairs have a common theme:

ACADEMY	ADOLE	ANNE	ANT	BERT
BUTCHER	CAPTAIN	DISNEY	DO	DOG
FOR	ICE	LAND	MADRID	MAG
NEW	PIG	PUNCH	SOME	UP

- 16 What links the following:
- i. Lepus;
 - ii. Sciurus;
 - iii. Meropids;
 - iv. Lepus;
 - v. Meropids
 - vi. Urchin;
 - vii. Mica; and
 - viii. Ranae?
- 17 How did Grigori beat Clay?
- 18 Who is the odd one out and why:
- i. Charles de Gaulle;
 - ii. Dwight D. Eisenhower;
 - iii. Giuseppe Garibaldi
 - iv. John F. Kennedy;
 - v. Juan Carlos I; or
 - vi. Queen Elizabeth?
- 19 What began in Salford and then moved to:
- i. Stuttgart;
 - ii. Duxford;
 - iii. Rotherham;
 - iv. Gateshead;
 - v. Edinburgh;
 - vi. Madrid; and
 - vii. Most recently, Norwich?
- 20 What is the connection between:
- i. A British protomartyr;
 - ii. The home of golf;
 - iii. A small city in Wales;
 - iv. A Spanish Sunday;
 - v. A nationalist general;
 - vi. Jacob's ladder;
 - vii. Satchmo;
 - viii. A Beatle;
 - ix. A Pokémon protagonist; and
 - x. A patron of India.

Send your entries directly to SAL at alan.livesey@btinternet.com (only e-mail content or attachments in pdf or Word 2020 readable format can be accepted).

Please feel free to forward the quiz, or the link, to family and friends – group entries are accepted. Entries (from individuals or groups) must be received by midnight on 31 January 2021.

No prizes – it's all for the glory!

The answers and the winners will be notified and shared online at www.icaew.com/scotland in February.

Good luck... you'll need it!

Best wishes for the festive season,

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